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**SUNDAY 29<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER – 30<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME**

TIMES OF HOLY MASSES & OTHER SERVICES		
28/10/23: SAT HAVERFORDWEST	6:00PM	<b>HOLY MASS: 30<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME</b> INT: MIKE PUFFETT – RIP (AR)
29/10/23: SUN HAVERFORDWEST	10:00AM	<b>HOLY MASS: 30<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME</b> INT: JUNE BURKE – RIP (JC)
29/10/23: SUN NARBERTH	12:00PM	<b>HOLY MASS: 30<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME</b> INT: PEOPLE OF OUR PARISH & THE SICK
30/10/23: MON HAVERFORDWEST	9:30AM	<b>HOLY MASS: WEEKDAY OF ORDINARY TIME</b> INT: BRYN HANCOCK – RIP (MM)
31/10/23: TUE HAVERFORDWEST	6.00PM	<b>HOLY MASS: VIGIL MASS: ALL SAINTS</b> INT: BRYN HANCOCK – RIP (LB)
01/11/23: WED HAVERFORDWEST	9.30AM	<b>HOLY MASS: ALL SAINTS</b> INT: IRIS EARDLEY – 100 <sup>TH</sup> BIRTHDAY INTS. (AS)
01/11/23: WED NARBERTH	4:30PM 5:30PM	<b>ROSARY (4:30PM) &amp; BENEDICTION (5:00PM)</b> <b>HOLY MASS: ALL SAINTS</b> INT:
02/11/23: THU HAVERFORDWEST	9:30AM	<b>HOLY MASS: THE COMMEMORATION OF ALL THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED</b> INT: JOHANNA MORRISSEY – RIP (AS)
02/11/23: THU NARBERTH	11.00AM	<b>HOLY MASS: THE COMMEMORATION OF ALL THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED</b> INT:
03/11/23: FRI HAVERFORDWEST	5:00PM 6:30PM	<b>ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT</b> <b>HOLY MASS: ST MARTIN DE PORRES, RELIGIOUS</b> INT: EZA MARIAM MADHAVATH – GOOD HEALTH (LM)
04/11/23: SAT HAVERFORDWEST	10:00AM 10:30AM	<b>HOLY MASS: ST CHARLES BORROMEIO, BISHOP</b> INT: JOHANNA MORRISSEY – RIP (MD) <b>ADORATION &amp; CONFESSIONS</b>
04/11/23: SAT HAVERFORDWEST	6:00PM	<b>HOLY MASS: 31<sup>ST</sup> SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME</b> INT: MICHAEL PUFFETT – RIP (DG)
05/11/23: SUN HAVERFORDWEST	10:00AM	<b>HOLY MASS: 31<sup>ST</sup> SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME</b> INT: FRANCISCO & LUCENA LINOGON – INTS.
05/11/23: SUN NARBERTH	12:00PM	<b>HOLY MASS: 31<sup>ST</sup> SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME</b> INT: PEOPLE OF OUR PARISH & THE SICK

**PRAYERS FOR THE SICK**  
**GWEDDI DROS Y CLEIFION**  
POPE FRANCIS  
MRS. MARYKUTTY DONALD PHILLIPS  
BARBARA B. TRAVERT MARIE CLARE HUGHES



**God Answers Prayers**

**CONFESSIONS CYFFES**  
**HAVERFORDWEST**  
FRI: 6:00 – 6:15pm  
SAT: 10:30 – 11:00am  
SAT: 5:15 – 5:45pm  
SUN: 9:15 – 9:45am  
**NARBERTH**  
WED: 5:00 – 5:20pm

**PARISH BANNER SHOW & HARVEST FLOWER FESTIVAL: OCTOBER 27<sup>TH</sup> – 29<sup>TH</sup>, 2023:**  
29/10/23: SUN 10:00AM HOLY MASS & CHURCH OPEN FOR VISITORS TILL 3PM

**THE CYCLE OF PRAYER – DURING ORDINARY TIME (AUTUMN):** WE ARE CALLED UPON TO PRAY FOR: THE SPREAD OF THE GOSPEL; STUDENTS AND TEACHERS; THE HARVEST; THE FRUITS OF HUMAN WORK, & THE REVERENT USE OF CREATION; JUSTICE AND PEACE IN THE WORLD; ALL VICTIMS OF WAR; YOUNG PEOPLE; PRISONERS & THEIR FAMILIES.

