



**PARISH OF OUR LADY AND ST DAVID
CWMBRAN
Archdiocese of Cardiff
(Registered Charity Number 1177272)**

*Tea, coffee
and a chat in St
Anne's Room after
Sunday Mass (9.30)*

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22nd September 2019

25th Sunday of Ordinary Time Year C

Psalter Week 1

PARISH LITURGY AND DEVOTIONS THIS WEEK

Morning Prayers: Mon, Tues, Wed, Fri & Sat 9.40am

Evening prayer: Fri 4.40pm

Saturday	5.00pm	St David's	25th Sunday of Ordinary Time Year C
Sunday	9.30am	Our Lady's	Ken & Pat Harnett (DS); John Martin (MBM)
	11.15am	St David's	Marshall & Joseph Desmond (VW)
Monday	10.00am	Our Lady's	The People of the Parish
Tuesday	10.00am	St David's	Eucharistic Service
Wednesday	10.00am	Our Lady's	Eucharistic Service
	2.00pm	St David's	Funeral Service for Jeremy Adams
Thursday	9.15am	St David's	Funeral Mass for Thelma Bartel
Friday	10.00am	Our Lady's	Eucharistic Service
	11.30am	Our Lady's	Funeral Service for Shaun Pinkey
Saturday	10.00am	Our Lady's	Eucharistic Service
Saturday	5.00pm	St David's	26th Sunday of Ordinary Time Year C
Sunday	9.30am	Our Lady's	Wellbeing of Robert French (M&PL); David Bown & Family (TH)
	11.15am	St David's	The People of the Parish
			Basini Gazzi & Rabaiotti Family (PR)

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

St David's: Tuesday 10.30am-11.30am

Our Lady's: Friday 8am-9.50am: 4pm-5pm

Please note change of time in Our Lady's this week, there will be no Adoration between 10.30am and 1pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation

No Sacrament of Reconciliation on Saturday 28th September in either Church.

Christmas Bazaar Meeting

Parish meeting on Monday 30th September at 2pm in St Anne's room in Our Lady's. If you are unable to make the meeting but can help in any way please give your contact details to Kate O'Duffy or Sheelagh McCool

SEPTEMBER IS

SVP AWARENESS MONTH

ARE YOU AWARE OF THE WORK DONE BY YOUR SVP?

Love Your Neighbour Means...

Helping Parents and Children

Jesus said: "Love God and love your neighbour."
And loving your neighbour means helping them when they're in need.

That's what we do in the SVP

Join us, we need you

Your neighbour needs you

Join the SVP- Turn Your Concern into Action

Fr Peter McLaren

We extend a warm welcome to Fr Peter who is supplying for Canon John this weekend

Your giving to your Parish: many thanks

Gift Aid: £394.25
Non Gift Aid & S.O.: £642.17
Gift Aid Standing Order £274.52
Total giving this week : £1313.94
Mass Count : 349
Mrs Ann Wilcox Funeral Donations total - £605

Parish Sick

Please pray for the sick and housebound especially Hazel McCarthy, Mary Lee, Goff & Rose James, Barbara Berger, Joan Lawrence, Ian Werrett, Violet Thomas, Frances Brown, Derek Miller, Sean Gilgunn, Anne Savoury, Carolyn Gallagher, Christopher Mulcahy, Sr Mary James, Gerry Scully, 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, Brian Gingell, Stella Bradley, Meryl Davies, Keith Shepherd, Ivorna Ward, Fr Kevin Paine, Michael Egan, Philomena McCafferty, Bryn Jones, Tina Cordani, Cath Gormley, Robert Hayton, Margaret Wells, Norma Martin, Jean & Lawrence Crowley, John Smith, Jo & Rees Parlow, Clare Williams, Kathryn Slade, Margaret Lennon, Pauline McGrath, Gwen Phillips, John Fitzgerald, Mary Peacock, Major Stuart Ashman, Sarah Hopkins, Pina Rabaiotti, Mario Basini Gazzi, Michael Padfield, Josie Mahoney, Des Larder, Kevin Pinkey, Richard Hurley, Harry McLaren, Sheila Fotheringham, Brian Daley, Robert French, Jeff Baker, Bill Coughlan, Mark James, Lisa Melody, Jill Hudd, Mia Gregory and all who care for them

What's on this week

Divine Mercy Prayer Group

The prayer group meet on **Tuesday mornings** after Mass in St David's.

Union of Catholic Mothers

The UCM meet on **Wednesdays** after Mass in St Anne's room our Lady's

Prayer Group

The prayer group meet on **Wednesdays** in St Anne's room, Our Lady's at 7pm.

Diary Date Wednesday 23rd October

Churches Together Cwmbbran is arranging a Fish 'n' Chips Harvest Supper in the Parish hall. There will be a menu available shortly with details of cost.

Requiescant in Pace

Of your charity please pray for the repose of the souls of Shaun Pinkey, Thomas Gallagher, Thelma Bartel, Jeremy Adams and Alan Manley who died recently. We extend our condolences to their families

Prayer Cycle For Our Archdiocese

Pontypridd Deanery

Please pray for the intentions of:-

The Parish of St Thomas, Abercynon, with St Peter, Bargoed
 Parish Clergy: Rev John Phillips (Diocese of Clifton)
 Also Aberbargoed & District Hospital, & Ystrad Mynach Hospital

The Year of the God Who Speaks

The Catholic Bishops' Conference of England and Wales has designated the year from September 2019 to December 2020 as the 'Year of the God Who Speaks'. It begins on September 30th 2019, on the feast of St. Jerome, the great scholar of the Bible and the first to translate it from the Hebrew into Latin. The year will end on December 31st 2020.

Recently, the Archbishop appointed two Scripture Champions, Kate Duffin and Madeleine Walters, to promote the 'Year of the God Who Speaks' in the Archdiocese of Cardiff. During the year, we are planning events and initiatives to celebrate, live and share God's Word. It will be the opportunity to enrich current practice and to develop and explore new ways of responding to 'The God Who Speaks'. As these are planned, we will keep you informed.

Archbishop George will pre-launch the Year of the Word in the Archdiocese of Cardiff and the Diocese of Menevia at two events, which will take place on Saturday, October 19th. You are welcome to attend either of the events. The pre-launch takes place at St. Mary's Church, Carmarthen at 11am and at St. Helen's Church, Caerphilly at 3pm. The pre-launch in Caerphilly will be the Sunday Mass. There will be refreshments after each pre-launch. The plans to date for the Year of the Word will be unveiled during each pre-launch.

This month, each parish will be receiving copies of the Publicity Brochure for the Year of the God Who Speaks. In November, Fleur Dorrell, the Catholic Scripture Engagement Manager on the Bishops' Conference will be coming to Cardiff to speak about the Year of the God Who Speaks, to the Laity on Monday, November 18th at 7pm in the Cornerstone, Charles Street, Cardiff CF10 2SF and to the Clergy on Tuesday, November 19th.

If you have any questions and/or any ideas for the year, please contact:

Kate Duffin at kate.duffin@hotmail.co.uk or Madeleine Walters at madeleine.walters@rcadc.org

Scripture Quote of the Week

'The words of the Gospels echo through the centuries precisely because they speak afresh in every generation. Ever ancient, ever new, this story of transformation invites us to be transformed and gradually conformed to the likeness of the one who was the gift to others. Not dead words on a page, but a living message addressed to each of us personally.'



The Rt Revd Peter M. Brignall, Bishop of Wrexham