

MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS: CARDIGAN

DAY & DATE	SERVICE TIME	INTENTION
Sunday 4th October 27th Sunday of ordinary Time	10.10am: Holy Rosary 10.30am: Mass	For the People of the Parish
Monday 5th October Ordinary Time, Yr II, Wk 27	9.00am: Adoration 9.30am: Mass 6.00pm: Holy Rosary	Holy Souls
Wednesday 7th October Our Lady of the Rosary Memorial	6.00pm: Holy Rosary 6.30pm: Mass	
Thursday 8th October Ordinary Time, Yr II, Wk 27	6.00pm: Holy Rosary	
Friday 9th October St. John Henry Newman, Feast	9.30am: Mass, followed by Holy Hour 6.00pm: Holy Rosary	Irena - Recovery
Saturday 10th October Saturday Memorial of the BVM	9.10am: Holy Rosary 9.30am: Mass	
Sunday 11th October 28th Sunday of ordinary Time Day of Prayer for prisoners and their dependents	10.10am: Holy Rosary 10.30am: Mass	For the People of the Parish

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Before and after 9.30am Mass on Saturdays; and on request.

MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS: NEWCASTLE EMLYN

DAY & DATE	SERVICE TIME	INTENTION
Sat 3rd October First Mass for the 27th Sunday of Ordinary Time	6.10pm: Holy Rosary 6.30pm: Mass	Dela Ashtbury—Thanksgiving
Thursday 8th October Ordinary Time, Yr II, Wk 27	10.30am: Mass	
Sat 10th October First Mass for the 28th Sunday of Ordinary Time	6.10pm: Holy Rosary 6.30pm: Mass	

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Before and after Mass and on request.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

ROSARY DEVOTION IN THE MONTH OF OCTOBER

The Month of October is specially devoted to Rosary devotion. We will pray the Holy Rosary 20 mins before the weekend Masses in both our parishes in the month of October. There will be Holy Rosary at 6.00pm from Monday to Friday in October in Cardigan.

FOLLOW THE ARCHDIOCESE ON WHATSAPP

Get Archbishop Mark's messages, plus Archdiocesan news, parish news, events, prayers and Vatican updates, sent straight to your phone - free, and you can leave anytime. Scan the QR Code to follow:



PLWYF A CHYSEGRFAN GENEDLAETHOL CYMRU, MAIR Y TAPYR, ABERTEIFI
PARISH AND SHRINE OF OUR LADY OF THE TAPER, CARDIGAN
MAIR FRENHINES TANGNEFEDD, CASTELL NEWYDD EMLYN
OUR LADY QUEEN OF PEACE, NEWCASTLE EMLYN



26TH/27TH SEPTEMBER 2026
27TH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME
SUNDAYS: CYCLE A; WEEKDAYS: YR II; PSALTER: Wk 3



North Road, Cardigan, Ceredigion SA43 1LT
Parish Priest: Canon Pius Augustine
Tel: (01239) 612615
Emergency No. 07796107241
E-mail: cardigan@cardiffmenevia.org
Web: www.ourladyofthetaper.org.uk
Registered Charity No. 1177272

*'I tell you, then,
that the kingdom
of God will be
taken from you
and given to a
people who will
produce its fruit.'*

Learn

God's people had disappointed their God. It was the formerly sinful Gentiles who took on the task of building the Kingdom. This should not be understood as anti-Jewish. On the contrary, this was being written by Christian Jews for Christian Jews and it must have been a painful thing for them to see and accept.

Pray

Lord, I want o belong to your Kingdom.

Reflect

How fruitful is my life as a Christian?

Word of Life

"Therefore I tell you, the kingdom of God will be taken away from you and given to a people producing its fruits."

Called to the Lord's Vineyard

Like the Jews of the Old testament, today we are God's people. We are the tenants in the vineyard. Now he expects us to produce fruit, fruit that will endure. The obvious questions for us to ask ourselves today are: How are we doing? Are we any better than the chief priests, the elders, the Scribes and the Pharisees? We are specially privileged, by baptism, to be called to work in the Lord's vineyard. Each week we are invited to gather together to hear the gospel message and to make it part of our lives. We are all called to be members, — active members—of the Body of Christ, the Christian community, i.e. the Church.

