

DEPUTY HEADTEACHER REQUIRED - NEWPORT

St. Gabriel's RC Primary School Governors are seeking to appoint a **committed and practising Catholic** who has the **experience, motivation, enthusiasm and skill set** to work in partnership with the Headteacher, Governing Body and staff to help lead the future vision and development of this **successful and high performing school**.

All prospective candidates are encouraged to visit the school, please ring to make an appointment.

Application Packs available from www.newport.gov.uk

Closing date: 28th February 2017. SEE POSTER.

CAFOD VISITOR

Come and meet CAFOD's partner in Zambia, Sr Yvonne, who is visiting the UK, on **Monday, 13th February, 3-4pm in Nazareth House (CF10 3UN)**.

Sr Yvonne is **working with small scale farmers** helping them **grow crops** that are **resistant to droughts** which are occurring more frequently due to **climate change**. Tea and coffee will be provided. The sisters of Nazareth House welcome you to the **Holy Hour at 5pm and Mass at 6pm**.

PARISH DATABASE 2017

If you have moved into the parish and have not yet completed a **Parish Record Form**, would you kindly do so.

Forms are available at the back of both churches. If existing parishioners have changed address, phone number or email address, please let us know by completing a new form. Thank you.

CATHOLIC BIBLE SCHOOL

'Walk humbly with your God- The prophet Micah for today'

David Beresford, the Director of the Catholic Bible School will lead a day, to help us look deeply into the message of the prophet Micah, and help us to see its relevance to Christians today

The day is part of a six monthly course entitled 'Burning Within'. The course will be running from January to June 2017 and will be held on the fourth Saturday of the month. They will be held at various locations in South Wales the details of which will be given in this gazette. This is a free course, but of course any donations will be welcomed. Tea, coffee, biscuits will be provided, but please bring your own packed lunch.

The date of the next session is **Saturday, February 25th at St David Lewis Church, Monnow Way, Bettws, Newport NP20 7DX from 10am until 3pm**

Further details may be found on the following web site:

www.catholic-bible-school.org/south-wales-events or email catholicbibleschool@gmail.com

NATIONAL NOVENA TO ST. JOSEPH: Will take place from 10th March to 18th at St. Joseph's Church in Maidenhead and at Herbert House, Freshfield, Liverpool. Each year the Mill Hill Missionaries prepare for the feast of St. Joseph, their patron, with a special Novena of Masses and prayers, asking God's blessing on their Society and for the intentions of all those who support their work. You are invited to send in your petitions and/or to request a Novena booklet to enable you to join in from home by praying the daily Novena prayer. **Please write to Fr. Liam Cummins MHM, St. Joseph's Missionary Society, 58**

Cookham Road, Maidenhead. SL6 7HT, or e-mail: novena@millhillmissionaries.com

ST. JOSEPH'S

DOREEN PHYLLIS SLINGERLAND RIP

Phyllis died on 27th Jan at the age of 96 years. Our thoughts and prayers are with the family at this time. Her funeral service will take place on Monday 20th February at 12.15pm in St. Joseph's and, afterwards, at Barry Cemetery. **MAY SHE REST IN PEACE.**

JOHN FOLEY RIP

John died on the 26th January in UHW at the age of 91 years. His body will be received into St. Joseph's, Penarth on Monday 20th February at 5pm. A Requiem Mass will take place on Tuesday 21st February at 11.45am and, afterwards, at the Vale Crematorium. **MAY HE REST IN PEACE.**

ST JOSEPH'S UCM

The next meeting of St. Joseph's UCM will be in the Church Hall on Monday **6th February at 7.30pm**.

PIETY SHOP

The Catholic papers are on sale in the Piety Shop every weekend. Please remember to pick one up before you go. **It is important that we support the Catholic press.**

ST. MARY'S

CATHOLIC PAPERS FOR ST MARY'S

If anyone in St. Mary's would like a Catholic paper on a weekly basis, please tell Canon Joe. It can be picked up from the sacristy after Mass and payment can be made simply by putting the money on the collection plate. The Universe and Catholic Times cost £1.30; the Catholic Herald Magazine £2.50.

ST. MARY'S UCM

The next time we meet will be for our **Annual Meeting on Wednesday 8th February**, beginning at **7.30pm** in the Church Hall.

FILM CLUB (for children in school years 3 and up)

Our next meeting is on **19th February (Puss in Boots - U)**, **2-4pm at St. Mary's Church Hall**, Edith Road.

The club is **FREE**, just bring a cushion or bean bag to sit on, money for the tuck shop, and your friends

Altar Linen: January: February: Rowena Spencer

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 and Charles Mc Gill.

St. Mary's: Lucienne Llewellyn, Nicholas Barron, Pat Prangle, Bernard McParlin, Paul Walsh, Mary Isherwood, Betty Thorne and Pat Pickering.