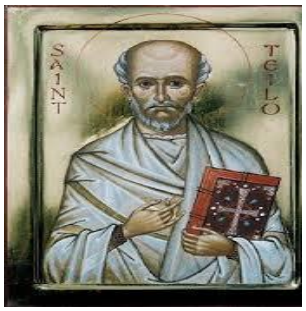

CATHOLIC PARISH OF TENBY



NORMAL WEEKLY ACTIVITIES UNLESS OTHERWISE ANNOUNCED

CONFESSIONS: Tuesday evening during the adoration by 6pm and Saturday after the 10am Mass
EXPOSITION AND ADORATION: Tuesday 6pm
BENEDICTION: Saturday 10:30am
DIVINE MERCY PRAYER: Friday 3pm
SATURDAY DEVOTION TO MARY: 9:30am
WEEKLY MASS AT ST BRIDE: Every Thursday 10am

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"Learning to follow the right path through care, love and respect in the light of the Risen Christ"

Date & Liturgical Celebrations	Mass Time	Mass Intentions
8th November 2026: 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A	St Bride's, 9:30am St Teilo's, 11:15am	
Monday 9th: **Dedication of Lat Basilica**	**No Mass**	**Fr's Day Off**
Tuesday 10th: **St Leo the great, Pope**	6.00pm Adoration, 7.00pm Mass	
Wednesday 11th: **St Martin of Tours, Bishop**	9.30am Adoration, 10.00am Mass	
Thursday 12th: **St Josaphat, Bishop, Martyr**	9.30am Adoration, 10.00am Mass	John & Rosemary Daly
Friday 13th:	9.30am Adoration, 10.00am Mass	**Mary Elizabeth Roberts, birth Ann**
Saturday 14th: **Memorial of the BVM**	9.30am Rosary,10.00am Mass **St Teilo's 5.30pm (Sunday Vigil)**	**Judith Roberts, Thanksgiving** **Nicholas Wick, RIP**
15th November 2026: 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time, Yr A	St Bride's 9.30am St Teilo's 11.00am	**Mary & Michaael McDonald, RIP**

PARISH NOTICE

TEA & COFFEE: Please do not hurry to go home, kindly stop at the parish hall for tea and coffee and chats. It offers us the opportunity to bond more as a community of God.
PARISH BOOKCLUB: The parish is starting a book club. There will be an initial meeting on 17th November, at 7.30pm for anybody interested in joining the book club to discuss arrangements.
PARISH PRAYER GROUP: Our next Parish Prayer Group meeting will be held on 19th November at 7pm in the parish hall.
LADIES GUILD/FUNDRAISING COMMITTEE: There will be: A Quiz Night on Thursday 12th November, at 7:00 pm, at the Tenby Bowling Club. A Murder Mystery evening on Thursday, 19th November, 7.00, Harbwr Saundersfoot. Tickets for £35 each. Parish Christmas Fair on Sunday, 29th November, Church Hall, after Mass. More details to come. Parish Christmas lunch on Saturday, 12th December, at the Giltar. The menu and sign-up sheet will be in the porch in the week of 2 November.
SECOND COLLECTION: The second collection is taken to enable the parish carry out the following works: Replacement of boilers and radiators of the heating system in St Teilo's church, retarmacking the driveway into St Brides car park, carry out window and other repairs and tree surgery at St Brides church and any other unforeseen costs that may arise from time to time. We do this because the offertory collection alone cannot accommodate these unforeseen extra expenditures.
EMMAUS YOUTH MINISTRY: The archdiocese is organizing **advent Retreat** for secondary school pupils on 5th December, time: 10am-4pm, venue: St David's Cath College Cardiff. £10 for each participant. Transport is available from selected locations.

Collect
Almighty and merciful God, graciously keep from us all adversity, so that unhindered in mind and body alike, we may pursue in freedom of heart the things that are yours. Through our Lord…

First Reading: **Wisdom 6:12-16**
Wisdom is radiant and unfading, and she is easily discerned by those who love her and is found by those who seek her. She hastens to make herself known to those who desire her. He who rises early to seek her will have no difficulty, for he will find her sitting at his gates. To fix one's thought on her is perfect understanding, and he who is vigilant on her account will soon be free from care, because she goes about seeking those worthy of her, and she graciously appears to them in their paths, and meets them in every thought.
The word of the Lord.

