

Communion Antiphon:

God loved us, and sent his Son as expiation for our sins.

## SATURDAY Weekday

Entrance Antiphon:

The Lord is kind and full of compassion, slow to anger, abounding in mercy. How good is the Lord to all, compassionate to all his creatures.

First Reading: Micah 7: 14-15, 18-20

*Tread down our faults to the bottom of the sea.*

Responsorial Psalm:

The Lord is compassion and love.

Gospel Acclamation:

Glory and praise to you, O Christ! I will leave this place and go to my Father and say: 'Father, I have sinned against heaven and against you.' Glory and praise to you, O Christ!

Gospel: Luke 15: 1-3, 11-32

*Your brother here was dead and has come to life.*

Communion Antiphon:

You must rejoice, my son, for your brother was dead and has come to life; he was lost and is found.

### A PRAYER IN TIME OF DANGER & ILLNESS

God Our Father, each person is precious to You.

You are the Giver of life.

Have mercy on us and protect us at this time, as the Coronavirus threatens health and life.

You are an ever-present Helper in time of trouble.

Watch over those who are suffering,

give strength to those who are aiding the sick and give courage to all in this time of anxiety.

We ask this of you in the name of your Son, Jesus Christ. Amen

### SYNOD PRAYER

Father, we thank you for the love you have shown us in the gift of Jesus, your Son.

We thank you for the gift of the Church, through which you show us that you are always with us and are always at work in our lives.

As we journey together to Synod 2020 help us to become the Church that you are calling us to be. May your Holy Spirit be powerfully at work among us. Strengthen each of us and guide Francis, our Pope and Malcolm, our Archbishop.

Help us to respond to the challenges of our times in new ways to bring your love to all our sisters and brothers. We make this prayer through Jesus Christ Our Lord.

## WEEKDAY MASS SHEET



### LENT WEEK II

28<sup>th</sup> February – 6<sup>th</sup> March 2021

#### OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

*During Lent we asked especially to pray for: Candidates for the Sacraments; Women; The Needy and Hungry of the World; Penitents and Wanderers.*

#### THE HOLY FATHER'S INTENTIONS

**Evangelisation - Sacrament of reconciliation**

*Let us pray that we may experience the sacrament of reconciliation with renewed depth, to taste the infinite mercy of God.*

## MONDAY

### ST DAVID, BISHOP PATRON OF WALES

*David lived in the sixth century and founded austere monasteries mainly in Mynyw. On a visit to Jerusalem he was consecrated bishop and, after eloquently addressing a synod at Brefi in Cardigan, was elected primate of the Cambrian Church. His seat was in Mynyw where he died about 589.*

Entrance Antiphon:

How beautiful upon the mountains are the feet of him who brings glad tidings of peace, bearing good news, announcing salvation!

The Gloria

Reading: Philipians 3: 8-14

I am racing for the finish, for the prize to which God calls us upwards to receive in Christ Jesus.

Responsorial Psalm:

Happy the man who has placed his trust in the Lord.

Gospel Acclamation:

Glory to you, O Christ, you are the Word of God! If you make my word your home you will indeed be my disciples, and you will learn the truth, says the Lord. Glory to you, O Christ, you are the Word of God!

Gospel: Matthew 5: 13-16

*You are the light of the world.*

Communion Antiphon:

**We proclaim Christ crucified, Christ, the power of God, and the wisdom of God.**

## TUESDAY Weekday

Entrance Antiphon:

**Give light to my eyes lest I fall asleep in death, lest my enemy say: I have overcome him.**

First Reading: Isaiah 1: 10, 16-20

*Learn to do good, search for justice.*

Responsorial Psalm:

**I will show God's salvation to the upright.**

Gospel Acclamation:

**Glory and praise to you, O Christ! Repent, says the Lord, for the kingdom of heaven is close at hand. Glory and praise to you, O Christ!**

Gospel: Matthew 23: 1-12

*They do not practice what they preach.*

Communion Antiphon:

**I will recount all your wonders. I will rejoice in you and be glad, and sing psalms to your name, O Most High!**

## WEDNESDAY Weekday

Entrance Antiphon:

**Forsake me not, O Lord! My God, be not far from me! Make haste and come to my help, O Lord, my strong salvation!**

First Reading: Jeremiah 18: 18-20

*Come on, let us hit at him.*

Responsorial Psalm:

**Save me in your love, O Lord.**

Gospel Acclamation:

**Glory to you, O Christ, you are the Word of God! Your words are spirit, Lord, and they are life; you have the message of eternal life. Glory to you, O Christ, you are the Word of God!**

Gospel: Matthew 20: 17-28

*They will condemn him to death.*

Communion Antiphon:

**The Son of Man did not come to be served but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many.**

## THURSDAY St Casimir

*Casimir was born at Krakow (Poland) in 1458 and died in Lithuania in 1484. He chose celibacy over marriage and favoured prayer and penance rather than his royal privilege. He is remembered for his generous life of austerity and devotion.*

Entrance Antiphon:

**Test me, O God, and know my thoughts. See that my path is not wicked, and lead me in the way everlasting.**

First Reading: Jeremiah 17: 5-10

*A curse on the man who puts his trust in man, a blessing on the man who puts his name in the Lord.*

Responsorial Psalm:

**Happy the man who puts his trust in the Lord.**

Gospel Acclamation:

**Praise to you, O Christ, king of eternal glory! I will leave this place and go to my Father and say: 'Father, I have sinned against heaven and against you.' Praise to you, O Christ, king of eternal glory!**

Gospel: Luke 16: 19-31

*Good things came your way, just as bad things came the way of Lazarus. Now he is being comforted here while you are in agony.*

Communion Antiphon:

**Blessed are those whose way is blameless, who walk in the law of the Lord.**

## FRIDAY Weekday

WOMEN'S WORLD DAY OF PRAYER

Entrance Antiphon:

**In you, O Lord, I put my trust, let me never be put to shame; release me from the snare they have hidden for me, for you indeed are my refuge.**

Reading: Genesis 37: 3-4, 12-13, 17-28

*Here comes the man of dreams. Come on, let us kill him.*

Responsorial Psalm:

**Remember the wonders the Lord has done.**

Gospel Acclamation:

**Praise and honour to you, Lord Jesus! God loved the world so much that he gave his only Son: everyone who believes in him has eternal life. Praise and honour to you, Lord Jesus!**

Gospel: Matthew 21: 33-43, 45-46

*This is the heir. Come on, let us kill him.*