

PARISH OF OUR LADY AND ST DAVID CWMBRAN

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28th April 2024 Fifth Sunday of Easter Year B Psalter: Week 1

Saturday:	9.10am 9.30am 10.15am 10.15am 12noon	Our Lady's St David's	Morning Prayer Holy Mass: Tom and Marian Saulters (GS) Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament <i>until 11.15am</i> Sacrament of Reconciliation <i>until 11.15am</i> Baptism of Gianni Solomon
Saturday/Sunday 5th Sunday of Easteride.	4.15pm 5.00pm 9.30am 11.15am	St David's Our Lady's St David's	Sacrament of Reconciliation <i>until 4.45pm</i> Holy Mass: + Aaron Gouran (Fam) Holy Mass: + Myra McGrath (CG) <i>After Mass tea and coffee morning in St Anne's room</i> Holy Mass: + Colin Plum (TD)
Monday: St Catherine of Sienna	9.10am 9.30am 11.30am 1.30pm	Our Lady's St David's	Morning Prayer Holy Mass: Ints of Ian Breen Funeral Service for Jeanne Taylor Planning Meeting for Pentecost
Tuesday:	9.10am 9.30am 10.15am	St David's	Morning Prayer Holy Mass: + Kath Parsons (MM) Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament <i>until 11am</i>
Wednesday: St Joseph the Worker	4.00pm 8.00pm	Facebook Live	Vigil for Des Larder Holy Rosary: The Glorious Mysteries
Thursday: St Athanasius	10.30am 3.00pm 6.00pm 7.30pm 8.00pm	Our Lady's Facebook Live St David's Our Lady's Facebook Live	Requiem Mass for Des Larder Divine Mercy Devotions Preparation for Confirmation Parish Prayer Group in St Anne's room Holy Rosary: The Illuminous Mysteries
Friday: Sts Phillip and James	11.00am 7.00pm 8.00pm	Our Lady's St Alban, Splott Facebook Live	Holy Mass: + Zbigniew Konieczny (TK) Holy Mass, May Procession and Crowning of Our Lady Holy Rosary: The Sorrowful Mysteries
Saturday:	9.10am 9.30am 10.15am 10.15am 10.15am 12noon	Our Lady's	Morning Prayer Holy Mass: The People of the Parish Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament <i>until 11.15am</i> Sacrament of Reconciliation <i>until 11.am</i> First Saturday's Devotion to Our Lady of Fatima Baptism of Maeve Elizabeth Arnold
Saturday/Sunday 6th Sunday of Easteride.	4.15pm 5.00pm 8.00pm 9.30am 11.15am 8.00pm	St David's Facebook Live Our Lady's St David's Facebook Live	Sacrament of Reconciliation <i>until 4.45pm</i> Holy Mass: + Margaret Williams (K&DF) Holy Rosary: The Joyful Mysteries Holy Mass: Ints of Ruth Smith <i>After Mass tea and coffee morning in St Anne's room</i> Holy Mass: + Trevor and Sue Jenkins (PJ) The Glorious Mysteries



Parish News

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, Iverna Ward, Chris Mulcahy, Fr Kevin Paine and Caroline Paine, Imelda Smith, Malcolm Williams, Terry Mahoney, Shelagh & Ray Mills, Jill Hudd, Shaun Worsfold, Michael Barry, Diane Pearce, Rose James, Paul Taylor, Doreen Whatley, Robert Hayton, Jim Sheehy, Pat Price, Teresa Bruce, Josie and David Woods, Sheila Fotheringham, John Jordan, Christine O'Shea, Teddy, Lois Terry, Joan Gallagher, Josie Mahoney, Kevin Pinkey, Christine, Lily Farr, Peter Anslow, Liam Hogan and Maureen Van de Meer

Requiescant in Pace - Of your charity please pray for the repose of the souls Jeanne Taylor, Des Larder, Sam McCausland, Linda Vecchio and all those who have died recently. May they rest in peace. Amen.

Celebrating our Unity – Catholics at the Parkway!

This Pentecost Sunday – **19th May 2024** – we have the opportunity to take up the Pope's challenge and "look to the whole" in a radical way. This Pentecost Sunday, the parish will have **one** celebration of the Mass at the Parkway Hotel bringing together the various communities and different Mass groups which make up our parish, into one celebration of praise to Almighty God.

This is an exciting opportunity for us, as a parish community, to celebrate our unity together. Mass will begin at the Parkway Hotel at **10:30am**. Please wear something red to the celebration.

While there is so much in our world which divides us, let us pray to the Holy Spirit, that our profound unity of identity and mission may transform the face of our parish.

Torchlight Procession

On Friday 3rd May at 7pm in St Alban on the Moors, Parish in Splott there is Holy Mass, Crowning and May Torchlight Procession with the statue of Our Lady of the Taper which is housed at the National Shrine at Cardigan.

Our Lady of Fatima Prayer Vigil

On Sunday 12th May at 6pm there will be a Candlelight Procession in honour of Our Lady of Fatima in Our Lady's Church. We unite ourselves with the candlelight procession which takes place in Fatima on this evening. The procession is a time-honoured tradition that has taken place in Fatima since 1917.

An Eastertide Prayer

Lord, the resurrection of Your son has given us new life and renewed hope.

Help us to live as new people in pursuit of the Christian ideal.

Grant us wisdom to know what we must do, the will to want it, the courage to undertake it, the perseverance to continue to do it, the strength to complete it. Amen

Parish Diary

Friday 3rd May at 7pm: St Alban on the Moor, Splott. Mass, Crowning of Our Lady, and torchlight May procession with the statue of Our Lady of the Taper which is housed at the National Shrine in Cardigan

Tuesday Club 7th May at 1.30pm: Armchair Yoga and Jewellery with Lynne and Pat.

Sunday 12th May at 6pm: Procession and devotions to Our Lady of Fatima for world peace.

Sunday, 19th May 2024 – Pentecost at the Parkway. Celebrating our Unity.

Pray as you go

An online resource recommended by the Catholic Bishops of England and Wales offering prayers, meditations, music and blogs to help deepen your daily spiritual life. Visit <https://pray-as-you-go.org/>

Safeguarding Café Opens

New for 2024! The Safeguarding Team of the Archdiocese will hold regular drop-in sessions for anyone wishing to speak to them regarding administrative matters, concerns or to generally gain information. These informal sessions will take place on the **4th Thursday of every month** between **11:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m.** in the **Pantry at Cornerstone, Charles Street, Cardiff.**

Pop in to see us for a coffee and a chat. Chris and the team look forward to seeing you.

Prayer to Our Lady of Fatima

O Most Holy Virgin Mary, Queen of the most holy Rosary, you were pleased to appear to the children of Fatima and reveal a glorious message. We implore you, inspire in our hearts a fervent love for the recitation of the Rosary. By meditating on the mysteries of the redemption that are recalled therein may we obtain the graces and virtues that we ask, through the merits of Jesus Christ, our Lord and Redeemer. Amen