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# Holy Cross Community Swansea

'A family for all cultures to nurture disciples of all ages'

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24th September 2017 Twenty Fifth Sunday Ordinary Time

Reading cycles: Sundays A Psalter Week 1

## Mass Times and Intentions

**Saturday 6.00 pm First Mass of Sunday**

*Intention: John Birt Get Well*

**Sunday 9.30 am 25th Sunday Ordinary Time**

*Intention: Smith Family Special Intention*

**Monday 25th Week Ordinary Time 9.30 am**

*Intention: Anthony, Jose & Thomas RIP*

**Tuesday 25th Week Ordinary Time**

**NO MASS**

**Wednesday Memorial St Vincent de Paul 7.30 pm**

*Intention: Binoy Thomas & A.P. Joseph RIP*

**Thursday 25th Week Ordinary Time 9.30 am**

*Intention: Betty Clement RIP*

**Friday Feast Ss Michael, Gabriel & Raphael, Archangels 9.30 am**

*Intention: Helena Hammett RIP*

**Saturday Memorial St Jerome 12.00 noon**

*Intention: Varghees & Sebastian RIP*

**Saturday 30th September 6.00pm 26th Sunday Ordinary Time**

*Intention: Lilian Morgan RIP*

**Confessions : Saturdays 11.15 to 12 noon**

**Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament & morning / evening prayers 30 minutes before all weekday Masses.**

## Recently Died

Lilian Morgan

## Anniversaries

John Parry

Shirley Pow

Peter Houlihan

Bernadette Matthews

Ivy Egan

Pauline Parker

David Connor

Betty Clement

Reginald Sheldon

## Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord

*R. And let perpetual light shine upon them.*

*May they rest in peace. Amen*

## Pray for the Sick of the Parish

Heavenly Father,  
look with mercy on the sick of our parish community and help them in this time of sickness.

Restore them to health, we pray,  
Through Christ our Lord. Amen

## Vocations Prayer

Lord, make me a better person,  
More considerate towards others,  
More honest with myself, more faithful to you.  
Make me generous enough to want sincerely  
to do your will whatever it may be.  
Help me find my true vocation in life  
and grant that through it  
I may find happiness in myself  
and bring happiness to others.  
Grant, Lord, that those whom you call to  
enter the priesthood, diaconate,  
or religious life, may have the generosity to  
answer your call, so that those who need your  
help may find it.  
We ask this through Christ Our Lord,  
Amen.

## Come Home Prayer

Loving Father

We pray for those who have been  
Baptised but who no longer, or  
rarely, attend church: that they will  
understand and experience in their  
Hearts that Christ is the source of  
unconditional love and reconciliation.  
We pray for everyone who worships in  
Our parish community: that we may find  
the right words and means to invite our  
absent brothers and sisters to return to  
the practice of their faith. Amen

*Last week's Collection*  
£ 454  
*200 Club Winner*  
25

Tesco Gift Vouchers  
Sold this week £280  
Parish Income £14

### **Charity Shop**

Visit the Charity Shop and enjoy a chat and a cup of tea.  
Open Tuesdays and Wednesdays  
10.30 am—3pm  
Everybody Welcome

**Legion of Mary prayer group .**  
You are welcome to join each Monday after Morning Mass to pray for the suffering, sick, persecuted for faith, evangelization and lapsed members of our parish.

**Growing in Faith Group**  
**Mondays at 7.30 pm**  
**All are welcome**

**KNITTING GROUP**  
**Each Friday after Mass from**  
**10am—12 noon. All are welcome!**

## **FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2018 PREPARATIONS**

**Classes start on Monday**

**25th September at 5.30 pm**

Forms are at the back of the church for parents to complete and return to Father Cyril or Donna

Mass for the Sick and special right of Anointing will take place on Sunday the 1st October at 3pm at St Illtyd's Church Danygraig. All are welcome.

### **Ministers of the Word & Eucharistic Ministers**

*Weekend 30th September / 1st October*

#### **Saturday**

<i>First</i>	Erin
<i>Second</i>	Rhys
<i>Bidding Prayers</i>	Emma
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	Patricia Karen

#### **Sunday**

<i>First</i>	Andre
<i>Second</i>	Merry
<i>Bidding Prayers</i>	Marvel

<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	Siji Avril Pilar
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#### **Church Cleaning Rota**

<b>30th September</b>	No clean
<b>7th October</b>	Jollie/Beena & Jaimon/Shiji

#### **IMPORTANT**

*Ministers—if you cannot attend or need to change your rota, please let us know. For Sundays contact Donna ( 460411 Mobile 07745947773) and for Saturdays contact Pam Phillips (07816980698)*



Special Thanks from Mr Geoff York from APF Red Boxes Mission, for your very generous response to his appeal last weekend.



### **Confirmation Programme 2017/18**

Forms at back of Church, Please complete and give to Father Cyril or Anne Hacche. Meeting for parents of Confirmation Candidates Sunday 8th October after Mass.