



ST. JOSEPH'S & ST. MARY'S



PARISH GAZETTE

The Archdiocese of Cardiff, Registered Charity no. 242380

15th Sunday of Ordinary Time (A)

July 12th 2020

Reading: Isaiah 55: 10-11

God's word is powerful and comes to us as both challenge and gift.

Ps 64: 10-14, R/Lk 8:8

*Some seed fell into rich soil
and produced its crop.*

2nd Reading: Romans 8: 18-23.

Paul speaks of the fruits of the resurrection for the human race and the whole of creation.

Acclamation: 1 Sam 3:9, Jn 6:68

*Alleluia, alleluia !
Speak Lord, your servant is listening;
you have the message of eternal life.
Alleluia !*

Gospel: Matthew 13: 1-23

The parable of the sower illustrates the mystery of faith as it works in the heart of each individual. If we give God an inch, God gives us a mile.

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

LIVE STREAMING OF MASS FROM TODAY

From this weekend, you can view the Masses from St. Joseph's, Penarth, by visiting the parish website and following the links to "live Mass". The first Mass to be streamed will be the 5pm on Saturday. Then on Sunday morning, Mass will be celebrated at 11.15am. The times have been chosen especially because both our parish communities, in St. Joseph's and in St. Mary's, will readily be familiar with those times.

Some weekday Masses also will also be streamed from St. Joseph's. These will be in the mornings on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays at 9.30am.

It has been 17 weeks now since we last celebrated our Sunday Mass together in our churches, and for the same length of time we have not been able to receive the Lord sacramentally in Holy Communion. It has been painful for all of us. A streamed Mass is not the same as being physically there, of course. How can it be? However, the availability of "virtual" Mass from churches at home and abroad has proved to be a very popular "next-best-thing," and people have received some consolation from the proliferation of these Masses.

St. Alphonsus de Liguori wrote a very beautiful prayer called an Act of Spiritual Communion. Despite the fact that we are unable to receive the Eucharist together, we can say a Prayer of "Spiritual Communion" asking the Lord to come to us in our hearts at this time. You can find the prayer on the link for "live Mass" under "Additional Resources".
Monsignor Joe.

RE-OPENING OF ST JOSEPH'S FOR PRAYER

We are making progress with the various conditions we have to meet before we can open St. Joseph's church for private prayer. The church is more or less ready. We have submitted the risk assessment to the diocese and are waiting for the green light from them.

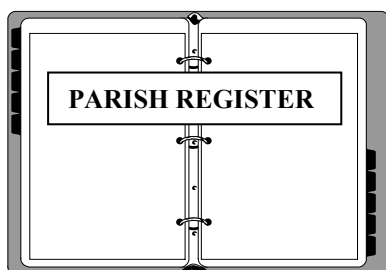
A meeting with the Volunteer Stewards has taken place. Once we have the necessary permission we will be opening initially for one hour per day three times a week (In line with our neighboring parishes). We will try 11am until 12 noon at first, but this can be reviewed. Mgr Joe cannot put a date of the opening right away, but it will be soon and all is prepared.

TOILETRIES DROP THIS WEEKEND (July 11th-12th)

Many thanks to all those who dropped off bags of toiletries in the church car parks today. They go initially to Sister Ruth of the Daughters of Charity and her team in the Home4u drop-in Centre in Cardiff, in which members of our Justice & Peace Group also are involved. It is a refuge for destitute asylum seekers and is a way of providing them with the basic necessities of life.

Sister Ruth says that their current priorities are for soap, shower gel, shampoo, toothpaste and toothbrushes, deodorants, shaving cream, toilet rolls, female sanitary products, hand cream and hand sanitisers. Face masks would also be greatly appreciated.

The Toiletries Drop will be repeated again today (**Sunday 12th July**) from **2pm to 3pm**. Cars will be waiting.



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Parish Website: www.stjosephsandstmarys.com
Notices/photos to: events@stjosephsandstmarys.com
Web Co-ordinator: 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 6XL
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 – 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 – Anne Chilcott: 029 2140 2942

Emergency sick calls

- (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).

Please pray for our Sick

St. Joseph's: Valerie Catterall, Muriel Perry, Veronica Hooper, Rosemary Latham, Patrick Webster, Betty Webster, Nora Berry and Alice Collier.

