



PENARTH

ST. JOSEPH'S & ST. MARY'S



PARISH GAZETTE



DINAS POWYS

The Archdiocese of Cardiff, Registered Charity no. 242380

The Second Sunday of Lent Time (Year B)

February 25th 2018

1st Reading: Genesis 22:1-2. 9-13. 15-18

Abraham's faith is tested. God showers blessings on him.

Ps 115:10. 15-19. Rv. Ps 114:9

*I will walk in the presence of the Lord
in the land of the living.*

2nd Reading: Romans 8:31-34

God our Father has given us all that is most precious by sending his Son. We stand acquitted – God is on our side.

Acclamation: Mt 17:5

*Glory and praise to you, O Christ!
From the bright cloud the Father's voice was heard:
'This is my Son, the Beloved. Listen to him!'
Glory and praise to you, O Christ!*

Gospel: Mark 9:2-10

At the transfiguration, the identity of Jesus is revealed
But the meaning of his identity is something the
disciples still struggle to grasp.

CAFOD FAMILY FAST DAY – FRIDAY 23 FEB

CAFOD's Family Fast Day this Lent is an opportunity to support our brothers and sisters who don't have enough to eat. With malnutrition still killing almost three million children a year, your fasting, prayers and donations will ensure more of God's children have enough good food to eat. And this Lent, your donation will make double the difference. **For every pound you donate to CAFOD, the UK Government will also donate a pound**, up to a total of £5 million, meaning twice the number of lives can be transformed. **Twice the number of children** can have the opportunity to grow up healthy and strong. CAFOD envelopes are available TODAY and there will be a second collection.

WALK WITH ME BOOKLET – LENT 2018

Archbishop George Stack, Bishop Tom Burns (Menevia) and Bishop Peter Brignall (Wrexham) have written a forward to the booklet and recommend it as an aid to prayer. This pocket-size booklet of prayers and reflections for Lent 2018 costs £1.00 and you will find them at the back of both churches. **Only a few copies left!**

STATIONS OF THE CROSS & BENEDICTION

FOR LENT – On the six Sundays of Lent up to and including Palm Sunday, there will be the traditional Stations of the Cross and Benediction beginning at 4pm in St. Joseph's.

ST. JOSEPH'S & ST. MARY'S SVP – The next meeting is on Tuesday 6th March in St. Joseph's Hall.

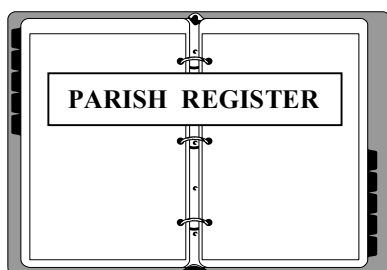
CARDIFF DEANERY STATION MASS – This year's Lenten Station Mass with the Archbishop will take place in St. Brigid's Crystal Glen, Cardiff, CF14 5QN, on Wed 28th Feb at 7pm. In the tradition of the "Station Mass", each bishop meets with his people throughout Lent.

EXTRA CONFESSIONS DURING LENT – In addition to the weekly Confessions on Saturdays, there will be an extra opportunity for Reconciliation in St. Joseph's, Penarth, on Friday evenings during Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament from 6.15pm.

ADOREMUS PREPARATION DAY – The Catholic Church will hold a National Eucharistic Pilgrimage and Congress in Liverpool this September. To prepare for this historic event, the Archdiocese of Cardiff invites everyone to a Preparation Day in St. David's Catholic College on 17th March 2018 from 10.30am to 3pm. The event is free of charge and open to people of all faiths and no faith, lunch will be provided. Christian Mahoney will be speaking after Masses here next week (on the 3rd – 4th March). **SEE POSTER**

PENARTH CYTUN LENTEN LUNCHES – These will be available for six weeks every Friday. They will be held in Stanwell Road Baptist Church Hall from 12-1.30pm.

