



Church of the Sacred Heart
Archdiocesan Shrine of Divine Mercy
Eglwys y Galon Sanctaidd
Kościół Najświętszego Serca Pana Jezusa

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JULY 2026

15th Sun. in Ord. Time, Cycle A, Year II
Psalter Week 2

Pope's Intention for July: For respect for human life. Let us pray for the respect and protection of human life in all its stages, recognizing it as a gift from God.

Sacred Heart Church Services

Opening Time 6:00 am – 9:00 pm
 Eucharistic Adoration weekdays 1 hr before Mass
 Confession Wed/Fri 6:30pm / Sat 11am and 5pm

12 Sun "Sea Sunday"-The Church prays for those who live and work at sea.
 5:30 pm (*vigil mass*) *pro populo*

9:30 am Ord. Anniv. 5 July: Bp. Edwin Regan (*Teresa and Roger*)
 11:00 am Special int. (*Ann and John Thomas*)
 1:30 pm Dec. family members (*Marcin and Justyna Paclawski*)
 8:00 pm Rodrigo Tumala, RIP (*Imee and Noel Gaela*)

13 Mon – Weekday in Ord. Time
 9:30 am Canon Jason Jones, RIP (*Diane*)

14 Tue – St. Camillus de Lellis, Priest
 9:30 am Sheila Mullan, RIP (*Vince Mullan*)

15 Wed – St. Bonaventure, Bishop and Doctor
 1:00 – 4:00 pm CLERGY RECOLLECTION w/Fr. Gerry
 7:30 pm Bday: Jojoy (*Jojoy Family*)

16 Thur – Our Lady of Mt. Carmel
 9:30 am Canon Jason Jones, RIP (*Yolanda Gianini*)

17 Fri – 3rd Friday votive Mass: *Mercy of God*
 7:30 pm Sebastian, RIP

18 Sat – BVM on Saturday
 10:30 am Benny PK, RIP (*Jisha and children*)

Parish Sisters:
Sr. Mini, Sr. Jacque,
Sr. Miriam

Convent:
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Sunday Coffee
 10:30 am
Parish Centre

Knitting Group
 Mondays 2:00 pm
 Church Back Room

Choir Practice
 Sundays 4:15 pm
Parish Centre

Lectio Divina
 Mondays 7:00 pm
Sisters' Convent

Legion of Mary
 Tuesdays
 Junior Legion 3:15 pm
 Parish Legion 4:30 pm

Coffee Morning
 Thursdays 10:00 am
Parish Centre

SVP Meeting
 Thursdays 6:00 pm
 Church Back Room

Hour of Mercy
 Fridays 3:00 pm

Supporting the Parish

Acct. Name:
Cardiff-Menevia
Diocesan Trust

Acct No : **02131633**

Sort Code: **55-61-21**

Available dates for
Mass Intentions:

July: 24, 25, 27, 28, 29,
 30, 31

August: 1, 2 (8pm), 3,
 5, 6, 9 (8pm), 10, 12.

BULLETIN

PARISH

Fr Artur will be arriving in the Parish on 22 July. He will officially take the role of Parish Priest on 1 August. **There will be a lunch reception on 2 August after the 11:00 am Mass to formally welcome our new parish priest. (Kindly sign up!)**

The **Thursday Coffee Morning Group** and the **SVP** will have the last meeting this Thursday, 16 July, before they break for summer. Meeting will resume in September.

We extend our **congratulations to all the students** who will be moving up to a higher level of education. We also share the joys of those who will be graduating from Uni. This year. *Gaudeamus igitur!*

18 July – A Mozart Celebration to include Requiem. The Tabernacle Morriston Choir will celebrate their 150th anniversary. The concert is dedicated to the memory of Canon Jason Jones who supported the Choir for many years. Venue: Tabernacle Chapel. Time: 7:00 pm. Under 18 is free.

18 July – Pilgrimage. This is a rescheduled date – this pilgrimage was originally due to take place on May 30th, but was postponed due to Canon Jason's death. Please point out this change of date to your families, as some may have been unable to make the previous date but might be able to make this one. The deadline for registration is July 6th and the cost is £15pp. Contact Fr. Matt.

