

# ST. JOSEPH'S & ST. MARY'S



PENARTH



## PARISH GAZETTE

The Archdiocese of Cardiff, Registered Charity no. 242380

### The Second Sunday of Ordinary Time (Year B) January 14<sup>th</sup> 2018



DINAS POWYS

**1<sup>st</sup> Reading: 1 Samuel 3:3-10. 19**

After being called four times by God, the boy Samuel understands who it is and responds: "Speak, Lord, your servant is listening."

**Ps 39:2. 4. 7-10. Rvv 8. 9**

*Here I am, Lord!  
I come to do your will.*

**2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: 1 Corinthians 6:13-15. 17-20**

United with Jesus, we are one spirit with him and our bodies become temples of the Holy Spirit.

**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: John 1:35-42**

John the Baptist points out Jesus as "the Lamb of God" and two of his followers become Jesus' first disciples.

## PEACE SUNDAY – TODAY

The Bishops of England and Wales invite us to make today a day of prayer for world peace, using the theme proposed by Pope Francis: ***Migrants and Refugees – Seekers of Peace***. Sadly, we are so used to images of those driven from their homelands by warfare or famine that we risk being desensitised both to their pain and to their aspirations. Yet these are our brothers and sisters: they seek what we all seek – food and shelter, a safe home and hope for the future. So at the beginning of our Eucharist today let us ask Christ for the grace to recognise him in the refugee and the stranger and to remove the barriers in our hearts which make us view others as a threat and a danger, rather than as fellow seekers after peace.

## OCTAVE OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY

The Octave **begins** on **Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> January** and **concludes** on **Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> January** on the feast of the **Conversion of St. Paul**. **Next Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> January** will be the Sunday within the Octave and there will be Christian Unity Services taking place in both **Penarth** and **Dinas Powys** at **6pm**. The member churches of **Penarth Cytun** are **swapping pulpits** with one another. Deacon Elfed is preaching at Llandough Baptist Church at 11am. During the Octave of Prayer for Christian Unity, daily prayer services are taking place in All Saints Church, Penarth (except the Sunday). Please note that on **Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> January** the prayer service will be in Tabernacle Baptist Church. These daily prayer services are all timed at **1pm**.  
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## WHITE FLOWER ANNUAL APPEAL (SPUC)

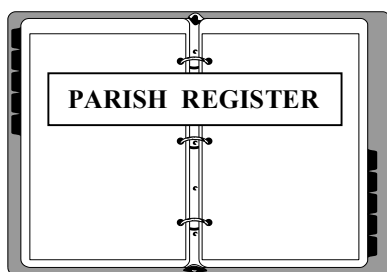
This annual (SPUC) Appeal will take place **THIS** weekend i.e. 13<sup>th</sup>/14<sup>th</sup> January. SPUC is currently campaigning to stop the decriminalisation of abortion, which would mean taking abortion outside the law. This is the most dangerous threat to unborn children and their mothers in decades. This appeal takes the form of a "Retiring Collection".

## PARISH ADVISORY COUNCIL ELECTIONS – NOMINATIONS OPEN FROM THIS WEEKEND

The Parish Advisory Council (PAC) consists of 12 elected members and 5 ex-officio members. It is a **consultative body** and advises Canon Joe on **Parish matters** and on decisions he has to make. The Council meets about 6 times a year. Elected members serve for 3 years, after which time, they are eligible to serve a second term of 3 years and can apply for re-election. After serving two 3-year terms, they have to step down for one year.

This year, **three elected members** have completed two terms and **have to step down**. They are Don Clarey, Judith Braeman and Jenny Dunstan. We are grateful to them for their dedication and generosity of spirit. They have to be replaced. **Any parishioner can be nominated** to serve on the PAC. Nomination forms are available from the sacristy in both churches.

**Nominations will close on Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> January** after the evening Mass on St. Mary's.



