







The Archdiocese of Cardiff: Charitable Incorporated Organisation No.1177272

6th Sunday of Ordinary Time (C)

13th February 2022.

1st Reading Jeremiah 17:5-8. Jeremiah's prophecy is uncompromising and must have

challenged his hearers. Trusting in God alone rather than in human strength and wealth can seem like madness, but we

are invited to do just that.

Ps 1:1-4, 6. R/Ps 39:5. Happy the man who has placed

his trust in the Lord.

2nd Reading 1 Corinthians 15: 12. 16-20 Paul says that without Christ's resurrection, his teaching

makes no sense. Either we live and die by this, or we are simply talking nonsense. That is the challenge of faith.

Acclamation: Mt 11:25. Alleluia alleluia!

Blessed are you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth,

For revealing the mysteries of the kingdom

to mere children.

Alleluia!

Gospel: Luke 6: 17. 20-26 Luke's Beatitudes are more uncompromising than those of

Matthew. We don't have the get-out clause here of being blessed if we are "poor in spirit". It is poverty, pure and simple, that is blessed. The challenge for us is to dare to

believe.

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

RACIAL JUSTICE SUNDAY THIS WEEK.

This year Racial Justice Sunday carries the message: "In the image and likeness of God" and celebrates different presentations of the Holy Family from different countries and cultures.

The theme builds on that of the previous year's Racial Justice Sunday: "A Time to Act" which reflected on the importance of everyone recognising themselves, their race, their culture and their history in the life of the Church.

Prayer for Racial Justice Sunday:

"Come Holy Spirit, show us your beauty, reflected in all peoples of the earth, so that we may discover anew, that all are important and all are necessary, different faces of the one humanity, that God so loves."

Amen.

A second collection for the Catholic Association for Racial Justice will be taken as you leave the church

THE SYNOD OF BISHOPS 2021-2023 - LINK.

If you missed the two parish meetings which have taken place, please remember to join the last of the formal consultations regarding the Synod. This next meeting will take place on Zoom this coming Wednesday 16th February at 7.30pm. The link to join the meeting is:

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83033439142?pwd=MnBMVIQwOFk0cFNXMTI5VWRVUnUxQT09See page 3 of the Gazette for more information.

MISSIO: TIME TO EMPTY YOUR RED BOX.

As we come out of the imposed hibernation due to Covid-19, we will be able at last to take in the money which has been lingering in your red boxes. Those Red Box Members with cash to donate, can take away an envelope from the back of church, put their money in it and bring it back to Mass at a later time.

Please see the attachment to this Gazette showing other ways to donate to Missio. We are moving towards cashless giving but for now we will keep the red boxes going.



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Monsignor Boardman can be contacted on the new

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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 Email: billnolan14@gmail.com

Church Hall Bookings (Suspended)

St. .Joseph's – refer parish priest. St. Mary's – refer parish priest.

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 6TH FEB 2022						
	Gift Aid	Loose	Total			
St. Joseph's	£194.50	£218.17	£412.67			
St. Mary's	£68.00	£104.00	£172.00			
			£584.67			
(Income from standing orders approx. £500 weekly).						
Church Fees		£75.00				

Standing Orders (Jan) £2491.25
Virgin Money Donations (on-line) [Jan] NIL
Invest in my Community (on-line) [Jan] NIL
THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY

ST. MARY'S UCM. NEXT MEETING.

Meetings for St. Mary's UCM will re-commence on **Wednesday 23rd February at 7.30pm** in St. Mary's church hall. Please will all members try to attend as levies are now due. If you are unable to come, please let Mo McCarthy know.

CYCLE OF PRAYER FOR PARISHES.

This week it is the turn of St. Ethelbert's Leominster, Hereford. The parish priest is Fr. Paul Millar. There is the Leominster Community Hospital in the parish.

MASS INTENTIONS: PLEASE NOTE.

When requesting Mass intentions please bear in mind that it is more than likely that the weekend Masses are oversubscribed and therefore not available. When requesting a Mass intention for a weekend Mass therefore please, by all means specify the date, but always be aware that this may have to be **the nearest weekend Mass available**, which may be some time later.

CONFIRMATION PREP 2022. UPDATE.

The preparation programme will begin with the parents' meeting, which will now take place on **Monday February 28**th **at 7pm in St. Mary's church.** The **Enrolment Mass** will follow on **Sunday 6**th **March** at 9.30am in St. Joseph's church, in Penarth.

SOUTH WALES POLICE - NEW INITIATIVE.

StreetSafe is a new pilot service to the public whereby people can report local or personal issues anonymously – situations where they feel unsafe – simply by scanning a QR Code. StreetSafe does not replace the normal reporting of crimes or incidents. See the poster attached to this Gazette. You will find the QR Code at the back of St. Joseph's church on the notice board.

DEPUTY HEADTEACHER WANTED.

All Saints Catholic Primary School, Ebbw Vale from Sept 22 or as soon as possible.

Closing date Sunday 6th March.

Lesson observation and tour of school Tues 15th March. Interviews Wed 23rd March.

Applicants must complete a Catholic Education Service (CES) application form and associated forms. Candidates are required to send their completed documents via e-mail to Nicola Davies, School Clerk:

nicola.davies1@blaernau-gwent.gov.uk

THE SYNOD OF BISHOPS. 2021 – 2023.

