**SVP** – The next meeting of the SVP will be in St. Joseph's on **Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> September at 2.15pm**.

# Gala Concert – 15th September

St. John's College, featuring the Cardiff Metropolitan Cathedral Choir, will perform a Gala Concert at the Royal Welsh College of Music and Drama (Dora Stoutzker Hall) on **Tuesday 15**th **September** at 7.30pm.

Tickets £5 & £3. See poster at the back of church.

# Catholic Bible School – *Making Sense of the Gospel Parables* – Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> September

Venue: St. David's RC Church, St. David's Place, Swansea SA1 3NG

David Beresford, director of the Catholic Bible School, will be exploring the four Gospels and their use of stories. It will be a day to look at how we make sense of the inspired writings of the four Evangelists and of the storytelling of Jesus. As usual, the day will start at 10.00am and finish at 3.00pm. Please bring a packed lunch with you; we've got lots of tea, coffee and biscuits. The suggested donation for the day is £10.

## St. Joseph's Parish Hall Bookings

Please note that **Mrs Christiane Cantlay** will be taking bookings for St. Joseph's hall. Anyone wishing to use the hall should phone her on **2070 4857.** Groups that use the hall regularly can continue to do so, provided their meetings are on the same day and at the same time as before.

# Penarth Cytûn Services

- On Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> September at 6pm there will be the Induction Service in Tabernacle Church of Mrs Ann Niblett as Chair of Penarth Cytûn.
- On **Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> October** at 6.15pm an Ecumenical Service will be led by Deacon Elfed at Tabernacle Church.
- On **November 4**th at 6.15pm the monthly Ecumenical Service will be led by All Saints Church at Tabernacle Baptist Church.

## The Parish Census – Reminder!

If you have not already done so, would those who have not yet returned their completed census forms please do so as soon as possible. For those parishioners who have been away and who missed the "census" (updating the database) there is a supply of the census forms in the sacristy of both churches. You are asked to complete the simple form and hand it in to the priest. Thank you to all who have completed their forms. The information provided is for PARISH use only.

### Lego Festival

The 'Used Duplo and Lego Link Lesotho' Charity are holding a Lego Festival on **Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> October** from 10am to 5pm at Stanwell Road Baptist Church, Penarth. All are welcome. Lego will be provided. Create something wonderful. Free entrance.

#### **Catholic Singles**

This is an organisation which is dedicated to help single adult Catholics to meet either one-to-one or through a social event. They have many separated and divorced Catholics amongst their membership who meet for friendship. 01619413498 www.catholicsingles.org.uk

# ST.JOSEPH'S



# Sacramental Preparation (St. Joseph's)

The 2015/2016 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) on the programme are invited to see Canon Boardman or one of the catechists for an enrolment form (available also from St. Joseph's School), which should be returned as soon as possible.

#### Anne Elizabeth Roberts R.I.P.

Sadly, Anne who lived in Denbigh Close died recently. We extend our sincere condolences to the family, especially to Paul Galsworthy and Clare Hicks. Her Funeral Service will take place at St Joseph's on **Tuesday 22**nd **September at 11.30 am** followed by interment at Penarth Cemetery.

# Penarth Cytûn – Help!

The Penarth Food Bank (Pharaoh's Pantry) informs us that supplies are now scarce at their collection point at Tabernacle Church, Plassey Street. Please help by donating the following major needs: - nappies, tinned soup, tinned fruit and veg, tinned meat products, pasts sauce, sugar, toilet rolls, soap, and toothbrushes.

**Piety Shop** – don't forget to pick up your Catholic papers and periodicals

# ST. MARY'S



# Sacramental Preparation (St. Mary's)

The Preparation Course 2015/2016 for the Sacraments of Reconciliation and First Holy Communion began on **Saturday 12**<sup>th</sup> **September**.

Parents who have not yet registered their children, rising 8 (Year 3), are invited to see one of the Catechists for an enrolment form. It is requested that forms, once completed, are returned immediately.

#### Patricia Whittle R.I.P.

Patricia died in hospital on 9<sup>th</sup> September. We offer our condolences to her daughter Mrs Anne Barrett at this sad time. Funeral arrangements will be announced in due course.

May She Rest In Peace

**Altar Linen:** September: Anne Fowler

### Please pray for our Sick

**St Joseph's:** Eileen Sinclair, Femmy Rowlands, Patrick Rickard, Charles Curran, Valerie Catterall, Norma Flanigan, Karen Lyons, Nero Peralta, Gordon Smith, Leslie Moorcroft and Joseph Cronin.

**St. Mary's:** Lucienne Llewellyn, Nicholas Barron, Pat Prangley, Bernard McParlin, Terry Jones, Paul Walsh, Mary Isherwood, Betty Thorne, Sheila Docking and John O'Donnell.