

Catholic Renewal Conference – 21st-23rd August

The Conference is at University College of Wales, Trinity St. Carmarthen CF31 3EP. The speakers will be Fr Matt Anscombe and Ged Farrell who have great ministry in teaching, prayer and praise. Come to this event, deepen your faith and enrich your prayer life. The weekend is friendly and informal and will give you the opportunity to mingle with others who share your faith in the beautiful surroundings of the College. For a booking form, please contact Mrs P Williams, 42 Mur Gwyn, Rhiwbina, Cardiff CF14 6NR or tel: 02920 617374; email: patriciamary1950@gmail.com or online NSC website: www.ccrw.org.uk. Conference fee: £125 per person. Minimum deposit per person booked is £30 and includes accommodation and all meals from Friday evening meal at 5pm through to Sunday afternoon.

One Climate One World. J&P Group.

A reminder that on Wednesday 17th June we are invited to join with many supporters of the Climate Coalition (of which CAFOD is a member) to meet our new MPs in London, to ask them to speak up in Parliament for the world's poor and to urge the Government to take a leading role in negotiating an international deal to reduce the causes of climate change when world leaders meet for the Paris Climate Change Conference in November.

Please consider joining us on the 17th June. However if you are unable to come to London, there will be a chance to send a message to the politicians by signing a banner to express your support for the Campaign. **The signing will take place in St. Joseph's Church on the weekend of 30th/31st May and in St. Mary's on 7th June.**

Summer Serenade – Tuesday 2nd June at 7.30pm

A relaxing evening of music for piano, cello, harp and voice will take place at Trinity Methodist Church, Penarth with Janet Pedwell and Rebecca Warner.

Retiring donations will be in aid of Ty Hafan and Jamisa Yiriwa Nursery. See Poster

The Big Mile – a local walk

On a Sunday in June the SVP and CSAN (Caritas Social Action Network) will be organising the above walk to raise awareness of poverty in England and Wales while raising funds for the SVP and CSAN. To enhance community participation organisers will have the option to include a picnic, BBQ or similar at the end of the walk if appropriate.

There is a bespoke website (www.bigmile.org.uk) where interest can be registered.

Used Duplo & Lego Link Lesotho

Thank you for the donations received already of used Lego and Duplo blocks. Your donations may still be brought into Stanwell Road Baptist Church next Saturday morning before the donation period ends at the end of May

Annual CYTÛN Fun Run

This Year (the 13th Run) will be on **Saturday 6th June** at 11am as usual at Cosmeston Country Park. Sponsor forms will be made available during the coming weeks. **Two weeks to go – keep training!**

ST. JOSEPH'S

UCM – The next meeting will be held at 7.30pm on **Monday 1st June** in the church hall. New members are always welcome – just come along

Reminder – St. Joseph's hall bookings!

Please remember that hall bookings must be made through the presbytery for the time being and not with Mary Hardiman.

CYTÛN - Penarth Food Bank – Urgent Appeal!

'Pharoah's Pantry at Tabernacle Church, Plassey Street, Penarth is empty – **the cupboard is bare!** – well, nearly, only a few small stocks of pasta and rice remain. Food stock of all kinds is required urgently. Pharoah's Pantry is open for food donations from **9am to 12 noon from Monday to Friday.**

Please keep your cars off the Grass!

Part of the central lawn in front of St. Joseph's Church has been re-turfed because of damage caused by car wheels. Would drivers please take care not to overlap on to the newly turfed area and would they park sensibly and retract their wing mirrors so that other cars can pass their parked vehicles. Thank you!

Piety Shop – don't forget to pick up your Catholic papers and periodicals as you leave the church.

ST. MARY'S

Margaret Mary Elizabeth Frayling R.I.P.

We were saddened to hear of the death of Margaret on Monday 18th May at UHW. Our thoughts are with the family at this time. Her Funeral Mass will take place in St. Mary's on **Friday 29th May** at 1.45pm, followed by committal at the Vale Crematorium at 3pm. **May she rest in peace.**

UCM – Please meet in the church grounds at 7.00pm on **Wednesday 27th May** for the annual walk to Cardiff Bay. New members always welcome - just come along.

Heads Up! Date for your diary – a sell-out event!

The Social Committee will be holding the annual wine tasting event on **Saturday 4th July** (not related to a same day transatlantic event!) and this year in addition we will also be offering a selection of cheeses to taste! Tickets will be £10 – on sale nearer to the date. The money raised will be shared between the Teenage Cancer Trust and Nazareth House.

Altar Linen: May - Therese Brayford

Please pray for our Sick

St Joseph's: Eileen Sinclair, Femmy Rowlands, Patrick Rickard, Joe Cronin, Charles Curran, Valerie Catterall, Norma Flanigan, Karen Lyons, Nero Peralta, Bev Fitzgerald and Gordon Smith.

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