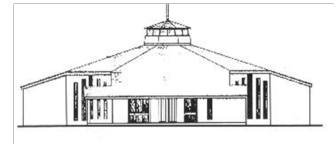


Holy Cross Catholic Community

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19th January 2025 Second Sunday Ordinary Time

Cycles: Sundays Year C Psalter Week 2

Day and Date	Mass Time	Intention
Saturday 18th January First Mass of Sunday	6.00 pm	Alfredo & Family Sp Int
Sunday 19th January 2nd Sunday Ordinary Time	10.30 am	Wilson Cagi B'day blessings
Monday 20th January Weekday Ordinary Time	9.30 am	Angela & Sarah Sp Intention
Wednesday 22nd January Weekday Ordinary Time	NO MASS	
Thursday 23rd January Weekday Ordinary Time	9.30 am	Marykutty Mathew RIP
Friday 24th January St Francis de Sales	9.30 am	Biju & Family Sp Intention
Saturday 25th January Conversion of St Paul	12.00 noon	Anne Hacche B'day Blessings John Hartnol RIP
Saturday 25th January First Mass of Sunday	6.00 pm	Dr Adel & Roslyn Sp Int Babara O'Sullivan RIP

Recently Died

All Souls whose names are entered in our Book of Remembrance and all victims of war & violence
Our family & friends whose anniversaries occur around this week

*Eternal rest grant unto them
O Lord
R. And let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in*

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.

First Holy Communion
Class on Sundays after the Holy Mass.

Sacrament of Confession on Saturdays 11am to 11.50 am.

PEACE

Lord, make me a channel of Your peace;
Where there is hatred, let me sow love;
Where there is injury, pardon;
Where there is doubt, faith;
Where there is despair, hope;
Where there is darkness, light;
And where there is sadness, joy.

O Divine Master,
Grant that I may not so much seek
To be consoled as to console;
To be understood, as to understand;
To be loved, as to love;
For it is in giving that we receive,
It is in pardoning that we are pardoned,
And it is in dying that we are born to
Eternal Life. Amen

Hold my hand O Blessed Mother. Hold me gently lest I fall. I am nervous when I am walking; so to Thee I call. Guide me over every crossing. Watch me when I am on the stairs. Let me know that You are beside me. Listen to my fervent prayer and when evening falls upon me and I fear to be alone, take my hand O Blessed Mother and once more lead me Home. Amen

Parish Bank Details for your Offering

Name : Gendros Parish

A/C NO: 90264630

Sort Code 55 -61 -20

Last weekend offering: £307.96

**100 Club Winner : No. 116 Lorraine Lewis
Many Thanks & God Bless**

Jesus did this as the beginning of his signs at Cana in Galilee

"They have no wine."

"So what?"

"Do whatever he tells you."

From that instant she left it to him.

To us:

"do whatever he says:

"Love God,
love your neighbour,
make a home for the Spirit."

We hope to.

Let us leave
everything for you, Lord.
We want to trust you the way Mary did.

Please,
we are water.
Turn us into wine.



The cry of the people of God, the cry of the poor, is a kind of prayer; it opens our hearts and teaches us to be attentive. Let us be attentive, then, to all situations of injustice and to new forms of exploitation that risk making so many of our brothers and sisters miss the joy of the party. Let us be attentive to the lack of steady employment, which destroys lives and homes. ... Let us be attentive to the lack of shelter, land and employment experienced by so many families. And, like Mary, let us say: they have no wine, Lord. *Pope Francis*

Ministers of the Word

Week beginning 25th-26th January

<i>First Reading</i>	Shalini
<i>Second Reading</i>	Luke
<i>Bidding Prayers</i>	Sue

Sunday

<i>First Reading</i>	Aloys
<i>Second Reading</i>	Nathan
<i>Bidding Prayers</i>	Nicole

Church Cleaning

Week beginning :

20th January	No Clean
27th January	Sigi & Smitha
3rd February	No clean

Ministers—if you cannot attend or need to change your rota, please let us know by contacting Donna (07745947773)

When I am away for Hospital calls:

Morrison, Canon Jason: 07792003905

Singleton, Fr Clement: 01792 655336

Gorseinon, Fr John : 01792 892722

For any other emergencies ,

Canon Paul Watson: 01792 653343

Keep well, keep smiling and please pray for me God Bless, Fr Cyril

Hymn for the 2025 Jubilee

***Like a flame my hope is burning,
may my song arise to you:
Source of life that has no ending,
on life's path I trust in you.***

Ev'ry nation, tongue, and people
find a light within your Word.
Scattered fragile sons and daughters
find a home in your dear Son.

God, so tender and so patient,
dawn of hope, you care for all.
Heav'n and earth are recreated
by the Spirit of Life set free.

Raise your eyes, the wind is blowing,
for our God is born in time.
Son made man for you and many
who will find the way in him.