



Catholic Parishes of St. Michael's - Aberhonddu (Brecon) & St Joseph's - Y Gelli Gandryll (Hay-on-Wye)



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19th January *Second Sunday of Ordinary Time* Wk 2 (Sunday Cycle A, Weekday Cycle 2)

Day	Time	Intention
Saturday 18 th Jan. 2nd Sunday OT <i>Prayer for Christian Unity begins today</i>	Vigil Mass 6pm (Brecon)	Special Intention (Peter & Yvonne Jones)
Sunday 19 th January PEACE SUNDAY 2nd Sunday of Ordinary Time	9:00am (Hay-on-Wye) 11:00am (Brecon)	People of the Parish Donor's Intention
Monday 20 th Jan.	10:00am (Brecon)	Special Intention (Aiden & Dawn)
Tuesday 21 st Jan. <i>St Agnes, Virgin and Martyr (memorial)</i>	No Mass	
Wednesday 22 nd Jan. <i>St Vincent, Deacon & Martyr</i>	6:00pm (convent)	Ossie Breeze - RIP (David & Pat)
Thursday 23 rd Jan.	10am Holy Hour & Mass (Hay-on-Wye)	Donor's Intention
Friday 24 th Jan. <i>St Francis de Sales, Bishop & Doctor of the Church</i>	9am Holy Hour & 10:00am (Brecon)	Haydn Morris-Speedy Recovery (Jane Morris and Charles)
Saturday 25 th Jan. 3rd Sunday OT SUNDAY OF THE WORD OF GOD	Vigil Mass 6pm (Brecon)	Yarek & Mariuz- Special Intention (Polish Community)
Sunday 26 th January 3rd Sunday OT SUNDAY OF THE WORD OF GOD	9:00am (Hay-on-Wye) 11:00am (Brecon)	People of the Parish Private Intention (David & Pat)
Sacrament of Reconciliation  Confessions: During Exposition & at Call	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament this week.  At St Michael's Fridays @9:00am-10:00am At St Joseph's, on Thursdays at 10:00am -11:00am	



Our Lady's Lamp is lit for



Sacred heart Lamp is lit for

Our Parish Prayer
Father, send your Holy Spirit to guide and help us. Bless our families and make our homes places of peace and harmony. Give us courage to reach out to others with love and understanding. Give us a new vision of your glory so that your love may grow among us. Through Christ Our Lord. Amen

Readers: Brecon: @ 6pm Mass: Aiden Sweeney & Veronica Davie

And @11am: Ann Voss & A Gwynn

Next Weekend: @ 6pm Mass: Helen Dunne & Anne Graham

And @11am: Angela Heathcote & Gerald Purnell

Hay-on-Wye: This Sunday: Mary-Rose Rylands & Alan Murphy

Next Sunday: Pat Darlison & John Darlison

Last Week's Offering Collection: St Michael's: £358.05p. SPUC: 155.86p St Joseph's: £109.64.p. SPUC: £50:00

Thank you for your kindness

A warm welcome to all who gather around the Altar of the Lord in our parishes of St Michael's Brecon & St Joseph's Hay-on-Wye

GOD WHO SPEAKS – BLESSING OF BIBLES

Please bring your Bible next Sunday to Mass to be blessed during the Third Sunday of the Word of God as decreed by Pope Francis. Also, all who read at Mass, renew their commitment to their ministry as readers.

Please bring your children for catechism. Jesus said, "Let the children come to me. Don't stop them! Matthew 19:14

Cycle of Prayer: for: peace on earth; Christian unity; victims of human trafficking; the sick and those who care for them; and the unemployed. We also pray for the sick & housebound of our parish, and all whose anniversaries occur at this time.

Grow in Faith Discussion: this Wednesday after 6pm Mass in the Convent. Please be encouraged to come and join in the group, in this 2020, the Year of the Word. *John 1:29-34*

First Holy Communion: class will be this Friday at 4:30pm.

PAC Meeting: will be held this Thursday at 6:45pm in the meeting room in the hall. If you have any item to be included in the agenda, please let Fr Jimmy know ASAP.

RCIA:(The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) will be this Thursday at 5:30pm.

Sick & Retired Priests Fund: There will be a second Collection this weekend to support sick and retired priests of the Diocese of Menevia. Having given a lifetime of service to the Church, most of our priests do not have private income, pensions or homes, and are reliant upon the fund to support them in sickness and retirement. Thanks for your generosity

'Walk In The Footsteps Of Christ' Pilgrimage to the Holy Land 20-27 October 2020. See poster for more details. If you are interested please write your name on the list.

Parish Movie : *Jesus of Nazareth* (last part) will be shown in the Hall on Friday 31st January at 6pm. All welcome!!

THE STORY is told about a 5-year-old girl who asked the boy seated next to her, "What is love?" He replied: "Love is when you steal my chocolates every day from my bag and yet, I still keep them in the same place."