



ST. JOSEPH'S & ST. MARY'S



PENARTH

PARISH GAZETTE

DINAS POWYS

The Archdiocese of Cardiff, Registered Charity no. 242380

The Twenty-Third Sunday of Ordinary Time (Year A) September 10th 2017

1st Reading: Ezekiel 33:7-9

Speak to those who are wicked so that they may repent.

Ps 94:1-2. 6-9. Rv. 8

*O that today you would listen to his voice!
Harden not your hearts.*

2nd Reading: Romans 13:8-10

Love is the answer to every one of our commandments.

Acclamation: Jn 17:17

*Alleluia, alleluia!
Your word is truth, O Lord,
consecrate us in the truth.
Alleluia!*

Gospel: Matthew 18:15-20

If your brother listens to you then you have won him back.

IMPORTANT NOTICES FOR PARENTS

ST. JOSEPH'S SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION 2017/18

The preparation course for those children wishing to receive the Sacraments of Reconciliation and First Holy Communion in St. Joseph's Church will be starting soon. Parents wishing to enrol their children (Year 3 or above) are invited to complete an enrolment form available from St. Joseph's sacristy, **to be returned as soon as possible.**

ST. MARY'S SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION 2017/18

Parents who wish their children rising 8 (Year 3) to take part in the next Sacramental Preparation Programme for 2018 in St. Mary's, for the Sacraments of Reconciliation and Holy Communion, are invited to pick up an enrolment form from the sacristy in St. Mary's **and to hand it in to the catechists as soon as possible.** They are also invited to a short **introductory meeting** to be held in **St. Mary's Hall** on **Thursday 21st September** at 7.30pm.

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION CONFIRMATION 2018

Those in Year 8 or over (12 years old +) are invited to enrol for the preparation programme, which is beginning soon. To plan the programme, the team of catechists need names and contact details. **Please see Canon Joe for a form or email nickyprice53@gmail.com**

AN INVITATION TO CATECHISTS – Date for Diaries

All Catechists in the Cardiff Deanery are invited to **a Day of Reflection and Faith Exploration** led by the Diocesan Evangelisation Group. It takes place at St. David's College on Saturday September 30th starting at 10am until 4pm. For more information please contact madeline.page@rcadc.org and/or to book your place.

EUCCHARISTIC SERVICES

For the next 2 weeks, there will be Eucharistic Services on weekdays, **Monday to Friday** conducted by Deacon Elfed. The Comboni Missionaries (Verona Fathers) will cover the weekend Masses on the weekend of 16th/17th September. **Normal Mass Times etc will resume on Sat 23rd Sept at 5pm.**

Please note there will be **NO EUCCHARISTIC SERVICE or confessions on Saturday morning** in St. Mary's or St. Joseph's for the next two Saturdays, ie. 16th and 23rd September.

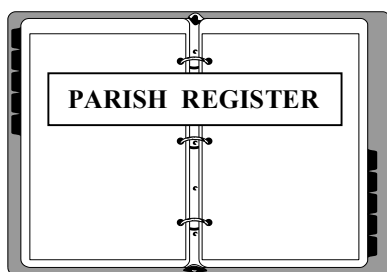
THE COMBONI MISSIONARIES (VERONA FATHERS)

Fr John Downey will be celebrating all Masses **next weekend** in the absence of Canon Joe. He will make this year's Missionary Appeal, so a **special collection** will be taken at each Mass **for the work of the Comboni Missionaries.**

The Comboni Missionaries are a specifically **missionary Order of priests and lay-brothers** who were founded in 1867 by St. Daniel Comboni. Today **they live and work in four continents** and in some **forty different countries** worldwide.

The missionary enterprise of the Church is an essential part of her nature and activity to which – albeit in different ways – all of us, all the baptised, are called.

We, therefore, request your generosity and support – moral, spiritual and material – in order to help make Christ's promise a reality.



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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 a 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	£333.18	£510.37	£843.55
Church Fees			£50.00
approx. £200 per week Gift Aid Income also received by S/O			
St. Mary's	£146.17	£279.08	£425.25
approx. £150 per week Gift Aid Income also received by S/O			
Thank you all for your generosity			

“HUNGER LUNCHES” FOR A SYRIAN FAMILY

These **Soup and Cheese Lunches** will be held **each Friday from 22nd September until 27th October**, between **12 noon and 1.30pm**, in Stanwell Road, Baptist Hall, Victoria Road (next to the Paget Rooms). These are in response to the challenge accepted by Penarth & District Cytun that we, as a community seek to receive and settle a Syrian refugee family in Penarth.