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**Permanent Deacon:** Rev. Elfed Jones  
Tel: 07950 013224 email: [elfed179@talktalk.net](mailto:elfed179@talktalk.net)

**Parish Website:** [www.stjosephsandstmarys.com](http://www.stjosephsandstmarys.com)  
Notices/photos to: [events@stjosephsandstmarys.com](mailto:events@stjosephsandstmarys.com)  
Web Co-ordinator: Don Clarey

### Schools

**St. Joseph's RC Primary School**  
Sully Road, Penarth. Tel: 029 2070 2864  
email: [stjosephsps@valeofglamorgan.gov.uk](mailto:stjosephsps@valeofglamorgan.gov.uk)

**St. Richard Gwyn Catholic High School**  
Argae Lane, Barry. Tel: 01446 729250  
email: [s.grech@strichardgwyn.co.uk](mailto:s.grech@strichardgwyn.co.uk)

**St. David's Catholic College (6<sup>th</sup> Form)**  
Ty Gwyn Rd. Penylan, Cardiff. CF23 6XL  
Tel: 029 2049 8555  
Email: [enquiries@st-davids-coll.ac.uk](mailto:enquiries@st-davids-coll.ac.uk)

**Parish Advisory Council Chair.**  
Paul Gallone KHS. Tel: 029 2070 9401  
e-mail: [paul.gallone@btinternet.com](mailto:paul.gallone@btinternet.com)

### Church Hall Bookings

St. Joseph's – Christiane Cantlay Tel: 029 2070 4857  
St. Mary's – Judith Braeman. Tel: 029 2051 5309

**Gazette Contributions** by Wednesday please to:  
Email: [parish.gazette@gmail.com](mailto:parish.gazette@gmail.com)  
**Please note that your emails will be sent automatically from this address to Canon 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. (There is a Catholic priest on call 24/7)
- (ii) Marie Curie Hospice, (Holme Tower) Penarth, Ask a nurse to call the sick person's Parish Priest or alternatively St. Joseph's Presbytery, Penarth (phone number below)
- (iii) Local Nursing/Care Homes – please phone presbytery: 029 2070 8247
- (iv) (Tuesdays only) All enquiries to the Deacon – Rev Elfed Jones mobile 07950 013224

### YOUR GIFTS TO THE CHURCH LAST WEEK

	Gift Aid	Non-Gift Aid	Total
St. Joseph's	£326.30	£520.56	£846.86
Church Fees			£50.00
approx. £200 per week Gift Aid Income also received by S/O			
St. Mary's	£134.70	£314.75	£449.45
approx. £150 per week Gift Aid Income also received by S/O			

**Thank you all for your generosity**

### CONFIRMATION 2018

Confirmation Preparation begins with our away-day at Amelia Farm on **January 20<sup>th</sup>**. All those enrolled should have received an e-mail with details and should have returned consent forms. Any questions please contact one of the catechists.

**THE ENROLMENT MASS** for Confirmandi will take place in St. Mary's, Dinas Powys, at the **6.30pm** Mass on Sunday **21<sup>st</sup> January**.

### HOME4U SLEEP OUT

The sleep out for the Home4U project for destitute asylum seekers which Mary and Roswitha 'survived' on 17<sup>th</sup> November raised a total of **£1,336.00** from parishioners in St. Joseph's and St. Mary's. This includes some large donations and greatly surpasses the amounts raised in previous years! We are incredibly grateful for the generosity of the parishioners of St. Joseph's and St. Mary's who time and time again open their hearts (and purses) to support people in need, here in our local area and in the wider world. The **8 members** of the Home4U team who took part in the sleep out **raised a total of £5,417.00** all together.

**Thank you** to all who supported our one night of sleeping 'rough' in support of all those in our city who have fled from persecution and are often forced to sleep outdoors while waiting for a decision on their asylum application.

### EUCCHARISTIC SERVICES

There will be **Eucharistic Services** conducted by Deacon Elfed from **Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> January** until **Friday 25<sup>th</sup> January** inclusive. Please note that **Mass and Confessions** on **Saturday** morning, **27<sup>th</sup> January**, are cancelled.

Also note there will be a **Eucharistic Service THIS THURSDAY** at **9.30am** in **St. Mary's**, Dinas Powys.

### GOING INTO HOSPITAL?

Waiting to go into hospital? Do please let your parish priest know in plenty of time. He will be pleased to celebrate the Sacrament of the Sick with you or any pastoral support you need. This is preferable to leaving it until you are in hospital. The small team of parish priests who currently provide 24/7 emergency cover in the Cardiff hospitals are under a great deal of pressure, so unfortunately there is no guarantee that one is always available at any particular time. On the same theme, if you know of any Catholic already in hospital, who needs or might like a visit or sacramental support, please continue to leave details with the Cardiff & Vale Hospital Chaplaincy on 2074 3230. Thank you.

