

PARISH OF OUR LADY AND ST DAVID CWMBRAN

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1st September 2024

Twenty Second Sunday of Ordinary Time

Psalter: Week 2

Saturday:	9.10am 9:30am 10.15am 10.15am	Our Lady's	Morning prayer Holy Mass The People of the Parish Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament <i>Sacrament of Reconciliation until 11.15am</i>
Saturday/Sunday 22nd Sunday of Ordinary Time	4.15pm 5.00pm 9.30am 11.15am 8.00pm	St David's Our Lady's St David's Facebook Live	<i>Sacrament of Reconciliation until 4.45pm</i> Holy Mass + Michael Brocklehurst (CB) Ints of Gerard Saulters (M+CM) <i>After Mass tea and coffee morning in St Anne's Room</i> Holy Mass + Amanda and David Heaven (TO'K) <i>After Mass tea and coffee morning in St Non's Room</i> <i>Holy Rosary, The Glorious Mysteries</i>
Monday:	9.10am 9.30am 6.00pm 8.00pm	Our Lady's Our Lady's Facebook Live	Morning Prayer Holy Mass + Zbigniew Konieczny (TK) Parish Meeting St Anne's Room <i>Holy Rosary, The Joyful Mysteries</i>
Tuesday: <i>St Gregory the Great</i>	9.20am 9.45am 10.15am 8.00pm	St David's St David's Facebook Live	Morning Prayer Holy Mass + Margaret Williams (Family) Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until 11am <i>Holy Rosary, The Sorrowful Mysteries</i>
Wednesday:	8.00pm	Facebook Live	<i>Holy Rosary, The Glorious Mysteries</i>
Thursday:	1.30pm 8.00pm	Our Lady's Facebook live	Requiem Mass Luke Cregg <i>Holy Rosary, The Luminous Mysteries</i>
Friday:	9.10am 9.30am 10.15am 8.00pm	Our Lady's Facebook Live	Morning Prayer Holy Mass + Sam McCausland (SVP) <i>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until 11am</i> <i>After Mass tea and coffee morning in St Anne's Room</i> <i>Holy Rosary, The Sorrowful Mysteries</i>
Saturday: <i>Votive Mass of Our Lady</i>	9.10am 9:30am 10.15am 10.15am 10.15am 12 noon	Our Lady's	Morning Prayer Holy Mass Rosary Group (BR) Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament <i>Sacrament of Reconciliation until 11.15am</i> First Saturday Devotions to Our Lady of Fatima and Rosary Baptism of Arlo Meredith
Saturday/Sunday 23rd Sunday of Ordinary Time	4.15pm 5.00pm 9.30am 11.15am 8.00pm	St David's St David's Our Lady's St David's Facebook Live	<i>Sacrament of Reconciliation until 4.45pm</i> Holy Mass + Lee Davies (AD) Holy Mass The People of the Parish <i>After Mass tea and coffee morning in St Anne's Room</i> Holy Mass + Frank Brennan (BF) <i>After Mass tea and coffee morning in St Non's Room</i> <i>Holy Rosary, The Glorious Mysteries</i>

New Lectionary Formation Days

The Liturgy Commission has arranged two days of information, preparation, and training for the new lectionary. On 5th October in the Parish Centre at Our Lady and Saint Michael, Abergavenny. 19th October in the Parish Centre at Saint Mary, Bridgend. Each day will run from 10.30 to 3pm. Tea and coffee will be available as people gather 10 – 10.30am, and during the lunch break – please bring your own packed lunch. **All those wishing to attend must register by contacting Kirsty Vater (Kirsty.vater@rcadc.org).**

Parish News

Parish Sick
We pray for the sick and household 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 and Janet Mahoney, Ray Mills, Michael Barry, Diane Pearce, Rose James, Paul Taylor, Doreen Whatley, Phyllis 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, Christine, Lily Farr, Peter Anslow, Derek Powell, George Batterick, Veronica Lloyd, Veronica Williams, Monica James, Mary Peacock, Maureen Van de Meer, Rev Philip Manghan, Charlie Davies, Ann Cahill, Gerard Saulters and Larine Parry

Requiescant in Pace - Of your charity please pray for the repose of the souls of Nancy Rees, Deryck Powell, Luke Cregg, John Kroger and all those who have died recently. May they rest in peace. Amen.

Card Machine
In the last couple of weeks, you will have noticed the card machines in the Parish, this has caused some confusion. We were asked by the Archdiocese to trial them in both churches and the Parish Finance Committee agreed. The Trial of the card machine is an additional way to enable parishioners to donate to the Parish.

Stewards Needed
We need some stewards to help coordinate the car parking at St David's Church. Anyone who can help will be much appreciated. If you can make Father Daniel, Carole or Liz aware that you are available that would be wonderful.

Journey of Faith
The Journey of Faith initiative is a time of preparation for those seeking to be welcomed as members of the Catholic Church. If you are considering becoming Catholic, and would like to find out more information, please speak with Fr. Daniel directly, to arrange an opportunity to meet together.

Sacrament of Confirmation
Preparation for the Sacrament of Confirmation will shortly begin in the parish for those who are in Year Eight and above. If you wish your child to make their Confirmation please complete the Form which can be found on the Parish Website www.ourladyoftheangels.org.uk

Season of Creation Prayer
Eternal God, Creator of all,
We praise you for the diversity in Creation that makes us one cosmic family living in a common home, planet Earth. We confess that we do not always appreciate the Earth as a nurturing gift from you, our Creator. Our selfishness, greed and neglect have contributed to the climate crisis, loss of biodiversity and human suffering, as well as the suffering of our fellow creatures. We confess that we have failed to listen enough to the suffering Earth and the creatures it sustains. Through the Spirit of hope and justice that lives within us, we pray that you will make us more sensitive to the groans of creation. As all creatures are made in your image, grant us a fresh vision of our relationship with Earth, and with one another. We make this prayer in Jesus' name. Amen.

Parish Diary
Monday 2nd September- Parish Meeting, 6pm St Anne's Room.

Tuesday 10th September- Tuesday Club resumes at 1.30 in St Anne's Room with our guest speaker Sue Baldwin who will tell us about her adventure Circumnavigating the globe, everyone welcome.

Saturday 14th September- Adoremus at St Mary's College Oscott. We hold our National Eucharistic Congress in this holy place this year. More information to follow.

Thursday 14th November- Service of Memories 6pm Our Lady's Church.

Belmont Abbey Shop
Father James from the Belmont Abbey shop would like to inform you about the resources available in the shop. With a range of items available please check the information leaflet on the notice board.

Season Of Creation
Just A Thought: "The glory of Creation is in its infinite diversity."
This week I will take time to stand in awe at the wonders of Creation – and to give thanks to God for everything that nurtures our life on Planet Earth



New People's Missals
All those who have pre-ordered the new Missals could you please forward payment to the Parish office by 15th September so we can take advantage of the special offer.