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Schools
St. Joseph's RC Primary School
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Gazette Contributions by Wednesday please to:
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Archdiocesan Child Safeguarding Group
Helpline: 029 2034 3811
Contacts: St. Joseph's – Mary Taylor: 2065 8506
St. Mary's – Anne Chilcott: 01446 772536

Emergency sick calls.
Hospitals: Llandough and UHW – Ask a nurse to call out the priest-on-call. (There is Catholic priest on call 24/7)

Marie Curie Hospice, (Holme Tower) Penarth,
Ask a nurse to call the sick person's Parish Priest or St. Joseph's Presbytery, Penarth.(phone number below)
Local Nursing/Care Homes – please phone presbytery:
029 2070 8247
(Tuesdays only) All enquiries to the Deacon –
Rev Elfed Jones mobile 07950 013224

The Diocesan Clergy Welfare Board. Caring for those who cared

The Clergy Welfare Board was established in 2005 by Archbishop Peter Smith, in order to provide for the care and well being of those priests who became sick or who retired from parish ministry having reached the age of seventy five. Amongst other things, the Clergy Welfare Board ensures an annual income for those who have retired, a suitable place for them to live as well as arranging residential accommodation or nursing care for those who have these needs. Last year the cost amounted to £220,000 There are currently seventeen priests from the Diocese of Cardiff in retirement. The Fund which supports them has been adversely affected by a number of factors. The recent Fund Raising Campaign 'Embracing the Future' failed to reach its £4.7 million target for clergy welfare. The unpredictable events which took place in the financial markets in recent years have also meant a significant loss of interest to the fund in addition to increasing costs.

In order to provide 'Care for those who Cared', a retiring collection will be held throughout the Diocese in November. **In St Joseph's and St. Mary's we shall take this collection in two weeks time ie. on 31st Oct/ November 1st.** This will be allocated to the Clergy Retirement Fund. Gift Aid envelopes will also be made available so that the offering by taxpayers may be increased by 25% at no cost to themselves. The Diocese has also established a JustGiving campaign for people who would like to make donations as and when they wish To donate the following is a useful contact:

<https://campaign.justgiving.com/charity/archdiocese-cardiff/srclergy>

Toiletries for Asylum Seekers –THIS WEEKEND

The last of this year's collection of toiletries will take place **this weekend**. Our collection now goes to Sister Ruth O'Neill of the Sisters of Charity of St. Vincent De Paul who is based in St. Francis, Ely. She works with an organisation called Space-4-U, a drop-in centre for destitute asylum seekers located in Trinity Church on Newport Rd. You are asked to donate mostly toiletries for men, who are destitute and in most need. Please bring an item such as shaving foam, disposable razors, soap, toothbrush, toothpaste, shampoo, deodorant, combs toilet rolls and shower gel. There is also a need for some baby nappies and ladies' toiletries. A large box will be placed at the back of both churches for your donations. Please note the collection, as usual, will take place on **this weekend only**.

Mass for Deceased Clergy of our Diocese

The annual Mass for the deceased clergy of our Diocese will take place this year at **St Peter's Church, Roath on Tuesday November 10th at 3pm.**

Please note the change of venue.

Annual Mission Appeal: Visit of Columban Fathers to our Parish

On the weekend of the 14th and 15th of November we will have the privilege of welcoming a Columban Father to our Parish. The Missionary Society of St Columba have missions in many parts of the world. We look forward to hearing about their valuable work in claiming souls for Christ