



ST. JOSEPH'S & ST. MARY'S



PARISH GAZETTE

The Archdiocese of Cardiff, Registered Charity no.1177272

6th Sunday of Eastertide.

9th May 2021.

1st Reading Acts: 10:25-26,34-35,44-48 Christ has revealed that God's love extends to everybody.

Ps 97: 1-4, R/ cf. v 2.

The Lord has shown his salvation to the nations.

2nd Reading: 1 John 4: 7-10.

John insists that the more fully and completely we know God, the more the reality of God's love dawns on us. We are called to love one another as God has loved us.

Acclamation: Jn 14:23.

Alleluia alleluia!

*Jesus said: "If anyone loves me he will keep my word, and my Father will love him, and we shall come to him".
Alleluia!*

Gospel: John 15: 9-17.

Jesus spends his last hours with his closest companions, speaking of love – abiding in love, living each day with joy, and bearing the fruits of that love and joy.

You can view the full readings online at http://www.stjosephsandstmarys.com/mass_readings.html

WE ARE SUPPORTING CAFOD'S CAMPAIGN "RECLAIMING OUR COMMON HOME".

In 2021 the UK is hosting two vital international conferences. The annual meeting of the 7 richest countries (G7) is in Cornwall in June, discussing recovery from the pandemic, and COP26 in Glasgow in November discussing the climate crisis. It is vital that politicians put the needs of people living in the poorest countries at the heart of the decisions so that recovery from the pandemic addresses both global poverty and the climate crisis. As citizens of the host country and members of the Catholic community, it is a wonderful opportunity to make our voices heard. CAFOD is proposing **two actions:**

The first is to send cards to the Prime Minister to ask him to push world leaders to act decisively on the climate crisis at COP26. **These cards will be given out as you leave the church today and next weekend (15th/16th May).** Please do not return them, just sign and post them back to CAFOD.

There is no need for a stamp. You can also sign on-line at cafod.org.uk/reclaim. You can share the petition with family and friends on facebook and twitter that way.

The second is to set up on-line meetings with our MPs. E-mails have been sent to Stephen Doughty and Alun Cairns to explore possible dates for this. The meetings need to take place before the G7 so the suggested dates are all in the last two weeks of May. If anyone is interested in taking part in these meetings, especially young people, please e-mail sheilacollins@talktalk.net.

ASCENSION THURSDAY – THIS WEEK.

This week we celebrate the Solemnity of the Lord's Ascension into heaven. It is one of the main "Holydays" which has been restored to its original Feast Day, 40 days after Easter. However, even though the "obligation" to attend Mass has been lifted during the pandemic, there will be a Vigil Mass on Wednesday evening at 7pm and a morning Mass on Thursday at 9.30am. Both these Masses will be streamed live, but they are **public Masses** and will be open to parishioners who wish to be here, subject to the restricted attendance imposed by current protocols.

FRIDAY EVG MASS AGAIN IN ST. JOSEPH'S.

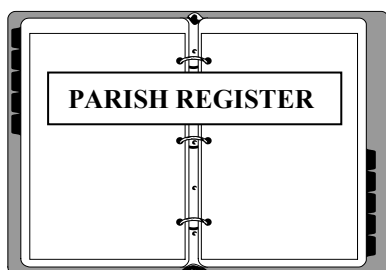
The Friday Mass has returned to its usual evening slot at 7pm - with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament from 6.15pm. This will be a **public Mass** open to parishioners. It will also be streamed live on-line. The 9.30 morning Mass is now cancelled.

ST MARY'S NEXT QUIZ – THIS WEEK.

We will be holding the next Quiz on Friday 14th May at 7.30pm via zoom. All welcome. If you are interested, please e-mail Steve Trigg. Steve will acknowledge by return e-mail and then send out zoom codes on 13th May.

Triggsteve@hotmail.com

ROSARY IN MAY: Friday night during Exposition 6.30.



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Notices/photos to: events@stjosephsandstmarys.com
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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: d.blackwell@strichardgwyn.co.uk

St. David's Catholic College (6th Form)
Ty Gwyn Rd. Penylan, Cardiff. CF23 6XL
Tel: 029 2049 8555
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Bill Nolan Tel: 029 2070 2056
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Church Hall Bookings (Suspended)
St. Joseph's – Christiane Cantlay Tel: 029 2070 4857
(parish groups only)
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 Monsignor Joe and Deacon Elfed.

Archdiocesan Child Safeguarding Group
Helpline: 029 2034 3811
Contacts: St. Joseph's – Mary Taylor: 029 2065 8506
St. Mary's – Nicky Price 029 2051 4034

Emergency Sick Calls. (There are restrictions).