St. Joseph's and St. Mary's are involved in the catering on 20th October. SEE POSTER

CAFOD POWER TO BE CAMPAIGN

We are asked to join CAFOD's “**Power to be**” campaign by speaking up for **local renewable energy** and **help families around the world to lift themselves out of poverty**. One in 6 people in the world doesn't have access to electricity, which affects every aspect of their daily lives.

The UK helps fund energy projects in poor countries via the World Bank, whose mission is **to end poverty around the world**. Yet currently **less than 3%** of its spending on energy **goes towards local renewable energy**.

In order to tackle poverty, **we need to shift this balance!** This weekend, we have the chance to have a say on how our tax money is spent **by signing campaign cards**, calling on Melanie Robinson, UK Executive Director at the World Bank, to use her influence at the annual meeting on 13th – 15th October, to ensure that the Bank invests in providing safe and renewable energy for poor communities around the world, so that everyone can have the chance to fulfil their God given potential.

You are invited to sign a card after all Masses or take one home and post it yourself (Freepost).

SVP MEETING

The next meeting of the SVP will be on **Tuesday 19th September** in **St. Mary's Hall**.

Remember if no one from the Church has been to see a person in hospital, it is because we don't know that the person is there.

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 has access to the list of admissions.

YOUTH SVP – EXAM RESULTS

Congratulations to our senior members for their superb GCSE results. Combining work for the needy with study has paid off, and all our members have excelled, with the highest results coming from one of our Associate members, SRG pupil, Isabel Buckley who achieved 13 A* grades!

We hope that **this will inspire other young people** in secondary school not to think they are too busy to help others but to come along to the short **30 minute meetings** which **resume on Sunday 10th September** in **St. Mary's Hall** at **7.30pm**. If you know someone of that age, please encourage them to join us!

THE CATHOLIC BIBLE SCHOOL

What is actually in the New Testament, besides the stories of Jesus we find in the Gospels, and how does it all fit together? Why should we be concerned with these ancient letters and stories? What can they possibly have to do with us as modern people? In an event entitled *The Birth of Jesus to the Last Amen*, Alan de Ste Croix will lead us through the entire New Testament exploring the stories of the major characters and why they are still relevant to us today. The event takes place on **Saturday 23rd September** from **10am to 3pm** at St. David's Priory, St. David's Place, Swansea, SA1 3NG. Tea, coffee and biscuits are provided but please bring your own packed lunch. For more information visit www.catholic-bible-school.org/south-wales-events/sept17swan or email catholicbibleschooluk@gmail.com.

HEADTEACHER WANTED

St. Joseph's Roman Catholic Primary School, Tredegar, **Blaenau Gwent**. Required for January 2018 or sooner. Closing date 1pm - 19th September 2017. Contact Benjamin Thomas, Governor, on 01495 423204. For more information, please visit the following website: www.catholiceducation.org.uk.

FLANDERS RECORDER QUARTET – 6th OCTOBER

This exciting performance by the **Flanders Recorder Quartet** is coming to **St. Augustine's Church** on **Friday 6th October** starting at **7.30pm**. Tickets £10 adults; £5 under-16's; available from Griffin Books, Pencerdd Music, Evenbrite, & on the door.

OLD POUND COINS

Time is running out for the old pound coins. After 15th October, banks generally will only accept them if they are in complete £20 coin bags. So have a search for them in old coat pockets, car ashtrays, down the side of the settee or anywhere they might be hiding in your home, and get them into the collection plate while the goings good.

ST. JOSEPH'S

EVA EMILY (EILEEN) SINCLAIR RIP (Ty Gwyn)

We were saddened to hear of the death of Eileen on 28th August. Our thoughts and prayers are with her family at this time. A Funeral Service will take place in St. Joseph's on Wednesday 13th September at 12.45pm and, afterwards, at Vale Crematorium. **MAY SHE REST IN PEACE**

ST. JOSEPH'S UCM

St. Joseph's UCM resume their meetings after the summer break on **Monday 11th September** at **7.30pm** in the **Church Hall**. New members will be made very welcome, just come along.

