

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

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14<sup>th</sup> August 2022

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Psalter: 4

<b>Saturday: Votive Mass of Our Lady on Saturday</b>	9.10am <b>9.30am</b> 10.00am 10.00am 1.30pm	<b>Our Lady's</b>	Morning Prayer <b>Holy Mass:</b> Special Intention (CM) Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, <i>until 11.15am</i> Sacrament of Reconciliation, <i>until 11.15am</i> Baptism of Poppy and Nahla Gwilliam
<b>Saturday/Sunday The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary</b>	4.15pm <b>5.00pm</b> 6.30pm 9.30am <b>11.15am</b>	<b>St David's</b>  <b>Our Lady's</b> <b>Our Lady's</b>  <b>St. David's</b>	Sacrament of reconciliation, <i>until 4.45pm</i> <b>Mass:</b> + Diane Kopec (SK) <b>Mass:</b> The People of the Parish <b>Mass:</b> + Philip Richards (M&D) <i>(After Mass: Coffee Morning in St. Anne's Room)</i> <b>Mass:</b> + Norina Moon and Knott Family (AB)
<b>Monday:</b>	9.10am <b>9.30am</b>	<b>Our Lady's</b>	Morning Prayer <b>Mass:</b> + Teresa and Richard Hurley (KB)
<b>Tuesday:</b>	9.10am <b>9.30am</b>	<b>St David's</b>	Morning Prayer <b>Mass:</b> + Jean Price (TD&KP)
<b>Thursday:</b>	9.10am <b>9.30am</b> <b>2.00pm</b> 9.00pm	<b>St David's</b>   <b>Facebook Live</b>	Morning Prayer <b>Mass:</b> Ints of Stephanie Kopec (SK) Funeral Service for Violet Thomas and Illtyd Thomas Holy Rosary for Ukraine
<b>Friday:</b>	9.10am <b>9.30am</b>  <b>3.00pm</b>	<b>Our Lady's</b>   <b>Facebook Live</b>	Morning Prayer <b>Mass:</b> + Bryn Woolford (MJ) <i>(After Mass: Coffee Morning in St. Anne's Room)</i> Divine Mercy Devotions
<b>Saturday: St Bernard, Abbot</b>	9.10am <b>9.30am</b> 10.00am 10.00am	<b>Our Lady's</b>	Morning Prayer <b>Holy Mass:</b> + Frank and Bessie Maguire (EG) Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, <i>until 11.15am</i> Sacrament of Reconciliation, <i>until 11.15am</i>
<b>Saturday/Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time Year C</b>	4.15pm <b>5.00pm</b> 6.30pm 9.30am <b>11.15am</b>	<b>St David's</b>  <b>Our Lady's</b> <b>Our Lady's</b>  <b>St. David's</b>	Sacrament of reconciliation, <i>until 4.45pm</i> <b>Mass:</b> + Jean Price and Ints of the Price Family (JS) <b>Mass:</b> The People of the Parish <b>Mass:</b> + Eileen Watts (PW) <i>(After Mass: Coffee Morning in St. Anne's Room)</i> <b>Mass:</b> Ints of Joanne Sellers (SDCH)

**The Relics of St Bernadette Tour 2022**

The relic, a section of St Bernadette's thigh bone, travels from the Basilica in Lourdes to visit every Catholic cathedral across the United Kingdom. On the 11th & 12th September the relic will be visiting Cardiff Cathedral. We will also have a parish celebration in St David's Church for parishioners and our junior schools on Monday, 12<sup>th</sup> September. Further information will be shared in the coming weeks.

