

**TWENTY SECOND
SUNDAY IN ORDINARY
TIME**
Reading Cycle B
Psalter Week 2
Sunday 29TH AUGUST 2021
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MASSES FOR THE WEEK

SATURDAY	28 TH AUG	22ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	6.30pm	John (Patsy) Curran
SUNDAY	29 TH AUG		10.00am	Kath Flynn
MONDAY	30 TH AUG			
TUESDAY	31 ST AUG	ST AIDAN (Herefordshire)	10.00am	Saint Rita
WEDNESDAY	1 ST SEPT	Weekday in Ordinary Time	10.00am	Francis O'Sullivan
THURSDAY	2 ND SEPT	Weekday in Ordinary Time	10.00am	Kathleen + Mansel Jones 50 th Wedding Anniversary
FRIDAY	3 RD SEPT			
SATURDAY	4 TH SEPT	23RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	6.30pm	Matilda Forte
SUNDAY	5 TH SEPT		10.00am	Fr Bogdan

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. To all our parishioners who are indisposed we ask that they may receive every grace and blessing.

We also pray for Rose Taylor, Francis Harrison, Roy Best, Catherine Mander, Kath Flynn, Darren Cross, Maria Woodman, John (Patsy) Curran, Carmine Attanasio, John Roderick, George Lyne, Victor Davidson, Delphine Luxton, Ellen Gully, Theresa Moreno, Margaret Cox, John Bruncker, James Mackie, Denis Cole, Betty Deakin, Veronica Broad, Robert Berni, Thomas Moss and all those whose anniversaries occur at this time.

Please pray for the repose of the souls of Ann Gloria Murray, Jeffrey Littlejohn and Nigel Barnes who passed away recently. May they rest in Eternal Peace.

Do not forget to pray for all those who have died and for their families particularly those who have no-one to remember them.

CANDLES 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.

This week's candles will be lit for the Figueri Family

Please put your requests through the Presbytery door in an envelope with 'CANDLE' written on the outside.

GOING INTO HOSPITAL? Please let Canon Mike 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

PRAYERS: It is our duty to pray for each other, for those who are sick and those who care for them. But I also ask your prayers for the Chaplains who sit with those who will die, then with the families and then to stand at the graveside bringing the Peace of Jesus, to these broken families. I remember my good friend at Llandough, Peter Davies RC Chaplain, and Dave Pritchard at the Heath.

CONTACT: If you want a chat or are in need of help please phone me and leave a message so I can get back to you.

HOUSEBOUND COMMUNIONS: If you know of a parishioner wishing to receive Holy Communion please contact me.

MASS INTENTIONS: Please put your request and donation in an envelope and post it through the Presbytery Door and mark the outside of the envelope to show that it is a Mass request.

CONFESSIONS: For those who wish to avail themselves of the Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession), I will be available at the END of each weekend Mass NOT before Mass.

ON-LINE GIVING: Many Parishes give people the opportunity to donate to their Parish via an on-line link. This has been set up and all monies go directly into the St Patrick's bank account. It is fully secure and you can do it using PayPal if you wish. There is no obligation for you to use this feature but the facility is there if you want it. Just click on the On-line Giving logo on the Home Page on our website and follow the instructions. There is an opportunity for you to Gift Aid your contribution. Thank you to everyone who has used this as a way to support our Parish.

NEW COLLECTION BOXES: These are now available from the back of the Church. If you pay Income Tax and you do not already Gift Aid your collection and you would like to do so, please do not take a box, but take a form so that a new numbered box can be allocated to you. There is absolutely no cost to you and we can claim back 25p extra for every £1 you give. Just fill in the form and give it to Pattie Johnson so that this can be arranged and you will be given a box with a new number.

MESSAGE FROM CANON MIKE

If I'm ever moved to another Parish I will look fondly upon St Patrick's and its people, but will remember Grangetown as the "Village of the Three-Point-Turn!". It was around 1985, here at St Patrick's that I passed my driving test and remember what the instructor said on my first time behind the wheel "expect the unexpected". Words of wisdom for any driver in Grangetown.

