

CATHOLIC PARISH OF TENBY

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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
Fifth Sunday of Ordinary Time Sunday 8th February, 2026	St Teilo's, 5:30pm (Sunday Vigil) St Bride's, 9:30am St Teilo's, 11am	James Garret, RIP
Monday, 9 th February 2026 St Teilo (Parish Feast Day)	10am	Ann Cadogan, Anniversary
Tuesday 10 th : St Scholastica, Virgin (Memorial)	6pm Exposition, 7pm Mass	Graham Joseph Portelli
Wednesday, 11 th	10am	Graham Joseph Portelli
Thursday, 12 th	10am	Graham Joseph Portelli
Friday 13 th	10am	Graham Joseph Portelli
Saturday, 14 th Votive Memorial Mass of our Lady	10am Mass, 10:30am Benediction	Graham Joseph Portelli
Sunday 15th February 2026 Sixth Sunday of Ordinary time (Year A)	St Teilo's, 5:30pm (Sunday Vigil) St Bride's, 9:30am St Teilo's, 11am	Graham Joseph Portelli

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, every Saturday

Pray for the sick and housebound: Finbar Fitzgerald

For the happy repose of our departed loved ones: Eileen Fitzgerald, Eric Blakeborough, Josephine Donoghue, Graham Portelli, Frances Ridley

THE MINISTRY OF THE WILLING: Have you noticed how lovely the altar looks? How well the carpets have been swept? Ever wondered who does that? Could it be you? Kindly have a word with Fr Anthony; we need volunteers in both St Teilo and St Bride to fill in these ministries. You could be a **welcomer, flower arranger, counter of collections, altar server or any other role**. Joining the team enables us to foster a more inclusive worship community. If you are interested kindly contact Fr Anthony by phone, email or just a chat after Mass

LADIES GUILD: Join us on St. David's Day (Sunday, 1 March) for Welsh cakes, hot off the grill and other Welsh treats after 11 am mass in the hall.

CAFOD: There will be a soup lunch on Sunday, 8 March after mass in the hall in aid of CAFOD.

BYOB (Bring Your Own Board Game): Adults 18 to 118 years old are invited to bring a board game, and some snacks and drinks to the hall on Friday, 20 February from 7:00 to 9:00 pm for some end-of-week socialising and fun. If we have a good response, we'll make it a fortnightly event. Tea and Coffee supplies will be available to use.

VOTIVE CANDLES FOR OUR LADY'S ALTAR: Donate (for purchase of candle) envelop, Mass Intention Envelopes can be displayed on our Lady's Altar, minimum donation is in the region of £5.

ST TEILO FEAST DAY: Tomorrow, 9th February is the Feast Day of St Teilo, Patron Saint of our Parish. It is our Parish Feast day, **Mass at 10am. Pet-blessing at St Teilo's school at 2:30pm. COME ONE, COME ALL!!!**

PALMS: Kindly return the palms collected on Palm Sunday to the church for burning. The ashes will be collected and distributed on Ash Wednesday, 18th February 2026, marking the beginning of Lenten season. Kindly leave the palms in the porch either within the week or on Sunday, 15th February, 2026.

COLLECT

Keep your family safe, O Lord, with unfailing care, that, relying solely on the hope of heavenly grace, they may be defended always by your protection. Through our Lord Jesus Christ your Son who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever, Amen.

First Reading:

Isaiah, 58:6-10

Thus says the Lord: Is not this the fast that I choose: to loose the bond of wickedness, to undo the straps of the yoke, to let the oppressed go free and to break every yoke? Is it not to share your bread with the hungry, and bring the homeless poor into your house; when you see the naked, cover him, and do not hide yourself from your own flesh? Then shall your light break forth like the dawn, and your healing shall spring up speedily; your righteousness shall go before you, the glory of the Lord shall be your rearguard. Then you shall call, and the Lord will answer; you shall cry, and he will say, Here I am. If you take away the yoke from your midst, the pointing of the finger, and speaking wickedness, if you pour yourself out for the hungry and satisfy the desire of the afflicted, then shall your light rise in the darkness and your gloom be as the noonday.

The word of the lord

Responsorial psalm: Ps 112:4-5.6-7.8a and 9 (R. 4a)

R/. A light rises in the darkness for the upright.

A light rises in the darkness for the upright;
He is generous, merciful and righteous.
It goes well for the man who deals generously and lends, who conducts his affairs with justice. R/.

He will never be moved;
Forever shall the just be remembered.
He has no fear of evil news;
With a firm heart, he trusts in the Lord. R/.

With a steadfast heart he will not fear.
Open-handed, he gives to the poor;
His justice stands firm forever.
His might shall be exalted in glory. R/.

Second Reading:

1 Cor. 2:1-5

I, when I came to you, brothers and sisters, did not come proclaiming to you the testimony of God in lofty speech or wisdom. For I decided to know nothing among you except Jesus Christ and him crucified. And I was with you in weakness and in fear and much trembling; and my speech and my message were not in plausible words of wisdom, but in demonstration of the Spirit and of power, so that your faith might not rest in the wisdom of men but in the power of God.

The word of the lord

Alleluia Alleluia

I am the light of the world, says the Lord; anyone who follows me will have the light of life.

Alleluia!

GOSPEL

Matthew 5:13-16

At that time: Jesus said to his disciples, "You are the salt of the earth; but if salt has lost its taste, how shall its saltiness be restored? It is no longer good for anything except to be thrown out and trampled under people's feet. You are the light of the world. A city set on the hill cannot be hidden. Nor do people light a lamp and put it under a basket, but on a stand, and it gives light to all in the house. In the same way, let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father who is in heaven."

The Gospel of the Lord

PRAYER OVER THE OFFERING

O Lord, our God, who once established these created things to sustain us in our frailty, grant, we pray, that they may become for us now the Sacrament of eternal life. Through Christ our Lord. Amen

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

O God, who have willed that we be partakers in the one Bread and the one Chalice, grant us, we pray, so to live that, made one in Christ, we may joyfully bear fruit for the salvation of the world. Through Christ our Lord. 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.

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.