**World Youth Day**

As many of you will know, every 2/3 years an international event called World Youth Day is held at a city chosen by the Holy See. The next international World Youth Day will be held in Lisbon, Portugal, in 2023. The diocese is gauging interest in the next pilgrimage. If you, or someone you know, will be aged between 16-30 next year this might be of interest! More information can be found using the following link: <https://rcadc.org/wyd-2023/>

**PARISH NOTICES**

**Prayer & Worship**

**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: Keri Williams, Mrs Kopec, Ann Pitchforth, Tina Cordani, Joyce Coughlan, Tommy Harris, Iverna Ward, Michael Evans, Philip Short, Chris Mulcahy, Sean Gilgunn, Hazel McCarthy, Fr Kevin Paine and Caroline Paine, Imelda Smith, Malcolm and Cecelia Williams, Sam McCausland, Terry Mahoney, Shelagh & Ray Mills, Jill Hudd, Shaun Worsfold, Michael Barry, Diane Pearce, Goff and Rose James, John Cullen, Paul Taylor, Rachael James, Michael Keohane, David MacDonald, Doreen Watley, Robert Hayton, Jim Sheehy, Rita Draisey, Daniel Hughes, Pat Dodd, Pat Price, Tasmyn Pritchard, Myra McGrath and Baby Frankie

**Requiescant in Pace**

Of your charity please pray for the repose of the souls of Violet and Illtyd Thomas, Pat Walkley, Margaret Lennon Angela Dean, Manuela Howells, Kathleen Burton and all those who have died recently. May they rest in peace. Amen.

**Children's Liturgy**

Children's Liturgy of the Word will continue to be celebrated during the summer holidays at St. David's Church during the 11:15am Mass (Sundays). I am very grateful to the parishioners who have volunteered their time and gifts. All of our young people are welcome. If you would like to assist with this ministry, please speak with Fr. Daniel.

**Baptism**

We welcome into our parish family Poppy and Nahla Gwilliam who are being baptised this weekend. We congratulate their parents as the children begin their faith journeys.

**SPUC Annual Walk**

This 48<sup>th</sup> Annual Walk will take place on Sunday, 11<sup>th</sup> September 2022. People will be in both churches asking for sponsors for our Torfaen Walkers.

**Food Bank Collection**

The collection takes place this weekend 13/14<sup>th</sup> August. Thank you for your continued support and generosity.

**Gift Aid Donations Letters**

If you have gift aided your donations to the church in the last Tax Year please collect your donations letter from the church porch. If your letter is not there please contact Carole in the parish office. 01633 482346 or [cwmbbran@rcadc.org](mailto:cwmbbran@rcadc.org)

**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

**Diary Dates**

**Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> August**

Afternoon tea will be served at 2pm in St Anne's room at Our Lady's £5 per person. Tickets are on sale this week

**Thanksgiving Mass for Marriage**

A Mass of thanksgiving for Marriage will be celebrated by Archbishop Mark at the Cathedral on **Saturday, 1<sup>st</sup> October 2022**, beginning at **12noon**. During the Mass, Archbishop Mark will invite all participants to renew their commitment to each other. If you would like to attend, please register your interest with Carole in the Parish Office.

**August Pilgrimages**

**Please sign the sheets in the church porches ASAP if you are interested in going so that we can book the coaches**

**14<sup>th</sup> August 2022. Annual Pilgrimage to Penrhys at 3pm:** Feast of the Assumption of Our Lady. Please note the change of date and day. **Leaving Our Lady's at 1.30pm**

**21<sup>st</sup> August 2022: Annual Pilgrimage to St John Kemble's grave and Benediction in St Mary's Monmouth**

3:00pm – Meet at Welsh Newton for the Rosary, Readings, and Prayers at the grave of St. John Kemble.

4:15pm – Benediction follows at St. Mary's Church, Monmouth, followed by refreshments **Leaving Our Lady's at 1.30pm**

**28<sup>th</sup> August 2022: Annual Pilgrimage to St David Lewis' grave in Usk. Leaving Our Lady's at 2pm**

*Cost will be divided between the names on the lists.*

**Please note leaving times.**

**We have room on the coach for Welsh Newton and Monmouth, if you are interested please sign the sheet in the church porch.**