



# St. Helen's Parish

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## 3rd July 2022

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**'The Kingdom of God is very near to you.'**

### 3rd July 2022, 14th Sunday Of Ordinary Time

<b>Saturday</b>	<b>6:30pm</b>	People Of The Parish
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>8:30am</b>	Rose Fulgoni, Carla Carpanini & Pia Eaves
	<b>10:30am</b>	Nirmala Mathew

### 10th July 2022, 15th Sunday Of Ordinary Time

<b>Saturday</b>	<b>6:30pm</b>	People Of The Parish
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>8:30am</b>	Steven Luke Willmot
	<b>10:30am</b>	Jose Joseph

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

### Parish Hall Events

<b>Wed 6th July</b>	<b>2:00pm</b>	Ladies Circle
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### Sacramental Events

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

### Collections– 26th June 2022

Ordinary £ 453.57

Gift Aid £291.61

**Sanctuary Lamp: Private Intention**

## Fourteenth Sunday Of Ordinary Time

### Weekday Masses: Mon 4th July – Sat 9th July

<b>Monday</b> Weekday in Ordinary Time	9:00am	Stephen Wilkins
<b>Tuesday</b> Weekday in Ordinary Time	9:00am	Laura Jones & Laura Tyler  <b>Adoration</b> <b>9:30am-10.30am</b>
<b>Wednesday</b> Weekday in Ordinary Time	9:00am	Thanksgiving Alex Nainan
<b>Thursday</b> Weekday in Ordinary Time	9:30am <b>Requiem Mass</b>	<b>Arthur Cheek</b> <b>Church Open for Prayers</b> <b>9:00am-5:00pm</b>
<b>Friday</b> Weekday in Ordinary Time	9:00am  <b>2:30pm</b>	Intention Of The Holy Father  <b>Divine Mercy &amp; Stations of the Cross</b>  <b>Church Open for Prayers</b> <b>9:00am-5:00pm</b>
<b>Saturday</b> Weekday in Ordinary Time	9:00am	John Gerrard McCarthy  <b>10am-11am</b> <b>Confessions/Reconciliation</b>

### +Live Stream

The Sunday 10:30am Mass will be live streamed as well as all weekday Masses and Devotions.

### +Children's Liturgy

Children's Liturgy continues this next weekend Sunday 10th July.

**“The Christian does not think God will love us because we are good, but that God will make us good because He loves us.”**

— C.S. Lewis

St Helen's Catholic Primary School

Mrs Michelle Clawson (Acting Head Teacher)

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St Richard Gwyn Catholic High School

Mr David Blackwell (Head Teacher)

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### **+Please Pray**

For the repose of the soul of: **Stephen Wilkins** (Husband of Pat Wilkins) & **Arthur Cheek** who died recently. **Funeral Arrangements:**

**Steven Wilkins**— Reception into church on **Sunday 3rd July at 3:00pm**. Funeral Service on **Monday 4th July at 11:00am**.

**Arthur Cheek**—Reception into church **Wednesday 6th July at 6.00pm**. Requiem Mass **Thursday 7th July at 9.30am**.

### **+Fr Pat's Retirement Celebrations**

As announced some weeks ago Fr Pat will be retiring and celebrating his last Mass as Parish Priest on Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> July at 10:30am.

Following Mass there will be refreshments in the Parish Hall. The hall will be open for parishioners from 12 noon until 4:00pm. Parishioners are invited to attend for some of that time, this will allow others to attend without the hall becoming over occupied.

There is no need to book, please just turn up on the day. At all Masses on the weekend's of 10th and 17th July there will be a collection for Fr Pat which will be presented to him at the celebration.

There will be a celebration for Fr Pat's retirement on Friday 7<sup>th</sup> October. The celebration will begin with Mass at St Helen's at 5:00pm, the Mass will be open to everyone. Following Mass there will be a reception at Cottrell Park Golf Club, this will include a 2 Course meal. The price of this per person is £20.00 and does not include transport. If you wish to attend the reception at Cottrell park, spaces are still available please take a form from the back of the church and return it as soon as possible. **The closing date for this is 10th July.**

### **+Peters Pence Retiring Collection**

Peter's Pence is the name given to the financial support offered by the faithful to the Holy Father as a sign of their sharing in the concern of the Successor of Peter for the many different needs of the Universal Church and for the relief of those most in need.

The offerings of the faithful are intended to support the activities of the Holy Father for the whole Universal Church. These activities are carried out by the Holy See. The Pope, as Pastor of the universal Church, is concerned both with the needs of evangelization (spiritual, educational, justice, communication, political charity, diplomatic activity, etc.) and with the material needs of poor dioceses, religious institutes and faithful in serious difficulties (the poor, children, the elderly, the marginalized, victims of wars and natural disasters; special aid to Bishops or Dioceses in need, Catholic education, aid to refugees and migrants, etc.).

There will be a retiring collection at **all Masses this Weekend** to assist the Holy Father in his mission.

### **+Presentation**

This Saturday 2nd July at the 6.30pm Mass Marilyn Frayling will be presented with the Archdiocesan Medal in recognition of her long service to the Church.

There will be light refreshments in the hall following the Mass. This Mass will also be live streamed.

### **+Pilgrimage to Italy**

The pilgrimage is not going ahead this year owing to the cancellation of our flight. A change of date couldn't be accommodated by the hotels. We will arrange a meeting in the autumn when fresh arrangements can be made for our pilgrimage abroad, next year. There is a lot of interest from the Barry and Penarth parishes. Our thanks go to everyone who supported the trip in difficult times.

### **+Sea Sunday**

Seafarers and fishers play a vital role in all of our lives, but they often work in difficult, hazardous conditions. In the last year, more crews have been abandoned by their employers than ever before. Many are still being denied the right to leave their ships for even a short break away from the relentless noise and pressure onboard. Many are reporting more stress and poorer mental health. Sea Sunday is Sunday 10th July. It is when the Church prays for all those who live and work at sea. Your support will make a big difference to seafarers and fishers in need. You can donate in church, or by visiting [www.stellamaris.org.uk/donate](http://www.stellamaris.org.uk/donate), This collection is vital to enable Stella Maris to continue its important work, so please give generously. Thank you

### **+St Helen's Men's Group**

The exploratory meeting on Saturday 18 June was a convivial meeting and confirmed that there was enough interest to start the Group. We agreed to make plans for a programme of meetings/events starting in September. This programme should be available in early/mid-July. The meetings would likely be on weekdays, for the most part, and at times to allow the greatest number of people to take part.

The aim is to provide a social meeting point for all men in the Church, their guests and friends from the Parish. Whether you attended this first gathering or not you are welcome to any of the events. Watch this space and the Friends of St Helen's Facebook page for details. If you know someone who may be interested in joining in please alert them to events when the programme is established. Any queries please contact Philip Kitchen at [pakitchen@gmail.com](mailto:pakitchen@gmail.com)