**HOLY FATHER'S INTENTION FOR OCTOBER:** WE PRAY FOR THE CHURCH, THAT SHE MAY ADOPT LISTENING & DIALOGUE AS A LIFESTYLE AT EVERY LEVEL, & ALLOW HERSELF TO BE GUIDED BY THE HOLY SPIRIT TOWARDS THE PERIPHERIES OF THE WORLD.

**REMEMBERING OUR DEAD & ANNIVERSARIES IN SEPTEMBER:** Let us remember those souls who have no one to remember them in prayers! **Brinley (Bryn) Hancock (2023)**, Margarita Rey Strange (2000), Ann May Doonan (2000), Marcos Anthony Brockway (2000), Jean Hilliard (2001), Catherine Jane Rees (2001), Audrey Murray (2003), William Harrison (2004), Marion Dennihy (2004), Bernard Rowlands (2004), June Burke (2004), Ronald Pearce (2005), Clara Constance Fuchs (2006), Edith 'Vera' McDonald (2007), Dorothy May Rollow-Walker (2008), Peter Hamilton Begbie (2008), Amy Louise Hart (2010), Eleanor Maria Morgan (2011), Eileen Miriam Taylor (2011), Anthony George Merchant-Williams (2012), Mary Margaret Redmond (2012), Richard Anthony Collins (2014), Sylvia McDonald (2014), Patrick Barrett (2014), Ian Davies (2015), Garfield John Flood (2015), Robert James Davies (2015), Rory Gorton Cargill Bernays (2018), Alan Bernard Francis Hunt (2019), John Gerald Gardiner (2020), Brian Sutton (2020), Sadie Virginia Lewis (2020), Jennifer Orwin (2021)... **MAY THEY REST IN PEACE...!**



**"Charles de Foucauld wrote: 'Every Christian, then, must become an apostle', and he reminds a friend that 'close to priests we need laypeople who see what the priest does not see, who evangelize with a closeness of charity, with a kindness for all, with an affection always ready to give of itself'... 'And do we, I ask myself, believe in the power of the Eucharist? Does our going out to others, our service, find its beginning and its fulfilment there, in adoration?' Pope Francis**



**APF:** The APF boxes have been counted. The total is £1125.00. Thank you for your generous contributions.

**PRAYER FOR HOLY LAND:** "The pain and dismay at what is happening is great. Once again we find ourselves in the midst of a political and military crisis. We have suddenly been catapulted into a sea of unprecedented violence. The hatred, which we have unfortunately already been experiencing for too long, will increase even more, and the ensuing spiral of violence will create more destruction. Everything seems to speak of death. That is why we feel the need to pray, to turn our hearts to God the Father..."

**PARISH BANNER SHOW & HARVEST FLOWER FESTIVAL: OCTOBER 27TH - 29TH, 2023:** As decided in the Parish Meeting, the above programme has been organised. It is an opportunity for the Parish to come together as a community and take part in a major fundraiser, for **PARISH MAINTENANCE FUND**. On these dates there will be a Banner Display & Harvest Flower Festival at St David & St Patrick's involving a variety of activities. We will need help - a lot of help - in the running of this event. This will include volunteers to spend time in church during opening times, to guide visitors through the church; more volunteers to help with the preparation and serving of refreshments in the hall during the festival; donations for plant/produce stall; donations for prize hampers; sponsorship and donations to cover the costs of the flowers and other expenses arising. Thank you all for your generous and thoughtful contributions towards raffle and Flower Festival. God bless you abundantly. Meanwhile, if you would like to **SPONSOR** a floral arrangement or part of an arrangement, kindly talk to a flower group member. Thank you for your generosity. **And, as always, KINDLY GIFT-AID YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS.**