## CATHOLIC BIBLE SCHOOL – GOSPEL OF MARK

Mark's Gospel is the **primary Gospel** used in **this liturgical year** (B) in the Catholic Liturgy. What was it that Mark wanted to say in this telling of the story of Jesus? Who was Mark anyway? On **Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> January David Beresford**, Director of the Catholic Bible School, will be helping us to explore the message of Mark's Gospel. Why is Mark's Gospel helpful to us as modern Christians? We will meet in **St. Helen's RC Church**, Court Road, Barry, CF63 4ET at **10am until 3pm**. All our Scripture Saturdays are **free and there is no need to book**. If you are able to make a donation to help cover our costs, it will be gratefully received. Tea, coffee and biscuits are provided but **please bring your own packed lunch**. For more information visit [www.catholic-bible-school.org/south-wales-events/jan18](http://www.catholic-bible-school.org/south-wales-events/jan18) or email [catholicbibleschooluk@gmail.com](mailto:catholicbibleschooluk@gmail.com).

## ST. DWYNWEN'S MASS OF CELEBRATION

His Grace, Archbishop George, is inviting all **newly married couples** and those **celebrating a significant anniversary**, to a Mass of celebration at **St. David's Cathedral** on **Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> January at 2pm**. His Grace would love to see many of you with your family and friends at this event. There will be **refreshments served after the Mass** in the newly opened Cornerstone. Please confirm your attendance as soon as possible to assist with catering. Please inform your **Parish Priest** or email [flc@rcadc.org](mailto:flc@rcadc.org) and a personal invitation will be sent to you. Please confirm your attendance as soon as possible to assist with catering. It will be a wonderful opportunity to re-live a wonderful occasion in yours and your family's life. Please join others in the Archdiocese in celebrating this most wonderful Sacrament that brings joy, love and life.

## LAST CHANCE TO REGISTER FOR CCRS COURSE

Want to learn more about the Catholic Faith? This course is especially useful for **teachers in Catholic schools, Catechists** and anyone **seeking to deepen** their understanding of the Catholic Faith. For more information and for a registration form, please visit [www.rcadc.org/CCRS](http://www.rcadc.org/CCRS). All registration forms **must be received by the 15<sup>th</sup> January**. The course will commence on the **22<sup>nd</sup> January**. Please contact [ccrs@rcadc.org](mailto:ccrs@rcadc.org) or call 029 2036 5965 for more information.

## DEPUTY HEAD TEACHER WANTED

**St. Mary's RC Primary School**, Queens Hill, Newport, NP20 5HJ. Required for April 2018. Closing date 12 noon – Friday 26<sup>th</sup> January 2018. For more information, please contact Dawn Jones, on Tel: 01633 840490 or email [stmarysrc.primary@newport.gov.uk](mailto:stmarysrc.primary@newport.gov.uk). **SEE POSTER**

## CAFOD PYRAMID BOXES

The next collection will be on the weekend of the **27<sup>th</sup>/28<sup>th</sup> January**.

## ST. JOSEPH'S & ST. MARY'S SVP

The next meeting is on **Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> January** in St. Mary's hall.

## MEDJUGORJE IRISH CENTRE PILGRIMAGES 2018:

7 nights B&B and airport shuttle service from E279 per person. Book any flight any time – and we provide guaranteed airport shuttle service. Call us for further info and book the dates that

suit you. Tel: 01 4434510 or e-mail: [reservations@med-irishcentre.com](mailto:reservations@med-irishcentre.com)

## ST. JOSEPH'S

### PAT PICKERING RIP

Pat died peacefully in Ty Gwyn Nursing Home on the 2<sup>nd</sup> January. We convey our condolences to David and the family at this time. A funeral Mass will take place in St. Mary's, Dinas Powys, on Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> January at 12.45pm and afterwards at the Vale crematorium. **MAY SHE REST IN PEACE**

### PIETY SHOP

The Catholic papers are on sale in the Piety Shop every weekend. Please remember to pick your copy up before you go. The Universe and Catholic Times cost £1.30 and the Catholic Herald £2.50. **It is important to support the Catholic press.**

### ST. JOSEPH'S UCM

The next meeting of St. Joseph's UCM will be on **Monday 15<sup>th</sup> January at 7.30pm** in the church hall.

