

SVP

The SVP will meet next on **Tuesday 4th February** in St. Mary's Hall at 2.15pm.

Come and See what Religious Life is all about!

A day for women who would like to learn more about becoming a Sister. Take time to pray, reflect and ask questions with the Sisters of St. Joseph of Annecy on **Saturday 8th March** in Newport. Contact Sr. Marianne for more information at ssjavocations@hotmail.com or phone 01633 252321. See Poster

Pamper Night

On **Saturday 8th February** a Pamper Night will be held in Whitchurch Community Centre in aid of Teenage Cancer Trust's work in South Wales.

There will be stalls, treatments (i.e. nails, hair consultation and reflexology to name but a few), tombola and a raffle. Ticket price: £7.50, to include a soft drink and chocolate fountain!!

Contact Lara Cowpe for tickets – Tel: 07790909023.

Donations for the book stall and tombola will be very welcome.

The 'UK Gold' film

This Christian Aid film is a 75 minute film in which a vicar in East London, the Rev. William Taylor, faces up to the financial institutions of London and the global tax dodging practices which happen there.

The showing will be at 7.30pm on **Wednesday 12th February** in Stanwell Road Baptist Church, either in the Lecture Room or in the Chapel, depending on the numbers attending. See Poster

Diocesan Year Books – have you got yours?

The 2014 Diocesan Year Books are still available priced at £2.60 each in the Piety Shop in St. Joseph's, and in both entrances in St. Mary's. You are encouraged to buy one if you can, as you will be helping the parish finances. There is no 'sale or return' recourse. Thank you.

Morning Worship – Radio Four

Radio 4's Morning Worship will be broadcast from St. David's Cathedral on **Sunday 2nd March**. The theme will be the '**Feast of St. David**' and will be conducted by Canon Peter Collins. Archbishop George Stack will preach.

Penarth Food Bank – Tabernacle Church, Plassey Street, Penarth. Current major deficiencies are eggs, long life milk, toilet rolls and nappies, plus the usual tins of meat, etc. There is also a great need for carrier bags.

ST. JOSEPH'S

JOHN ANTHONY PACKER R.I.P.

Anthony died last Monday at Holme Tower. Our condolences go to Ann his wife and his family. His body

will be received into St. Joseph's Church on Thursday 30th January at 6pm and his Requiem Mass will be held on **Friday 31st January** at 10am.

MAY HE REST IN PEACE

UCM

The next meeting of St. Joseph's UCM will be held on **Monday 27th January** at 7.30pm.

New members are always welcome and you are invited to come and meet the group at the Church Hall on alternate Mondays.

Piety Shop – Don't forget to pick up your Catholic Papers as you leave church.

Magnificat – Bringing the Word of God to Life
3 issues for only £9 (introductory offer). Order online or send form. Offer valid until 30th June for new subscribers only. See Poster.

ST. MARY'S

UCM

The next meeting will be held at 7.30pm on **Wednesday 5th February** in St. Mary's Hall.

New members are always welcome – just come along.

Afternoon Tea!

Calling all ladies ... (and gentlemen who like afternoon tea) ... enjoy a celebration of weddings in St. Mary's. Come and join us on **Saturday 15th February** from 3pm-5pm for a chance to reminisce over pictures and laugh over stories while supporting Asthma UK in their work to help this disease, which affects 5 million people in the UK alone. Angharad Price is running in the London Marathon to support this charity. Anyone who has photographs of a wedding in St. Mary's that they are willing to lend for a short while please see Nicky Price, or phone 029 2051 4034.

Mullan Family Thank You!

On behalf of Brian and all the Mullan Family, Nic and Jacki want to say a huge 'Thank You' for the support and friendship given before and after Mum's death. We also appreciate all who contributed food and help at the funeral. We were overwhelmed by the generosity of contributions to the Amyloidosis Research Fund given in Mum's name. Thank you.

Altar Linen: January - Pam Huish

Please pray for our Sick

St Joseph's: Eileen Sinclair, Femmy Rowlands, Patrick Rickard, Joe Cronin, Charles Curran, Norma Flanigan, Karen Lyons, Rosemary Latham, Len Rainbow and Nero Peralta.

St. Mary's: Bernard McParlin, Lucienne Llewellyn, Bill Turton, Nicholas Barron, Pat Prangle, Pat Pickering, Bernard O'Neill, Terry Jones, Paul Walsh and Marianne Cowpe.