

PARISH OF OUR LADY AND ST DAVID CWMBRAN

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Parish News

5th May 2024 HOLY TRINITY SUNDAY Psalter: Week 4

Saturday:	9.10am 9.30am 10.15am 10.15am 12noon 8.00pm	Our Lady's	Morning Prayer Holy Mass: Ints of Samantha Wood (JW) Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament <i>until 11.15am</i> Sacrament of Reconciliation <i>until 11.15am</i> Baptism of Eden Catherine Britton Holy Rosary: The Joyful Mysteries
Saturday/Sunday The Most Holy Trinity (Solemnity)	4.15pm 5.00pm 8.00pm 9.30am 11.15am 8.00pm	St David's Facebook Live Our Lady's St David's	<i>Sacrament of Reconciliation until 4.45pm</i> Holy Mass: + Pam and Bob Maxwell (LP&DMC) Holy Rosary: The Joyful Mysteries Holy Mass: + Pinkey Family (AB) <i>After Mass tea and coffee morning in St Anne's room</i> Holy Mass: + Betty Pryce (AJ) The Glorious Mysteries
Monday: St Augustine of Canterbury	11.00am 11.45am 12.45pm	Our Lady's Facebook Live	Holy Mass: The People of the Parish Pilgrimage to Our Lady of Penrhys Holy Rosary: The Joyful Mysteries
Tuesday:	9.10am 9.30am 10.15am 8.00 pm	St David's Facebook Live	Morning Prayer Holy Mass: Thanksgiving (MVDM) Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament <i>until 11am</i> Holy Rosary: The Sorrowful Mysteries
Wednesday:	8.00pm	Facebook Live	Holy Rosary: The Glorious Mysteries
Thursday:	9.20am 9.45am 3.00pm 7.30pm 8.00pm	St David's Facebook Live Our Lady's Facebook Live	Morning Prayer Holy Mass: Parish Rosary Group (B) Divine Mercy Devotions Parish Prayer Group in St Anne's room Holy Rosary: The Luminous Mysteries
Friday: The Visitation of Our Lady	9.10am 9.30am 10.15am 8.00pm	Our Lady's Facebook Live	Morning Prayer Holy Mass: + Michael Keohane (EG) Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament <i>until 11am</i> Holy Rosary: The Sorrowful Mysteries
Saturday:	9.10am 9.30am 10.15am 10.15am 10.15am 8.00pm	Our Lady's Facebook Live	Morning Prayer Holy Mass: + Kath Parsons (SVP) Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament <i>until 11.15am</i> Sacrament of Reconciliation <i>until 11.15am</i> First Saturday Devotions to Our Lady of Fatima Holy Rosary: The Joyful Mysteries
Saturday/Sunday The Body and Blood of Our Lord Jesus Christ	4.15pm 5.00pm 8.00pm 9.30am 11.15am 3.00pm 8.00pm	St David's Facebook Live Our Lady's St David's Our Lady's Facebook Live	<i>Sacrament of Reconciliation until 4.45pm</i> Holy Mass: + Martha Gines (CB) Holy Rosary: The Joyful Mysteries Holy Mass: + Zbigniew Konieczny (TK) <i>After Mass tea and coffee morning in St Anne's room</i> Holy Mass: First Holy Communicants <i>After Mass tea and coffee morning in St Anne's room</i> Corpus Christi Procession The Glorious Mysteries

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, Derek Powell, George Batterick, Veronica Williams, Mary Peacock and Maureen Van de Meer

Requiescant in Pace - Of your charity please pray for the repose of the souls Pat Gardener, Edwina Jones, Sabina Fisher Clive McCarthy and all those who have died recently. May they rest in peace. Amen.

Mini Parish Pilgrimage to Penrhys

Mass in Our Lady's Church (Live streamed) followed by the Rosary and Devotions (Facebook Live) at the shrine of Our Lady of Penrhys. Time table as follows:
Mass at Our Lady's Church: 11.00am (Live streamed)
Leaving Cwmbran: 11.45am

Rosary at Penrhys: 12.45pm (Facebook Live)
There will be an opportunity for Pilgrims to visit the well, known as Mary's Well, FFYNON MAIR. The spring has been the focus of religious life at Penrhys, dating back to the earliest days of Christianity in the Rhondda, and has throughout its recorded history been attributed with miraculous healing powers said to be of divine origins.

Local Morrisons for refreshments

Journey of Faith – RCIA and RCIC

Journey of Faith is a time of preparation for those seeking to be welcomed as members of the Catholic Church. Our Parish Journey of Faith course follows the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) and Young People (RCIC) and is a time of prayer, preparation, celebration and welcome into the Catholic Church. If you are interested in finding out more about being received fully into the Church please contact Fr Daniel 016330482346

First Holy Communion

On Sunday 2nd June, the feast of Corpus Christi, the young people from St David's School will receive their First Holy Communion during the 11:15am Mass. The young people from Our Lady's School will receive their First Holy Communion during 2pm Mass on the afternoon of Sunday 9th June. All are welcome! Please pray for all our young parishioners.

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

Sunday 2nd June 11.15 Mass: First Holy Communion Mass at St David's church

Tuesday Club 4th June at 1.30pm in St Anne's room: Guest Speaker Siobhan Hayes – How did the Morgan Family of Tredegar House make their money?

Sunday 9th June 2pm Mass: First Holy Communion Mass at Our Lady's Church.

Pentecost at the Parkway

I would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone for their commitment to making last weekend's Pentecost celebration at the Parkway Hotel a huge success. As we gathered together as one family in faith, we were able to recognise the profound strength in our unity of faith and diversity of mission. As we looked around the room, we got a real sense that we are those living stones which make up the Body of Christ. There are photos of the celebration available on the parish social media pages.

I would like to personally thank everyone who had a part to play in making last weekend's celebration possible, for the amazing way in which our gifts and our talents were used for the building up of our parish community. As we venture back into Ordinary Time, let us continue to open ourselves up to the promptings of the Holy Spirit. God bless, Fr Daniel Stanton

Pilgrimage Season

The Pilgrimages to Our Lady of Penrhys, St John Kemble and St David Lewis will take place in August. Dates and times will be published shortly.

Sick and Retired Clergy Mass

On Friday 7th June, Archbishop Mark O'Toole will celebrate Mass dedicated to the Sick and Retired Clergy of the Archdiocese. The Mass will take place at St David's Cathedral at 12.45pm.

June – Month of the Sacred Heart of Jesus

The month of June is traditionally dedicated to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. 7day lights are available from the piety shops in both churches.