

PARISH OF OUR LADY AND ST DAVID CWMBRAN

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4th September 2022

Twenty-third Sunday of Ordinary Time

Psalter: 3

Saturday: St Gregory the Great	9.30am 1.30pm	Our Lady's St David's	Holy Mass: Bereavement Mass Followed by light refreshments in St Anne's room Baptism of Alfie Clements
Saturday/Sunday 23 rd Sunday of Ordinary Time	4.15pm 5.00pm 6.30pm 9.30am 11.15am 1.30pm 5.00pm	St David's Our Lady's Our Lady's St. David's	Sacrament of reconciliation, <i>until 4.45pm</i> Mass: + Kathleen Burton (CM) Mass: + The People of the Parish Mass: + Angela Dean (<i>After Mass:</i> Coffee Morning in St. Anne's Room) Mass: + Rose and Jack Clifford (TO'K) Baptism of Declan and Aiden Dix Solemn Evening Prayer and Benediction
Monday:	10.00am	St David's	Requiem Mass for Margaret Pugh
Tuesday:	9.10am 9.30am 10.00am	St David's	Morning Prayer Mass: + Gaela Giles (M&CM) <i>After Mass:</i> Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, <i>until 11.00am</i>
Thursday: The Nativity of the B.V.M.	10.00am 6.00pm 7.30pm 9.00pm	Our Lady's St David's Our Lady's Facebook Live	Funeral Service for Brian Maxwell Mass: + Ursula James (C&MM) Parish Prayer Group (St. Anne's Room) Holy Rosary for Ukraine
Friday: Blessed Frederic Ozanam	9.10am 9.30am 3.00pm	Our Lady's Facebook Live	Morning Prayer Mass: + Margaret Lennon Divine Mercy Devotions
Saturday: Votive Memorial of Our Lady	9.10am 9.30am 10.00am 1.30pm	Our Lady's	Morning Prayer Mass: The People of the Parish Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, <i>until 11.15am</i> Sacrament of Reconciliation, <i>until 11.15am</i> Baptism of Cemi Rose Wilks
Saturday/Sunday 24 th Sunday of Ordinary Time	4.15pm 5.00pm 6.30pm 9.30am 11.15am 5.00pm	St David's Our Lady's Our Lady's St. David's	Sacrament of reconciliation, <i>until 4.45pm</i> Mass: + Lee Davies (AD) Mass: + The People of the Parish Mass: Colleen and Michael Brocklehurst 60 th Wedding Anniversary (<i>After Mass:</i> Coffee Morning in St. Anne's Room) Mass: Thanksgiving – The Dennehy Family Solemn Evening Prayer and Benediction

CAFOD PAKISTAN FLOOD APPEAL PARISH COLLECTION 10/11TH SEPTEMBER

Severe flooding across Pakistan has left one-third of the country underwater. Over 33 million people have been affected and more than 1,100 are dead, including over 340 children. More monsoon rains, more glacial outburst, and now dam bursts are set to arrive in the coming days. Help Human Appeal deliver daily hot meals, water, family hygiene kits, shelter and medical aid today. We cannot do anything without your support. Please pray for those affected **There will be a parish collection next weekend after all Masses or donate direct to CAFOD at cafod.org.uk/give** Give Aid envelopes will be available.

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 Pat Price and Baby Frankie.

Requiescant in Pace

Of your charity please pray for the repose of the souls of Margaret Pugh, Brian Maxwell, Joyce Thomas and all those who have died recently. May they rest in peace. Amen.

Solemn Evening Prayer and Benediction

Solemn Evening Prayer and Benediction resumes at St. David's on Sunday, 4th September, beginning at 5.00pm. This is a peaceful way to conclude the weekend.

Baptism

We welcome into our parish family Alfie Clements, Declan and Aiden Dix, Cemi Rose Wilks and congratulate their families as the children begin their faith journeys

Food Bank Collection

The next collection is next weekend 10/11 September. Thank you for your continued support and generosity.

Urgently needed: LONG LIFE JUICE/SQUASH

RICE PUDDING, WASHING POWDER, DOG FOOD TINNED HOT MEAT, CRISPS/LUNCH BOX SNACKS, LONG LIFE MILK, CREAM CRACKERS, TOILET ROLLS

SPUC Annual Walk

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

FUND RAISING EVENT: GRAND CONCERT

Harmonize with OLA School Choir and St David School Dancers will present a Grand Concert on **Saturday October 22nd** at 7 pm in the Parish Hall. Tickets £5 Make a note of the date in your diaries!

Advance Notice

Frost Fayre Saturday 12th November 2022

A date for your diaries! Volunteers needed to help, if you can help please contact Kate O'Duffy mobile no. 07512851340

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

The Relics of St. Bernadette

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, 12th September. Further information will be shared in the coming weeks.

Tuesday Club Diary

We hope you all enjoyed your summer holidays! The club will resume on **Tuesday 20th September** at 1.30pm with a Quiz. A mystery prize for the winner! Looking forward to seeing everyone, new members welcome

Thursday December 8th Coach trip to LABELS in Ross on Wye for shopping and coffee. Coach trip down the Wye valley to Tintern. Christmas Carvery and singalong. The coach will pick up and drop off at Our Lady of the Angels church. Pick up time 9.45am. Home between 6 and 6.30pm. Total cost £25 Ten places have been reserved but more may be available. Please bring £10 deposit to the meeting on October 4th if you wish you attend.

Pilgrim Statue of Our Lady of Fatima

The pilgrim statue of Our Lady of Fatima and the relics of Ss. Jacinta and Francisco will be visiting our parish on **Saturday 24th September 2022**. The day of prayer will include a procession and enthronement of the statue at Our Lady's, Mass and devotions throughout the morning, veneration of the relics, the showing of the Fatima film "The Little Shepherds", a talk on the message of Fatima, and concluding with Adoration and Benediction. A full schedule, including times, will be made available soon.

Thanksgiving Mass for Marriage

A Mass of thanksgiving for Marriage will be celebrated by Archbishop Mark at the Cathedral on **Saturday, 1st 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