**POPE FRANCIS: APOSTOLIC EXHORTATION: DEDICATED TO ST. THERESE OF LISIEUX:** Pope Francis has published a new Apostolic Exhortation entitled **"C'est la Confiance - It is the Confidence"** - dedicated to Saint Thérèse of the Child Jesus and the Holy Face. "It is confidence and nothing but confidence that must lead us to love." It was these words, written in September 1896 by Saint Therese of the Child Jesus and the Holy Face, which inspired the title of Pope Francis' new Apostolic Exhortation. Pope Francis retraces the steps by which the Popes came to recognise the extraordinary value of Therese's spiritual witness. Beginning with Pope Leo XIII, who allowed her to enter the convent at the age of 15, he moves on to Pius XI, who proclaimed her a saint in 1925 and in 1927 patron saint of missions. From there, he considers Saint John Paul II, who declared her a Doctor of the Church in 1997. "Finally," recalls Francis, "in 2015, I had the joy of canonizing her parents, Louis and Zélie, during the Synod on the Family. More recently, I devoted one of my weekly General Audience talks to her"

**REMEMBRANCE DAY CROSSES & FLOWERS IN CHURCH:** The Church Flower Group is planning to make special displays for Remembrance Sunday on November 12, 2023. You can purchase a wooden cross for £5 each. Name of a passed loved one will be written on the cross. This will be incorporated into our floral display. Please complete your request ASAP. The forms are available at both the porches or do approach a Flower Group member.

**NOVEMBER - MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS:** All the Holy Souls in Purgatory will benefit from our prayers. Month of November is thus specially dedicated to remember the Departed; be it from our family, friends' circle or benefactors. The Holy Masses in November will be for the Holy Souls & the Departed. **The envelopes for the same are available at both the porches.**

**PARISH RENEWAL PRAYER GROUPS: 1 THES. 5:5-8:** We are stepping into autumn. It is a time when nature goes into a sleep, in order to wake up bright, vibrant and loud in spring. We too need to think about focussing on ourselves spiritually after the summer holidays, visits, parties. Like nature we need to begin to store up spiritual energy for our day today living. There is a desire in the parish for prayer groups to focus on the same. I understand your work, pressure etc. This is an invitation for each of you and all of you, to consider forming a Prayer Group or being part of one. You may choose the time to meet at your convenience, in the home of any of the group members. If you think of spending time with the Blessed Sacrament, that privilege will be encouraged too. I am convinced that you will give it a serious thought.

**PARISH SAFEGUARDING POLICY: SAFETY & SAFEGUARDING of all who visit our church, both parishioners & visitors, are important to us. If you have concerns about any safeguarding issues, kindly contact the Parish Safeguarding Representative, Mrs. Anne Barnes on 01437765365. More information about our Safeguarding Policy is found here: <http://www.menevia.org/safeguarding/>**

**RETIRING COLLECTION: SICK & RETIRED CLERGY (11<sup>th</sup> / 12<sup>th</sup> November). Kindly Gift-Aid. Thanks.**

**FLOWER TRIBUTES:**

NOV. 05 - PAT QUILTY - RIP & 12 - JACK HIGGINS - RIP

For Floral Tributes for occasions like Birthday, Anniversary, Thanksgiving, Remembrance etc., kindly speak to **Sharon (07815462882)** or one of the flower group members.



**SICK & RETIRED CLERGY FUND:** We will hold a Retiring Collection in order to assist with the said FUND. The Retired Priests spent their life day and night attending to our Pastoral Wellbeing. It is our time to give now to support them and care for them. **Envelopes will be distributed. Gift-Aid your Donations, PLEASE...!**

**READINGS: SUNDAY 29<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER - 30<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME**

**1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Exodus 22: 20-26**

**Psalm: 17: 2-4, 47, 51**

**RESPONSE: I love you, Lord, my strength.**

**2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: 1 Thessalonians 1: 5-10**

**Gospel: Matthew 22: 34-40**