

PARISH OF OUR LADY AND ST DAVID CWMBRAN

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Parish News



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

PLEASE NOTE- *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: Ann Pitchforth, 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, Robert Hayton, Jim Sheehy, John Jordan, Christine O'Shea, Teddy, Lois Terry, Lily Farr, Monica James, Charlie Davies, Brian Moon, Janet Gleeson, Elaine Woolfall, Betty Small, Pauline and Michael Loughlin, Louise Fitzgerald, Andrew Morgan, Angela Davies, Rozalia Grimas, Patricia Franklin, Mary Evans.

Requiescant in Pace - Of your charity please pray for the repose of the souls of: Josie Mahoney, Cheryl Jones, Tina Cordani, Maureen Olsen all those who have died recently. May they rest in peace. Amen.

Parish Diary

7th – 11th August 2026 – Parish pilgrimage to Fatima.

Sunday, 23rd August – Annual Pilgrimage to the Graveside of St. John Kemble, followed by Benediction & refreshments at St. Mary's Church, Monmouth. Beginning at the graveside in Welsh Newton at 3:00pm.

100 Plus Club

So sorry I missed June's Draw so done them both this week, please contact me in the office to arrange payment, Thanks Liz.

June

1st – NO 94- John Hargaden

2nd – NO 40- Tina Davies

3rd – NO 109- Stephenie Lee

July

1st – NO 103- Emma Moody

2nd – NO 84- Helen Stanton

3rd – NO 31- Mike Twomey

Fatima Pilgrimage

Fr Daniel is going on pilgrimage to Fatima on Friday 7th August with Fr Craig and his parishioners from Bista. If anyone would like their prayer intentions taken to the Shrine, please can you put them in an envelope and drop them to Liz in the Parish Office.

The Parish Office will be closed on Friday 7th August, all calls and emails will be answered Monday when Liz is back in the office.

Food Bank

Bags of food, and £160 cash delivered to the Food Bank last week. Thanks again for your loyal support. Next collection will be the weekend of 8th and 9th of August.

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

Being admitted to Hospital?

Due to patient confidentiality laws, hospitals no longer notify parishes when a Catholic is admitted. IT IS ESSENTIAL that you or a family member directly inform the parish priest or office about a scheduled or emergency hospital admission. Before you or a loved one is being admitted to hospital here are a few considerations to help with pastoral care:

Before admission for a planned stay, Notify the Parish by speaking to the Priest or the office with the hospital, ward and date of admission.

Request the Sacrament: You can request the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick before you go into hospital, which can be done after Mass, at home or in Church.

During Admission: Declare your faith to the hospital by informing the staff you are a Catholic and ask for it to be placed I your personal file.

Request a Chaplin: Ask a nurse/staff member to notify the Chaplaincy service that you are there.

Emergency Admissions: In an emergency, ask the ward to contact the on-call Catholic Priest via the hospital switchboard.

Visits are not automatic even if you state you're a Catholic so you must request a visit. Only you or your family can notify the Patrish of your hospitalisation.

Homebound Care: If you are returning home and need Holy Communion brought to you, contact the office upon discharge.

On Saturday 8th and Sunday 9th August we will be welcoming Fr Martin Devenish from the Mission appeal to celebrate Mass with us while Fr Daniel is away at Fatima. The archdiocese have invited the Verona Fathers to make this years mission appeal. Next weekend, the second collection will be for the Mission Appeal, you can also donate on the card readers in both Churches also on the Parish Website using the second collection.

SVP Raffle

The SVP National Summer Raffle tickets are now available please contact one of your local SVP members for the chance of winning £5000. Tickets are £1 a strip or a book for £5. Please help your local and nation SVP in the amazing work that they do. Tickets will also be available after the weekend masses over the next number of weeks.