



PENARTH

ST. JOSEPH'S & ST. MARY'S



PARISH GAZETTE



DINAS POWYS

The Archdiocese of Cardiff, Registered Charity no. 242380

The Fifth Sunday of Lent (Year A)

April 2nd 2017

1st Reading: Ezekiel 37:12-14

The Lord promises to open his people's graves and give them his life-giving spirit.

Ps 129. Rv. 7

With the Lord there is mercy and fullness of redemption.

2nd Reading: Romans 8:8-11

The Spirit which raised Jesus from the dead will raise our mortal bodies too.

Acclamation:

*Glory and praise to you, O Christ!
I am the resurrection and the life, says the Lord;
whoever believes in me will never die.
Glory and praise to you, O Christ!*

Gospel: John 11:1-45

Jesus raises Lazarus from the dead and challenges our belief in his resurrection.

EMERGENCY APPEAL TODAY

WIDESPREAD FAMINE ACROSS EAST AFRICA

Pictures of the **desperate situation** facing millions of people in **South Sudan, Northern Kenya, Somalia and Ethiopia** have flooded our living rooms via the news channels on our TV's. CAFOD, which is in partnership with other Aid Agencies, has asked us to **respond immediately to this crisis** despite the fact that we have only just had our Lenten Fast Day Appeal. **The situation is so urgent that our response cannot be delayed.** There will be a second collection at all masses **THIS weekend 1st – 2nd of April** (5th Sunday of Lent) for the **East Africa Crisis Appeal**. There are CAFOD envelopes at the back of both churches and you can Gift Aid your donation.

ALTAR SERVERS REHEARSALS – PLEASE NOTE

All altar servers are invited to take part at the three main services in **St. Joseph's** during **The Triduum**. A list will be placed in St. Joseph's Sacristy this weekend and Canon Joe would be grateful if **each server could indicate his/her availability and for which services**. There will be a run through before the **Mass of The Lord's Supper at 7pm on Thursday 13th April** for those taking part. On **Good Friday 14th April at 11am** there will be a rehearsal for the Solemn Liturgy for Good Friday and the Easter Vigil Mass on Holy Saturday. **PLEASE BE THERE.**

LENT 2017

CARDIFF DEANERY STATION MASS

This year's **Lenten Station Mass with the Archbishop** and clergy in the Cardiff Deanery will take place in **St. David's Sixth Form College**, Ty Gwyn Road, Penylan, Cardiff, CF23 5QD on **THIS COMING Thursday 6th April at 7pm**. Let us ensure that there is a good representation from both our parish communities.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS & BENEDICTION FOR LENT.

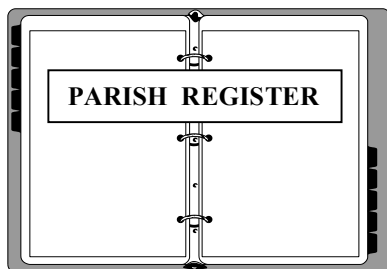
On the **six Sundays of Lent** up to and including Palm Sunday, there will be the traditional **Stations of the Cross and Benediction** beginning at **4pm** in **St. Joseph's**.

PENARTH CYTUN LENTEN LUNCHESES

The Lenten Lunches **started on 3rd March for six weeks**. These will be held **every Friday** in Stanwell Road Baptist Church Hall **from 12-1.30pm**.

EXTRA CONFESSIONS DURING LENT

In addition to the weekly Confessions in St. Joseph's and St. Mary's on Saturdays, there will be an **extra opportunity for Reconciliation** in **St. Joseph's** on **Friday evenings** during Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament **from 6.15pm**.



