

**PARISH OF OUR LADY AND ST DAVID CWMBRAN**

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7 <sup>th</sup> September 2025	23 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time	Psalter: Week 3
<b>Saturday: Memorial of Our Lady</b>	9.40am <b>10.00am</b>	<b>Our Lady’s</b>  Morning Prayer <b>Holy Mass: Bereavement Mass</b> <i>After Mass: Teas/Coffees in St. Anne’s Room</i>
<b>Sunday: 23<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>	4.15pm <b>5.00pm</b> 8.00pm <b>9.30am</b>  <b>11.15am</b> <b>1.15pm</b> 8.00pm	<b>St David’s</b>  <b>Facebook Live</b> <b>Our Lady’s</b>  <b>St David’s</b> <b>St David’s</b> <b>Facebook Live</b> <i>Sacrament of Reconciliation until 4.45pm</i> <b>Holy Mass: + Lee Davies (AD)</b> Holy Rosary: The Joyful Mysteries <b>Holy Mass: Ints Monica James (VD)</b> <i>After Mass tea and coffee in St Anne’s room</i> <b>Holy Mass: + Private Intentions (AJ)</b> <b>Baptism of Hopkins Family and Teddie Thomas</b> Holy Rosary: The Glorious Mysteries
<b>Monday:</b>	9.10am <b>9.30am</b> 8.00pm	<b>Our Lady’s</b>  <b>Facebook Live</b> Morning prayer <b>Holy Mass: + Richard Olearczyk (SVP)</b> Holy Rosary: The Joyful Mysteries
<b>Tuesday: Bl. Frederic Ozanam</b>	9.10am <b>9.30am</b>  8.00pm	<b>St David’s</b>  <b>Facebook Live</b> Morning Prayer <b>Holy Mass: + Christine and Raymond Brown (DP)</b> <i>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until 11am</i> Holy Rosary: The Sorrowful Mysteries
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>11.00am</b> 8.00pm	<b>St David’s</b> <b>Facebook Live</b> <b>Requiem Mass for Sr Justina</b> Holy Rosary: The Glorious Mysteries
<b>Thursday: St. Deiniol</b>	9.10am <b>9.30am</b> <b>7.00pm</b>  7.30pm 8.00pm	<b>St David’s</b>  <b>Our Lady of Peace</b> <b>St Anne’s Room</b> <b>Facebook Live</b> <b>Morning Prayer</b> <b>Holy Mass: Wellbeing of Champs Family (CC)</b> <b>Torchlight Procession, Our Lady of Peace Newbridge</b>  Parish Praise Group Holy Rosary: The Luminous Mysteries
<b>Friday: Most Holy Name of Mary – Patron of the Archdiocese</b>	<b>1.45pm</b> 8.00pm	<b>St David’s</b> <b>Facebook Live</b> <b>Requiem Mass for Ray Mills</b> Holy Rosary: The Sorrowful Mysteries
<b>Saturday: St. John Chrysostom</b>	<b>10.00am</b>   <b>12noon</b>	<b>Our Lady’s</b>   <b>St David’s</b> Morning Prayer <b>Holy Mass: People of the Parish</b> <i>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until 11.30am</i> <i>Sacrament of Reconciliation until 11.30am</i> <b>Baptism of Theodore, Oscar &amp; Violet Westmacott-James</b>
<b>Sunday: The Exultation of the Cross</b>	4.15pm <b>5.00pm</b> 8.00pm <b>9.30am</b>  <b>11.15am</b> 8.00pm	<b>St David’s</b>  <b>Facebook Live</b> <b>Our Lady’s</b>  <b>St David’s</b> <b>Facebook Live</b> <i>Sacrament of Reconciliation until 4.45pm</i> <b>Holy Mass: + Bonny O’Leary (UH)</b> Holy Rosary: The Joyful Mysteries <b>Holy Mass: Morgan Intentions (CM)</b> <i>After Mass tea and coffee in St Anne’s room</i> <b>Holy Mass: Thanksgiving (MVM)</b> Holy Rosary: The Glorious Mysteries

