

PENARTH

ST. JOSEPH'S & ST. MARY'S



PARISH GAZETTE



DINAS POWYS

The Archdiocese of Cardiff, Registered Charity no. 242380

The Nativity of St. John the Baptist

June 24th 2018

1st Reading: Isaiah 49:1-6

The servant of the Lord speaks of his role to be a light to the nations.

Ps 138: 1-3. 13-15. Rv. 14

I thank you for the wonder of my being.

2nd Reading: Acts 13:22-26

Paul explains how in Jesus God has raised up one of David's descendants.

Acclamation: Lk 1:76

Alleluia, alleluia!
As for you, little child, you shall be called
a prophet of God, the Most High.
You shall go ahead of the Lord
to prepare his ways before him.
Alleluia!

Gospel: Luke 1:57-66. 80

The family and friends of John the Baptist celebrate his birth and wonder what he will become.

SPECIAL MASS – SUN 1ST JULY – NEXT WEEK

Throughout his pontificate, **Pope Francis** has reminded us of our core calling to be joyful witnesses to the **Good News of Jesus Christ**. As British Catholics conscious of a history of persecution, we have a natural reticence about sharing our faith – a reticence which we **must overcome** if we are to fulfil our great commission to make **Christ known**. Inviting a friend to “come and see” is perhaps the **least threatening** way of **sharing our faith with others**.

As Catholics across South Wales and Herefordshire, we are therefore asked to **INVITE A FRIEND** to experience Mass on **Sunday 1st July at 9.30am in St. Joseph's** and at **11.15am in St. Mary's**. A **beautiful book** has been produced to **help everyone** who attends, to follow the service. For **non-Catholics**, the pictures will be attractive, and having all the hymns and Mass parts laid out, will help them keep track of what is happening. For **Catholics who attend Mass regularly** the book will be a **Catechesis** on what we do and why we do it. **ALL ARE ENCOURAGED TO TAKE THE BOOKS HOME WITH THEM**. Visitors are invited to join parishioners for **coffee afterwards** in either of our church halls.

Last week **Canon Joe** asked parishioners to think of members of their **own families** in particular, who may have **lost touch with the church** over the years for whatever reason.

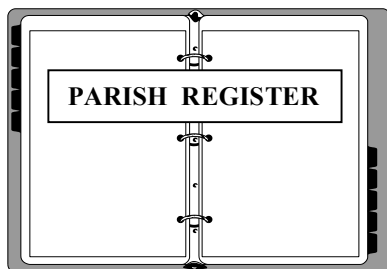
SPECIAL MASS – CONTINUED

Alternatively, there may be other **non-Catholic** people who might like to “come and see” what we do at Mass. Whichever way you decide, there are **INVITATION POSTCARDS** that will be given out after Masses **TODAY** as you leave the church. They are only for those who would like to **extend the invitation to a specific person** of their choosing. On the **back of the postcard**, on the blank strip, they should insert the name of the church (**St. Joseph's or St. Mary's**) and the time of the Mass (**9.30am or 11.15am**).

If there is **no particular person** you can think of to bring to Mass, then **just bring yourselves**. You will find the books that will be given out, **inspirational**. Even parishioners who have practised their faith for many years will find **new insights** into the **Liturgy** we celebrate, and find the booklets informative. **We may think we know all there is to know about the Mass, but how often has the Mass been explained to us in depth, over the years?** Please take this opportunity to come along, **follow the Mass in the booklet**, read the commentary, and **take the booklet home with you**.

The **social gathering** in the church halls afterwards is an **important part** of the **welcome we extend** to our visitors. **Please play your part in making next Sunday a success.**

ST. JOSEPH'S AND ST MARY'S SVP – The next meeting is on **Tuesday 26th June** in **St. Joseph's Hall**.



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priesthouse@aol.com

Permanent Deacon: Rev. Elfed Jones
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Parish Website: www.stjosephsandstmarys.com
Notices/photos to: 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

St. Richard Gwyn Catholic High School
Argae Lane, Barry. Tel: 01446 729250
email: s.grech@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
Paul Gallone KHS. Tel: 029 2070 9401
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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
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

	<u>Gift Aid</u>	<u>Non-Gift Aid</u>	<u>Total</u>
St. Joseph's	£397.50	£429.48	£826.98
Church Fees			£50.00
Day For Life			£502.53
approx. £200 per week Gift Aid Income also received by S/O			
St. Mary's	£130.81	£246.76	£377.57
Day For Life			£287.03
approx. £150 per week Gift Aid Income also received by S/O			

Thank you all for your generosity.