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Parish Website: www.stjosephsandstmarys.com
Notices/photos to: events@stjosephsandstmarys.com
Web Co-ordinator: Don Clarey

Schools

St. Joseph's RC Primary School
Sully Road, Penarth. Tel: 029 2070 2864
email: stjosephsps@valeofglamorgan.gov.uk

St. Richard Gwyn Catholic High School
Argae Lane, Barry. Tel: 01446 729250
email: s.grech@strichardgwyn.co.uk

St. David's Catholic College (6th Form)
Ty Gwyn Rd. Penylan, Cardiff. CF23 6XL
Tel: 029 2049 8555
Email: enquiries@st-davids-coll.ac.uk

Parish Advisory Council Chair.
Paul Gallone KHS. Tel: 029 2070 9401
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Church Hall Bookings

St. Joseph's – Christiane Cantlay Tel: 029 2070 4857
St. Mary's – Judith Braeman. Tel: 029 2051 5309

Gazette Contributions by Wednesday please to:
Email: parish.gazette@gmail.com
Please note that your emails will be sent automatically from this address to Canon Joe and Deacon Elfed.

Archdiocesan Child Safeguarding Group

Helpline: 029 2034 3811
Contacts: St. Joseph's – Mary Taylor: 029 2065 8506
St. Mary's – Anne Chilcott: 029 2140 2942

Emergency sick calls.

- (i) Hospitals: Llandough and UHW – Ask a nurse to call out the priest-on-call. (There is Catholic priest on call 24/7)
- (ii) Marie Curie Hospice, (Holme Tower) Penarth, Ask a nurse to call the sick person's Parish Priest or alternatively St. Joseph's Presbytery, Penarth (phone number below)
- (iii) Local Nursing/Care Homes – please phone presbytery: 029 2070 8247
- (iv) (Tuesdays only) All enquiries to the Deacon – Rev Elfed Jones mobile 07950 013224

YOUR GIFTS TO THE CHURCH LAST WEEK.

	<u>Gift Aid</u>	<u>Non-Gift Aid</u>	<u>Total</u>
St. Joseph's	£400.23	£466.42	£866.65
approx. £150 per week Gift Aid Income also received by S/O			
CHURCH FEES			£50.00
St. Mary's	£130.43	£259.24	£389.67
approx. £150 per week Gift Aid Income also received by S/O			

Thank you all for your generosity

STATIONS OF THE CROSS PROCESSION IN CARDIFF

There will be a Stations of the Cross Procession through **Cardiff City Centre** on **Saturday 8th April** starting at **10.45am** (after 10am Mass) from **St. David's Cathedral**, 38 Charles Street, Cardiff, CF10 2SF. For more information see poster or visit www.sdcrf.org.uk/stationsofthecross.htm. Refreshments and snacks will be served in the Mostyn Room (previously the CTS Bookshop) afterwards.

EASTER SERVICE CARDS

Printed cards showing the **time and venues** of the **Holy Week Services** are available at the back of both Churches.

PALM SUNDAY – VOLUNTEERS NEEDED NEXT SUNDAY

After the 9.30am Mass next Sunday, volunteers are needed in St. Joseph's to **bring 35 grey chairs from the hall** into St. Joseph's for the Holy Week Services. If you can spare a few minutes we would be very grateful. Thank you.

GIFT AID (YELLOW) AND NON GIFT AID (GREEN) BOXES OF ENVELOPES 2017/2018

If you haven't already picked up yours please do so as you leave the Church. The Gift Aid Scheme is a great help to parish finances. **THANK YOU TO ALL INVOLVED**

WELSH NATIONAL PILGRIMAGE 2017

23rd – 28th July, BY AIR from CARDIFF. Book now for this year's diocesan **Pilgrimage to Lourdes**, led by the Archbishop of Cardiff, George Stack and the Bishop of Menevia, Thomas Burns. Full religious programme facilitated by Joe Walsh Tours in conjunction with the Welsh National Pilgrimage to Lourdes. **Booking forms** available from the **Presbytery** or you can **book online** via Joe Walsh Tours: www.joewalshstours.co.uk. Limited places available so it is recommended you book immediately. Deposit £150. For further information **SEE POSTER.**

SVP MEETING

The next meeting of the SVP will be on **Tuesday 4th April** in **St. Joseph's Hall.**

Llandough Hospital IMPORTANT NOTICE

If there is someone you know who has been admitted to Llandough Hospital, it is important that you **tell the Parish Clergy or the Hospital Chaplaincy Co-ordinator on 20515309**, otherwise the Chaplaincy Team will not know that they are there. Due to the Data Protection Act the team no longer have access to the list of admissions.