LENTEN TALKS IN THE CORNERSTONE – Fr Tim McGrath will be speaking on Scripture each Friday in Lent from 1.30pm – 2pm at the Cornerstone with a soup and roll lunch (no charge but donations invited). All welcome. **SEE POSTER**



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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
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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

| | Gift Aid | Non-Gift Aid | Total |
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| St. Joseph's | £349.95 | £471.38 | £821.33 |
| approx. £200 per week Gift Aid Income also received by S/O | | | |
| St. Mary's | £136.50 | £213.68 | £350.18 |
| approx. £150 per week Gift Aid Income also received by S/O | | | |

Thank you all for your generosity

LENTEN TALKS – “Healing through the Penitents Path”. Every Tuesday throughout Lent at 7.30pm in **St. David's Chapel, St. Peter's RC Church, St. Peter's St., Roath, CF24 3BA.** A **potentially life changing** Spiritual Development Programme for Lent which **includes talks, prayers, sharing, testimonies and prayer ministry.** Please come along and bring your friends and family too!

NATIONAL NOVENA TO ST. JOSEPH – This will take place from **10th – 18th March 2018** at **St. Joseph's Church in Maidenhead** and at **Herbert House, Freshfield, Liverpool.** Each year the Mill Hill Missionaries prepare for the Feast of St. Joseph, their patron, with a **special Novena of Masses and prayers** to ask for **God's blessing** on their Society and the **missionary outreach of the Church,** as well as for the intentions of all those who support their work. You are invited to **send in your petitions** and/or to **request a Novena booklet** to enable you to join in from home. Please write to Fr. Liam Cummins MHM, St. Joseph's Missionary Society, 58 Cookham Road, Maidenhead, SL6 7HT or email novenamhm@gmail.com.

MARY SULLIVAN AND THE “NEWTOWN” ASSOCIATION – The next talk from the **Wales and the Marches Catholic History Society** will take place on **Sun 4th March at 3pm** in St. David's RC Sixth Form College, Ty-Gwyn Road, Cardiff. The Talk **Little Ireland** is the story of Newtown and the Newtown Association. It should be of great interest to the many Catholics in Cardiff with Irish roots. All welcome, further information from Tricia Coulthard - 02920 595899 or email triciacoulthard@outlook.com.

ANNUAL MASS FOR THE SICK & ELDERLY - This Mass with anointing of the Sick and elderly, will take place in St. Joseph's Primary School on **Sat 16th Jun at 12noon.** Would Eucharistic Ministers and SVP please begin to make suggestions to those they visit. We shall begin to compile lists **after Easter.** A date for your diaries.

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.
PLEASE DO NOT IGNORE THIS NOTICE.

“DIVINE MERCY” VISIT

Two Sisters of Our Lady of Mercy will be visiting the Diocese for the afternoon/evening of **Monday 26th February** and will visit **three parishes** to talk about **St. Faustina, Divine Mercy**, and to **join us for a period of prayer**. They will be visiting:

- St. Mary of the Angels, Canton – 1pm – 4.30pm
- St. Mary’s, Stow Hill, Newport – 1pm – 4.30pm
- St. Teilo’s, Whitchurch – starting at 6pm.

Lent is the season of **Repentance** and **Mercy** and provides a great opportunity for discovering more about this wonderful Devotion. Popes St. John Paul II, Benedict XVI and Francis have each commended the devotion to Divine Mercy to the world and have subsequently visited the Divine Mercy Sanctuary in Krakow Poland. The two Sisters are visiting Wales as part of a parish Mission in Swansea and will be making the journey from the Divine Mercy Sanctuary in Krakow, Poland. They will give a Lenten talk and a period of prayer on Divine Mercy.

OFFEREN DYDD GWYL DEWI – Celebrate our Patron Saint’s day with Mass in Welsh for St. David’s Day at St. Teilo’s Church, Whitchurch, CF14 1AD at **4.30pm** on the **1st March**. Bilingual booklets will be provided and all are welcome; refreshments afterwards. **Croeso cynes i bawb**.