<https://sacredspace.com/commentary/oa271/>

RECENT COLLECTIONS

Cardigan: Offertory: £265.09;
Home Mission Sunday: £37.18

Newcastle Emlyn: Offertory: £161.45;
Home Mission Sunday: £67.81

Thank You.

Parish Account details:

Cardigan: Archdiocese of Cardiff—Menevia Parish of Cardigan;
Account No. 02342545; Sort Code: 52-21-11.

Newcastle Emlyn: Archdiocese of Cardiff—Menevia Parish of Newcastle Emlyn;
Account No. 08635285; Sort Code: 54-10-26

PARISH HALL BOOKINGS:

CARDIGAN: For booking enquiries, please contact the Hall Bookings Co-Ordinator Guinevere (Gyöngyvér) McGee on 07438596254 or email at: cchcardigan@gmail.com

NEWCASTLE EMLYN: For booking enquiries, please contact the Hall Bookings Co-Ordinator Norma McCarthy on 01239 654613.

SAFEGUARDING:

The safeguarding of all who visit the Parish & Shrine is important to us. If you have any concerns about safeguarding, you can contact Heather Wassy Williams, the Parish Safeguarding Representative, on the Parish Telephone Number: 01239 612615. You can read more about our safeguarding policy here: <https://rcadc.org/safeguarding-cardiff/>

CARDIGAN SHRINE ON FACEBOOK

<https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=61557240194053>

CCTV AND LIVE-STREAMING—CARDIGAN

Please be aware that CCTV is always in operation in Cardigan Church. All our services are currently live-streamed.

CARDIGAN SHRINE YOUTUBE CHANNEL AND LIVE STREAMING

Live-Streaming from the Shrine can be watched on our parish website and on our YouTube Channel at:
https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC_3CWI-ODjUT6TiZsA9z6gg

NEW EMAIL SYSTEM FOR ALL THE PARISHES IN THE ARCHDIOCESE

In order to get in touch with us, please use the new email address below:
cardigan@cardiffmenevia.org

PRAYER MEETINGS:

Cardigan: Will resume after Summer holidays

Newcastle Emlyn: 11.00am, Thursdays.

All Welcome!

CHRISTMAS CONCERT—CATHOLIC CHURCH CARDIGAN

Sunday 1st November 6.00pm featuring **Sacramella Choir** directed by **Ben Richards** ★ **Catrin Aur Soprano** ★ **Henry Ward Organist** ★ A Selection of beautiful music to celebrate the Joy, Peace and Hope of Christmas.
Entrance Free. Donations gratefully received.

CHRISTMAS RAFFLE: Tickets are on sale from this weekend in aid of Our Lady of the Taper. Drawn at 7.00pm, 1st November. Please take a few booklets home and help sell them. Thank you.

Price: Gala Concert and Dinner for two at the Rhosygilwen Christmas Concert on 19th December.

