

Tea, coffee and a chat in St Anne's Room after Mass every Sunday

# PARISH OF OUR LADY AND ST DAVID **CWMBRAN**

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#### 19<sup>th</sup> August 2018 20<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR B Psalter Week 4 PARISH LITURGY AND DEVOTIONS FOR THIS WEEK

Morning Prayers: Mon, Tues, Thurs & Fri at 9.10am, Sat 9.40am Evening Prayer: Fri 4.40pm.

**Divine Mercy Devotions: Fri 3pm (OLA)** 

Saturday	5.00pm	St David's	Mel Pearce (J&MH) 20 <sup>th</sup> Sur	nday of Ordinary Time Year B
Sunday	9.30am	Our Lady's	Jan Jakubowski (JJ): James & Peter O'Donoghue (AO'D)	
	11.15am	St David's	The People of the Parish	
Monday	9.30am	Our Lady's	Mary Williams (C&MB)	St Bernard, Abbot
Tuesday	9.30am	St David's	Angela Hanlon (BW): John Flook (SM)	St Pius X, Pope
Wednesday	11.00am	Our Lady's	Mel Pearce (VW)	Queenship of Mary
Thursday	9.30am	St David's	Alfred Joyce (TG&MO'D)	
Friday	9.30am	Our Lady's	Doreen Mellor (VB)	St Bartholomew, Apostle
Saturday	10.00am	Our Lady's	The People of the Parish	
Saturday	5.00pm	St David's	Alyson Clare (KC) 21st Sur	nday of Ordinary Time Year B
Sunday	9.30am	Our Lady's	Ints of Kath and Derek Ford (F)	
-	11.15am	St David's	Mel Pearce (J&CP): Marv. Brid & Fred Strutt (MO'D)	

### Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

St David's: Tuesday - 10am-11.30am Our Lady's: Friday - 8am -9am: 10am-5pm

## Sacrament of Reconciliation

Our Lady's: Saturday 11.00am - 11.30am St David's: Saturday 4.15-4.45pm

# The Parish Mission Prayer

We pray for our parish mission that we continue to build a parish community in which we recognise,

Christ with us, before us and behind us. Christ in every word that we speak and in everyone that we meet. May the love of God be among us, the life of Jesus guide us and the power of the Spirit flow through us. Amen

## Mission Meeting

The next meeting is on Tuesday 21st August at 2pm in St Anne's room

# St John Kemble Pilgrimage

The coach will leave Our Lady's at 1.45pm prompt.

## Annual Pilgrimage in Honour of St David Lewis

The Annual Pilgrimage In Honour Of Saint David Lewis will be held on Sunday 26th August at SS. Francis Xavier and David Lewis Church Usk. Benediction will start at 3:00pm.

## <u>Pilgrimage</u> to the Shrine of Our Lady of Walsingham

Monday 15<sup>th</sup> October to Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> October. Booking forms available at the back of the church.

Parish Mission 15th-21st September 2018 Please invite your family and friends to come along with you.

## Your giving to your Parish: many thanks

Gift Aid: £369.95 Non Gift Aid: £680.86 £210.23 **Gift Aid Standing Order:** Total giving this week: £1261.04

Mass Count: 365

#### Parish Sick List

Please pray for the sick and housebound especially Mostyn Crowley, Joyce Thomas, Hazel McCarthy, John Kane, Mary Lee, Jean Olearczyk, Goff & Rose James, Barbara Berger, Trevor Jenkins, Joan Lawrence, Ian Werrett, Pat Mulligan, Violet Thomas, Frances Brown, Fr Michael Cronin, Derek Miller, Sean Gilgunn, Anne Savoury, Pat Parfitt, Sr Celsus, Carolyn Gallagher, Christopher Mulcahy, Sr Mary James, Gerry Scully, Robert Davies, Nora MacDonnell, Ann Pitchforth, Phyllis Whatley, Phoebe Dunn, Sabina Fisher, John & Beryl James, Luke Smith, Becky James, Kay Donavon, Joan Sweeney, Joyce & Jim Sheehy, Sam Spokes, John Adams, Brian Gingell, Stella Bradley, Meryl Davies, Keith Shepherd, Iverna Ward, Fr Kevin Paine, Michael Egan, Lisa Melody, Philomena McCafferty, Bryn Jones, Tina Cordani, Cath Gormley, Robert Hayton, Jimmy Szymanski, Margaret Wells and all who care for them.

## Interested in Becoming a Catholic? RCIA Course

The RCIA course will commence in the Autumn. Please pick up an enrolment form from the church porches and return to Canon John when completed

#### Welcome to Fr Nick Williams

We extend a warm welcome to Fr Nick Williams, who as a seminarian was with us in January 2013 for a few weeks. We have been following his journey to the Priesthood and we welcome him to celebrate the 9.30am Mass with us next Sunday

# <u>Pílgrímage to Poland</u>

Due to illness there is a shared room available for a lady to join us on the pilgrimage to Poland leaving on Monday 29<sup>th</sup> October and returning on Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> November.

Cost per person £645 plus £18 return coach fare to Bristol Airport from Our Lady's Church. Please contact Carole Morgan for further details.

## Baptism 9.30am Mass

We welcome into our parish family Heidi Moss and congratulate her parents as she begins her Faith iourney

#### Parish Mission 15th-21st September 2018

Please say the Mission Prayer with your family at home. Please make a note of the date in your diaries. Please ask yourself, how can I be involved to make Christ the Centre of my life and don't be afraid to take part in this Graceful moment in the history of this parish.

#### Go Beyond The Mind You Have

In his inaugural speech, as reported in the Gospel of Mark, Jesus announced the arrival of the Kingdom of God and thereupon he immediately called people to change: "Repent, and believe in the gospel" (MK 1:15). The word that we typically render as "repent" is a metanoiete, a term that is based on the two Greek words meta (beyond) and nous (mind). With the inbreaking of the Kingdom of God, we must change our attitude, our way of thinking, our perspective on things, the manner in which we see. We have to see the world differently and in light of that new vision; we have to change the way we act. Once we envision our own existence – and indeed the being of the entire universe – as a gift of a gracious God, we gladly resolve to give our lives away as a gift of love. And when we do that, we find ourselves increased thirty-, sixty-, and a hundredfold, the divine life continuing to flood into us. Once we see that God is love, we are no longer afraid to risk the path of love. The teaching of Jesus is all about this new vision and this summons to change.

Archbishop Robert Barron

Faith is above all a personal, intimate encounter with Jesus, and to experience his closeness, his friendship, his love; only in this way does one learn to know him ever more, and to love and follow him ever more. May this happen to each one of us.

Pope Benedict XVI

# Can you help?

Volunteers are needed to make and serve tea/coffee and clear up after the morning and evening sessions. To prepare the hall on Friday morning for the evening social and clear up after the social.

If you can help in any way please contact Carole Morgan in the parish office 01633 482346 or email cwmbranadmin@virginmedia.com

#### Parish Mission - Social Evening

You are very welcome to the social evening on Friday 21st at 7pm in Our Lady's Parish Hall. Would you please be kind enough to fill in the invitation to the social and return it by **Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> September,** indicating the number of people in your party.

Buffet, Tea & Coffee will be provided

Feel free to bring your own drinks and glasses but we ask that you please take your bottles with you when you leave.