ST. JOSEPH'S HALL

It is important that all groups using the hall comply with the instruction to **REMOVE ALL THEIR RUBBISH** and take it away with them (EVEN KITCHEN WASTE) in **the bags provided**. In this way, the hall will be left clean and tidy and in a fit state to receive the next group. Thank you.

PIETY SHOP

The Catholic papers are on sale in the Piety Shop every weekend. Please remember to pick your copy up before you go. The Universe and Catholic Times cost £1.30 and the Catholic Herald £2.50. **It is important to support the Catholic press.**

ST. MARY'S

ST. MARY'S UCM

The next meeting will be held in the hall on **Wednesday 20th September** beginning at **7.30pm**. Details of the **UCMW Quarterly Mass** to be celebrated at **St. Mary's** on **Wednesday 27th September** will be finalised at this meeting.

FILM CLUB for children in school years 3+

Welcome back to another year in our parish film club! Come along to **St. Mary's Church Hall** on **24th September, 2-4pm** to watch *Honey, I Shrunk the Kids!* (U) **IT'S FREE!** Just bring a cushion to sit on and money for the tuck shop.

ST. MARY'S HALL

Would all groups using the hall please take note that it is the responsibility of each group to **leave the hall in the same state of cleanliness as they found it**. In this way, everyone using the hall contributes towards its ongoing upkeep and the wellbeing of the other hall users. Thank you.

CATHOLIC PAPERS

If anyone from St. Mary's would like to have a Catholic Paper, they have only to **ask Canon Joe** who will bring it up and leave it in the sacristy for you. You can **pay simply by putting the money in the collection plate**. The Universe and Catholic Times cost £1.30 and the Catholic Herald £2.50.

Altar Linen: September: Anne Fowler

Please pray for our Sick

St. Joseph's: Femmy Rowlands, Patrick Rickard, Valerie Catterall, Karen Lyons, Margaret Osborne, Nero Peralta, Leslie Moorcraft, Joe Cronin, Lesley Strain, Muriel Perry, Margaret Ward, Kay Critchett, Charles McGill and Veronica Hooper.

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

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TIMES OF MASSES AND RECONCILIATION
WEEK COMMENCING SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 9TH / SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 10TH 2017

Saturday	September 9th	23rd Sunday of Ordinary Time (A) (Education Sunday)	
	St. Joseph's	5.00pm	Francis Xavier Hardiman Jnr (Family) 625
Sunday	September 10th	23rd Sunday of Ordinary Time (A) (Education Sunday)	
	St. Joseph's	9.30am	Latham Family Wellbeing (Rosemary) 664
	St. Mary's	11.15am	Edith Dawn Daly (Trigg) 690
	St. Mary's	6.30pm	Terry Jones (Kathy) 671
Ordinary Time, Year I, Week 23			
Monday	September 11th	St. Deiniol, Bishop	
	St. Joseph's	9.30am	Eucharistic Service
Tuesday	September 12th	The Most Holy Name of Mary	
	St. Mary's	9.30am	Eucharistic Service
Wednesday	September 13th	St. John Chrysostom, Bishop and Doctor of the Church	
	St. Joseph's	10.00am	Eucharistic Service
Funeral Service	St. Joseph's	12.45pm	Eileen Sinclair RIP
Thursday	September 14th	The Exaltation of the Holy Cross	
	St. Mary's	9.30am	Eucharistic Service
Friday	September 15th	Our Lady of Sorrows, Titular of Wrexham Cathedral	
	St. Joseph's	6.15pm	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
	St. Joseph's	7.00pm	Eucharistic Service
Saturday	September 16th	St. Cornelius, Pope, and St. Cyprian, Bishop, Martyrs	
	St. Mary's	No Sacrament of Reconciliation	
	St. Mary's	No Mass - No Eucharistic Service	
	St. Joseph's	No Sacrament of Reconciliation	
Saturday	September 16th	24th Sunday of Ordinary Time (A)	
	St. Joseph's	5.00pm	Priest's Intention
Sunday	September 17th	24th Sunday of Ordinary Time (A)	
	St. Joseph's	9.30am	Priest's Intention
	St. Mary's	11.15am	Priest's Intention
	St. Mary's	6.30pm	Priest's Intention

St. Joseph's Church will be CLOSED outside of service times until further notice.