



# St. Helen's Parish

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Registered Charity No 242380

**7th November 2021**

**32nd Sunday Of Ordinary Time**  
Eucharistic Prayer: IV with its Preface



**Keep faithful,  
and I will give  
you the crown  
of life.'**

**7th November 2021, 32nd Sunday Of Ordinary Time**

<b>Saturday</b>	6:30pm	Deceased members of Hardy & Frayling Families
<b>Sunday</b>	8:30am	Aldo Cavalli
	10:30am	People Of The Parish

**14th November 2021, 33rd Sunday Of Ordinary Time**

<b>Saturday</b>	6:30pm	People Of The Parish
<b>Sunday</b>	8:30am	Mark Anthony Fonte
	10:30am	Remembrance Sunday

Please pray for all the sick and elderly members of the Parish, their families, carers and all their families.

**Parish Hall Events**

**No Parish Hall Events Until Further Notice**

**Sacramental Events**

**Baptism Preparations**– Contact the parish office for further details.

**First Holy Communion**– Parents/Guardians meeting on Thursday 11th November at 7:00pm in the parish hall.

**Confirmation**– Parents/Guardian and sponsors only meeting on Wednesday 10th Nov at 7:00pm in the hall.

**Collections– 31st October 2021**

**Ordinary £377.93 Gift Aid £180.50**

**Thirty– Second Sunday Of Ordinary Time**

**Weekday Masses: Mon 8th Nov – Sat 13th Nov 2021**

<b>Monday</b> All Saints Of Wales (Feast)	9:00am	Kathryn Selby
<b>Tuesday</b> The Dedication Of The Lateran Basilica (Feast)	9:00am <b>9:30am– 12 Noon</b>	Anna Deasy <b>Adoration</b>
<b>Wednesday</b> St Leo The Great, Pope (Memorial)	9:00am	David Johnson
<b>Thursday</b> St Martin Of Tours, Bishop (Memorial)	9:00am	Josephine Harris
<b>Friday</b> St Josaphat, Bishop & Martyr	9:00am <b>3:00pm</b>	Mr & Mrs K O Joseph <b>Divine Mercy Chaplet &amp; Stations Of The Cross</b>
<b>Saturday</b> Weekday In Ordinary Time	9:00am <b>10am-11am</b>  <b>2:00pm</b>	Holy Souls  <b>Confessions/ Reconciliations</b>  <b>Service In Remembrance</b>

**Mass Steward Volunteers**

<b>Sat 6:30pm</b> <b>6th Nov</b>	Nikki Cole, Anne Reynish & Leelamma Reji
<b>Sun 8:30am</b> <b>7th Nov</b>	Chris Owens, Pat Wilkins & Rachel Jones
<b>Sun 10:30am</b> <b>7th Nov</b>	Michelle O'Hare, Eanna Harkins, Mervyn Jones & Pippa Jones
<b>Sat 6:30pm</b> <b>13th Nov</b>	Nikki Cole, Anne Reynish & Leelamma Reji
<b>Sun 8:30am</b> <b>14th Nov</b>	Chris Owens, Pat Wilkins & Obi Ofokansi & Ligi
<b>Sun 10:30am</b> <b>14th Nov</b>	Michelle O'Hare, Eanna Harkins, Rebeca Johnson & Stephanie Tarling

**Sanctuary Lamp: Sick & Retired Clergy**

St Helen's Catholic Primary School

Mrs Michelle Clawson (Acting Head Teacher)

01446 700034

St Richard Gwyn Catholic High School

Mr David Blackwell (Head Teacher)

01446 729250

### **+November Altar List For The Dead**

Each week during November, there will be a Mass celebrated for the **Holy Souls**. If you wish any deceased members of your family or friends to be remembered at these Masses, please write their names on the slip of paper provided at the back of the church, and place it in the box provided on the step on the Sanctuary. Praying for our dead is part of our Catholic tradition, and is an important part of our life.

### **+Annual St Helen's Service In Remembrance**

This year the service will take place on Saturday 13th November at 2:00pm. The service is prepared especially for those who have recently been bereaved, but of course, all are welcome. It will last for approximately 40 minutes and will consist of appropriate readings, poems and hymns. During the service a member of the family will have an opportunity to light a candle in memory of their deceased relative. Please feel free to attend for as much or as little time as you wish.

### **+Sick And Retired Clergy Fund**

The care of retired and infirm clergy confirms our promise that they will not be forgotten after a life of service. Over the next 10 years just under half of all diocesan priests will reach retirement age. The cost of care will rise dramatically as a result. But with your help, we will keep the promise and show our gratitude. They do far more than simply act as a spare pair of hands. It would not be possible to sustain the richness of our life as a church without them.

Many continue in ministry leading active lives – celebrating Mass, serving as chaplains, counselling people in need, supporting parish life, and praying for us all. Parish priests generally retire from the administrative burden of parish life at the age of 75, often having given 40-50 years of service to the community. This is well beyond the retirement age of most lay people.

As they live independently, retired priests support themselves with the help of the Sick and Retired Clergy Fund. The Fund ensures that priests enjoy a dignified retirement. It supports independent living providing them with a suitable home alongside other services. Above all, it makes certain that their social and health care needs are met. Our priests rely on what the Fund provides having devoted their lives to furthering the mission of the Church and bringing people closer to Christ.

If you would like to support the Sick and Retired Clergy Fund envelopes are available at the back on church and a retiring collection will be taken at all Masses this weekend, 6th/7th November.

### **+Synod Of Bishops 2021-2023**

Thank you to the four parishioners that have come forward to represent St Helen's Parish in preparations for the Synod of Bishops. The representatives are: Geoff Hanlan, Anne Reynish, Philip Kitchen & Wendy Marsh.

### **+Annual Prize Draw**

This year the Annual Prize Draw is Back! We would be grateful for donations of Raffle prizes. If you are able to donate please contact Marilyn Frayling on 01446 408959. The draw will take place in the Parish Hall on Sunday 12th December after 10:30am Mass, refreshments will be available. Tickets will be available from the piety stall after all Masses from next weekend.

### **+Piety Stall Now Open!**

We have a selection of items for sale in the Piety Stall in the church hall. The stall will be open for 15 minutes after weekend Masses starting this weekend, 6th/7th November. Our selection is limited given the size of our stall, however, we also have access to over 2000 items via our parish website and partnership with a local company. For every purchase you make a 10% donation is made to the parish supporting our work here in St Helens.

Go to our website [www.sthelensrcchurch.co.uk/piety-stall](http://www.sthelensrcchurch.co.uk/piety-stall) for more details.

### **+Volunteer Stewards Needed**

Due to the ongoing risk assessments and Covid restriction in place as well as fire safety regulations, there is now a need for more stewards for weekend Masses as well as other celebrations. If you are able to help with this please contact the parish office, more information will then be given and full training will be given if you choose to volunteer.

### **+Stewards Meeting**

Due to new regulations in place and the forthcoming Advent & Christmas Masses there will be a need to meet with all current and future stewards. The meeting will take place on Tuesday 16th November at 7:00pm in the parish hall.

### **+Mass In Welsh**

'Offeren yn Gymraeg': Mass in Welsh at the Cathedral. A Mass of Thanksgiving will be held on Friday November 26th at 6pm to celebrate 50 years of the regular Mass in Welsh in the Archdiocese and 80 years since the establishing of 'Y Cylch Catholig'. Reception to follow at the Cornerstone. Croeso cynnes i bawb - welcome to all. Contact: [carys@caerdelyn.com](mailto:carys@caerdelyn.com)