

PARISH OF OUR LADY AND ST DAVID CWMBRAN

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5th May 2024 **Sixth Sunday of Easter Year B** **Psalter: Week 2**

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 11.15am</i> First Saturday's Devotion to Our Lady of Fatima Baptism of Maeve Elizabeth Arnold
Saturday/Sunday 6th Sunday of Eastertide.	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: + Margaret Williams (K&DF) 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) <i>After Mass tea and coffee morning in St Non's room</i>
Tuesday:	9.10am 9.30am 10.15am	St David's	Morning Prayer Holy Mass: + Sean Gilgunn (JC) Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament <i>until 11am</i>
Thursday: Ascension of the Lord, Solemnity. Holy Day of Obligation	9.30am 6.00pm 6.00pm 7.30pm	St David's Our Lady's	Holy Mass: + Tom Saulters (GS) Preparation for Confirmation Holy Mass: The People of the Parish Parish Prayer Group in St Anne's room
Friday:	9.10am 9.30am 10.15am	Our Lady's	Morning Prayer Holy Mass: + Sr Madeleine Sophie (Srs) Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament <i>until 11am</i> <i>After Mass tea and coffee morning in St Anne's room</i>
Saturday:	9.10am 9.30am 10.15am 10.15am 10.00am	Our Lady's St David's	Morning Prayer Holy Mass: Stuart and Helen White (JW) Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament <i>until 11.15am</i> Sacrament of Reconciliation <i>until 11.15am</i> Deanery Synod Meeting until 2pm
Saturday/Sunday 7th Sunday of Eastertide.	4.15pm 5.00pm 9.30am 11.15am 6.00pm	St David's Our Lady's St David's Our Lady's	Sacrament of Reconciliation <i>until 4.45pm</i> Holy Mass: + Tom and Doreen Probert (JA) Holy Mass: + Gregory Halpin (MH) <i>After Mass tea and coffee morning in St Anne's room</i> Holy Mass: + Frances Evans (EW) Candlelight Procession in honour of Our Lady of Fatima

Please note the change of Mass times on Thursday

Food Bank Collection 11and 12th May

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, Ivorna 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 Sam McCausland, Linda Vecchio, Pat Gardner and all those who have died recently. May they rest in peace. Amen.

Catholics at the Parkway!

Pentecost Sunday **19th May**, 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.

For those who have mobility issues and want to reserve a seat in the front rows for the Mass, please contact one of the following:

Welcomers at each Mass, parish office on 01633 482346 or email cwmbbran@rcadc.org or text Paddy Landers on 07740543645, Carole Morgan 07925813174, Lynne Roberts 07872860622

We need names by Sunday 12th May please.

Ascension Day – Holy Day of obligation

St David's: **9.30am** Mass
Our Lady's: **6.00pm** Mass

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.

The Cycle of Prayer

During Eastertide we are asked to pray for these intentions: Survivors of Abuse; New Members of the Church; Vocations; The Right Use of the Media; the Church; Human Work.

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.

Parish Diary

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.

Novena to the Holy Spirit

(From the Feast of the Ascension to Pentecost)

The novena to the Holy Spirit is the oldest of all novenas since it was first made at the direction of Our Lord when He sent His apostles back to Jerusalem to await the coming of the Holy Spirit on the First Pentecost. It is still the only novena officially prescribed by the Church. Addressed to the Third Person of the Blessed Trinity, it is a powerful plea for the light, strength and love so sorely needed by every Christian.

Prayer To The Holy Spirit

V. Come, O Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of Thy faithful, and enkindle in them the fire of Thy love.

R. Send forth Thy Spirit and they shall be created.

V. And Thou shalt renew the face of the earth

V. Let us pray --- Oh God Who didst instruct the hearts of the faithful by the light of the Holy Spirit, grant us in the same Spirit to be truly wise and to ever rejoice in His consolations, through Jesus Christ Our Lord. Amen.

TEA AND COFFEE are available after Sunday Mass. All welcome. If you are visiting, please join us.