27th Sunday of Ordinary Time	The Liturgy of the Word
THE INTRODUCTORY RITES <i>Before Mass begins, the people gather in a spirit of recollection, preparing for their participation in the Mass.</i> SIGN OF THE CROSS <i>Celebrant:</i> In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. <i>People: Amen.</i> GREETING <i>C.</i> The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. <i>P. And with your spirit.</i> PENITENTIAL ACT <i>The Celebrant invites the faithful to the Penitential Act. A brief silence is followed by the following:</i> <i>All say:</i> I confess to almighty God and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned, in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done and in what I have failed to do, <i>(and striking their breast, they say:)</i> through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault; therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin, all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God. <i>The absolution by the Celebrant follows:</i> <i>C.</i> May almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us our sins, and bring us to everlasting life. <i>P. Amen.</i> <i>The Kyrie eleison</i> (Lord, have mercy) <i>Invocations may follow:</i> <i>C.</i> Lord, have mercy. <i>P. Lord, have mercy.</i> <i>C.</i> Christ have mercy. <i>P. Christ have mercy.</i> <i>C.</i> Lord have mercy. <i>P. Lord have mercy.</i> 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. <i>Amen.</i> THE COLLECT Almighty ever-living God, who in the abundance of your kindness surpass the merits and the desires of those who entreat you, pour out your mercy upon us to pardon what conscience dreads and to give what prayer does not dare to ask. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever. <i>Amen.</i>	FIRST READING <i>Isaiah 5:1-7</i> <i>'The vineyard of the Lord of hosts is the house of Israel.'</i> SECOND READING <i>Philippians 4:6-9</i> <i>'Practise these things, and the God of peace will be with you.'</i> THE HOMILY Brothers and Sisters: Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus. Finally, brothers and sisters, whatever is true, whatever is honourable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is commendable, if there is any excellence, if there is anything worthy of praise: think about these things. What you have learned and received and heard and seen in me — practise these things, and the God of peace will be with you. THE WORD OF THE LORD Thanks be to God. GOSPEL ACCLAMATION <i>Cf. John 15:16</i> Alleluia, alleluia. I chose you out of the world, says the Lord, that you should go and bear fruit, and that your fruit should abide. ALLELUIA GOSPEL <i>C.</i> The Lord be with you. <i>P. And with your Spirit.</i> <i>C.</i> A reading from the holy Gospel according to Matthew <i>C. Glory to you, O Lord.</i> <i>Matthew 21:33-43</i> <i>'He will let out the vineyard to other tenants.'</i> At that time: Jesus said to the chief priests and the elders of the people, 'Hear another parable. There was a master of a house who planted a vineyard and put a fence round it and dug a wine press in it and built a tower and leased it to tenants, and went into another country. When the season for fruit drew near, he sent his servants to the tenants to get his fruit. And the tenants took his servants and beat one, killed another, and stoned another.

The Liturgy of the Eucharist
<i>All sit. During the Offertory Hymn the faithful bring forward bread and wine for the celebration of the Eucharist. The Priest offers prayers of blessing:</i> <i>C.</i> Blessed are you, Lord God of all creation, for through your goodness we have received the bread we offer you: fruit of the earth and work of human hands, it will become for us the bread of life. <i>P. Blessed be God for ever.</i> <i>C.</i> Blessed are you, Lord God of all creation for through your goodness we have received the wine we offer you: Fruit of the vine and work of human hands, it will become our spiritual drink. <i>P. Blessed be God for ever.</i> <i>The Celebrant completes additional personal preparatory rites; all stand.</i> <i>C.</i> Pray, brethren (brothers and sisters), that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father. <i>P. May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands, for the praise and glory of his name, for our good and the good of all his holy Church.</i> PRAYER OVER THE OFFERINGS Accept, O Lord, we pray, the sacrifices instituted by your commands and, through the sacred mysteries, which we celebrate with dutiful service, graciously complete the sanctifying work by which you are pleased to redeem us. Through Christ our Lord. <i>P. Amen.</i> EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER III <i>C.</i> The Lord be with you. <i>P. And with your spirit.</i> <i>C.</i> Lift up your hearts. <i>P. We lift them up to the Lord.</i> <i>C.</i> Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. <i>P. It is right and just.</i> <i>After the Preface, the people sing or say:</i> Holy, holy, holy Lord God of hosts. Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest. <i>All kneel. The Celebrant continues with the Eucharistic Prayer. After the words of Consecration:</i> <i>C.</i> The mystery of faith. Save us, Saviour of the world, for by your Cross and Resurrection you have set us free. <i>At the conclusion of the prayer:</i> <i>C.</i> Through him, and with him, and in him, O God, almighty Father, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all glory and honour is yours, for ever and ever. <i>Amen.</i> THE PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL (BIDDING PRAYERS)

