

Cymuned Gatholig y Groes Sanctaidd

Holy Cross Catholic Community

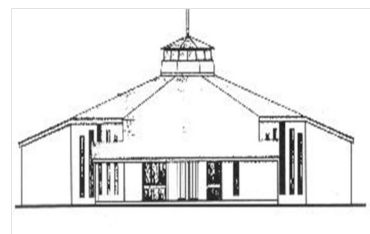
'Teulu ar gyfer pob diwylliant i feithrin disgyblion o bob oed'

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

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19th April 2026 Third Sunday Eastertide

Cycles: Sundays Year A Psalter Week 3

HE IS RISEN ALLELUIA

Day and Date	Mass Time	Intention	Recently Died
Saturday 18th April First Mass Sunday	6.00 pm	Sue Jones Sp Intention Pam Phillips Sp Intention	<p>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</p> <p><i>Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord</i> <i>R. And let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in Peace. Amen</i></p>
Sunday 19th April Third Sunday of Easter	10.30 am	Katie Hacche RIP	
Monday 20th April 3rd week Eastertide	9.30am	Gaetano Avo RIP	
Wednesday 22nd April 3rd week Eastertide	7.00pm	Ken Gray RIP Martin Treacy RIP	<p>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.</p>
Thursday 23rd April St George, Martyr	9.30 am	Doreen Gilligan RIP George Parackal RIP	
Friday 24th April 3rd week Eastertide	9.30 am	Sr Brid RIP	
Saturday 25th April St Mark, Evangelist	12.00 noon	Wells Family E Blessings Margaret Patterson Thanksgiving	

Confession Time: Saturdays 11.00 am to 11.50am and evening 5.30 to 5.50 pm.

Adoration: 9.00 am to 9.30 am on Mon, Thurs & Friday, Wednesday 6.30 pm Rosary & 7.00pm Mass

THE PROFESSION OF FAITH

(The Apostles' Creed)

I believe in God, the Father the almighty, creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried; he descended into hell; on the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty; from there he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Holy Catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

The Mystery of Faith

We proclaim Your death, O Lord, and profess your Resurrection until you come again.

Gloria

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will.

We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer;

you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us.

For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

Parish Bank Details for your Offering

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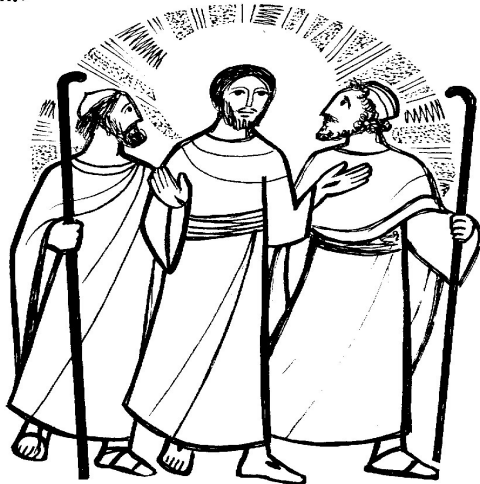
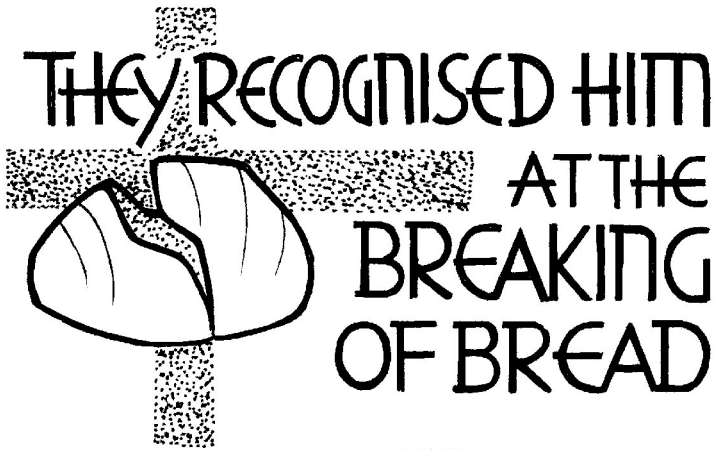
Weekly Collection: £ 501

**100 Club Winner: No 115 Christine O'Sullivan
Many thanks and God Bless**

Two disciples were traveling on foot to the town of Emmaus. As they travelled, they were "conversing and debating" about what had happened to Jesus and also about what these women reported to them. It is clear from their words that they were quite confused and discouraged about what was happening.

We must see ourselves in these disciples. There are many things in life that can lead us to discouragement. When we strive to follow God's will but find that things have not turned out how we expected, there is a temptation to doubt.

Lord of perfect wisdom, Your plan for my life is perfect and glorious beyond imagination. Too often, I fail to understand Your will and fall into confusion and doubt. Please open my mind to Your truth and help me to see everything from Your perspective so that I will always walk with hope and trust in You. Jesus, I trust in You.



**Ministers of the Word
Week beginning 25th/th April**

Saturday
First Reading Sue
Second Reading Luke
Bidding Prayers Katy

Sunday
First Reading Deon
Second Reading Alvina
Bidding Prayers Elisha

Church Cleaning

Week beginning :
13th April Colarina & Panganiban
20th April No clean
27th April Shini & Aisel

Donna (07745947773)

The Parish Prayer

Loving Father, we ask you to bless our parish: make us better people, more considerate towards others, more honest with ourselves and more faithful to You. Through the power of Your Holy Spirit open our ears to hear You in prayer, open our eyes to Your presence in one another and open our hearts to those who are searching for You. Help each of us find our true vocation in life, so that we may not only find our own happiness but bring happiness to others. We ask this through Christ our Lord. 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

On August 14th, 1730, while the Catholics of Siena, Italy were attending a special festival for the eve of the feast of the Assumption, thieves entered the Church of St. Francis and stole a golden ciborium containing hundreds of a consecrated hosts. Two years later, someone noticed something white protruding from the offering box at another church in Siena. The priest opened the box and found the missing hosts inside, entangled in cobwebs and dirt. After being cleaned as much as possible, the hosts were placed in a new ciborium and taken back to the Church of St. Francis for prayers of reparation and veneration. Since the hosts were dirty, the priests decided not to consume them but let them simply deteriorate. Over the next few decades, everyone was amazed to see that the hosts did not deteriorate, but actually appeared fresh. The hosts remain in this state today, 295 years later, and can still be seen in the (now) Basilica of St. Francis in Siena, Italy.

