

**ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME**

Reading Cycle B

Psalter Week 3

Sunday 13TH JUNE 2021

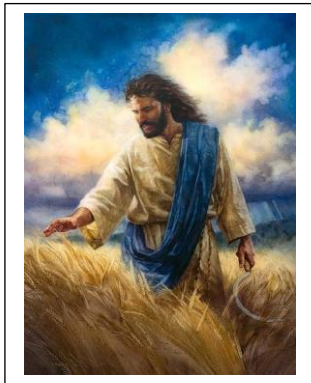
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SATURDAY	12 TH JUNE	11TH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME	6.30pm	Eddie Hall and Joseph RIP
SUNDAY	13 TH JUNE		10.00am	Lu Mooney Jane Moorcraft
MONDAY	14 TH JUNE			
TUESDAY	15 TH JUNE	Weekday in Ordinary Time	10.00am	John Petersen
WEDNESDAY	16 TH JUNE	Weekday in Ordinary Time	10.00am	Eileen Adams (Port Talbot)
THURSDAY	17 TH JUNE	Weekday in Ordinary Time	10.00am	Con and Muriel Callaghan
FRIDAY	18 TH JUNE			
SATURDAY	19 TH JUNE	12TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	6.30pm	Bernard and Brigid Johnson Tom Roche +
SUNDAY	20 TH JUNE		FATHERS' DAY	10.00am

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 and all who are in self isolation during the coming week. To all our parishioners who are indisposed we ask that they may receive every grace and blessing.

We pray especially for the repose of the souls of Joseph, and Bernard Knight (father of Peter Knight -Head-Teacher) May they rest in eternal peace+

We also pray for Winifred Skinner, Catherine Collins, Winifred Robson, James Webb, Catherine Tucker, Alexander Clifford, Shielagh Hunnum, William Proser, Hildegard Struck, Angelo Miggiano, Steven Rees, Mary Jones, Shirley Woodgate, Mary Ellen Bridge, Monica Kennedy, Anne Parker, Joseph Burke, Lionel Thompson, Bernard Broom, Dezider Roztas, George Rawlings and all those whose anniversaries occur at this time.

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 Eddie Hall and Anne Parker

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

CONGRATULATIONS and EVERY BLESSING: to Canon Pat O'Gorman, Parish Priest of St Helen's Barry who celebrates 50 years as a priest.

PARISHES TRANSFORMING LIVES: The government has just announced a long-term future for Community Sponsorship of refugees – a national scheme co-designed and piloted by Catholic parishes.

All are invited to join a national Catholic celebration of the scheme via Zoom on 14th June at 6pm co-hosted by Caritas Social Action (CSAN) and Reset.

CSAN is the official agency for Catholic social action in England and Wales.

Reset is the scheme's national training provider.

Find out how you can get involved and hear from refugees and parishes about its transformative impact.

To register visit: www.communitysponsorship.org.uk/event

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

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: As I said before, you have my telephone number but I don't have yours. So 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.

WHAT'S NEW ON THE WEBSITE? Catholic People: **JUNE EDITION** Caritas: **JUNE-JULY BULLETIN**

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

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.

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.

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.

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

It's interesting who you meet in Tesco, "Hello Father, what are you doing here?" I'm having difficulty with trying to think of something funny to say "Buying food, why else would I be at the supermarket?"

A conversation started and I was asked "I went to Mass in Parish and could not understand what the Priest was saying. He was using very big and long words. You use words we understand... small words"

I thanked the couple and continued my shopping as they went to their car.

I fully understood what they were saying. I tried to explain that Jesus used "small words", words that people understood. He used Parables, stories of everyday life by with a Heavenly meaning. Jesus was a teacher who knew His people, knew what to say and how to say it.

When the medical profession meet at Conferences they use 'Doctor talk' that only they understand. At some stage they must return to their surgeries and meet people like you and me. Experience has taught them that using 'jargon' only confuses and worries people. "Doctor, what does that mean in plain English?"

It's the same with the Priest. He must break down the words, like a bird, feeding its chicks: they regurgitate the food, break it down allowing the chick to feed.

So this Sunday, the Lord will feed all those wishing to hear His words of teaching. Let us all find nourishment and sustenance.

The Archbishop has made a number of moves within the Diocese. Canon John Griffiths has been moved from Cwmbran to Whitchurch. Fr Daniel Stanton moves from St David's Cathedral to Cwmbran, and Fr Robert James a former pupil and parishioner of St Patricks will go to the Cathedral.

Please remember them as they enter into a new chapter on their journeys as humble servants of the Lord among the people of this Archdiocese.

PS. Please God, I'm staying among you for many more years.

LIFE'S LIKE THAT!

The newly ordained priest was nervous about hearing confessions and asks an older priest to listen in. Several penitents later, his mentor offers a few suggestions.

“Cross your arms over your chest and rub your chin with one hand.” he says. “Try saying things like, ‘I see, yes, go on. I understand. How did you feel about that’ “

The new priest tries out the words and gestures. The old priest said “Good, now don’t you think that’s a little better than slapping your knee and saying ‘No way ! You did *what?*’”



The catechist asked her Religious Education class to draw pictures of their favourite Bible stories.

She was puzzled by one boy’s picture which showed four people in an aeroplane, so she asked him which story it was meant to represent.

“The Flight into Egypt” he said

“I see “ said the catechist. “And that must be Mary, Joseph and Baby Jesus. But who’s the fourth person?”

“Oh, that’s Punches the Pilot.”

A parish administrator requested bids from local painters to re-paint the outside of the Presbytery. Almost all the bids were within a few pounds of one another, with the exception of one by a parishioner who had been in business for years and had an excellent reputation in the community. This particular painter’s bid was about half of his competitors, and naturally, the administrator accepted it.

On the day he was to begin, the painter realised that he had miscalculated badly. Not wanting to lose the job, however, he decided to thin the paint with water. That way, he thought, he would be able to complete the job for the price quoted.

A week later, he received a call from the administrator, complaining that after a shower of rain, the paint had washed off the building. Being an honourable man and a good Catholic, the painter went inside to pray about the situation, knowing that his business’ reputation was on the line.

“What can I possibly do, Lord?” prayed the discouraged painter.

In a loud voice God replied “Re-paint, Repaint, and thin no more!”

