



Catholic Chaplaincy

Cardiff Universities

The Catholic Chaplaincy

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14th January 2024 - 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Chaplaincy Notices

The chaplaincy remains open every day during the exam period. Please make use of this space to study and relax during this time.

Prayer during Examtime - There is a sheet of paper at the back of the hall, you are invited to write your name next to the date where you have an exam/deadline. We will make sure to pray for you particularly that day.

Tuesdays and Fridays during Examtime - There will be tea and cake after the evening Masses as an opportunity to relax. We may even put something silly on the TV!

Talk from the Catholic Medical Association - Following Mass on Sunday 11th February (approx. 7pm), we will have a representative of the Catholic Medical Association to speak to us and answer questions on medical ethics. If you have any medical friends who might be interested, they would be most welcome.

Men's Group/Women's Group for Lent - As Lent is already rapidly approaching (14th February is Ash Wednesday), we shall begin a men's group and a women's group meeting weekly to reflect on our experience of Lent and to undertake some spiritual exercise together. I shall support the men's group and the women's group will be supported by Sr Aquinas. Would any men let Rinaldo know if you are interested and would the women let me know. We will meet for the first time in the days following Ash Wednesday. More details to follow.

The St David's Day Retreat - I can now confirm that we will be hosting a St David's Day Retreat from 1st-3rd March. This will be led by members of the Sion Community. There will be talks, moments of prayer and social time with members of CathSocs from across the country. A full programme and sign up link should be available next week.

A Prayer to St Joseph of Cupertino

O St. Joseph of Cupertino who by your prayer obtained from God to be asked at your examination, the only proposition you knew. Grant that I may like you succeed in the (here mention the name of examination eg. History paper I) examination. In return I promise to make you known and cause you to be invoked.

O Holy Ghost enlighten me.

Our Lady of Good Studies pray for me.

Sacred Head of Jesus, Seat of divine wisdom, enlighten me.

St. Joseph of Cupertino, pray for me.

Amen.

Saint Joseph Of Cupertino : Feast Day: September 18

St Joseph of Cupertino (17 June 1603 – 18 September 1663) joined the Conventual Franciscan order and he struggled greatly with his studies. People often thought he was stupid. The best he could do was to learn a small portion of the material he was supposed to know, and then pray that he would be asked about the portion that he did know. He miraculously passed his exams and was able to become a priest

A Prayer to the Holy Spirit

Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and kindle in them the fire of your love. Send forth your Spirit and they shall be created. And You shall renew the face of the earth.

O, God, who by the light of the Holy Spirit, did instruct the hearts of the faithful, grant that by the same Holy Spirit we may be truly wise and ever enjoy His consolations, Through Christ Our Lord, Amen.

Many of you expressed a desire to serve in different ways.

If you would like to help with the cooking then please speak to Danny after Mass. Training will be provided.

If you are musical and would like to help form the music group, please speak to Orlando.

If you would like to read at Mass please speak to Greg or Harsh.

Chaplaincy Opening Times: 9:00am – 9:00pm**Confession Times: Saturday: 10:30am – 11:00am, Sunday: 5:00pm – 5:30pm or on request.**

Sunday 14th January	2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time	
5:00pm	Confessions until 5:30pm	The Aquinas Hall
6:00pm	Holy Mass: For the University Community	
Monday 15th January	Votive of St Joseph	
5:00pm	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	Newman Hall
6:00pm	Wellbeing of Lawrence	
Tuesday 16th January		
5:30pm	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	62 Park Place
6:00pm	Holy Mass: Donor's Intention – 20	
Weds. 17th December	St Anthony, Abbot	
12:00pm	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	62 Park Place
12:30pm	Holy Mass: Donor's Intention – 21	
Thurs. 18th January		
6:00pm	Holy Mass: Private Intention	62 Park Place
Friday 19th January		
5:00pm	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	62 Park Place
6:00pm	Holy Mass: Donor's Intention – 22	
7:00pm	No Friday Formation	Lounge
Saturday 20th Jan.		
10:00am	Holy Mass: Donor's Intention – 23	Newman Hall
10:30am	Confessions until 11:00am	
Sunday 21st January	3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time	
5:00 – 5:30pm	Confessions	The Aquinas Hall
6:00pm	Holy Mass: For the University Community	

Contributing towards the Chaplaincy

By and large, the Catholic Chaplaincy to the Cardiff Universities is almost entirely self-sustaining. This means that we are hugely dependent on donations from students, alumni, parents and other benefactors. If you are able to make an offering to support the work of the Chaplaincy this can be made through our website: <https://app.goodhub.com/cardiff-university-catholic-chaplaincy> or preferably via direct bank transfer to the following account:

Payment details for bank transfer

Acc name: Archdiocese of Cardiff

Acc No: 83760065

Sort code: 20-18-23

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May God bless you abundantly for your generosity.

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