St. Mary's: Lucienne Llewellyn, Mary Isherwood, Betty Thorne, Clare Reece, Liz Evans and Cissie Clifton.

CONCERNING RE-OPENING OF CHURCHES: LETTER FROM ARCHBISHOP GEORGE

Archbishop George wrote a letter on the Feast of the Sacred Heart, in June, outlining the steps needed to be taken by parishes before their churches can be opened for private prayer. To access this letter visit the parish website and click on the Coronavirus page in the main menu.

LENA BOOTH RIP (Dinas Powys)

Lena died on 23rd June at the age of 94 years. We extend our sympathy to the family at this time. A funeral service will take place at the Vale Crematorium on Monday 13th July at 10am, (subject to current restrictions).

MAY SHE REST IN PEACE

PENARTH FOOD BANK

All donations gratefully accepted. Current priorities are: tinned meat products (especially corned beef); chilli, curry, ham, pies, etc. Also they are low on breakfast cereals (not oats) and squash. The Food Bank is now located in Tabernacle Baptist Church in Plassey Street and is open for donations between 10am and 12 noon, Monday to Friday. .

HEADTEACHER REQUIRED

Archbishop McGrath Catholic High School, Bridgend, requires a Headteacher for January 2021. For more information please contact Kirstie Davies on 01656 815504 or kirstie.davies@bridgend.gov.uk

CAFOD SUMMER OF HOPE APPEAL ONGOING

Because of the spread of Coronavirus across Africa and South America and parts of Asia, CAFOD has extended its appeal under the Title "Summer of Hope" **The new target is £2000.** These people have no defence against the virus and they have no Health Service to look after them. Please use the link below and give if you can help.

<https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/stjosephsandstmarys>

CYCLE OF PRAYER: This week it is the turn of:

St. Francis Xavier, Hereford. We pray for Rev Dom Michael Evans, OSB, SFX Primary School, and St. Mary's High School, Lugwardine.

TO ARRANGE A BANKERS ORDER.

These are the details you require
PLEASE PAY TO: Barclays Bank Queen St. Cardiff.
BANK SORTING CODE 20-18-23
TO THE CREDIT OF: **Archdiocese of Cardiff**
PARISH ACCOUNT NUMBER: **33170373**
The "Archdiocese of Cardiff" identifies the "Group" account, and the "Parish Account Number" identifies the Parish.
You can find a blank Bankers Order Form on our website. Simply click on "Parish Offertory".

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TIMES OF MASSES

WEEK COMMENCING SATURDAY JULY 11TH / SUNDAY JULY 12TH 2020

Saturday	July 11th	15th Sunday in Ordinary Time (A)	
Live Streamed	St. Joseph's	5.00pm	Patricia Williams (Moorcraft) 752
Sunday	July 12th	15th Sunday in Ordinary Time (A)	
Live Streamed	St. Joseph's	11.15am	Terry and Mary Jones (Kathy) 744
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Monday	July 13th	Weekday in Ordinary Time	
Live Streamed	St. Joseph's	9.30am	Nurse Dominga David (Trish) 751
Tuesday	July 14th	Weekday in Ordinary Time	
MASS IN PRIVATE		9.00am	Leslie Moorcraft (Parkman) 753
Wednesday	July 15th	St. Bonaventure. Bishop and Doctor of the Church. Mem.	
Live Streamed	St. Joseph's	9.30am	Sister Maria Angela (Pauline + Elaine) 758
Thursday	July 16th	Our Lady of Mount Carmel	
MASS IN PRIVATE		9.00am	Alice Collier [Wellbeing] (Carty) 775
Friday	July 17th	Weekday in Ordinary Time.	
Live Streamed	St. Joseph's	9.30am	Danielle [Wellbeing] (Diane) 773
Saturday	July 18th	16th Sunday in Ordinary Time (A)	
Live Streamed	St. Joseph's	5.00pm	Madeleine Heguy (Wellbeing) Trow 767
Sunday	July 19th	16th Sunday in Ordinary Time (A)	
Live Streamed	St. Joseph's	11.15am	Nurse Dominga David (anon) 772



“Behold I stand at the door and knock, says the Lord. If anyone hears my voice and opens the door to me, I will enter his house and dine with him, and he with me”.

