

PARISH OF OUR LADY AND ST DAVID CWMBRAN

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23rd January 2022

3rd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR C

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Saturday:	9.40am 10.00am 10.30am 10.30am	Our Lady's	Morning Prayer Mass: The People of the Parish Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, <i>until 11.45am</i> Sacrament of Reconciliation, <i>until 11:45am</i>
Saturday/Sunday <i>3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	4.15pm 5.00pm 6.30pm 9.30am 11.15am	St David's St David's Our Lady's Our Lady's St David's	Sacrament of reconciliation, <i>until 4.45pm</i> Mass: + Rose and Kelly Dovey (MJ) Mass: + George & Kath Powell & Christopher Drury (K&DF) Mass: + John Broadribb (JB) Mass: + Anilu Ibarra
Monday:	6.00pm	Our Lady's	St Peregrine's Mass: for those afflicted by Cancer Int. of Greg O'Connor (C&MJ)
Tuesday: The Conversion of St Paul, Feast	9.40am 10.00am 10:30am	St David's	Morning Prayer Mass: Well being of Ray Mills (SM) Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, <i>until 11.30am</i>
Thursday:	9.40am 10.00am 6.00pm 7.45pm	St David's Our Lady's	Morning Prayer Mass: + Judith Clarke Alpha Course (St Anne's Room) Parish Prayer Group (St. Anne's Room)
Friday: St Thomas Aquinas	9.40am 10.00am 10:30am	Our Lady's	Morning Prayer Mass: + Glenys Hall (C&GB) <i>After Mass: Coffee Morning (St. Anne's Room)</i> Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, <i>until 12.00pm</i>
Saturday: Votive Memorial of Our Lady on Saturday	9.40am 10.00am 10.30am 10.30am	Our Lady's	Morning Prayer Mass: + Susan O'Brien Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, <i>until 11.45am</i> Sacrament of Reconciliation, <i>until 11:45am</i>
Saturday/Sunday <i>4th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	4.15pm 5.00pm 6.30pm 9.30am 11.15am	St David's St David's Our Lady's Our Lady's St David's	Sacrament of reconciliation, <i>until 4.45pm</i> Mass: + Charles Cadogan (JC) Mass: The People of the Parish Mass: + Gwen Evans (CM) Mass: + A Keetnan

After Mass: Synod Conversations during the coffee morning.

PLEASE NOTE: We are expecting to hear from the Welsh Government and the Archdiocese within the next couple of days, who will hopefully announce that we may return to Alert Level 0 from **Friday, 28th January**. This will mean that the two metre distancing rules will be relaxed, and so there will be no need to book into any of the weekend Masses. The responsibility falls on each one of us to ensure that our parish remains a safe environment to worship Almighty God. Masks and Track and Trace continue to be mandatory. Coffee Mornings and groups can resume from Friday 28th January. Thank you for your continued cooperation during this time. Thank you. Fr. Daniel

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 & Ray Mills, Jill Hudd, Shaun Worsfold, Michael Barry, Diane Pearce, Margaret Lennon, Goff James, John Cullen, Paul Taylor, Rachael James, Michael Keohane and David MacDonald.**

Requiescant in Pace

Of your charity, please pray for the repose of the souls of those who have died recently. May they rest in peace. Amen.

Baptism

We welcome into our Parish family Elijah Sanyaolu and Iris Rose Allen who were baptised recently. We congratulate their parents as Elijah and Iris begin their Faith journeys.

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity:

This week Christians all over the world will be joining in Christ's prayer, 'That they all may be one'. The theme for 2022 is, 'We saw His star in the East', prepared by countries in the Middle East. Please join in these special prayers with your local Christian community or at home using the Christian Unity website, www.rcadc.org or the Churches Together website, <https://ctbi.org.uk/week-of-prayer-for-christian-unity-2022/>

Cwmbran Churches Together

Paul Donnison is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.
<https://tinyurl.com/35y73bb2>

Meeting ID: 99119978603 Pass word: 852143

Synod Conversations

Thank you to all those who participated in the first of our Synod conversations in the parish, whether in person or through the live-stream. This first conversation was very fruitful. These Synod has the opportunity of bringing about great graces for our parish, a reawakening of faith, guided by the Holy Spirit.

During next Friday's coffee morning (28th January) I would like to continue with these conversations, to see how the Holy Spirit can inspire us. Please consider being part of the conversation.

You can read more about the Synod on the Vatican website: www.synod.va or by visiting the parish website <https://www.ourladyoftheangels.org.uk/synod-2023/synod/>

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

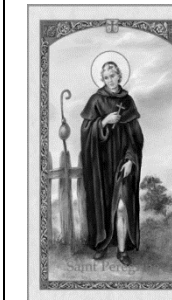
Deepen our love For the Presence of Christ in the Eucharist and guide us in prayer and action as we journey towards Discipleship to become the Church you are calling us to be.

We ask this through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen

SPUC's Annual White Flower Appeal 22/23rd January

This will be held at the end of all Masses this weekend. No white flower or prayer card will be given out due to Covid, but the prayer card will be left in each porch to be picked up on leaving church. Please give generously.

St. Peregrine's Mass



St. Peregrine is considered to be the patron saint of Cancer. His miraculous cure along with his trust in God are at the root of this patronage. We have the opportunity to seek his intercession and protection, to pray with and for those who afflicted with this disease, with a parish Mass on **Monday, 24th January 2022, beginning at 6:00pm at Our Lady's**

Church. This Mass will also be live-streamed via the parish website, for those people who are unable to attend.

Change of Mass Weekday Times

Please be aware that from **Monday, 31st January 2022**, the weekday Mass schedule (Mon. to Sat.) will change to the following times:

9:10am – Morning Prayer

9:30am – Holy Mass

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament at our churches will also change as a result. On Saturdays, the Sacrament of Reconciliation will now be available at Our Lady's from 10:00am until 11:15am. Next week's newsletter will contain the full schedule.

Live-Stream at St. David's

The engineers have now installed the permanent live-stream camera at St. David's. It is available 24/7 to virtually pop in to say a prayer before the Blessed Sacrament.

The Tuesday Club

The Tuesday Club resumes on Tuesday, 1st February in the St. Anne's Room of Our Lady's, beginning at 1:30pm. If you know of anyone who may like to attend, please contact the Parish Office.