SPUC 45TH ANNUAL 10KM SPONSORED WALK

Taking place on **Sunday 1st July 2018, 3pm** starting from the Pedestrian Footbridge, Sophia Gardens (car park side), Cardiff. Please sponsor **PAUL STIMPSON**, our St. Joseph's & St. Mary's walker, to raise funds for SPUC's ongoing campaign to save defenceless unborn babies from abortion, and other victims of abortion. "Women who have had an abortion experience an 81% higher risk of mental health problems in various forms, compared to women who have not had an abortion". [British Journal of Psychiatry, 2011] Paul will be collecting sponsorship after Masses **TODAY**. **SEE POSTER.**

MORNING OF MUSIC – SATURDAY 30TH JUNE

You are invited to 'A little morning Music' with coffee, tea, scones, cream and homemade jam **NEXT Saturday 30th June** from **10am** until **12.30pm** in **St Joseph's Hall**, with summer music presented by **Philip and Liz Heyman**. The event is in aid of **RTU (Reaching the Unreached)** to provide a well for drinking water for a primary school in South India. Tickets are priced at **£3.00** and are on sale again after all Masses **this weekend**. Quality bric-a-brac, good books, cakes and preserves for sale. Donations of cakes are most welcome. For more information call Roswitha on 02920 701587.

ST. PETER & ST. PAUL – FRIDAY 29TH JUNE

Friday of THIS WEEK is a **HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION** and we are obliged to go to Mass as if it were a Sunday. There is a Vigil Mass in **St. Mary's** on **Thursday** at **7.30pm** and, on the **Day of the Feast**, two Masses in **St. Joseph's**, **10am** and **7.30pm**. Please make every effort to give this Solemnity the recognition it demands from us.

CAFOD PYRAMID BOXES – Thank you for bringing in your boxes today and taking away an empty one.

DO YOU KNOW SOMEONE WHO IS IN HOSPITAL? PLEASE READ THIS

Do you know someone who is in hospital? – either in UHW, Llandough Hosp, or Marie Curie, Holme Tower? IT IS VITAL THAT YOU TELL THE PARISH CLERGY IMMEDIATELY (see phone numbers in left hand column) OR THE PARISH HOSPITAL CHAPLAINCY CO-ORDINATOR (on 029 20515309) OR UHW CHAPLAINCY ON 029 2074 3230. Otherwise the chaplaincy team will not know that the person is there. Due to the Data Protection Act, the team no longer has access to the list of Admissions. If no one from the Church has been to see the person in hospital, it is because they do not know the person is there.

ANNUAL PARISH ACCOUNTS

Copies of the annual parish accounts of St. Joseph's and St. Mary's parish for the year ended 31st March 2018 are available at the back of both churches. Any queries to Dr. Martin Price, Chair of the Parish Finance Committee, on martin@martinprice.com.

MARRIAGE PREPARATION IN THE ARCHDIOCESE OF CARDIFF

– We are currently recruiting volunteers who would be interested in joining our **Marriage Preparation Team**. As the provision of lay led preparation across the diocese is expanded and developed, we need to recruit more volunteers. **Could you work with engaged couples as a facilitator?** As a volunteer you would:

- Become part of the **developing network of Marriage Preparation** providers within our archdiocese;
- Deliver Marriage Care programmes to **engaged couples** of your deanery;
- Help engaged couples **discern their readiness** for the **Sacrament of Marriage**;
- **Deepen** your own appreciation of the Sacrament of Matrimony.

Training and support will be provided by Marriage Care in partnership with the Archdiocesan Family Life Worker. For more details **pick up a leaflet** at the back of church, **speak to your parish priest**, contact either volunteer@marriagecare.org.uk or in the diocese Joanne White, Family Life Worker 02920 365964 or parenting@rcadc.org.

WELSH CHURCHES @ NATIONAL EISTEDDFOD

Tickets to the Service of Welsh Churches at the National Eisteddfod, Cardiff on **Sunday 5th August at 9am** are available **free of charge** from the Cytûn website. Just follow the link to the application form from the main page at www.cytun.cymru; alternatively you can call 02920 464204.

NAZARETH HOUSE CARDIFF

Are you looking for **Nursing** or **Residential Care** for yourself or a relative or a friend? **Nazareth House** in Column Road, Cardiff, currently has beds available. If you are interested, please contact the General Manager, Jayne Jefferson for more information on: 02920 220943 or jayne.jefferson@nazarethcare.com.

ANNUAL HOLY HOUR FOR VOCATIONS

Parishioners are cordially invited to the annual **Holy Hour for Vocations to the Priesthood and Religious Life** on **Wednesday 18th July** at the **Cathedral** with our seminarians. The Holy Hour (with Evening Prayer) will include a **short homily** preached by **Fr. (to-be) David Prichard**. It will begin at **6pm** and is open to everyone. Why not join us?

FORTHCOMING ORDINATIONS TO THE PRIESTHOOD;

Deacon Peter Davies: Fri 29th June at St. Brigid's
Deacon Nicholas Williams: Sat 7th July at St. David's Cathedral.
We wish them many years of happy ministry among us.

MEMORIAL MASS – CHRISTIAN PHILIP TEILO BROWN O.B.E; K.S.G; RIP

– A memorial mass for Christian Philip Teilo Brown O.B.E. K.S.G will take place at **12noon** on **Monday 25th June** at **St. David's Cathedral**, Charles Street, Cardiff, CF10 2SF. A reception will be held following the service at the **Cornerstone**. All are invited.

CELEBRATING 50 YEARS OF ST. HELENS RC

PRIMARY SCHOOL – A special Mass celebrated by **Archbishop George** will take place on **Wednesday 4th July** at **7pm** in **St. Helen's Church, Caerphilly**. All welcome.

