



ST. JOSEPH'S & ST. MARY'S



PENARTH



DINAS POWYS

Parish Newsletter

The Archdiocese of Cardiff: Charitable Incorporated Organisation No.1177272

11th September 2022

24th Sunday of Ordinary Time, Year C

You can also view the full readings online at

http://www.stjosephsandstmarys.com/mass_readings.html

LISTENING TO THE VOICE OF CREATION.

There is an appropriate prayer accompanying the Season of Creation which runs throughout September. You will find it as an add-on page to this digital newsletter. For those who do not have access to the website there are some paper copies in both churches.



HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II RIP.

Along with the nation, we mourn the death of Queen Elizabeth after a lifetime of dedication and service to her people. **May she find rest from her labours in the happiness of her heavenly home.**

TED GEARY RIP

It was with great sadness that we heard of the death of Ted on Tuesday 6th September in UHW. Our heartfelt condolences go out to Esther and the family at this time. His body will be received into St. Joseph's on Sunday 25th Sept at 5pm and a Requiem Mass will take place on Monday 26th Sept at 10.30am, prior to interment at Barry cemetery. **MAY HE REST IN PEACE.**

CHILDRENS LITURGY

Now that the Sunday obligation has returned so too will children's liturgy during the 9:30 and 11:15 Sunday masses. Now we need a good response from children wanting to attend. The first session will be held on Sunday 18th September and children from age 3 to end of Yr 3 are welcome. Should you want to enquire further about it please contact Mary Taylor (St Joseph's) or Katie Lawrence (St Mary's)

Mary.taylor170@ntlworld.com

Katielawrence73@hotmail.com

SPUC SPONSORED WALK – TODAY

10 thousand steps for the unborn – Sunday 11th Sept 2022. Paul Stimpson will be doing the walk on behalf of the parish and he will be looking for sponsorship again outside church at the end of all masses today.

CAFOD Pakistan Flood Appeal. Next weekend.

Devastating floods have hit Pakistan, leaving millions in urgent need of help to survive. A third of the country is now underwater (that's an area almost the size of Great Britain). Your donation will help CAFOD's local partners support communities with clean drinking water, food, emergency medical assistance and shelter. Donate now at cafod.org.uk/give or via the Parish Collection on 17th/18th September).

“FIX THE FOOD SYSTEM”: CAFOD wants to persuade our government to work internationally to change the system to one rooted in **Food Sovereignty**. This is the right of people to decide their food systems putting their cultural and nutritional needs first rather than the demands imposed by the market and big business.

CAFOD action cards will be given out as you enter the church today. Pens are available on the pews for you to sign a card if you wish. They call on the Foreign Secretary to implement the Government COP26 commitments and support agricultural systems that tackle climate change and put local communities first. They will be collected after Mass and sent off to CAFOD by the J&P Group. Alternatively you can take the card home and post it off yourself. They are Freepost.

JOB VACANCY.

‘House Cleaner - Archbishop’s House, Cathedral Rd.

A Cleaner is needed to work at Archbishop's House. Duties include general household cleaning, and laundry (including ironing) for the Archbishop and his Private Secretary. 10 hours per week. £10 per hour. Apply by CV to hr@rcadc.org



Parish Priest: Monsignor Joseph Boardman V.G.
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CF64 2RL Tel: 029 2070 8247

**Monsignor Boardman can be contacted on the parish
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Permanent Deacon: Rev. Elfed Jones
Tel: 07950 013224 email: elfed.jones@rcadc.org

Parish Website: www.stjosephsandstmarys.com
Website coordinator: Daniel Murray

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 5QD
Tel: 029 2049 8555
Email: enquiries@st-davids-coll.ac.uk

Parish Advisory Council Chair
Bill Nolan Tel: 029 2070 2056
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Church Hall Bookings (Suspended)
St. Joseph's – refer parish priest.
St. Mary's – refer parish priest.

Newsletter 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.**

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 4th September 2022.

	Gift Aid	Loose	Total
St. Joseph's	£414.50	£356.17	£770.67
St. Mary's	£16.00	£140.60	<u>£156.60</u>
			<u>£927.27</u>

(Income from standing orders approx. £500 weekly).

Church fees £80.00

Standing Orders (Aug) £2613.25

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY

PARISH ADVISORY COUNCIL MEETING THIS WEEK.

Next meeting of the PAC is on this coming Thursday 15th September at 7.30pm in St Mary's Hall. Would members please make a note in their diaries.

A MESSAGE FOR PARENTS: NAMES WANTED. CHILDREN FOR FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2023.

The Sacramental Preparation Programme for First Holy Communion 2023 will be starting in the near future.

What we are asking for at this early stage is the names of those children who are currently in Year 3 (or any child in year 4 who missed joining the group last year because of the Covid pandemic). It involves children from both St. Joseph's and St. Mary's.

Parents should contact one of the catechists as soon as possible.

St. Joseph's – Clare Sommerville (cm.sommerville@hotmail.co.uk)

St. Mary's – victoriabatten@hotmail.co.uk

More information about the preparation programme will be given in due course through the newsletter. However, if you happen to know someone who does not have access to the parish website, then please pass the word on by word of mouth or via other social media platforms available to you.