CITIZENS MEETING

Vale of Glamorgan Citizens is an **alliance of local organisations** committed to **taking action together for social justice** and the common good. Our parish is not formally a member of Citizens but we can join in their activities through our membership of the Cardiff Archdiocese. There is to be an **Accountability Meeting on the 4th April at St. Mary's Church, Holton Road, Barry, at 7pm.**

This meeting is associated with the local elections in May. The leaders of **all the major political parties** will be invited. They will be asked to **commit themselves**, if elected, to work with Citizens on **six issues** including promotion of a real living wage in the Vale, to ensure dignity in social care and to keep a welcome for refugees in the Vale. It will be a chance to hear the candidates speak and should be a very interesting meeting. **All are invited.**

VACANCY – STS. GABRIEL AND RAPHAEL PRIMARY SCHOOL

Sts. Gabriel and Raphael Primary School are seeking to appoint a **Deputy Head Teacher**. Applications on Catholic Education Service; application form available from www.catholiceducation.org.uk. **Closing date: Midday 7th April 2017. SEE POSTER**

VACANCY – ST. CUTHBERT'S PRIMARY SCHOOL

St. Cuthbert's Primary School are seeking to appoint a **Deputy Head Teacher**. Applications on Catholic Education Service; application form available from www.cesew.org.uk. **Closing date: Midday 25th April 2017.**

TORCHLIGHT PROCESSION OF OUR LADY.

The **National Pilgrim Statue of Our Lady of Fatima and Relics of Blessed Jacinta and Blessed Francisco** will be visiting **Belmont Abbey, Hereford**. The **Torchlight Procession** to celebrate the **Centenary of the Apparitions at Fatima** will take place at **9pm on Wednesday 10th May** with Rev. Fr. Jason Jones as preacher. **All Welcome.**

WALSINGHAM WAY – WEEKEND RETREAT

This is a **weekend retreat** for those considering their vocation. **Young Catholics aged 18-30** are invited to come to the ancient pilgrim site at **Walsingham in Norfolk**. The event takes place **30th June – 2nd July**. Further details can be found on the website: www.ukvocation.org. **SEE POSTER.**

BLIND CLUB – NEW MEMBERS WANTED

On **Monday afternoons** from **1.30pm to 3.30pm** we hold a club at St. Joseph's Church Hall for **people with visual problems**. We have **social events, trips and speakers**. You will be made very welcome. Please contact Gail on 02920 705698 or Irene on 02920 408662.

ST. JOSEPH'S

GORDON PETER EVANS RIP – (6 Cornerswell Place)

Peter died after a short illness in UHW on Friday 24th March. He was 74 years of age. Our thoughts are with his family at this sad time. His body will be received into St. Joseph's on Monday 10th April at 4.30pm. A Funeral Mass will take place in St. Joseph's on Tuesday 11th April at 11.30am and, afterwards, at the Vale Crematorium. **MAY HE REST IN PEACE.**

GIRL GUIDING GROUPS FOR GIRLS

The following are held in **St. Joseph's Church Hall**:

Rainbows: 5yrs - 7yrs, Tuesday, 6.00pm-7.00pm (Full)

Brownies: 7yrs - 10yrs, Thursday, 5.30pm – 7.00pm (Full)

Brownies: 7yrs - 10yrs, Friday, 6.00pm - 7.30pm

For more information contact Maja Gamgee: 02920 252644

Guides: 10yrs - 14yrs, Tuesday, 7.15pm - 8.45pm

For more information contact Geraldine Dorman: 07909 950292

ST. JOSEPH'S UCM – The next meeting will be on **Monday 10th April** at **7.30pm** in the hall.

ST. JOSEPH'S HALL – A REMINDER to all groups that use the hall to **take away ALL rubbish** with them and to **leave the hall as they found it**. Nothing must be left in the bin in the kitchen. Bin bags are in the cupboard beneath the sink. Thank you.

PIETY SHOP

Please remember to pick up your Catholic Papers. It is important that we support the Catholic press. **Religious cards and articles** available for **1st Holy Communion and Confirmation**.

