

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

Catholic Bible School – Making Sense of the Gospel Parables – Saturday 26th 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 27th September** at 6pm there will be the Induction Service in Tabernacle Church of Mrs Ann Niblett as Chair of Penarth Cytûn.
- On **Wednesday 7th October** at 6.15pm an Ecumenical Service will be led by Deacon Elfed at Tabernacle Church.
- On **November 4th** 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 3rd October** from 10am to 5pm at Stanwell Road Baptist Church, Penarth. All are welcome. Lego will be provided. Create something wonderful. Free entrance.

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.

Ann Elizabeth Roberts R.I.P.

Sadly Ann, who lived in Denbigh Court, died on 8th September at the age of 73yrs. We extend our sincere condolences to the family, especially to sons John & Paul, and daughter Clare. Her Funeral Service will take place at St Joseph's on **Tuesday 22nd September at 11.30am** followed by interment at Penarth Cemetery.

May She Rest In Peace

St. Joseph's UCM Centenary Mass – This Wednesday 23rd September at 7.30pm in St. Joseph's. All welcome. See Page 1 of this Gazette.

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, pasta 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 12th September.**

Parents who have not yet registered their children, rising 8 (Year 3), can still do so. They are invited to see Canon Joe or one of the Catechists for an enrolment form as soon as possible. It is requested that forms, once completed, are returned immediately.

Patricia Whittle R.I.P.

Patricia died at Shirehall Nursing Home, Cardiff, on 9th September aged 87 years. We offer our condolences to her daughters Anne, and Louise and her son Paul and the family at this sad time.

A Requiem Mass will be celebrated at 11.00am in St. Mary's on **Tuesday 29th September**, followed by a private burial service in St. Andrew's Major churchyard at 12.30pm.

May She Rest In Peace

UCM – We will join St. Joseph's UCM at St. Joseph's Church on **Wednesday 23rd September** to celebrate their Foundation's Centenary at the UCM Diocesan Quarterly Mass.

Altar Linen: September: Anne Fowler
October: Mo McCarthy

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 John Gibbs.

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