Responsorial psalm: Ps 63:2.3-4.5-6.7-8 (R.cf.2b)

R/. For you my soul is thirsting, O Lord, my God.

O God, you are my God; at dawn I seek you;
for you my soul is thirsting.
For you my flesh is pining,
Like a dry, weary land without water. R/.

I have come before you in the sanctuary,
To behold your strength and your glory.
Your loving mercy is better than life:
My lips will speak your praise. R/

I will bless you all my life:
In your name I will lift up my hands.
My soul shall be filled as with a banquet:
With joyful lips, my mouth shall praise you. R/

When I remember you upon my bed,
On you I muse through the watches of the night
For you have been my strength
In the shadow of your wings, I rejoice. R/

Second Reading: **1 Thessalonians 4:13-18**
We do not want you to be uninformed, brothers and sisters, about those who are asleep, that you may not grieve as others do who have no hope. For since we believe that Jesus died and rose again, even so, through Jesus, God will bring with him those who have fallen asleep. For this we declare to you by the word of the Lord, that we who are alive, who are left until the coming of the Lord, will not precede those who have fallen asleep. For the Lord himself will descend from heaven with a cry of command, with the voice of an archangel, and with the sound of the trumpet of God. And the dead in Christ will rise first; then we who are alive, who are left, will be caught up together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air; and so, shall always be with the Lord. Therefore, encourage one another with these words.
The word of the Lord

Gospel Acclamation
Alleluia Alleluia
Stay awake and be ready, for the Son of Man is coming at an hour you do not expect.
Alleluia

Gospel Reading: **Matthew 25:1 -13**
At that time: Jesus told his disciples this parable: "The kingdom of heaven will be like to ten virgins who took their lamps and went to meet the bridegroom. Five of them were foolish, and five were wise. For when the foolish took their lamps, they took no oil with them; but the wise took flasks of oil with their lamps. As the bridegroom was delayed, they all became drowsy and slept. But at midnight there was a cry, 'Here is the bridegroom! Come out to meet him.' "Then all those virgins rose and trimmed their lamps. And the foolish said to the wise, 'Give us some of your oil, for our lamps are going out.' "But the wise, answered saying, 'Since there will not be enough for us and for you; go rather to the dealers and buy for yourselves.' "And while they were going to buy, the bridegroom came, and those who were ready went in with him to the marriage feast; and the door was shut. Afterward the other virgins came also, saying, 'Lord, lord, open to us.' But he answered, 'Truly, I say to you, I do not know you.' "Watch therefore, for you know neither the day nor the hour."
The Gospel of the Lord

Prayer over the Offerings
Look with favour, we pray, O Lord, upon the sacrificial gifts offered here, that, celebrating in mystery the passion of your Son, we may honour it with loving devotion. Through Christ our Lord. Amen

Prayer after Communion
Nourished by this sacred gift, O Lord, we give you thanks and beseech your mercy, that, by the pouring forth of your Spirit, the grace of integrity may endure in those your heavenly power has entered. Through Christ our Lord. Amen

The Memorare
Remember O Most Gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known that anyone who fled to thy protection, implored thy help, or sought thy intercession, was left unaided. Inspired by this confidence, I fly unto thee O Virgin of virgins, my Mother; to thee do I come, before thee I stand sinful and sorrowful. O mother of the Word Incarnate, despise not my petitions, but in thy mercy, hear and answer me. Amen.

Prayer for our parish
O God, the Creator and Giver of all things, bless our Parish of St Teilo's in our united endeavours. Strengthen our faith; grant us the spirit of sacrifice so that, with thy Grace, we may provide for the needs of our Parish, glorify thee and sanctify ourselves. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Prayer to St Michael
St Michael the archangel, defend us in the day of battle, be our safeguard against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, O prince of the heavenly host. by the power of God, cast down into hell, Satan, and all evil spirts who wander through the world, seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.