



PENARTH

ST. JOSEPH'S & ST. MARY'S



DINAS POWYS

PARISH GAZETTE

The Archdiocese of Cardiff, Registered Charity no. 242380

12th Sunday of Ordinary Time A

June 21st 2020.

1st Reading: Jeremiah 20: 10-13

Jeremiah begs God to grant him peace from the enemies who are whispering against him.

Ps 68: 8-10, 14. 17. 33-35, R/v.14

In your great love, answer me, O God.

2nd Reading: Romans 5: 12-15

As through one person, Adam, sin entered the world; so through one person, Jesus, grace has abounded even more.

Acclamation: Jn 1: 14.12

Alleluia, alleluia !

The Word was made flesh and lived among us;

To all who did accept him

He gave power to become children of God.

Alleluia !

Gospel: Matthew 10: 26-33

Jesus urges us not to fear: in the ~Father's sight, the very hairs of our head are numbered.

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

"DO NOT BE AFRAID"

When Jesus tell us not to be afraid, (as he does frequently in the gospels), he is usually speaking about a physical threat from someone or something we can see and hear and whose presence is felt. He often spoke of the enemy "without" and the enemy "within". He made the distinction between, on the one hand, being afraid of an external threat, and on the other hand, the internal issues that can bring fear to the very fibre of our being.

Fear is a powerful emotion, and is often used as a weapon by the strong of this world, to control the weak and the vulnerable. This is the enemy "without".

Then there is the fear of things we cannot see. We fear the unknown; we fear for the future; we fear for our health; we fear for our families. Fear paralyses people; it deprives them of the power of action and can render them helpless in a given situation. This is the enemy "within".

The Coronavirus pandemic is one such situation. Covid-19 has changed our way of life. It has changed the world and there is no guarantee that things will ever be quite the same again – and this is FRIGHTENING.

"Do not be afraid" (Jesus whispers). Jesus quietly re-assures us that this pandemic will pass. There is an army of qualified people out there, using their God-given talents, working tirelessly to find a vaccine or a drug with which to treat this rogue virus. We pray for them and for the speedy success of their work. "Do not be afraid". Our future is in God's safe hands. Where else would we want it to be?

Mgr. Joe.

RE-OPENING OF CHURCHES. (Update)

Even though the Welsh Government has relaxed the current Lockdown on our churches and allowed them to be used for Private Prayer from Monday 22nd June, their forthcoming permission is subject to strict health and safety regulations, which apply to all public buildings. The first phase of church openings will only involve large strategically placed churches (eg in town centres). Others will follow, but EVERY church will have to complete its own risk assessment and submit it for approval before they are given the green light.

Amongst other things, there will have to be a list of volunteer stewards, (preferably under 70yrs) whose task will be to supervise each visitor from entry to departure, making sure that they follow the instructions re hygiene and keep to the direction markings around the church. The church would need to be deep cleaned after each period it is open, and again volunteers will be required to come forward. So although re-opening the churches sounds to be a relatively simple task, there are many strings attached, and unless the building blocks are in place beforehand, the churches cannot open. This is why Mgr Joe will have to concentrate on one church at a time, beginning with St. Joseph's.

He and two other parishioners are engaged in the process of obtaining protective equipment and cleaning materials, as well as ordering relevant signage, tape, and floor markings etc. However, the sticking point is going to be the number of volunteers who come forward. Without them it just isn't viable. More details and information on how to volunteer will be given via the Gazette in due course.



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Parish Website: www.stjosephsandstmarys.com
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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

Parish Advisory Council Chair
Bill Nolan Tel: 029 2070 2056
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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

- (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).

CAFOD CORONAVIRUS APPEAL GOES ON.....