Several families from the parish will be going away for the summer break. It is good to go on holiday and/or visit family and friends. We keep you in our prayers for your journey and safe return. Thank you for the support that you have generously extended to the parish.

Cleaning / Flower Rota. We are kindly inviting the different communities to offer a monthly service for cleaning and flowers. Please come as group of families and friends to make the service more productive and enjoyable.

Finance Office: We are preparing the 2025-2026 annual accounts and gift aid claims. **Annual report will be available in the next few weeks.** This will enable us to make a **weekly financial report** starting August 2026.

On behalf of the Parish and the Keralite Community, we would like to extend our gratitude to all those who celebrated with us the Feast of St. Thomas last 5 July 2026; and to honour Canon Jason Jones. **The Keralite Families have generously donated £600 to the parish.**

We would like to thank **the Filipino Families who donated £450 to the parish** towards Fr. Rod's allowance. A monthly mass will be offered for Fr. Rod's benefactors and sponsors.

Peter's Pence (2nd Collection) 28 June 2026:
£ 266.10

Parish buildings maintenance: All safety certificates and assessments are up to date. The next flat roof repairs to the church will be scheduled shortly. External works to the rear of the Parish Centre are nearing completion. A downpipe on the main hall has been repaired. The wall is now drying out and will be repaired in the next few weeks. A grant will be applied for shortly to complete the external works to the rest of the building.

NB. Fr Artur has kindly requested for some refurbishment in the house and of his room where Canon Jason previously stayed. We ask for your understanding towards this necessary spending for health and well-being of our new parish priest.

Summer Break. Fr. Rod has booked his summer break from 10 August – 1 September. On 1 Sept. to 14 Sept., he will have an official visit to Cebu for his visa arrangements. He will be back home to Morriston on 15 Sept. Kindly keep Fr. Rod in your prayers.

DEANERY

New DEAN: Fr. John Browne, parish priest of Dunvant and Sketty, has been appointed Dean of St. John Lloyd Deanery. We extend our congratulations to him and we keep him in our prayers.

Ordination Anniv.: Fr. Gregory Beckett will be celebrating his priestly ordination anniversary on **15 July**. We extend our prayerful congratulations to him.

ARCHDIOCESE

SEA SUNDAY. Seafarers and fishers play a vital role in all of our lives, but they often work in difficult, hazardous conditions. This weekend marks Sea Sunday. It is when the Church prays for all those who live and work at sea. Your support will make a big difference to seafarers and fishers in need. You can donate to Stella Maris through the retiring collection next weekend, by visiting www.stellamaris.org.uk/donate or by texting 'SEA' to 70460 to donate £5. This collection is vital to enable Stella Maris to continue its important work, so please give generously. Thank you.

CAFOD Venezuela Earthquake Appeal. You can help our neighbours affected by the 24 June earthquakes in Venezuela with emergency shelter, water and food. CAFOD is already working with local Church partners to support people who have lost their homes, but we need your support to help more survivors. Your donation will provide essential supplies and help families rebuild their lives. Donate to the CAFOD-DEC Venezuela Earthquake Appeal today: cafod.org.uk/Venezuela or call 0300 999 0030. Please keep our neighbours in Venezuela in your prayers.

The Archdiocese is Hiring - Deputy Director of Education. We're looking for an experienced, inspirational leader to join our Education team as Deputy Director of Education. This part-time role (3 days a week, negotiable) offers a salary of £43,000 pro rata and involves supporting Catholic schools and colleges across the Archdiocese alongside the Director of Education. Candidates should be practising Catholics committed to Catholic education. Closing date: 14th July 2026 - visit our website for full details and how to apply. <https://rcadc.org/vacancy-deputy-director-of-education/>.

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Youth Summer Camp. The Emmaus Discover team are holding a Summer Camp for School Year 9 – 13 in Pembrokeshire, 5th – 9th August. Cost £275, all inclusive. Please see the poster on the noticeboard or contact Fr Matt.