

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

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*Archdiocese of Cardiff*

*(Registered Charity Number 117727)*

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**12<sup>th</sup> December 2021**

**Third Sunday of Advent Year C**

**Psalter Week 3**

<b>Saturday:</b>	9.40am <b>10.00am</b> 10.30-11:45 10.30 -11.45	Our Lady's	Morning Prayer <b>Mass: The People of the Parish</b> Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Sacrament of Reconciliation
<b>Saturday / Sunday</b> <i>Third Sunday of Advent Year C Bambinelli Sunday</i>	4.15pm <b>5.00pm</b> <b>6.30pm</b> <b>9.30am</b>  <b>11.15am</b> 5:00pm	St David's St David's Our Lady's Our Lady's  St David's Our Lady's	Sacrament of Reconciliation, <i>until 4:45pm</i> <b>Mass:</b> + Jennifer Woods (SW) <b>Mass:</b> + Lynch Family (MH) <b>Mass:</b> + Rose and Jack Clifford (MW) <i>After Mass:</i> Coffee Morning (St. Anne's Room) <b>Mass:</b> + James and Mary Flook (SM) Sung Evening Prayer & Benediction
<b>Monday:</b> <i>St Lucy, Virgin and Martyr</i>	<b>9:00am</b>	Our Lady's	<b>Mass:</b> + Pietro Cordani (TC)
<b>Tuesday:</b> <i>St John of the Cross, Priest and Doctor of the Church</i>	7.30am  9:00am-9:30am 9.40am <b>10.00am</b> 10.30 -11.30am	Our Lady's  St David's	<b>Mass:</b> + Nora McDonnell <i>Followed by Breakfast (St. Anne's Room)</i> Sacrament of Reconciliation Morning Prayer <b>Mass:</b> + Mary, Brid and Fred Strutt (MM) Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
<b>Thursday:</b>	9:00am-9:30am 9.40am <b>10.00am</b>  6:00pm-7:00pm 7:30pm	St David's   Our Lady's	Sacrament of Reconciliation Morning Prayer <b>Mass:</b> Ints of Sheila and John Woods 60 <sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary Alpha Course (St Anne's Room) Parish Prayer Group (St. Anne's Room)
<b>Friday:</b>	9:00am-9:30am 9:40am <b>10.00am</b>  10.30-11.45am <b>12noon</b> <b>6pm</b>	Our Lady's   St David's Our Lady's	Sacrament of Reconciliation Morning Prayer <b>Mass:</b> + Doreen Tilt and Family (S&RM) <i>After Mass:</i> Coffee Morning (St. Anne's Room) Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament <b>Funeral Service for Glenys Betty Hall</b> <b>Parish Carol Service</b>
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<b>Saturday / Sunday</b> <i>Fourth Sunday of Advent</i>	4.15pm <b>5.00pm</b> <b>6.30pm</b>  <b>9.30am</b>  <b>11.15am</b> 5:00pm	St David's St David's Our Lady's  Our Lady's  St David's Our Lady's	Sacrament of Reconciliation, <i>until 4:45pm</i> <b>Mass:</b> + Douglas Cross (BC) <b>Mass:</b> Angela and Keith Roylance – 50 <sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary <b>Mass:</b> + Trevor and Sue Jenkins (PJ) <i>After Mass:</i> Coffee Morning (St. Anne's Room) <b>Mass:</b> + Mary Brennan (BF) Sung Evening Prayer & Benediction

**Parish Sick**

We pray for the sick and housebound of our parish and for those who care for them and for those who have asked for our prayers, especially: **Bernadette Davies, Keri Williams, Mrs Kopec, Ann Pitchforth, Tina Cordani, Joyce Coughlan, Tommy Harris, Iverna Ward, Michael Evans, Philip Short, Chris Mulcahy, Sean Gilgunn, Brenda Bold, Hazel McCarthy, Fr Kevin Paine and Caroline Paine, Imelda Smith, Wendy Fleming, Malcolm and Cecelia Williams, Sam McCausland, Terry Mahoney, Shelagh Mills, Jill Hudd, Shaun Worsfold, Michael Barry, Diane Pearce, Margaret Lennon, Goff James, John Cullen, Paul Taylor, Rachael James, Michael Keohane and David MacDonald.**

**Requiescat in Pace**

Of your charity, please pray for the repose of the souls of those who have died recently. We remember especially Glenys Betty Hall, Anthony Downey and Eileen Allaway. May they rest in peace. Amen.

**Christmas Prize Draw**

Tickets are available for £5.00 per strip. Please return ticket counterfoils and money to church and post in the boxes provided **ASAP** draw to take place next weekend 19<sup>th</sup> December.

**Christmas Offerings**

Traditionally, the Christmas offering is our gift to our Parish Priest. Christmas envelopes are available from the church porches; if you use another envelope please mark it Christmas Offerings. You can place your envelopes in the collection baskets or post through the Presbytery door at Our Lady's.

**Christmas Flower Collection**

A retiring collection for flowers will take place **this weekend** in both churches. Thank you for your generosity.

**Sacrament of Reconciliation**

The Sacrament of Reconciliation is available throughout the week. Please see the schedule.

A visiting priest will also be available in the parish at Our Lady's Church on **Thursday, 16th December** between 6:00pm and 7:00pm.

## *Parish Carol Service*

The parish Carol Service will take place at Our Lady's this ***Friday, 17<sup>th</sup> December, beginning at 6:00pm,*** followed by a glass of mulled wine and a mince pie in the St. Anne's Room. A wonderful way to spiritually prepare for Christmas.

**Parish Prayer**

Come Holy Spirit, fill our hearts with wisdom, love and courage make us more like Christ in our works and actions.

Bless the work of your Church. Renew us all in the desire to make Christ known and loved in the world today.

Bless the work of our Parish. Guide all that we do so that our church is a place of mercy and service for all who are seeking you

Deepen our love For the Presence of Christ in the Eucharist and guide us in prayer and action as we journey towards Discipleship to become the Church you are calling us to be.

**We ask this through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen**

## *Christmas Mass Times*

Here are the times of the Masses for Christmas Eve & Christmas Day:

**Christmas Eve (24th December)**

4:00pm – Family Mass (Our Lady's) **\*seats must be booked\***

6:00pm – Family Mass (St. David's) **\*seats must be booked\***

9:00pm – Mass of the Night (Our Lady's)

**Christmas Day (25th December)**

9:00am – Mass of the Dawn (Our Lady's)

10:30am – Holy Mass (St. David's)

**No Evening Masses**

### **\*\* TO REGISTER AND RESERVE A PLACE TO ATTEND THE FAMILY MASSES \*\***

Parishioners are required to **register** and **reserve** a seat for the family Masses on Christmas Eve. There is limited availability at each church. There is no need to book for the other Christmas Masses.

For Our Lady's Family Mass, please contact **Paddy Landers** Mobile **(TEXT)** 07740 543 645 email: **patricia.landern@sky.com** or

For St. David's Family Mass, please contact the Parish Office directly: **cwmbran@rcadc.org** or **01633 482 346** with your name, contact number and total number of seats required. Please leave a message and wait for confirmation.

**Sunday Mass (Holy Family):**

9:30 am – Our Lady's Church

11:15am – St. David's Church

**No Evening Masses**