GODSPELL THE MUSICAL – The joyful musical *Godspell* is to be performed at **the Cornerstone**, Charles Street, Cardiff running from the **22nd to 27th March** (no performance on Sunday 25th March) starting at **7.30pm**. Tickets are available online www.eventagiousonline.co.uk or telephone 02920 494425. This will be a wonderful way to begin the great celebration of Easter.

CAFOD PYRAMID BOXES – Thank you for bringing your full CAFOD boxes today and exchanging them for an empty one.

ST. JOSEPH’S

MARY ELIZABETH PRITCHARD RIP (The Broadway, Cowbridge) – Mary has died at the age of 91 years. In latter years she lived in Cowbridge but in earlier years it was in Penarth. A Funeral Service has been arranged for Friday 2nd March in St. Joseph’s at 11am and then interment in Penarth Cemetery. **MAY SHE REST IN PEACE.**

DOROTHY MARY DONEY RIP (69 Lewis Rd.)
Dorothy (Dot) passed away at UHW on 1st Feb aged 90. We extend our condolences to her family at this time. A Funeral Service will take place at the Vale Crematorium on Tuesday 6th March at 12 noon. **MAY SHE REST IN PEACE.**

WOMEN’S WORLD DAY OF PRAYER – This annual event is being held in **St. Augustine’s Church** on **Fri 2nd March** at **1.45pm**. It has been prepared by women of Suriname. The title is: **“All God’s Creation is very good”**. All parishioners are very welcome to attend this interesting and colourful event.

INTER-CHURCH LENT GROUPS 2018 (PENARTH CYTUN) The inter-church **Lent Groups** started the week commencing **19th February**. They will be using the York Course *On the Third Day*. The cost, including the booklet and contribution to group CD, will be £4.50. A review of the studies will be held after the course on a date to be confirmed.

ST. JOSEPH’S UCM – The next meeting of St. Joseph’s UCM is on **Monday 26th February** at **7.30pm** in the Church Hall.

PIETY SHOP – As well as Easter Cards that you can buy, Holy Communion and Confirmation Gifts can be ordered from the brochure. Also, please remember to pick up your Catholic Paper.

ST. MARY’S

MICHAEL COLLINS RIP (Bethel House, Hebron Hall)
It was with great sadness that we learnt of the unexpected death of Michael on the 2nd February aged 76 years. Our sincere condolences go out to the family. A Funeral Mass will take place in St. Mary’s Dinas Powys on Wednesday 28th February at 12.30pm and afterwards at Barry Crematorium. **MAY HE REST IN PEACE.**

WOMEN’S WORLD OF PRAYER SERVICE – This year it will take place on **Friday 2nd March** at **St. Peter’s Church, Dinas Powys**, at **7.30pm**. All welcome.

CHILDRENS CLOTHES – A bag containing children’s clothes, (some new), was left at the 11.15am Mass three weeks ago with no instructions. Would the person please contact **Canon Joe** or a **parishioner** at St. Mary’s **ASAP** to clarify their intentions. If they are not claimed, they will be given to a charity shop.

INTER-CHURCH LENT GROUPS 2018

(DINAS POWYS CYTUN) – The Inter-church lent groups using the York Course are also running in Dinas Powys from **Monday 19th Feb** in the **Methodist Church, Dinas Powys**. Deacon Elfed is leading the fifth and final week on the 19th March.

NEWPORT HALF MARATHON FUNDRAISING

Lara Stevens (Cowpe) is running the **Newport Half Marathon** in memory of a family friend, Claire Chate-Fawcett. She is raising money for **St. Christopher’s Hospice** and **Professor Ottensmeier’s Experimental Cancer Medicine Fund**. If anyone would like to sponsor Lara then please see her or her parents outside the 11.15am Mass this Sunday.