### UNITED SERVICE FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY

The United Service in the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity will take place on Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> January at 6pm in St. Augustine's Church, Penarth. Please note the venue.

## ST. MARY'S

### FILM CLUB for children in school years 3+

Come along to our parish film club: **It's free!** Bring a cushion or beanbag to sit on and pocket money for the tuck shop. We will next meet **2-4pm** at **St. Mary's Church Hall** on **21<sup>st</sup> January**. The film is "The Spiderwick Chronicles".

### ST. MARY'S UCM

The next time we meet will be for our Annual Meeting on **Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> January at 7.30pm** in the church hall.

### UNITED SERVICE FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY

The United Service in the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity will take place on Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> January at 6pm in St. Peter's Church, Dinas Powys.

**THE VALE FOOD BANK.** The following message has been received. "Thank you for your recent donation of £147 raised from a Quiz Night. We saw a greater number of clients over the Christmas period than last year, and on one day alone, we gave out food to feed 100 adults and children".

**Altar Linen:** January – Pam Huish

### *Please pray for our Sick*

**St. Joseph's:** Femmy Rowlands, Patrick Rickard, Valerie Catterall, Margaret Osborne, Nero Peralta, Leslie Moorcraft, Muriel Perry, Margaret Ward, Kay Critchett, Veronica Hooper, Joe Fadian, Sandra Curtin, Sheila Docking and Anne Cullen.

**St. Mary's:** Lucienne Llewellyn, Nicholas Barron, Pat Prangley, Paul Walsh, Mary Isherwood, Betty Thorne, and Clare Reece.

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**TIMES OF MASSES AND RECONCILIATION**  
**WEEK COMMENCING SATURDAY JANUARY 13TH / SUNDAY JANUARY 14TH 2018**

<b>Saturday</b>	<b>January 13th</b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time (B)</b>	
	<b>St. Joseph's</b>	5.00pm	Dillon – Wellbeing (Anon) 809
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>January 14th</b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time (B)</b>	
	<b>St. Joseph's</b>	9.30am	Joe Cronin (John O'Brien) 799
	<b>St. Mary's</b>	11.15am	Kathy Baker and Kevin Swain (Stimpson) 801
	<b>St. Mary's</b>	6.30pm	People of our parish, living and dead.
<b>Ordinary Time, Year II, Week 2</b>			
<b>Monday</b>	<b>January 15th</b>	<b>Mass of the Day</b>	
	<b>St. Joseph's</b>	9.30am	Sheila Williams (Tim & Lars White) 840
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>January 16th</b>	<b>Mass of the Day</b>	
	<b>St. Mary's</b>	9.30am	Lesley Strain (SVP) 834
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>January 17th</b>	<b>St. Anthony, Abbot</b>	
	<b>St. Joseph's</b>	10.00am	Denis M <sup>c</sup> Carthy (Bernadette) 821
<b>Funeral Mass</b>	<b>St. Mary's</b>	12.45pm	Patricia Pickering RIP
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>January 18th</b>	<b>Mass of the Day</b>	
<b>Eucharistic Service</b>	<b>St. Mary's</b>	9.30am	<b>Eucharistic Service</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>January 19th</b>	<b>Mass of the Day</b>	
	<b>St. Joseph's</b>	6.15pm	<b>Exposition / Sacrament of Reconciliation</b>
	<b>St. Joseph's</b>	7.00pm	Denis M <sup>c</sup> Carthy (Paterson) 835
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>January 20th</b>	<b>Mass of the Day</b>	
	<b>St. Mary's</b>	9.30am	<b>Exposition / Sacrament of Reconciliation</b>
	<b>St. Mary's</b>	10.00am	Bernard M <sup>c</sup> Parlin (Peggy) 839
	<b>St. Joseph's</b>	11am – 12 noon	<b>Sacrament of Reconciliation</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>January 20th</b>	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time (B)</b>	
	<b>St. Joseph's</b>	5.00pm	Pat Sadler (Brady) 814
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>January 21st</b>	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time (B)</b>	
	<b>St. Joseph's</b>	9.30am	Janice Murphy (Tommy) 776
	<b>St. Mary's</b>	11.15am	Priest's Intention
	<b>St. Mary's</b>	6.30pm	People of our parish, living and dead.

Please note that the main doors to St. Joseph's church, Penarth, and St. Mary's, Dinas Powys, will be closed outside of Service times.