

Parish of Our Lady and St David, Cwmbran

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Sunday 28th July

Seventeenth Sunday of Ordinary Time Year C

Psalter week 1



Ask, and it will be given to you.

The Word This Week

When we see the child in the sweet shop nagging and moaning at mum or dad for something, we probably don't think of it as a model of our prayer lives! And yet, if we take the word of God seriously today, that is exactly what our faith teaches us to do! The message is persistence - never giving up, even if prayers do not seem to be answered. We shouldn't ask why they are not answered on the spot (God's probably got a reason), but should just continue beating on the door of heaven in faith and hope.

Hymns nos (OLA)

971 Entrance

527 Gloria

708 Offertory

713 Holy Communion

722 Recessional

First Reading: Genesis 18: 20-32

Responsorial Psalm: On the day I called, you answered me, O Lord

Second Reading: Colossians 2: 12-14

Gospel: Luke 11: 1-13

TEA, COFFEE, BISCUITS and a CHAT in St Anne's room after 9.30am Mass today and every Sunday

Baptisms at St David's today

We welcome into our parish family Erin Purcell who will be baptised at the 11.15 Mass and Kian Patrick Williams who will be baptised at 4pm.
Congratulations to both families.

BAPTISM AND WEDDING APPOINTMENTS

Please contact Canon John on 01633482346 or email cwmbranparish@virginmedia.com

Interested in becoming a Catholic?

Please contact Canon John

*Please inform me of any one
being admitted to hospital
or being discharged.
Canon John*

Our Parish Liturgy and Devotions

Morning Prayer –Tues and Thurs 9.10am

Mass Times and Intentions this week:-

Saturday	4.30pm 6.00pm	St David's Our Lady's	Chris Searle (LR) Eileen Gibbs (BM)
Sunday	9.30am 11.15am	Our Lady's St David's	George Hollings (MH) Vivienne Paget (CG)
Monday	<u>11.15am</u> <u>1.45pm</u>	St David's St David's	Funeral Mass for Kitty Walker Funeral Service for Joseph O'Shaughnessy
Tuesday	9.30am <u>4.00pm</u>	St David's Our Lady's	Cecil Magness Vigil for Tom McCarthy
Wednesday	<u>12 noon</u> <u>2.15pm</u>	Our Lady's Our Lady's	Funeral Mass for Tom McCarthy Funeral Service for Marie-Rose Hall
Thursday	9.30am <u>12 noon</u>	St David's St David's	Thanksgiving (CG) Funeral Service for David Clements
Friday	<u>8am-12 noon</u> <u>2.00pm</u>	Our Lady's Our Lady's	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Mass to celebrate the Sick and Housebound
Saturday	12-12.30pm 3.45 – 4.15 4.30pm 6.00pm	Our Lady's St David's St David's Our Lady's	Sacrament of Reconciliation Sacrament of Reconciliation The People of the Parish Eileen Gibbs (BM)
Sunday	9.30am 11.15am	Our Lady's St David's	Special Intention Denis Donoghue (VD)

What's on this week at St David's

Tuesday: 10am Divine Mercy Devotions

Wednesday: 10am Choir Practice

Thursday: 10am Legion of Mary

Collections: many thanks

Gift Aid £ 500.50

Non Gift Aid £686.39

Gift aid Standing Orders £117.12

Second Collection this week for Day for Life

THE HOLY FATHER'S INTENTIONS (July)

WORLD YOUTH DAY:

That World Youth Day in Brazil may encourage all young Christians to become disciples and missionaries of the Gospel.

ASIA

That throughout Asia doors may be open to messengers of the Gospel.



Please note the time Adoration ends on Friday

**DAY FOR LIFE Sunday 28th July 2013: There will be a second collection today
Care for Life - It's Worth It**

Day for Life Prayer

Holy Mary, Mother of Love, holding in your arms, the fruit of your womb, graciously look upon our earth **and remove from it all that hardens our hearts and dims our eyes to the preciousness of human life, from** the moment of conception to natural death. Through the example of your tenderness teach us the ways of compassion and love that we may build up the civilisation of love among us and a society that is truly worthy of the human person. Help us to reject all that contributes to a culture of death, and to work with others of goodwill in promoting the culture of life. Bring us ever closer to your Son, so that we may know the fullness of life that he offers us and come to know that life more perfectly, with you, and all the angels and saints, in the eternal life of Heaven. Amen