Just because we have reached and passed our initial target by raising £1050, **it doesn't stop there**. CAFOD has extended the Coronavirus Appeal over the summer months under the title of "**Summer of Hope**". It will end in October. The chaplaincy team at our own Catholic High School, **St. Richard Gwyn**, has already started raising money for this worthy cause by putting their faith into action in many ways. So far they have committed to feeding a lady's cat, making rainbows for neighbours, and Wiktor, who is 12 is doing the ironing for his family. If you would like to sponsor them, here is the link and you can always see their progress on Twitter @ChaplainSRG or on Instagram on Srgchaplain. You can donate via <https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/srgchaplaincyPayItForward>

CAFOD SUMMER OF HOPE – THE PARISH.

If you are a parishioner of St. Joseph's and St. Mary's, you can continue to use the parish CAFOD JustGiving account. <https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/stjosephsandstmarys> Now is not the best time to be asking for money during our own crisis, but CAFOD needs more to help protect vulnerable communities in developing countries around the world from being overwhelmed by Coronavirus. Please give what you can. **YOU CAN ALSO GIVE** via CAFOD'S own website to CAFOD'S Summer of Hope Appeal. cafod.org.uk

CYCLE OF PRAYER: This week it is the turn of:

Belmont Abbey. We pray for Right Rev Paul Stonham, Abbot, and the Benedictine Community. Also the Deacon Eddie Wyman. There is also the Retreat Centre and Holy Trinity Monastery of Benedictine nuns, Wormbridge.

PARISH OFFERTORY COLLECTION ON-LINE.

We now have a direct giving page on our website. To access please visit the website (see parish register above) and click on **Parish Offertory** and follow the links to find out how to give to St. Joseph's and St. Mary's Parish online.

TO ARRANGE A BANKERS ORDER.

These are the details you require
PLEASE PAY TO: Barclays Bank Queen St. Cardiff.
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TO THE CREDIT OF: **Archdiocese of Cardiff**
PARISH ACCOUNT NUMBER: **33170373**
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You can find a blank Bankers Order Form on our website. Simply click on "Parish Offertory".

JUSTICE AND PEACE GROUP.

Although the national gathering of the J&P Movement has been cancelled, two Zoom meetings have been arranged on Saturday July 18th at 10.30am and 2.30pm. Talks and discussions will be around how do we, as Church, move to an alternative model of "being" post pandemic, in the light of the Gospel and Pope Francis' social teaching in documents like Laudato Si and Evangelii Gaudium. How do we begin to build and care for our common home. To book:- <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/-post-pandemic-church-paralysed-or-energised-recovered-or-re-imagined-tickets-108604414728> Before 10th July. All Welcome.

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PRIVATE MASSES

WEEK COMMENCING SUNDAY JUNE 21ST 2020

Sunday	June 21st	12th Sunday in Ordinary Time A	
MASS IN PRIVATE		9.00am	Fr. John Meredith (Callaghan) 731
Ordinary Time Year 2, Week 12.			
Monday	June 22nd	Weekday in Ordinary Time	
MASS IN PRIVATE		9.00am	Canon Peter Taylor (O.B.) 707
Tuesday	June 23rd	Weekday in Ordinary Time.	
MASS IN PRIVATE		9.00am	Private Intention (Trow) 735
Wednesday	June 24th	The Nativity of John the Baptist (Solemnity)	
MASS IN PRIVATE		9.00am	Mary and Ron Baker (Stimpson) 690
FUNERAL SERVICE	(Crematorium)	1.00pm	Gaynor Bond-Bowman RIP
Thursday	June 25th	Weekday in Ordinary Time.	
MASS IN PRIVATE		9.00am	William Powell (O.B.) 700
Friday	June 26th	Weekday in Ordinary Time.	
MASS IN PRIVATE		9.00am	Mgr. Anthony Stark (O.B.) 709
Saturday	June 27th	Votive Memorial of Our Lady on Saturday.	
MASS IN PRIVATE		9.00am	Ray Smedley (Bramhill) 738
Sunday	June 28th	SS Peter and Paul, Apostles. (Solemnity) A	
MASS IN PRIVATE		9.00am	Leonard Stimpson (Pat) 691



THE YEAR OF GOD WHO SPEAKS

“The Word was made flesh and lived among us; to all who did accept him he gave power to become children of God”.
 (Gospel acclamation Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time).