REPAIR CAFE AT ST AUGUSTINE'S PARISH HALL

– **SUNDAY 24th JUNE** – You are invited to **bring for repair** small electrical items, computers, jewellery, clothes, wooden furniture and bicycles and enjoy a cup of tea or coffee at the same time. Volunteers will fix your items **free of charge** and **save them from going to landfill**. It is planned to open every fourth Sunday in the month from **2pm** until **5pm** at **St. Augustine's Parish Hall** in **Albert Road, Penarth**.

CAFOD SCHOOL VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Could you **spare some time to volunteer** with CAFOD? CAFOD in South Wales is looking for volunteers to work with **children and young people in Catholic schools** to help them **learn about global poverty** and **inspire them to take action**. Full training and resources provided. To find out more, please contact Therese Warwick on 02920 344882 or email southwales@cafod.org.uk

ST. ILLTYD'S CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL.

School Chaplain Required from September 2018 to develop the Catholic faith within our school community. 2.5 days per week, Term time only (17 hrs per week, 39 weeks per year). Grade 4 (actual salary £7,261).

CYTUN WORSHIP PENARTH – **Deacon Elfed** will lead the **Cytun Worship** on **Wed 4th July** at **All Saints Church** on behalf of St. Joseph's. The short service will start at **6.15pm**. **All are welcome**.

ST. JOSEPH'S

PIETY SHOP

The Catholic Times has been re-launched in TABLOID form. There are a few Catholic Times Subscription Cards at the entrances to our churches with prepaid envelopes. Why not take out a subscription? **It is important to support the Catholic press.**

ST. MARY'S

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The next meeting will be held in the Church Hall on **Wednesday 4th July** beginning at **7.30pm** when we will hold a **Bring & Buy Sale**. Anyone wishing to join us would be most welcome.

Altar Linen: June – Chris Llewellyn; July – Pam Huish

Please pray for our Sick

St. Joseph's: Patrick Rickard, Valerie Catterall, Margaret Osborne, Nero Peralta, Leslie Moorcraft, Muriel Perry, Margaret Ward, Kay Critchett, Veronica Hooper, Ann Cullen and Rosemary Latham.

St. Mary's: Lucienne Llewellyn, Pat Prangle, Mary Isherwood, Betty Thorne and Clare Reece.

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TIMES OF MASSES AND RECONCILIATION
WEEK COMMENCING SATURDAY JUNE 23RD / SUNDAY JUNE 24TH 2018

Saturday	June 23rd	The Nativity of St. John the Baptist (Solemnity)	
	St. Joseph's	5.00pm	Anna Mahoney (Paul) 826
Sunday	June 24th	The Nativity of St. John the Baptist (Solemnity)	
	St. Joseph's	9.30am	Peter Barnes (Philomena) 009
	St. Mary's	11.15am	Michael Collins (Bevan) 003
	St. Mary's	6.30pm	People of Our Parish Living and Dead
Ordinary Time, Year II, Week 12			
Monday	June 25th	Mass of the Day	
	St. Joseph's	9.30am	Matthew Burns (John & Carole) 993
Tuesday	June 26th	Mass of the Day	
	St. Mary's	9.30am	Edmund Ward & Family (O.B.) 973
Wednesday	June 27th	St. Cyril of Alexandria, Bishop and Doctor of the Church	
	St. Joseph's	10.00am	Mary Nelson (Foulkes) 997
Thursday	June 28th	St. Irenaeus, Bishop and Martyr	
	St. Mary's	9.30am	Jean Marc Du Desert (Trow) 015
Thursday	June 28th	St. Peter and St. Paul, Apostles (Solemnity) – Vigil Mass	
Holy Day of Obligation	St. Mary's	7.30pm	Priest's Intention
Friday	June 29th	St. Peter and St. Paul, Apostles (Solemnity)	
Holy Day of Obligation	St. Joseph's	10.00am	Thanksgiving – Baby Wilfred (Christiane) 018
	St. Joseph's	7.30pm	Priest's Intention
Saturday	June 30th	The First Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church	
	St. Mary's	9.30am	Exposition / Sacrament of Reconciliation
	St. Mary's	10.00am	Matthew Burns (Bevan) 002
	St. Joseph's	11am – 12 noon	Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturday	June 30th	13th Sunday of Ordinary Time (B)	
	St. Joseph's	5.00pm	Veronika Matysova (Murray) 876
Sunday	July 1st	13th Sunday of Ordinary Time (B)	
Special Mass	St. Joseph's	9.30am	Patricia O'Brien (John O'B) 021
Bring A Friend	St. Mary's	11.15am	Bernard M ^c Parlin (Peggy) 024
Baptism	St. Joseph's	2.30pm	Daisy Charlotte Davey
	St. Mary's	6.30pm	Nino & Concetta Dantoni (Sonia) 036

Please note that the main doors to St. Joseph's church, (giving access to the rear of the church behind the glass screen), will be open on weekdays from 10am until 5pm (except Tuesday – closed for cleaning).