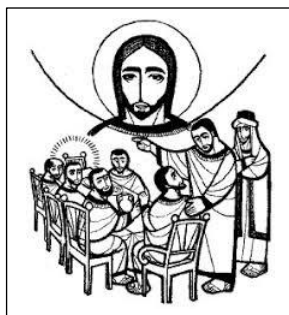


TWENTY SECOND SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

Reading Cycle C
Page 130 in the New Red Mass Book
Psalter Week 2
Sunday 31ST AUGUST
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MASSES AND SERVICES FOR THE WEEK

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SAT	30 TH AUG	22 ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	6.30pm	William and Laura Timothy R.I.P
SUN	31 ST AUG		10.00am	SherryAnne Gould R.I.P 30 th Wedding Anniversary of Tina and Mark Feehan
MON	1 ST SEPT	NO MASS		
TUES	2 ND SEPT	Weekday in Ordinary Time	6.30pm	All Souls in Purgatory
WED	3 RD SEPT	MEMORIAL OF ST GREGORY THE GREAT	10.00am	Good Health of Jose and Helen Rodrigues
THURS	4 TH SEPT	Weekday in Ordinary Time	10.00am	People of the Parish
FRI	5 TH SEPT	Weekday in Ordinary Time	10.00am	Philippa Woodward R.I.P
SAT	6 TH SEPT	23 RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	6.30pm	Mass for the Repose of the Soul of Leonard Doyle
SUN	7 TH SEPT		10.00am	Fr Bogdan Wera R.I.P Margaret Gould R.I.P

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

Let us pray for the repose of the souls of Joyce Warry and Phillippa Woodward who have died recently. May they rest in eternal peace.

We also pray for William Gwattin (1981), Frederick Keeping (1983), James Rowlands (1984), Elizabeth Greenslade (1985), Annie Burston (1987), Michael Mannings, James McCarthy, James John (1988) Hetty Cokes (1989), Catherine Driscoll, William Warman (1990), John Aherne (1991), John Brunker (1993), John Roderick, George Lyne (1996), Diana Princess of Wales, Victor Davidson, Veronica Broad, Robert Berni (1997) Delphine Luxton (1998), Carmine Attanasio, Ellen Gully (1999), Darran Cross (2002) Theresa Moreno (2003), Thomas Moss (2004), James Mackie (2005), Denis Cole (2006), Mary Molloy (2008), Margaret Cox (2016), Maria Woodman, Betty Deakin (2018), John (Patsy) Curran (2020), Peter Salter, Maria Greedy (2021), Cynthia Cosh, Liz Joyce, Terry Geary (2022), Jimmy Conway, Desmond Clode, Terry Herring (2023)

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.

CANDLES You can buy a 7 day candle (£5.00) which will be left at the Sacred Heart or Our Lady's Altar for the duration of a week. This week's candles will be lit for Mark and Tina Feehan (30th Wedding Anniversary), and the O'Halloran Family

T-lights are 20p each. Please put your money in the box on each stand.

UNCLAIMED RAFFLE PRIZES Please see the list at the back of the Church and see Chris or Pat to collect your winnings!

CAMINO PILGRIMAGE KNITTED TOYS: Chris Hinds has made some lovely knitted toys to sell to raise funds for the Camino Pilgrimage, and is taking orders. Look at the pictures at the back of the Church. Christmas is only round the corner.

SVP CAMINO PILGRIMAGE: In April next year our parishioner Chris Hinds will be taking part in the SVP fundraising event - walking 76 miles of the Camino to Santiago de Compostela. The SVP have stipulated that everyone taking part must raise at least £1500 for SVP funds (half of which will go to St Patrick's SVP). We will be holding a number of events to raise the money so please be supportive and generous. If you want to know more about the walk or to donate please talk to Chris Hinds or Chris German. Thank you in advance.

All donations will be paid into the St Patrick's SVP Bank Account.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED for Children's Liturgy on a Sunday morning during the Liturgy of the Word. Volunteers will need to have Safeguarding checks (DBS) and will receive guidance and training. We would like to have at least 9 people that we can rotate in groups of 3. The sessions will be for Primary age children. Please see Chris for more information.

ST DAVID'S DEANERY MEETING: There is a summary of the Minutes from the Meeting in July on the Event's Notice Board..