FILM CLUB for children in school years 3+

Our next **FREE** film club will take place **TODAY (25th Feb)** at **St. Mary’s Church Hall, 2-4pm**. Bring a cushion or beanbag to sit on and pocket money for the tuck shop. The film is *Finding Dory* (U).

ST. MARY’S UCM – We will next meet in the Church Hall on **Wed 7th March** at **7.30pm** when we will have a **speaker who will talk about dementia**. Anyone wishing to join us, would be most welcome.

Altar Linen: February – Rowena Spencer
March – Anne Fowler

Please pray for our Sick

St. Joseph’s: Femmy Rowlands, Patrick Rickard, Valerie Catterall, Margaret Osborne, Nero Peralta, Leslie Moorcraft, Muriel Perry, Margaret Ward, Kay Critchett, Veronica Hooper, Joe Fadian, Sheila Docking and Ann Cullen.

St. Mary’s: Lucienne Llewellyn, Nicholas Barron, Pat Prangley, Paul Walsh, Mary Isherwood, Betty Thorne and Clare Reece.

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TIMES OF MASSES AND RECONCILIATION
WEEK COMMENCING SATURDAY FEBRUARY 24TH / SUNDAY FEBRUARY 25TH 2018

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| Saturday | February 24th | 2nd Sunday of Lent (B) | |
| | St. Joseph's | 5.00pm | Edwin & Constance Channin (Pauline) 863 |
| Sunday | February 25th | 2nd Sunday of Lent (B) | |
| | St. Joseph's | 9.30am | John Cummins (Judy) 865 |
| | St. Mary's | 11.15am | Michael Collins (Burns) 870 |
| | St. Joseph's | 4pm | Stations of the Cross and Benediction |
| | St. Mary's | 6.30pm | Mary Jones (Kathy) 860 |
| Second Week of Lent | | | |
| Monday | February 26th | Weekday, 2nd Week of Lent | |
| | St. Joseph's | 9.30am | Eileen Litton (St. Joseph's UCM) 880 |
| Tuesday | February 27th | Weekday, 2nd Week of Lent | |
| | St. Mary's | 9.30am | Evelyn Hanley – Wellbeing (Philip) 885 |
| Wednesday | February 28th | Weekday, 2nd Week of Lent | |
| | St. Joseph's | 10.00am | Phil Brewster (Byrne) 868 |
| Funeral Mass | St. Mary's | 12.30pm | Michael Collins RIP |
| Thursday | March 1st | St. David, Bishop, Patron of Wales, Patron of Wrexham Diocese and Titular of Cardiff Cathedral | |
| | St. Mary's | 9.30am | Michael Collins (SVP) 883 |
| Friday | March 2nd | Weekday, 2nd Week of Lent | |
| Funeral Service | St. Joseph's | 11am | Mary Elizabeth Pritchard RIP |
| | St. Joseph's | 6.15pm | Exposition / Sacrament of Reconciliation |
| | St. Joseph's | 7.00pm | Mary Nelson (Llewellyn) 874 |
| Saturday | March 3rd | Weekday, 2nd Week of Lent | |
| | St. Mary's | 9.30am | Exposition / Sacrament of Reconciliation |
| | St. Mary's | 10.00am | Priest's Intention |
| | St. Joseph's | 11am – 12 noon | Sacrament of Reconciliation |
| Saturday | March 3rd | 3rd Sunday of Lent (B) | |
| | St. Joseph's | 5.00pm | Sam Romaya (Valerie) 884 |
| Sunday | March 4th | 3rd Sunday of Lent (B) | |
| | St. Joseph's | 9.30am | Alfred Gooding (Cora) 873 |
| | St. Mary's | 11.15am | Daphne Goddard – Wellbeing (A Dean) 889 |
| | St. Joseph's | 4pm | Stations of the Cross and Benediction |
| | St. Mary's | 6.30pm | Edward Veldon (John and Joan) 887 |

Please note that the main doors to St. Joseph's church, Penarth, and St. Mary's, Dinas Powys, will be closed outside of Service times.