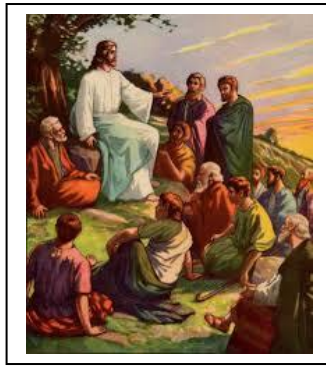


**6<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**  
**Reading Cycle A**  
**Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY 2020**  
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**SUNDAY MASSES**

<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>15<sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY</b>	<b>6<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b>	<b>6.30pm</b>	<b>Brigid Johnson + Emilio Forte +</b>
<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>16<sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY</b>		<b>10am</b>	<b>Patricia Luxton + Maria Young +</b>

**WEEKDAY MASSES**

<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>17<sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY</b>	<b>Weekday in Ordinary Time, Year II, Week 6</b>	<b>10am</b>	<b>Mary Ann Connolly</b>
<b>TUESDAY</b>	<b>18<sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY</b>	<b>Weekday in Ordinary Time, Year II, Week 6</b>	<b>10am</b>	<b>Lee Taylor</b>
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	<b>19<sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY</b>	<b>Weekday in Ordinary Time, Year II, Week 6</b>	<b>10am</b>	<b>Holy Souls</b>
<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>20<sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY</b>	<b>Weekday in Ordinary Time, Year II, Week 6</b>	<b>9am</b>	<b>Sick of the Parish</b>
<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>21<sup>st</sup> FEBRUARY</b>	<b>Weekday in Ordinary Time, Year II, Week 6</b>	<b>10am</b>	<b>Brian Kelly</b>

**SUNDAY MASSES**

<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>22<sup>nd</sup> FEBRUARY</b>	<b>7<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME</b>	<b>6.30pm</b>	<b>Hurley Family</b>
<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>23<sup>rd</sup> FEBRUARY</b>		<b>10am</b>	<b>Antonio Cicillini + Beryl Harrington</b>

**PRAYERS FOR THE SICK, ANNIVERSARIES AND THOSE WHO HAVE RECENTLY DIED:**

We pray for those in our families or in our Parish Community who may be sick, housebound, worried or in need. We ask that the love of the Lord be with them during the coming week and that they may receive every grace and blessing. To all our parishioners who are indisposed you are sorely missed.

We pray for the Repose of the Soul of Fran Johnson, Colin Deans and Paul Mantel who have died recently. May they Rest in Eternal Peace + We pray for Maria Young whose anniversary occurs at this time.

**CHILDREN'S LITURGY** There will be no Children's Liturgy on Sundays 16<sup>th</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup> February due to half term holidays.

**CANDLES** Each week votive candles are lit by you, they last approximately 2hrs. You will have an opportunity to buy a 7 day candle which will be left either at the Sacred Heart and Our Lady's Altar for the duration of a week. The charge will be £5. The second candle will be for the sick and housebound. Each week a named member of the Parish will be remembered by the lighting of a candle.

I would like to take this opportunity in thanking Kenny Johnson for the time and effort he has put into the cleaning, re-structuring and transformation of the votive stands. Once again Kenny has worked his magic and the stands, with the new blue candle holders looks magnificent. Thank You Kenny.

**WELSH NATIONAL PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES** The parish of St. Patrick's has always been associated with the W.N.P. When I was first here I travelled to Lourdes with 'many parishioners' from St. Patrick's, St. Francis, St. Mary's and the wider Diocese. I made many friends from those days and still remain friends with some. Sadly the numbers are getting fewer year by year but if you feel you would like to travel contact me or the Pilgrimage Director. Each year a Mass is celebrated in honour of Our Lady of Lourdes. This year it is being held at Our Lady of Margam, Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> February. For further details see poster at the back of the church.

