



ST. JOSEPH'S & ST. MARY'S



PARISH GAZETTE

The Archdiocese of Cardiff, Registered Charity no. 242380

24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

13th September 2020.

Reading: Ecclesiasticus 27: 30 – 28: 7

The cure for bad memories is to remember the things of God.

Ps 102: 1-4, 9-12, R/v.8

*The Lord is compassion and love,
slow to anger and rich in mercy.*

2nd Reading: Romans 14: 7-9.

Life and death only have meaning when they are lived for something more than ourselves.

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 18:21-35

There is no limit to forgiveness, because heaven is eternal forgiveness.

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

DES ROBLIN RIP.

We were saddened to hear that Des had passed away in UHW on 9th September after a long illness. Our thoughts and prayers are with Kit and the family at this time. A funeral Mass will take place in St. Joseph's, Penarth, on Tuesday 22nd September at 11am followed by interment at St. Andrews Major. Due to the Coronavirus pandemic, only close family will be able to attend, but the funeral will be streamed live from St. Joseph's on the day.

MAY HE REST IN PEACE

GIFT AID ENVELOPES.

Only a few of this year's gift aid envelopes have actually been distributed so far because of the Lockdown. If you would like to collect your box from the back of the church, **ask one of the stewards** to find it for you. It is better if you do this **before** Mass as you enter, and not after, so as to avoid causing a tail-back in the queue trying to leave.

GIFT AID SCHEME. THANK YOU LETTERS.

Again the Letters that some members of the Gift Aid Scheme may need for their tax returns, are available. If anyone needs their letter please let Mgr. Joe know and he will post it to you.

CYCLE OF PRAYER:

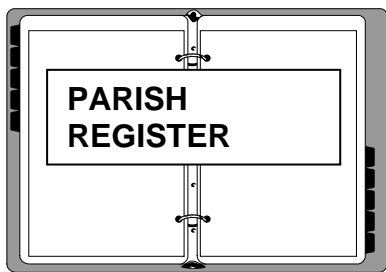
This week it is the turn of **St. Mary's Chepstow**. We pray for Fr. Michael St.Clair, Parish Priest. Also the Primary School and Chepstow Community Hospital.

PROGRESS REPORT. NUMBERS INCREASE.

The attendance at our three weekend public Masses has been growing week on week. Whilst the Friday evening Mass has remained more or less constant, the Saturday evening Mass has grown to 45 persons, and last week the 11.15am Sunday morning Mass exceeded the "limit" of 50 persons for the first time. (This was possible because there were groupings of families sat together and dotted about). Clearly people are beginning to come back, who otherwise have held back until now. Up to now we have not had to turn anybody away. However, it is obvious that we are going to need an extra Mass if we are going to accommodate the numbers we are beginning to see. We are working on this. Mgr. Joe and his team of helpers are engaged in completing the Risk Assessments involved so that St. Mary's church in Dinas Powys can be opened for a Sunday Mass. It is a laborious task and when completed it has to be submitted first to the Health and Safety executive, and then to the archdiocese, who will give us the final go-ahead. Only then can Mgr. Joe re-establish the 9.30am Sunday morning Mass. He is hoping that this can be achieved by the end of this month or early October.

PARISH OFFERTORY COLLECTION

There are various ways of giving: You can set up a monthly Standing Order with your bank; you can put cash or planned giving envelopes in the red buckets as you leave the church; or you can visit the website and click on Parish Offertory for more information



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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

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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. (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 THE LAST WEEK.

	Gift Aid	Loose	Total
St. Joseph's	£477.00		£477.00
St. Mary's	£118.00		£118.00
St. Joseph's + St. Mary's		£547.70	<u>£547.70</u>
			<u>£1142.70</u>
Standing Orders (August)			£1949.25
Thank you for your generosity			

CORONAVIRUS PANDEMIC SPREADS.

The Covid-19 virus is once more on the increase, not only here in Wales and the rest of the UK but all over continental Europe and around the world. At the time of writing our Cafod Coronavirus Appeal has reached a total of £2,625, which is 87% of the target of £3,000. We are getting there slowly but surely. With your help, **CAFOD** can provide communities in countries, especially in the global south, with at least a minimum of materials and support to protect vulnerable people against the virus. Thank you.
To donate please visit our website and from the main menu click on "Coronavirus" or "Cafod JustGiving".

JUBILEE FOR THE EARTH.

SEASON OF CREATION. SEPT 1ST TO OCT 4TH.

In his message Pope Francis suggested that Jubilee "is a sacred time to remember, return, rest, restore and rejoice". He said "We exist only in relationship: with God our creator, with our brothers and sisters as members of a common family, and with all of God's creatures within our common home". Pope Francis also urges us to "return to our rightful place as members, not masters of this interconnected web of life". He also said: "The disintegration of biodiversity, spiralling climate disasters and unjust impact of the current pandemic on the poor and vulnerable; all these are wake-up calls in the face of our rampant greed and consumption". We are "exhausting the natural world. Forests are leached, topsoil erodes, fields fail, deserts advance, seas acidify and storms intensify. **Creation is groaning.**

Please continue to pray for a change of heart in humanity, particularly amongst Christians and people of faith. People will pray in their own way. To help, there is a prayer on the Season of Creation website and a novena to St. Francis which can be accessed by clicking on the following links:

<https://cafod.org.uk/Pray/Prayer-resources/Novena-to-St-Francis>

<https://seasonofcreation.org/2020/08/13/uniting-for-prayer-during-the-season-of-creation/>

CHURCH HALLS.

Both our church halls are closed and must not be used at the present time. Anyone seeking access to them must have the permission of the parish priest first.

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, Cissie Clifton, and Anne Dean.

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TIMES OF MASSES

Saturday Sept 12th 24th Sunday of Ordinary Time (A)			
Public Mass	St. Joseph's	5.00pm	Thanksgiving for baby Anna (Edwards) 795
Streamed Live			
Sunday Sept 13th 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time (A)			
Public Mass	St. Joseph's	11.15am	Tom and Amy Stimpson (Pat) 763
Streamed Live			
Ordinary time. Year 2. Week 24.			
Monday Sept 14th The Exaltation of the Holy Cross (Feast)			
Live Streamed only	St. Joseph's	9.30am	Anne Barry (Tony) 714
Tuesday Sept 15th Our Lady of Sorrows.			
MASS IN PRIVATE		9.00am	Priest's Int'n.
Wednesday Sept 16th SS Cornelius, Pope, and Cyprian, Bishop. Martyrs.			
Live Streamed only	St. Joseph's	9.30am	Private Intention (John & Carole) 797
Thursday Sept 17th St. Robert Bellarmine, Bishop and Doctor of the Church.			
MASS IN PRIVATE		9.00am	Priest's Int'n
Friday Sept 18th Weekday in Ordinary Time.			
Public Mass	St. Joseph's	6.15pm	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament.
Streamed live	St. Joseph's	7.00pm	Dorothy Thomas (Trow) 798
Saturday Sept 19th 25th Sunday of Ordinary Time (A)			
Public Mass	St. Joseph's	5.00pm	Terry Jones (Kathy) 785
Streamed Live.			
Sunday Sept 20th 25th Sunday of Ordinary Time (A)			
Public Mass	St. Joseph's	11.15am	Desmond Cole (Dunstan) 802
Streamed Live			



"Speak Lord, your servant is listening: you have the message of eternal life."
 (Gospel Acclamation Twenty Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time)

