

Collections for Last Sunday

Parish	Gift Aid	Loose	Levy	Total	At Mass
Immaculate Conception	£195.00	£55.35	£89.75	£340.10	98
All Saints	£199.00	£74.71	£94.63	£368.34	94
St. John's	£137.00	£11.50	£18.90	£167.40	31
			Total	£875.84	223

Funds Raised: Immaculate Conception: Raffle £54; Tea after Sunday Mass £30. **Development Fund:** Immaculate Conception £218.67; St John's £72; *Grateful thanks to all for your contributions!*

PARISH NOTICES

Parish Development: interior of St John's. We apologise for any inconvenience that may be caused and we ask for the prayers and support of all parishioners.

* **Cleaning:** St. John's Church needs to be cleaned and prepared for Sunday Mass. Please could you give an hour of your time, after 5pm on Friday evenings. Your help would be greatly appreciated.

All Saints Monthly Quiz on Thursday 10th 7/7.30pm. All are welcome.

All Saints Grand Prize Draw tickets on sale from this weekend. Please help by selling tickets. Would you like to donate a Prize? please see notice in Church Porch. Thank you.

Father Edmund's Farewell: Meeting for all who wish to attend in Immaculate Conception on Monday 14th August at 7pm to make arrangements for Father's presentation.

✠ **Day of Mercy** today Sunday 6th August at 2:30pm in **Immaculate Conception**. There will be Exposition of The Blessed Sacrament, Prayer, and Healing and anointing of the sick. Followed by, refreshments after Benediction. Please come and be Blessed - All are welcome.



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The Transfiguration of The Lord, Mass Book P173 6th Aug 2017

Vigil	5:30pm	Immaculate Conception	John & Percy Neizer RIP Private Intention (M.B.)
The Transfiguration of The Lord	9:00am	Immaculate Conception	Teresa & Richie Griffiths' Golden Wedding Anniversary Harry Pritchard RIP
	10:30am	All Saints	Kathleen & Alf McCarthy RIP Mary Ellen Twohig RIP
	5:30pm	St. John's	Jack Thomas RIP
Monday 7th	10:00am	St. John's	Philip (cancer patient)
Tuesday 8th	7:00pm	Immaculate Conception	Damian Thomas' wellbeing
Wednesday 9th	10:00am	All Saints	Derek' s Wellbeing
Thursday 10th	-	-	
Friday 11th	7:00pm	Immaculate Conception	David O'Connor's Wellbeing
Saturday 12th	10:00am	All Saints	Private Intention (MB)
Vigil	5:30pm	Immaculate Conception	Gordon Wilcox RIP Private Intentions (Mary RIP)
19th Sunday in Ordinary Time	9:00am	Immaculate Conception	Ednyfed Austyn-Prys
	10:30am	All Saints	People of the Parish
	5:30pm	St. John's	Margaret, Maureen & Pat

VIGIL LAMPS

All Saints:	Our Lady	Sick and Housebound
All Saints:	Sacred Heart	Derek's Wellbeing
Immaculate Conception:	Our Lady	Elizabeth Hughes' Wellbeing
Immaculate Conception:	Sacred Heart	Damian Thomas' Wellbeing

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

All Saints:	Daily from 10:30am until 6:00pm
St. John:	Monday after 10:00am Mass
Immaculate Conception:	Friday 12 noon until 3:00pm

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (CONFESSION)

All Saints: After Mass on Wednesday and Saturday
St. John's: After Mass on Monday and Sunday at 5pm
Immaculate Conception: Before Mass on Tuesday, & Saturday at 5pm

From the Catechism of the Catholic Church

“Spiritual progress tends toward ever more intimate union with Christ. This union is called "mystical" because it participates in the mystery of Christ through the sacraments - "the holy mysteries" - and, in him, in the mystery of the Holy Trinity. God calls us all to this intimate union with him, even if the special graces or extraordinary signs of this mystical life are granted only to some for the sake of manifesting the gratuitous gift given to all.” (CCC, 2014)

GOSPEL REFLECTION (MATTHEW 17: 1-9)

“From the day Peter confessed that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of the living God, the Master "began to show his disciples that he must go to Jerusalem and suffer many things. . . and be killed, and on the third day be raised." Peter scorns this prediction, nor do the others understand it any better than he. In this context the mysterious episode of Jesus' Transfiguration takes place on a high mountain, before three witnesses chosen by Himself: Peter, James and John. Jesus' face and clothes become dazzling with light, and Moses and Elijah appear, speaking "of his departure, which he was to accomplish at Jerusalem". A cloud covers him and a voice from heaven says: "This is my Son, my Chosen; listen to him!" (CCC, 554)

Please pray for the Parishioners of our Pastoral Area, especially:

✠ the sick and housebound:

Jeanette Badham, Elise Burgess, Denise Burrows, Yvonne Brown, Grant Caniff, Molly Cini, Jim Clarke, James Cullen, Maria Davies, Maria Death, Brian Garrett, John Godfrey, Margaret Hancock, Sally Harris, Keyon Hughes, Nicola James, Gary Jones, Celia Jones, Leslie Jones, Mandy Jones, Yvonne Jones, Nina Kokkali, Mabel Kelly, Margaret Lawrence, Colin Lee, Tom Markey, Eileen Michael, Louis Moorhead, Maureen Morgan, Kieran Moseley, Mary Moseley, Des Murphy, Adam Newbury, Brian Norman, Cathy O'Leary, Ruth Phillips, Bill Pritchard, Owen Pritchard, Christopher Rich, Eileen Richards, Paul Riley, Samuel Roach, Maureen Roberts, Norman Roberts, Ivor Rolfe, Paul Roper, Alison Utting, Grant Walshe, Rachel Watkins, Neville Whitcombe, Joan Williams, Kathleen Williams, Pam Williams, Helen Yabsley, Tony Zeraschi, Debra Richards, Daniel Morgan Bennett, Raymond Titley, Jeanette Prothero, Pauline Thomas. Barbara McCarthy, Gavin Hughes, Norma Beecher, Maria James, Maureen Hague, Doris Morris, Sheila Bennett, Joan Spencer, Mary (Benjamin) Thomas, Margaret Jones. Kathleen Woolley, Derek Kerwick, Donald & Kathleen Bennett, Damian Thomas.

✠ those whose anniversary occurs at this time:

Angelolina Carini, Mary Joyce, Gemma Burchell, Sheila Hayward, John Kerwick, Margaret Dullea, Edward Sullivan, Robert Clancy Snr.. Audrey Doreen Norris; Sandra Vera Foxhall

SACRAMENTS

Let us pray for Brian and Barbara Leonce Warburton who will be having their current civil marriage Convalidated (*Sacrament of Holy Matrimony*) in All Saints Church on Saturday 26th August 2017.

GOLDEN WEDDING

CONGRATULATIONS to Teresa & Richie Griffiths on their Golden Wedding Anniversary. May the Favour of the Lord rest upon you and keep you united in His Endless Love. God Love You.