**ST. PATRICK'S DAY** This year Mass will be celebrated in the church at 10am. I would love to see as many of you attend this Mass along with the children from our school. This parish is under the patronage of Patrick, so please come and pray for the future of this parish. Later that day a "Parish Social" will be held in the Catholic Club starting at 7pm. Again to make it a success we need you to come to "Eat, drink and be merry" Full details in poster on notice board. Tickets available after Masses from Pauline & Christine.

**HELPING THE HOMELESS** If you have any good quality clothing, footwear, coats, jackets that you no longer require please consider them for the homeless. There is a scheme being run for the homeless where they can collect the above from Charles Street, Cardiff. If you can help please see Maria Hazzie who will then take clothing to the venue via taxi. Thank you

**PIETY STALL** New look Piety stall. All cards will now be on the table for you to select your choice with ease, stock includes Mother's Day cards and gifts. Please come and have a look at the new lay out.

**GOD WHO SPEAKS TO US** Next meeting will be Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> February at 6.30pm in the Sacristy.

**“WALK WITH ME”** Lenten Journey of Prayer. Available from the Piety stall- £1 each. Why not buy 2 and give 1 to a friend.

**FORTHCOMING WEDDINGS & BAPTISMS** If you are looking to book a wedding date for 2020/2021 please would you contact Canon Mike Evans so that details can be confirmed. If you need to book a Baptism please see Canon Mike in person as it cannot be arranged over the telephone.

**GOING INTO HOSPITAL?** Please let your parish priest know as he will be pleased to celebrate the Sacrament of the Sick and/or any pastoral support you need, as the team of priests who currently provide 24/7 cover are under a great deal of pressure and therefore no guarantee that a priest will always be available at any particular time. If you know any Catholic already in Hospital who needs a visit or sacramental support please leave details with the Cardiff & Vale Hospital Chaplaincy 029 20743230

**SICK & HOUSEBOUND** Again we appeal to those people who are housebound and wish to receive Holy Communion or a visit from the SVP to inform the Priest either directly via phone or a family member or if you are attending Mass could you inform me or the SVP. Please remember in order to help you; you must help by informing us of your need for Holy Communion.

**READERS**

<b>SATURDAY</b> <b>22<sup>nd</sup> FEBRUARY</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> READING &amp; 2<sup>nd</sup> READING</b> <b>BIDDING PRAYERS</b>	P. McCarthy P. Mackie
<b>SUNDAY</b> <b>23<sup>rd</sup> FEBRUARY</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> READING</b> <b>2<sup>nd</sup> READING</b> <b>BIDDING PRAYERS</b>	H. Parsons B. Potter G. Ferreira

**CHURCH CLEANING ROTA** Friday 21<sup>st</sup> February ~ A. O’Brien, P. Taylor & J. Robinson  
Vacuum Cleaning, Paths and Church Surround ~ B. Seignott Brass Cleaning ~ P. McCarthy  
Altar and Votive Candles, Church and Garden Maintenance: K. Johnson and Family

**WEEKLY COLLECTIONS:** 8<sup>th</sup> & 9<sup>th</sup> February ~ £546.58

**POPE FRANCIS’ LITTLE BOOK OF COMPASSION**

It is beautiful when we can always open our hearts to one another, and hide nothing.  
Where there is love, there is also understanding and forgiveness.  
To all of you, dear families, I entrust this most important mission,  
The domestic pilgrimage of daily family life which  
The world and the Church need, now more than ever.

**LIFE’S LIKE THAT**

The blonde was at a vending machine with a line forming behind her. She kept putting in change, making her selection, watching the can fall and setting each can on top of the machine. After about fifteen times, a man waiting behind her says, “ hey, let’s keep the line moving “  
She replies “ You’ll have to wait. I’m still winning.”

Mortal: What is a million years like to you ?  
God: Like one second.  
Mortal: What is a million pounds like to you?  
God: Like one penny.  
Mortal: Can I have a penny?  
God: Just a second.....

- Using a credit card is a convenient way to spend money you wish you had.
- A fool and his money are soon parting.
- Why do banks leave both doors open, yet they chain pens to the countertops?