CONFIRMATION 2023 – NAMES WANTED.

As the catechists start to plan the programme for the next school year, they ask for anyone whose child is in Year 8+, aged 12 or above to contact them for an enrolment form. Ask the Welcomers at Sunday Mass or email Nicky Price stjstmconfirmation@gmail.com

RELICS OF ST BERNADETTE – THIS WEEKEND.

The Relics arrive at the cathedral Sun 11th Sept at 12 noon and remain there until Mon 12th Sept at 12 noon. Details of the programme were attached to last week's newsletter online and also poster at the back of both churches.

VACANCY

Senior & Faculty Leader of Religious Education -Jan 2023
Mary Immaculate High School Cardiff

Further information email

hpowell@maryimmaculate.cardiff.sch.uk

FUTURE SECOND COLLECTIONS.

CAFOD Pakistan appeal	18 th September
Home Missions	2 nd October
Harvest CAFOD	9 th October
World Mission Sunday	23 rd October

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TIMES OF MASSES

ALL MASSES AND SERVICES IN ST. JOSEPH'S ARE STREAMED LIVE.

Saturday	September 10th	Weekday in Ordinary Time Year II Week 23	
	St. Joseph's	10am-11am	Sacrament of Reconciliation
MASS OF SUNDAY	St. Joseph's	5.00pm	Terry Jones (Family) 418
Sunday	September 11th	24th	Sunday of Ordinary time Year C
	St. Joseph's	9.30am	Peter Cummins (Judy) 426
	St. Mary's	11.15am	Des Roblin (Family) 417
Monday	September 12th	The Most Holy Name of Mary	
	St Joseph's	9.30am	Adrian Strain (Parkman) 443
MEMORIAL SERVICE	St Joseph's	4.30pm	Wylie + Teddie Dupont (Twins/died in the womb)
Tuesday	September 13th	St John Chrysostom, Bishop, and Doctor of the church	
NO MASS			
Wednesday	September 14th	The Exaltation of the Holy Cross (Feast)	
	St. Joseph's	10.00am	Kate and Jim North (Pauline & Elaine) 406
Thursday	September 15th	Our Lady of Sorrows	
NO MASS			Archdiocesan meeting.
Friday	September 16th	St Cornelius, Pope and Cyprian Bishop, Martyrs	
	St. Joseph's	6.15pm	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament.
	St. Joseph's	7.00pm	Special intention (Christiane) 449
Saturday	September 17th	St. Robert Bellarmine. Bishop and Doctor of the Church.	
	St. Joseph's	10am-11am	Sacrament of Reconciliation
BAPTISM	St. Joseph's	2.00pm	Elise Morgan Knapper (Hegarty)
MASS OF SUNDAY	St. Joseph's	5.00pm	Michael & Martin Brady (Pauline) 428
Sunday	September 18th	25th	Sunday of Ordinary time Year C
	St. Joseph's	9.30am	Len and Rose Hosgood (Colette) 445
	St. Mary's	11.15am	Joe Gair (Mo & Mary) 435



Please note that the main door to St Joseph's Church (giving access to the rear of the church, behind the glass screen and the church loft) will be open on weekdays from 10am until 5pm (except Tuesdays – church closed for cleaning)





Listen to the
Voice of Creation
SEASON OF CREATION 2022

The Burning Bush
Ex 3:1-2

2022 Season of Creation Prayer

Creator of All,
From your communion of love your Word went forth to create a symphony of life that sings your praise.

By your Holy Wisdom you made the Earth to bring forth a diversity of creatures who praise you in their being. Day after day they pour forth speech; night after night they reveal knowledge.

You called human beings to till and keep your garden. You placed us into right relationships with each creature so that we could listen to their voices, and learn how to safeguard the conditions for life. But we turn in on ourselves and away from our co-creatures.

We close our ears to the counsel of our fellow creatures. We fail to listen to the cries of the poor and the needs of the most vulnerable. We silence the voices of those who hold the traditions that teach us to care for the Earth. We close our ears to your creative, reconciling and sustaining Word that calls to us through the Scriptures.

We lament the loss of our fellow species and their habitats that will never speak again. We grieve the loss of human cultures, along with the lives and livelihoods that have been displaced or perished. Creation cries out as forests crackle, and animals alike flee the fires of injustice that we have lit by our unwillingness to listen.

In this Season of Creation, we pray that you would call to us, as from the burning bush, with the sustaining fire of your Spirit. Breathe upon us. Open our ears and move our hearts. Turn us from our inward gaze. Teach us to contemplate your creation, and listen for the voice of each creature declaring your glory. For “faith comes from hearing.”

Give us hearts to listen for the good news of your promise to renew the face of the Earth. Enlighten us with the grace to follow the Way of Christ as we learn to walk lightly upon this holy ground. Fill us with the hope to quench the fires of injustice with the light of your healing love that sustains our common home.

In the name of the One who came to proclaim good news to all creation, Jesus Christ.
Amen.