Mass for the Sick and Housebound of the Parish

Will take place on the Feast of Our Lady of the Angels in Our Lady's Church at 2pm on Friday, 2nd August. Please come and celebrate our Patronal Feast followed by light refreshments

Children's Liturgy at St David's

We are re-establishing the children's liturgy during the 11.15am Mass on Sundays at St David's Church. We have adults willing to lead the sessions on a 5 week rota. If you would like to support the groups in any way – please contact Yvonne Jones or Lynne Roberts at the school. Tel 01633 482580

Network Foodbank - The Trussell Trust Please bring your donations next weekend

Please leave your donations in the Church porch and they will be given to the distribution centre at the Salvation Army. Please see poster for details of food to bring

Milk (UHT or powered)

Sugar 500g

Fruit juice (carton)

Soup

Pasta sauces

Sponge pudding (tinned)

Tomatoes (tinned)

Cereals

Rice pudding (tinned)

Tea bags/instant coffee

Instant mash potato

Rice/pasta

Tinned meat/fish

Tinned fruit

Jam

Biscuits or snack bars

FIRST ENCYCLICAL OF POPE FRANCIS

The first encyclical by Pope Francis, Lumen Fidei, is on sale in the church at £3.50.

REQUIESCANT IN PACE

Please pray for the repose of the souls of Kitty Walker, Joseph O'Shaughnessy, Benjamin Thomas Day, Tom McCarthy, Marie-Rose Hall, Janet Smith and David Clements who died recently and for their families and friends. Benjamin Day's funeral service will take place at the Gwent Crematorium on Tuesday 30th July at 1pm and Janet's funeral will take place at the Gwent Crematorium on Thursday, 1st August at 12.30pm

Belmont Abbey

The Assumption of Our Lady

Thursday, 15th August 2013

10am-4pm

Please see poster for further details

St John Kemble Pilgrimage

Will take place on Sunday, 18th August

St David Lewis Pilgrimage

Will take place on Sunday 25th August

(see poster for further details)

Sung Vespers at Tintern Abbey

Sunday 8th September 2013, 3pm

An ecumenical celebration of Evening Prayer

Please see poster for further details.

Deanery Pilgrimage 2013

The deanery pilgrimage to Walsingham will be from 7th to 11th October (Monday to Thursday) at a cost of £210.00 per person. There are a few places available as many are returning from last year. If there is anyone interested please leave name and contact number on my answerphone and I will get back to you.
Fr Kevin Paine

S.P.U.C Annual Sponsored Walk

Approximately £700 was raised for the Torfaen and Usk Branch of S.P.U.C. We would like to say a big thank you to Tina and Mansell for their efforts and also to all who supported them so generously. We would be grateful for any outstanding money to be given in as soon as possible.

Youth 2000 is hosting the biggest annual Catholic Youth Event in the UK this year from the 22nd -26th of August, Kingdom Come @ Walsingham. This is an open invitation to join with over 1,000 young adults (16-30) at the national Roman Catholic Shrine in Walsingham, Norfolk, to experience the love and power of God. Get ready for a fresh experience of faith and friendship... Get ready for Kingdom Come @ Walsingham: Socialising, Adoration, Contemporary Worship, Engaging talks, Workshops, Sports and more, all in a festival atmosphere. This prayer festival is totally run on donations, so don't let money be a barrier between you and a great social and spiritual experience, accommodation and food are both totally free (just bring a sleeping bag).

We are proud to be running a coach from South Wales to this event again this year, so if you want to book a seat, email us at: youth2000wales2walsingham@gmail.com. For further Information you can browse the official website: www.youth2000.org or find us on Facebook.

BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT TRAINING

The Archdiocesan Family Life Commission is offering a series of training sessions entitled '**Befriending the bereaved**' to be held at St David's RC Primary School, Park Crescent, Newport, NP20 3AQ, from 7 to 9.15 pm on Tuesdays, September 10th, 17th, 24th, October 1st, 8th. For more information or to book a place please contact Ansti Corellis, on 029 20486995 or e mail anstic2002@yahoo.co.uk

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NEWSLETTER

All items for inclusion should be emailed or posted through the presbytery letterbox no later than Wednesday evening please