Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time - 16th June 2024

"Renew Your wonders in this our day, as by a New Pentecost. Grant to Your Church that, being of one mind and steadfast in prayer with Mary, the Mother of Jesus, and following the lead of blessed Peter, it may advance the reign of our Divine Saviour, the reign of truth and justice, the reign of love and peace. Come Holy Spirit, in Your power and might to renew the face of the earth". (Pope St.John XXIII).

Mass Intentions this Sunday (16th June) Saturday 4-00 p.m. (St. John Kemble) Parish & People; 6-00 p.m. (St. Joseph's) Rose Williams (RIP) (Ford family); Sunday 10-30 a.m. Rose Williams (RIP) (Sheila Morgan).

Weekday Mass Times Wednesday (19th June) (St. Joseph's) 9-30 a.m. David Faulkner (RIP) (Adrian & Paula); (St. John Kemble) 11-00 a.m. Frank Nedza (RIP) (Nancy); Thursday (20th) 9-30 a.m. Sion Parry Evans (RIP); Friday (21st) 9-30 a.m. Bridie & Albert Shackleton (RIP.) (Mary Addis).

Ava Harris We look forward to receiving Ava into the full communion of the Catholic Church at our 10-30 a.m. Mass next Sunday 23rd June. Ava has been a regular member attending Mass with her grandmother, Gizella. Please keep Ava in your prayers.

Mass Intentions next Sunday (23rd June – 11th Sunday) Saturday 4-00 p.m. (St. John Kemble) Parish & People; 6-00 p.m. (St. Joseph's) Paul & Alan Cameron (RIP) (Betty & Roger Horton); 10-30 a.m. Clement & Milly Earle (RIP) (Des).

Readers: This Sunday (16th) 6-00 p.m. Gerald Smith; 10-30 a.m. Bethan Lee. Next Sunday (23rd) 6-00 p.m. Patrick McAteer; 10-30 a.m. Tommy Parel.

<u>Candles:</u> Sacred Heart – Theima Rushby (RIP); Our Lady – Ukraine & Israel/Gaza (Peace); St. Joseph – Annie & William Cochrane (RIP).

Anniversaries: Of your charity, remember in prayer those whose anniversaries occur at this time; Baby Kian Harries(2003); William Frost (2006); Mervyn Thomas (2003); James Murray (2001); Brett Webb (2010); Marjorie Francis (2014); Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, And let light perpetual shine upon them. May they rest in peace. Amen.

Forth Coming Event! St. Joseph's Parish Guild and parishioners International Food Extravaganza – Sunday 30th June following the 10-30 a.m. Mass. All tickets now sold! (Please note - In order to set up the tables and facilitate use of the kitchen there will not be the usual tea/coffee after Mass on this Sunday).

"Life in the Spirit" New Wineskins Prayer, Praise & Healing Gathering (and Exposition) at St. Dyfrig's Catholic Church, Broadway, Treforest, Pontypridd next Saturday (22nd June) 10-00 a.m. to 12 noon. All welcome.

The Sick and Housebound Please continue to remember in your prayers all those who are sick and housebound, those in hospital and in our local care homes. Especially at this time, George & Bridie Johnson, Julie, Stephen & Jason Saunders, Elizabeth Fluck, Lorna and Joe O'Brien, Margaret Jeffrey, Marion Brocksopp., Marlene John, Pat Day, Daniel John, David Reynolds, Adrian Macpherson-Jones, Roger Horton, Kath Davies, Robert Minty, David Hoy, Ieuan & Susan Evans, Gaynor Pickrell, Michael Mead, Paul Leaker, Sid Leaker. If you would like others to be remembered in this prayer list (with their permission) please supply their names.

The Sick & Housebound If you know of someone who (at their request) would appreciate contact with the church through a home visit from the S.V.P. please contact Anne Guest, the Secretary on 07741283098 or Pat O'Connell for a visit from the Legion of Mary.

<u>Last Sunday's Collection</u>: £310-71 (plus Direct Debits) and a donations of £250 to the Parish Hall. All donations gratefully received — many thanks. St.John Kemble £49-00. Many thanks.

<u>Second Collection</u> This weekend (16th) The annual <u>Day for Life</u> collection focusing on care at the end of life and to build a culture of care. "His Holiness Pope Francis expresses gratitude to those bearing witness to the sanctity of human life and sends the assurance of his closeness in prayer". (Cardinal Parolin, Secretary of State). Sunday 30th June <u>Peter's Pence</u> in support of the Holy See.

PRAYER AFTER MASS St. Michael, the Archangel, defend us in battle, be our defence against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do Thou, O Prince of the Heavenly Host, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan and all other evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen