

WELCOME

TO SAINT MARTIN IN ROATH.

AN ANGLICAN CHURCH IN THE DIOCESE OF LLANDAFF. HERE WE TEACH AND CELEBRATE THE CHRISTIAN FAITH IN THE BEAUTY AND ORDER OF THE CATHOLIC FAITH AND TRADITION OF THE CHURCH

PAPER AND NOTICES

CORPUS CHRISTI SUNDAY SUNDAY 18 JUNE 2017



The horrific Grenfell Tower inferno has shocked communities in the UK. Harrowing stories by eye-witnesses and neighbours have left emotional scars which will take time to manage and heal. Witnesses were helpless and desperately watching their friends and families stuck inside a 24-story building.

This terrifying experience is not a position any human should have to face. We express our deepest condolence to the victims and to the hundreds who have lost their homes. People and their housing needs must be a priority for any Government in London and in Cardiff!

The regeneration of social housing using a mixture of public and private ownership began under Tony Blair's Labour government and continues today. It is an issue fraught with strong feelings about politics and class, but in London the root of it is a city where the population is growing fast but the housing supply is not keeping pace. Added to this, the world's super rich are choosing London real estate as a place to park their millions. Prices for private houses and apartments have skyrocketed. *I read this week again C K Chesterton's hymn:*

O God of earth and altar, bow down and hear our cry, our earthly rulers falter, our people drift and die; the walls of gold entomb us, the swords of scorn divide, take not thy thunder from us, but take away our pride.

From all that terror teaches, from lies of tongue and pen, from all the easy

speeches that comfort cruel men, from sale and profanation of honour, and the sword, from sleep and from damnation, deliver us, good Lord!

Tie in a living tether the prince and priest and thrall, bind all our lives together, smite us and save us all; in ire and exultation aflame with faith, and free, lift up a living nation, a single sword to thee.

Pray for all involved in the Grenfell Tower situation, pray for the men and women of emergency services and for our Government.

+Obit Of your charity pray **David Vernon Morgan** who died peacefully at home last week fortified by the rites of our holy mother the Church. Many of you will have come to know both Vernon and his wife Jean over the last years as they regularly worshipped at Mass on Sunday and Wednesday. Over the last months Vernon received the Sacrament at home as he was not well enough to come to Church. He was a distinguished Research Professor and a former Head of the Cardiff School of Engineering. He wore his great academic achievements very lightly and despaired of those who were overly impressed with such things. He had a great care for students and young people. We pray for his wife Jean and their son Dyfrig and daughter Suzanne and their families. He was a joy to get to know and care for over the last years. It was always a pleasure to visit their home and receive such lovely hospitality. Vernon was always more concerned with my well being than his own. He had a deep and profound Christian faith which sustained him to the end. May he rest in peace. *Jesu mercy Mary pray*

At his request there will be a private family funeral Mass at St Martin on Friday this week. On Saturday June 24 there will a public Memorial Service here at St Martin at 1130 am to which all are invited.

SOLW – next meet to pray the Rosary **TUESDAY 26th June**

HELP NEEDED – Can I ask for some help? It is this time of year – there is some work to do around the outside of the Church, clearing paths and walls of vegetation and a general tidy up. Can I have some men to assist here. **WED 27th June** at 7 pm and beer after. Let me know if you can help.

THE CELEBRATION OF THE MASS

ORDINARY TIME WEEK 11 PSALTER WEEK III

Monday 19 Feria

Mass 1900 (G)

Intention: *The Emergency Services*

Proper WDM

Evening Prayer 1830

Tuesday 20 **Ss. Alban, Julius & Aaron Martyrs**

Mass 18:00 (R)

Intention: *The persecuted Church*

Proper EH

Evening Prayer 1730

Wednesday 21 Feria

Mass 10:00 (G)

Intention: *The Sick*

Proper WDM

Thursday 22 Feria

Mass 0900 (G)

Intention: *Private Intention*

Proper WDM

Friday 23 **The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus**

Funeral Mass 10:30 (P)

Intention: *Pro Anima; David Vernon Morgan*

Proper of the departed

Saturday 24 **Solemnity The Nativity of St John Baptist**

Mass 0930 (W)

Intention *Prison Chaplains*

Proper WDM

1130 – Memorial Service for Prof David Vernon Morgan

Evening Prayer I of Sunday 1730

INTERCESSION

For those being Ordained around the country at this time – among them:

Ross James Maidment to serve as deacon in the parish of St Augustine Rumney

THOSE IN NEED ~ *Please pray for:* Jean Morgan and her family, Geoffrey & Shirley Pullin, Jacqueline Farrant, Val & Pete Harling, Robert & Jean Burns, Shirley Gardiner,

Stephanie, Niki Atkins & her family, Fay & Robert Fox, Lavinia Woodberry, Margaret and John, Cicely Childs, Kath James, Alan Holland, Bryn Gunning, Bob Watts, Fr Harold Clarke, Andrea & Christopher, Trevor & Freda, John Carpenter

THE RECENTLY DEPARTED *of your charity pray for:* David Vernon Morgan, Gerald Roche

ANNIVERSARY OF DEATH

June 18: Joseph Clifford Mallett 1954 Nelson Simmons Merrett

June 20: John Jenkins 1927 Caroline Florence Day 1958

June 21: Idris John Jenkins 1995

June 23: Dorothy Isabel Cawte 1978 Muriel Kathleen Heyman 1988

June 24: Dora Evelyn John 1969 Harry William Johnson 1984

THE INTERCESSION REQUEST LIST is reviewed each Saturday after Mass. Those for who prayers are asked are remembered at Mass and at Morning and Evening Prayer each day by the clergy and people of St Martin. If you have asked intercession for a person – do send them a card, if appropriate, letting them know that they are being remembered in the prayer of the Church.

If you would like the weekly news sheet and Mass Ordo posted directly to your e mail account send a mail to WILBS65@BTINTERNET.COM

MASS INTENTIONS – If you would like Mass offered for any particular intention please ask the Vicar.

THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (Confessions)

Saturday 1130 – 1230 or before or after any Mass or by appointment with the Clergy

HOLY COMMUNION at home or the Sacrament of the Sick – please notify the parish priest.

PASTORAL CARE AND CONVERSATIONS regarding the Christian Faith – please speak with the Clergy.

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