ST. MARY'S

TEENAGE CANCER TRUST.

Lara Cowpe will be selling **EASTER BEANIE BUNDLES** after the 11.15am Mass on Palm Sunday. The bundles come in two sizes and each one contains a different "TY Beanie Baby" or "TY Beanie Buddy" cuddly toy and some Easter chocolate. All proceeds go to Teenage Cancer Trust. Cost: Large = £10. Small = £5.

LENT TALKS

The lent talks conclude in the **Methodist Church** at **7.15pm** on **Monday 3rd April**. Deacon Elfed will be leading this session.

ST. MARY'S UCM

The next meeting will be held on **Wednesday 5th April**, beginning at **7.30pm**. During the evening, we will **walk and pray the Stations of the Cross** in Church. **Anyone** wishing to join us will be **most welcome**.

FILM CLUB (for children in school years 3+)

Come along to the **FREE film club!** Bring a **cushion or beanbag** to sit on, money for the **tuck shop** and **friends! 2-4pm** in **St Mary's Church Hall**. Next dates: **2nd April: *The Waterhorse***, **21st May: *Ratatouille***.

Altar Linen: April: Mo M^cCarthy

Please pray for our Sick

St. Joseph's: Eileen Sinclair, Femmy Rowlands, Patrick Rickard, Valerie Catterall, Karen Lyons, Margaret Osborne, Nero Peralta, Leslie Moorcraft, Mary Flynn, Jason Jones, Joe Cronin, Lesley Strain, Muriel Perry, Margaret Ward, Charles M^cGill and Veronica Hooper.

St. Mary's: Lucienne Llewellyn, Nicholas Barron, Pat Prangley, Bernard M^cParlin, Paul Walsh, Mary Isherwood, Betty

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TIMES OF MASSES AND RECONCILIATION
WEEK COMMENCING SATURDAY APRIL 1ST 2017 / SUNDAY APRIL 2ND 2017

Saturday	April 1st	5th Sunday of Lent (A)	
	St. Joseph's	5.00pm	Margaret Roche (John & Carole) 501
Sunday	April 2nd	5th Sunday of Lent (A)	
	St. Joseph's	9.30am	Thelma Williams (Judy) 512
	St. Mary's	11.15am	Rita Ryan (Jennifer) 486
	St. Joseph's	4.00pm	Stations of the Cross & Benediction
	St. Mary's	6.30pm	People of Our Parish Living and Dead
5th Week of Lent			
Monday	April 3rd	Weekday, 5th Week of Lent	
	St. Joseph's	9.30am	Mary & Ron Baker (Stimpson) 482
Tuesday	April 4th	Weekday, 5th Week of Lent	
	St. Mary's	9.30am	Private Intention (Trow) 519
Wednesday	April 5th	Weekday, 5th Week of Lent	
	St. Joseph's	10.00am	Marjorie O'Gorman (Pauline & Elaine) 517
Thursday	April 6th	Weekday, 5th Week of Lent	
	St. Mary's	9.30am	Marie Browne (Diane) 473
Friday	April 7th	Weekday, 5th Week of Lent	
	St. Joseph's	6.15pm	Exposition of the Bl. Sac/Reconciliation
	St. Joseph's	7.00pm	William Thomas Jones (Diane) 473
Saturday	April 8th	Weekday, 5th Week of Lent	
	St. Mary's	9.30am	Exposition / Sacrament of Reconciliation
	St. Mary's	10.00am	Priest's Intention
	St. Joseph's	11am-12 noon	Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturday	April 8th	Palm Sunday of The Passion of The Lord	
	St. Joseph's	5.00pm	Edwin & Constance Channin (Brady) 505
Sunday	April 9th	Palm Sunday of The Passion of The Lord	
	St. Joseph's	9.30am	John Price (Hosgood) 497
	St. Mary's	11.15am	Mary Donegan (Graham)
	St. Joseph's	4.00pm	Stations of the Cross & Benediction
	St. Mary's	6.30pm	Harry Hogan (Chris) 516

Please note that the main door to St. Joseph's Church will be closed outside of Service times until Easter.