**CCTV**

**Just to make everyone aware the Sanctuary is always being live streamed.**

**The Sacristy:** *The Sacristy is a place for preparation and prayer. With this in mind Father will be unavailable to meet with anyone 10 minutes before Mass as he takes the required time to prepare himself.*

**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, Ann Pitchforth, Tina Cordani, Iverna Ward, Chris Mulcahy, Fr Kevin Paine and Caroline Paine, Imelda Smith, Malcolm Williams, Terry Mahoney, Michael Barry, Diane Pearce, Rose James, Paul Taylor, Doreen Whatley, Phyllis Whatley, Robert Hayton, Jim Sheehy, John Jordan, Christine O’Shea, Teddy, Lois Terry, Josie Mahoney, Lily Farr, Veronica Williams, Monica James, Charlie Davies, Brian Moon, Ann Cahill, Janet Gleeson, Katie Whitehouse, Elaine Woolfall, Betty Small, Pauline and Michael Loughlin, Louise Fitzgerald, Andrew Morgan, Carole Morgan, Angela Roylance.

**Requiescant in Pace** - Of your charity please pray for the repose of the soul of Pauline McGrath, Diane Johnson, Margaret Vincent, Sr Justina, Ray Mills, Gillian Anslow, Marie Willis and all those who have died recently. May they rest in peace. Amen.

**Journey of Faith - RCIA**

Journey of Faith is a time of preparation for those seeking to be welcomed as members of the Catholic Church.

This journey of faith involves periods of learning about the Catholic tradition and Gospels, spiritual preparation, communal involvement, and specific liturgical rites of welcome.

If you are interested in finding out more about being received fully into the Church, please complete the form on this link: <https://shorturl.at/I41eK> and Fr. Daniel will arrange to meet with you.

Please pray for those members of our community who are discerning their journey into the Church. Come, Holy Spirit!

**Mothers’ Prayers**

**When & Where:** Saturday 13th September, 10am-2:30pm All Hallows Church, School Road, Miskin CF72 8PG Free lunch provided

**Who's Welcome:** All mothers, grandmothers, and women with hearts for children. For more information please see the notices in the porch.

**Creation Prayer**

God our Father, we praise and thank you for the gift of life, for the Faith which unites us and for this beautiful planet, our common home. We confess how estranged we have become from one another and from your Creation.

Beloved Christ, stir us to compassionate action, working with you to bring about the end of conflict, and for the healing of broken relationships.

Prince of Peace, through your resurrection, make us people of hope - with a vision of swords turned into ploughshares and tears transformed into joy.

Through your Spirit, unite us as one family, dwelling in peace and harmony with one another and with all creation.

Amen

**Parish Diary**

**Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> September** - Tuesday Club at 1.30pm in St Anne’s room.

**Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> September:** Mothers Prayer Group Meeting,10am-2.30pm. All Hallows Church, CF72 8PG.

**Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> September:** 100 years Cwmbrian Celtic Celebration Ball, Parish Hall.

**September: SVP Awareness Month**

September is **SVP Awareness Month**, a time when the St. Vincent de Paul Society (SVP) highlights its work and seeks to engage the community in supporting its charitable efforts.

**Dates for the diary:**

**4<sup>th</sup> September** - SVP Meeting, 6pm, St Non’s Room

**13/14<sup>th</sup> September-** Lectern Address

**20/21<sup>st</sup> September** – SVP Annual Collection

**Celebrating the Sacraments - Confirmation**

Preparation for the Sacrament of Confirmation will shortly begin in the parish for those who are in Year Eight and above.

Advance notice to all parents that there will be no celebration of the sacrament of Confirmation during this coming academic year. Preparation for the sacrament will begin shortly. If you wish your child to make their Confirmation, and would like to know more information about the Sacrament of Confirmation journey, please complete the form which can be found on the Parish Website.

More information will be available shortly. Fr. Daniel will send a letter to all Year 8 parents in the coming weeks through St. Alban’s School.

**Gift Aid Donation Reports**

The Gift Aid Donation Reports are available for collection from the Sacristy in both Our Lady’s and St David’s. Please come to the sacristy to receive your envelopes.