

Holy Cross Community Swansea

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

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7th May 2017 Fourth Sunday of Eastertide Good Shepherd Sunday
Reading cycles: Sundays A Psalter Week 4

Mass Times and Intentions

Saturday 6.00 pm First Mass of Sunday

Intention: Frank Rees RIP

Sunday 9.30 am Fourth Sunday of Eastertide Good Shepherd Sunday

Intention: First Holy Communicants & their parents

Monday 4th Week Eastertide 9.30 am

Intention: Souls in purgatory & those with no one to pray for them

Tuesday 4th Week Eastertide

NO MASS

Wednesday 4th Week Eastertide 7.30 pm

Intention: Nancy Jones RIP

Thursday 4th Week Eastertide

Intention:

Friday 4th Week Eastertide 9.30 am

Intention:

Saturday Our Lady of Fatima 12.00 noon

Intention: Elizabeth Crudge Birthday Blessings

Saturday 13th May 6.00pm Fifth Sunday of Eastertide

Intention: Mary & Richard Cullen RIP

Confessions : Saturdays 11.15 to 12 noon

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

Recently Died

Anniversaries

Monica Hanford
Harold Thompson
Catherine Norman
Nancy Fender
Addie Rees
Jonathan Hill
Mimo Dimarco

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.

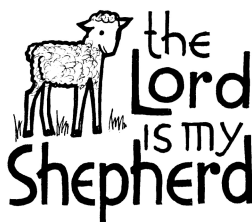
Restore them to health, we pray,
Through Christ our Lord. Amen

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.

Today—Good Shepherd Sunday

World Day of Prayer for vocations to the priesthood and religious life. www.Ukpriest.org



Celebration of the Centenary of the Apparition at Fatima
Saturday 13th May
11.30 am Holy Rosary & Benediction
12.00 noon Holy Mass & Consecration of our families into the Immaculate Heart of Mary with special prayers for healing.

Last week's Collection
£480
200 Club Winner 124

**This Week: Second Collection for
Priests' Training Fund**

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

Tesco Gift Vouchers
Sold this week £300
Parish Income £15

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 each Monday after Mass. New
members are welcome to pray together for Parish and for those
struggling and suffering in life

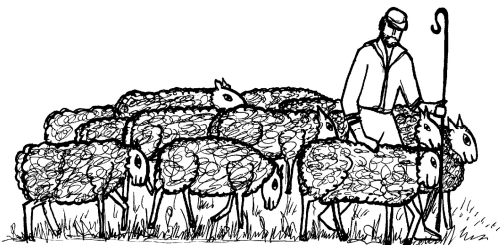
*He walks ahead of them and the sheep follow him,
because they recognize his voice.*

The
shepherd
knows his sheep.
And the sheep know him.
He calls each of them by name.

O Christ,
we long to hear you call our names,
to heed your gentle voice
and follow you.

Let us enter the sheepfold,
enter through you,
the gate,

and offer to one another
your abounding
life and



**Hearty congratulations and prayerful wishes to all
our young friends as they receive Jesus for the
first time into their life through the Sacrament of
the Most Holy Eucharist.**

***May Jesus be your life-long companion and may
you be a source of joy and hope for your family ,
our community and our nation. Have a great day.***

Ministers of the Word & Eucharistic Ministers

Weekend 13th / 14th May

Saturday

<i>First</i>	Emma
<i>Second</i>	Rhys
<i>Bidding Prayers</i>	Rita
Eucharistic Ministers	Lorraine Karen

Sunday

<i>First</i>	Louise
<i>Second</i>	Wilson
<i>Bidding Prayers</i>	Ricardo
Eucharistic Ministers	Donna Helen Maureen

Church Cleaning Rota

May 13th	Jollie/Beena Jaimon/Shiji
May 20th	No clean

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)***

Easter Party for Senior Citizens

Saturday 13th May at 2.30 pm

Please put your name on the list in the
porch.

Welsh National Pilgrimage to Our Lady of the Taper, Cardigan.

Sunday 21st May

Programme:

1.30	Confessions
2.30	Rosary Procession
3.00	Holy Mass
5.00	Benediction & Blessing of the Sick

Coach available for booking. See poster for

CAFOD RETREAT – Swansea - CAFOD is hosting a
free retreat at St David's Priory Church,
SWANSEA on Friday 19 May from 10 a.m. to 4
p.m. The retreat will offer an opportunity to reflect
on Pope Francis' vision for a renewed church for the
poor. No charge, but please bring your own lunch. Booking
essential: 02920 344 882 or