The Communion Rite
<i>All stand and the Celebrant says:</i> <i>C.</i> At the Saviour’s command and formed by divine teaching, we dare to say: <i>P. Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread,` and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.</i> <i>C.</i> Deliver us, Lord, we pray, from every evil, graciously grant peace in our days, that, by the help of your mercy, we may be always free from sin and safe from all distress, as we await the blessed hope and the coming of our Saviour, Jesus Christ. <i>P. For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours now and for ever.</i> <i>C.</i> Lord Jesus Christ, who said to your Apostles: Peace I leave you, my peace I give you; look not on our sins, but on the faith of your Church, and graciously grant her peace and unity in accordance with your will. Who live and reign for ever and ever. <i>P. Amen.</i> <i>C.</i> The peace of the Lord be with you always. <i>P. And with your spirit.</i> <i>C.</i> Let us offer each other the sign of peace <i>All offer one another the customary sign of peace.</i> BREAKING OF THE BREAD <i>During which is sung or said:</i> Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us. Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us. Lamb of God you take away the sins of the world, grant us peace. <i>All kneel.</i> INVITATION TO COMMUNION <i>C.</i> Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb. <i>P. Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.</i>

<i>Communicants come forward in reverent procession; they receive Holy Communion standing.</i> <i>C.</i> The Body of Christ. <i>P. Amen.</i> <i>When Communion is ministered under both kinds:</i> <i>C.</i> The Blood of Christ. <i>P. Amen</i> THE CONCLUDING RITES <i>After Communion, the Celebrant says:</i> <i>C.</i> Let us pray. <i>All stand and pray in silence</i> PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION Grant us, almighty God, that we may be refreshed and nourished by the Sacrament which we have received, so as to be transformed into what we consume. Through Christ our Lord. <i>P. Amen</i> <i>Any brief announcements follow here. Then the dismissal.</i> <i>C.</i> The Lord be with you. <i>P. And with your spirit.</i> <i>C.</i> May almighty God bless you, the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit. <i>P. Amen.</i> <i>Then the Deacon, or the Celebrant:</i> Go in peace, glorifying the Lord by your life. <i>P. Thanks be to God.</i> RIP ANNIVERSARIES Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord. And let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace. Amen. PRAYER INTENTIONS OF THE HOLY FATHER OCTOBER: FOR Mental Health Ministry: Let us pray that the mental health ministry be established throughout the Church, helping to overcome the stigma and discrimination of persons with mental illness.	THE SHRINE PRAYER My soul glorifies the Lord. Henceforth all ages will call me blessed. The Almighty works marvels for me. Holy his name. V:/ Behold the handmaid of the Lord. R./ Be it done to me according to your word. Let us Pray Father, your Son Jesus, born of the Virgin Mary by the power of the Holy Spirit, is the Light of the world. May the same Spirit lead us to imitate Mary’s faith, love and humility that guided by her example, we may follow the light of her Son on our journey through life, and come at last to see you as you are, and praise you in the everlasting kingdom of heaven. Amen. Holy Mary, mother of God, you offer your Son for our adoration. May we too treasure his word in our hearts and help bring his light to the world. Our Lady of Cardigan, Pray for Wales. Our Lady of Cardigan, Pray for us. PRAYER TO OUR LADY QUEEN OF PEACE O Mary, Mother of God, our Queen and our Mother, look down upon us your children gathered here before you. Pray for us, pray for our families, pray for our country. Pray for us to your Son, Our Lord Jesus Christ, that he will grant us peace, peace in our own hearts, peace with God and peace with one another. May we come to know the joy that comes from loving and serving Him in this world, and the everlasting happiness of heaven. Amen. PRAYERS ARE ASKED FOR THE SICK Peter Ross Vic & Mary Williams Barbara Phillips Clare Mitchell Jimmy Hayes Ian McCarthy Christopher Varney Prayer for the Sick Heavenly Father, Look with mercy on the sick in our parish community and help them in this time of illness. Restore them to health, we pray, Through Christ Our Lord, Amen
---	---