

23<sup>RD</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

## XXIII Per Annum

	8:30am	Low Mass		S Saviour's	Pro Populo
	9:15am	Solemn Parish Mass		S Mary's	Pro Populo
	11:15am	Solemn Parish Mass (Parish Barbecue		S Saviour's	Pro Populo
	3:00pm	Portuguese Mass (Massa em Portugues)		S Saviour's	(Pessoas da nossa paróquia)
Mon.	Feria	7:00pm	Low Mass	S Saviour's	People of Wales
Tue.	Most Holy Name of Mary	7:30pm	Low Mass	S Mary's	Local Schools
Wed.	S John Chrysostom	10:00am	Low Mass	S Mary's	Local Teachers
Thurs.	Exaltation of the Holy Cross	7:00pm	SOLEMN MASS	S Saviour's	Those affected by hurricanes
Fri.	Our Lady of Sorrows	11:15am	Low Mass	S Mary's	People of Slovakia
Sat.	Ss Cornelius & Cyprian	10:00am	Low Mass	S Saviour's	The Elderly

**NOTICES FOR WEEK COMMENCING 10<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2017**

Tea, Coffee etc will be served after both Solemn Masses: 9:15 and 11:15. We very much hope you can stay.

Today at S Mary's we welcome Kevin John McCabe & Nicola Michelle Goodwin, and Roy Emmanuel Frater & Christine Elizabeth Brown who are having their banns read. It is good to have them with us as they prepare for their weddings.

St Mary's Barbecue: is today – tickets may still be available...many thanks to all those who help with this event!

Thursday this week is Holy Cross Day. There will be a **Solemn Mass at S Saviours at 7:00pm** that day. I very much hope that people from both churches will be able to pop along for one of the important days in the Church Calendar! At 10am on Thursday I will also be saying Mass at All Saints' Church (as I also did last week, but forgot to put on the sheet!)

Safeguarding – PCC's: Safeguarding is rightly being taken very seriously now across all parishes and dioceses, and it is encouraged that all PCC members (and obligatory that those who work directly with children and vulnerable adults) attend Safeguarding Training. This is offered at various churches around the diocese, and both daytime and evening events are available.

Strathmore & S Saviour's Scouts (etc): it was noticed recently that a significant amount of the Scout (etc) equipment had been removed from the back of the church hall. Later that same week more items had disappeared. It was after this that we received an email informing us that the Scout (etc) organisation had decided to move to another premises. This means that there will no longer be a Parade Mass on the 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of each month. A number of us had really made a very great effort to make them welcome and included in our worship on those Sundays; not least of all with the printing of detailed mass sheets, the exceptional use of a free-standing altar, and a homily always geared towards the children. Many thanks to those who have helped with all that over the past few years.

S Saviour's Coffee Morning: will be on the 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday each month; **the next will be on October 7<sup>th</sup>. This will also be the day of the Jumble Sale**. Please spread the word, and many thanks to all those who help. Many thanks to all those who helped and came along yesterday.

S Mary's clothing bags (which contain clothing, shoes, handbags but NO bric-a-brac or bedding) will be collected on October 9<sup>th</sup> – people are now leaving bags at my garage – you are more than welcome to add to them!

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*Please take this sheet away with you!*