Pope Francis has invited the entire Church to reflect together. Our "journeying together" and listening together most effectively enacts and manifests the nature of the Church as the pilgrim and missionary People of god.

We ask everyone to think and pray about how they can contribute to the Synod's work locally and in the wider world.

We ask you to share your thoughts, in writing if you wish. There is a box in each church for paper contributions or you can send them by e-mail to: stjstmsynod@gmail.com

The following meetings have been arranged – Covid-19 regulations permitting:

7.30pm. Wed 26th January – PAC Zoom Meeting. **This has taken place**.

7.30pm. Wed 2nd February – Open Parish Meeting - SJ Hall. **This has taken place**.

7.30pm Thurs 3rd February – Open Parish Meeting – SM Hall. **This has taken place.**

Next Meeting 7.30pm Wed 16th February – Open Parish Zoom Meeting.

The themes will be gathered into a document which will form the Parish's response to the Pope's request and will be forwarded to the Diocese in March to be incorporated in the Diocesan response to the Bishops of England and Wales, and thence to Rome.

Each week in the Gazette, we will pose some questions which may stimulate your thoughts. You can respond in writing or by bringing your thoughts to a meeting.

Bill Nolan. Chair of PAC.
Martin Price. Chair of Finance Committee.

THE FOURTH PAIR OF QUESTIONS ARE:

7. HOW WELL DO WE WORK AS A TEAM IN OUR PARISH?

How is leadership exercised and experienced in our parish?

Are there positive ways in which we help to participate in the life and mission of the Church?

What are the fruits of this collaboration?

What are the obstacles and challenges.

8. HOW OPEN ARE WE TO THE WILL OF GOD AND THE GUIDANCE OF THE HOLY SPIRIT?

How do we discern the direction in which the Holy Spirit is leading us, rather than just following our own private enthusiasms or agendas?

Is there freedom to exercise our particular gifts in the service of the Church?

Is my local community accountable and transparent when it comes to making decisions and, if not, what would help to remedy this?

Do I support the bishops and priests in arriving at their decisions?

These are just suggestions. This is a listening process. What other questions do you see as important?

SYNOD PRAYER.

We stand before you Holy Spirit, as we gather together in your name.

With you alone to guide us, make Yourself at home in our hearts.

Teach us the way we must go and how we are to pursue it.

We are weak and sinful; do not let us promote disorder.

Do not let ignorance lead us down the wrong path not partiality influence our actions. Let us find in You our unity so that we may journey together to eternal life and not stray from the way of truth and what is right. All this we ask of You, who are at work in every place and time, in the communion of the Father and the Son, Forever and ever. Amen.

ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH

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TIMES OF MASSES

Saturday	Feb 1	12th 6th Sunday of Ordinary Time (C) Racial Justice Sunday					
Public Mass		St. Joseph's	5.00pm	Martin and Michael Brady (Pauline) 241			
Streamed Live							
Sunday Feb 13th 6th Sunday of Ordinary Time (C) Racial Justice Sunday							
Public Mass		St. Joseph's	9.30am	Kevin Dixon (Family) 282			
Streamed Live							
Public Mass		St. Mary's	11.15am	Thelma and Len Reece (Lisa and Leon) 240			
Weekdays in Ordinary Time. Week 6. Year 2.							
Monday Feb 14th St. Cyril, Monk and St. Methodius, Bishop. Patrons of Europe							
Live streamed		St. Joseph's	9.30am	Annette Elissalde (Trow) 286			
Tuesday		15th	Weekday in Ord				
MASS IN PRIVA	ATE		9.00am	Priest's Int'n			
Wednesday	Feb						
Live Streamed		St. Joseph's	9.30am	Edwin and Constance Channin (Brady) 242			
Thursday Feb 17th Weekday in Ordinary Time							
MASS IN PRIVA	TE		9.00am	Priest's Int'n			
Friday	Friday Feb 18th Weekday in Ordinary Time						
		St. Joseph's	6.15pm	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament			
Public Mass		St. Joseph's	7.00pm	Peter Hegarty (Anne) 275			
Streamed live							
Saturday	Feb	1	9th 7th Sunday of Ordinary Time (C)				
		St. Joseph's	10am-11am	Sacrament of Reconciliation.			
Public Mass		St. Joseph's	5.00pm	Peter Keen (Flynn M+M) 249			
Streamed live							
Sunday Feb 20th 7th Sunday of Ordinary Time (C)							
Public Mass		St. Joseph's	9.30am	Charles and Mary Gabriel McGill (Reynolds) 272			
Streamed live		,					
Public Mass		St. Mary's	11.15am	Tony Elguezabal (Norma) 247			
BAPTISM		St. Joseph's	2.00pm	Aria Turner Bowers			
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"Jesus uses the rabbinical tradition of paradox to rouse his listeners from conventional thinking. A life of faith is not an automatic ticket to wealth, status and security. His death and resurrection show quite the opposite. Within life's trials the God of surprises continues to save us, if sometimes in ways we don't expect". [Introduction to the Mass]



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Please continue to pray for our sisters and brothers overseas and all missionaries who share God's love – they tell us the love and strength they receive from us keeps them going.

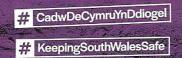




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