You could be in your car heading down Clare Road, when suddenly, the driver in front, without any indication will conduct a Three-Point-Turn! Every rule of the road, every instruction, every command..... IGNORED, ensuing CHAOS!

There are rules governing us for the safety and benefit of all. There are rules within the Church and above all the Commandments of God.

God's Commandments are life giving, they enhance and strengthen the Community.

***"You put aside the Commandments of God to cling to human tradition.....
Those people honour Me only with lip service, while their hearts are far from Me.
The Worship they offer Me is worthless,
The doctrines they teach are only human regulations....."***

God's Law is the Law of Love: a change of heart from Me to We. So next time you place a stamp on a letter or a postcard, remember you could write on the back "Love God, by Loving your neighbour."

PS. One way of putting our neighbour first is to remember that Coronavirus is still with us, so let us keep up the wearing of masks along with hand sanitisation a priority, as there are people attending St Patrick's still vulnerable. So remember, to love the Lord is to Love those around you.

O God of mercy and of peace, We hold before you the peoples of the troubled places in our world.

Let there be peace to those engaged in armed conflict and those who live within its shadow. ... and for the safety of those who are striving to lend assistance in difficult circumstances.

We pray too for those whose lives have been devastated by extreme weather.

We ask that the Love of the Lord enter into the hearts of those who feel lost and abandoned, that they will feel courage and strength in the days to come.

Amen

**LOVE ONLY GROWS BY
SHARING. YOU CAN ONLY
HAVE MORE FOR YOURSELF
BY GIVING IT AWAY TO
OTHERS.**

WHAT'S NEW ON THE WEBSITE? Catholic People: **AUGUST EDITION** Caritas: **AUG- SEPT BULLETIN**

SAFE SPACES is a free, independent support service, providing confidential, personal and safe space for anyone who has been abused by someone in the Catholic Church of England and Wales, Church of England or Church in Wales.

Free Helpline 0300 303 1056 or e-mail safespaces@victimsupport.org.uk

SAFEGUARDING: Please click on the link for Helplines and Information on the Parish Website Homepage. Those experiencing domestic abuse will be able to go into a Boots or indie chemist and seek help. If they say the codeword 'ANI' (pronounced Annie) they'll be taken to a private room and asked if they want to call 999 or domestic abuse helpline. ANI stands for 'Action Needed Immediately' Contact Numbers: National Abuse Helpline 0808 2000 247 Telephone receiver Respect helpline for male victims of abuse 0808 8010 327

ON-LINE MASS: There are many sites which stream Catholic Masses. Links are on the Website Eg.

<http://www.catholictv.org/masses/catholictv-mass> Daily Mass (On Demand)

<https://www.mcnmedia.tv/camera/st-mary-of-the-angels> Daily Mass

MASSES IN OTHER CATHOLIC CHURCHES IN CARDIFF: <https://weekdaymasses.org.uk/en/area/cardiff/churches>



A guy was telling a friend about his time working at a large company.
"I tell you, if it was the managing director, the vice presidents or whatever, I always told those guys where to get off"
"What was your job again?" asked the friend
"I was a lift operator."

LIFE'S LIKE THAT!

Two postmen were standing outside the sorting office at the end of their rounds when one spotted a snail crawling by. Suddenly he stamped on the snail, cruelly squashing it into the ground.
"That was a bit cruel" said his colleague
"That snail had it coming. It's been following me round all day."

A mathematician and a farmer were on a train journey. As they passed a flock of sheep in a field, the mathematician announced confidently
"There are seven hundred and ninety-seven sheep out there."
The farmer said "That's incredible! It so happens that I know the owner and that figure is exactly right. But how did you count them so quickly?"
The mathematician said "Easy. I just counted the number of legs and divided by four."



An accountant was having difficulties sleeping at night, so he went to see his doctor. The doctor said "Have you tried counting sheep?"
"That's the trouble" said the accountant "I make a mistake and then spend three hours trying to find it."