- (i) Hospitals: Llandough and UHW – Ask a nurse to call out the priest-on-call. (or contact the Hospital Chaplaincy on (029) 2184 3230)
- (ii) Marie Curie Hospice, (Holme Tower) Penarth, Ask a nurse to Ring the Parish Priest of the patient or ring St. Joseph's Penarth on (029) 2070 8247
- (iii) Local Nursing/Care Homes – Please ring the presbytery number in Penarth (as above).

YOUR GIFTS TO THE CHURCH 25th APR + 2ND MAY.

	Gift Aid	Loose	Total
St. Joseph's	£869.00		£869.00
St. Mary's	£25.00		£25.00
St. Joseph's + St. Mary's		£543.60	£543.60
			<u>£1437.60</u>
Priests' Training Fund			£824.81
Standing Orders (March)			£2,698.25
Virgin Money Donations (on-line) [March]			£325.00
THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY			

PATRICK WEBSTER RIP.

Patrick died peacefully at the Waverley Care Centre in Penarth on 28th April after a long illness. Our thoughts are with Betty, his wife, and the family at this time. A Requiem Mass will take place on Wednesday 19th May at 11.30am in St. Joseph's, and afterwards at the Vale Crematorium. Covid restrictions apply and so attendance will be by invitation only. **MAY HE REST IN PEACE.**

CAFOD, INDIA, AND CORONAVIRUS.

As coronavirus brings devastation across India, CAFOD is working with experienced local church agency, Caritas India, to provide vital support to poor and marginalized communities. Donations to CAFOD's Coronavirus Appeal will help Caritas India distribute PPE kits to frontline health workers, promote COVID & VACCINE awareness campaigns, and set up safely run isolation & quarantine centres. You can donate online here: cafod.org.uk/give. Alternatively there is the parish "Cafod JustGiving page on our website. We must keep those suffering in India in our prayers..

INFORMATION FOR CONFIRMATION 2021.

Parents of this year's Confirmation group, now in Year 9, will have received details by e-mail of the sessions on 10th May and 14th June in St. Joseph's church. The celebration of Confirmation is on 18th June. All these are at **7pm**. Covid restrictions will affect attendance on the night, but the Confirmation will be live-streamed so that all can watch.

CYCLE OF PRAYER FOR PARISHES.

This week it is the turn of St. Mary's Merthyr Tydfil, with the parish priest Canon Barry English and Permanent Deacon David O'Keefe, with St. Mary's Primary School. Keep them all in your thoughts and prayers.

CATHOLIC PEOPLE NEWSPAPER ONLINE.

The **May** edition of the Catholic People is now out and can be accessed via our parish website. Just click on "The Catholic People (Newspaper)" in the main menu. Keep up to date with what is happening in the wider Church. It is free to view and is issued on the first weekend of every month.

PERMANENT DEPUTY HEAD WANTED.

The Governors of Christ the King Primary School, Llanishen, are wanting to appoint a new Deputy Headteacher for September 2021. Completed application forms via e-mail to EHine@cardiff.gov.uk. The Closing date is 12 noon on Friday 28th May.

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TIMES OF MASSES
MASSSES WITH A CONGREGATION*
 (SUBJECT TO COVID RESTRICTIONS)

Saturday* May 8th 6th Sunday of Eastertide.			
Public Mass	St. Joseph's	5.00pm	Pat Hardiman (Family) 05
Streamed Live			
Sunday* May 9th 6th Sunday of Eastertide.			
Public Mass	St. Joseph's	9.30am	Fr. Reginald Russo OFM.Cap (Diane & Family) 989
Streamed Live			
NO MASS	St. Mary's		Church closed due to building work.
6th Week of Easter.			
Monday May 10th Monday Week 6			
Live streamed only	St. Joseph's	9.30am	Brian Redmond (Family) 57
Tuesday May 11th Tuesday Week 6			
MASS IN PRIVATE		9.00am	Thanksgiving (Trow) 31
Wednesday* May 12th Vigil of the Ascension of the Lord (Solemnity)			
NO MORNING MASS	St. Joseph's		
Public Mass	St. Joseph's	7.00pm	Fred Stimpson (Pat) 02
Streamed live			
Thursday* May 13th Ascension of the Lord (Solemnity)			
Public Mass		9.30am	Dec'd Jones/Steed Families (Diane) 33
Streamed live			
Friday* May 14th St. Matthias. Apostle. (Feast)			
Streamed live	St. Joseph's	6.15pm	Rosary / Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament.
Public Mass	St. Joseph's	7.00pm	John and Nell O'Donovan (Anne & Chris) 025
Saturday* May 15th 7th Sunday of Eastertide.			
	St. Joseph's	10am-11am	Sacrament of Reconciliation.
Public Mass	St. Joseph's	5.00pm	Matthew Burns (Pauline) 023
Streamed live			
Sunday* May 16th 7th Sunday of Eastertide.			
Public Mass	St. Joseph's	9.30am	John & Nancy Cummins (Judy) 026
Streamed live			
NO MASS	St. Mary's		Church closed due to building work.



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