PARISH WEBSITE: This is updated every day. There is the reading for the day, and a reflection, the photos from the Summer Event, the latest newsletter, times of Masses and this week's focus is on the Chalice and Ciborium. Find out. www.stpatrickscardiff.co.uk

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: This seems to be the forgotten Sacrament. We all from time to time do things that we regret: unkind words, being thoughtless, times we have strayed from the path that Jesus would wish us to follow. The list is endless. This Sacrament is a chance to put things right in the eyes of God: to wipe the slate clean, if we are truly sorry. But how often do we really see the importance of saying sorry. Reconciliation means putting things right, being on the same page as someone, not at odds. God waits for us to be reconciled with Him. Take the opportunity. Just tell one of the priests that you would like to receive this Sacrament. They are always ready to listen to you.

ARCHBISHOP MARK'S AUGUST NEWSLETTER: Available on the Parish Website. Go to rcadc.org and sign up.

PLEASE BE ON TIME FOR MASS: Masses at the weekend are at **6.30pm on Sat and at 10.00am on Sun.** In order for you to say you have been to Mass you do need to be present for the **WHOLE** of Mass, not just the last few minutes. If you were going to a friend for a meal you would make every effort to be on time. Every Mass you are invited to the table of the Lord, so please don't be late.

BISHOP ROBERT BARRON'S 'THE MASS' videos well worth watching. Links are on the Parish Website or just Google Robert Barron the Mass. The videos are not long and really easy to listen to.

PIETY STALL SALE: Lots of lovely religious items on sale. Unfortunately we can only accept cash as payments.

OLD SPECTACLES/ GLASSES: **THE KNIGHTS OF ST COLUMBA** are collecting any old prescription spectacles/glasses. There is a box at the back of the Church.

MASS INTENTIONS At the back of the Church there are envelopes for you to put your donation and the details of when you would like a Mass and for whom. Please indicate if the person is deceased. Please put your envelope in the Offertory Bag or the Brown Box at the back of the Church.

NEW TO THE PARISH? If you have been coming to St Patricks for some weeks and would like to be listed as a new Parishioner please complete the proforma at the back of the Church and give it to one of the priests.

SAFEGUARDING: Helplines and Information on the Parish Website Homepage. A First Aid Box is kept in the Sacristy.

GOING INTO HOSPITAL? Please let the Hospital know that you are a Catholic and would like a visit from the Chaplain. If you are a relative and would like the Catholic Hospital Chaplain to make a visit please leave the name of the person you want them to see and the Ward details if possible. When you ring the Chaplaincy 02921 843230 please leave your contact details so that they can contact you.

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

CHURCH COLLECTIONS: August 24th £564 . 82

WEEKLY MESSAGE

All through our lives we experience changes. For some of us the first major change will be when we start school: making new friends, learning new things, a new environment, being influenced by someone other than family. Then as time goes on, more changes happen: some exciting like a wedding, some more demanding like moving home and some emotional like losing someone dear to us. The list is endless. The Church is no different. In the last two years we have experienced the death of one Pope, the election of another, the receiving of the new Lectionary, saying goodbye to loved ones and the welcoming of priests from overseas. For our young priests this was their first experience of living in the UK, away from family, friends and the country they knew, to embrace a new country which they hopefully now regard as their second home. St Patrick's parishioners have always welcomed new priests from whatever part of the world they come from and given them the support they need to enable them to fulfil their vocation. Over the next weeks Fr Valentine and Fr Peter will be packing their suitcases once more to move on to another flock, to share the Word of the Lord. For Fr Valentine it will be a chance to draw breath, hand over the reins of Parish Priest to Fr Peter who will be the Parish Priest of St Helen's Barry so that he can concentrate on his role as Prison Chaplain. Most of us don't know what this role as Chaplain entails, but suffice it to say that it is more demanding and exhausting than most of us could imagine. We thank them both for their time with us and we ask them to pack in their cases the good will and blessings from all of us in St Patrick's.

Some one else will be packing up for a move..... Canon Mike, who will be returning to us, with his myriad of boxes, (which seem to have travelled far and wide). He will be taking up residence as our Parish Priest once more.

Whatever the changes we experience in our lives, be it changing jobs, starting in a new class or school, moving home, the Lord is always with us.... as we pack our bags, and face new challenges. He walks beside us every moment of every day, wanting to carry our burdens if we ask Him, to give us His Love which will sustain us in the days ahead. He will never intrude, but just wait, waiting for us to say, "Help me Lord. I cannot do these things without you"

Day by Day

**Day by day, Day by day
O, dear Lord, three things I pray
To see thee more clearly
Love thee more dearly
Follow thee more nearly
Day by day**