



# St Dyfrig's & All Hallows Catholic Churches

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**Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> May 2015**

**The Most Holy Trinity (Year B)**

**Cycle 1 Psalter Week 1**

## **NEWS FOR ALL**

**RCT SCHOOL TRANSPORT CONSULTATION...** see *St Dyfrig's News Page*.

**CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION** on Sunday 7th June at 2.30pm in Bute Park, Cardiff. All very welcome. For further information, contact Fr P Scanlan Tel: 029 2048 3394.

**WALES & THE MARCHES CATHOLIC HISTORY SOCIETY**  
Our Annual History Day will be on Saturday June 13th 2015 from 10am to 4pm at St. David's 6th Form College Cardiff. Come and meet new and old friends for a very enjoyable day with interesting talks and an excellent lunch. Cost for the Day: £12 (members) £15 (non members) includes lunch, teas, coffees and a glass of wine. All are very welcome to attend. For further details and to book a place, please contact: Ed. Price: Tel 029 2115 4636 . Email: [toniprice@talktalk.net](mailto:toniprice@talktalk.net)

**CONFIRMANDI** A retreat evening for the Confirmandi will take place on Wednesday 17th June from 6.30 to 9 pm at St. Helen's Church Hall Caerphilly.

### **CALLING ALL CATECHISTS WHO WORK WITH ADULTS!**

- 7 – 9 pm on Fri 19<sup>th</sup> June at St Michael's Centre, Abergavenny
- 10 am – 12 noon on Sat 20<sup>th</sup> June at St Mary's Parish Hall, Bridgend
- 2 – 4 pm on Sat 20<sup>th</sup> June at the Pastoral Resources Centre, Cardiff

**MONASTIC EXPERIENCE WEEKEND at Pluscarden Abbey** The monks of Pluscarden Abbey offer a special

opportunity to see at firsthand what monastic life is about, during the weekend Friday 11 September to Monday 14 September 2015. There will be no charge for the weekend. The invitation is extended to single young men, Catholics who practise their faith, aged 18 - 35.

Anyone interested is invited to contact Fr. Benedict Hardy OSB: [novicemaster@pluscardenabbey.org](mailto:novicemaster@pluscardenabbey.org); Pluscarden Abbey, Elgin, Moray IV30 8UA; 01343 890 257; [www.pluscardenabbey.org](http://www.pluscardenabbey.org).

**CATHOLIC RENEWAL CONFERENCE 'Proclaim the Good News!'** Mark 16 v15 August 21<sup>st</sup>-23<sup>rd</sup> 2015 in University College of Wales Trinity St. David, Carmarthen CF31 3EP

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED** Mission Together needs volunteers to visit schools and help engage children with the global mission of the Catholic Church. Do you think you can help? We welcome anyone interested in working with schools and our volunteers bring a broad range of experience to our team. You just need a passion for the world mission of the Church, be comfortable talking with children, and to care for the future of all children around the world.

A Volunteers Training Day is to be held in Cardiff on Tuesday 23rd June, 10.30 – 3.00. If you think you may be interested, please call Keith Lewis on 01656 738159. [www.missiontogether.org.uk/index.php?category=5](http://www.missiontogether.org.uk/index.php?category=5)

**HEADTEACHER VACANCY – St Mary's R. C. Primary School, Newport.** Closing date: Friday 5th June 2015 at 4pm. Application pack: Newport City Council (01633 656656 or [jobs@newport.gov.uk](mailto:jobs@newport.gov.uk))

*Response to Psalm: Happy the people the Lord has chosen as his own.*

**Gospel Acclamation:** Alleluia, alleluia! Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit;  
The God who is, who was, and who is to come. Alleluia!

**1<sup>st</sup> Reading:** Deuteronomy 4:32-34,39-40; **2<sup>nd</sup> Reading:** Romans 8:14-17; **Gospel:** Matthew 28:16-20

# ALL HALLOWS NEWS

## OFFICES FOR WEEK COMMENCING 31 May 2015

<b>Saturday Mass</b>	<b>6.30pm</b>
<b>Euch. Minister:</b>	<i>Dermot Lyons</i>
<b>Reader</b>	<i>Carolyn Lyons</i>
<b>Offertory</b>	<i>G Edwards and Family</i>
<b>Sunday Mass</b>	<b>9.15am</b>
<b>Euch. Minister</b>	<i>L Butcher/T.Charnock/C.Hensley</i>
<b>Readers:</b>	<i>Theresa Spiller/Emyr Adlam</i>
<b>Offertory:</b>	<i>1<sup>st</sup> Holy Communion Children</i>
<b>Collection:</b>	<i>R.Emmott/M Wensley</i>
<b>Tea:</b>	<i>Sandra Corp</i>
<b>Cleaning:</b>	<i>Team 4 Teresa's Team</i>
<b>Servers:</b>	<i>Brian/Edward/George</i>

## OFFICES FOR WEEK COMMENCING 7 June 2015

<b>Saturday Mass</b>	<b>6.30pm</b>
<b>Euch. Minister:</b>	<b>C Barrion</b>
<b>Reader</b>	<b>A Draper</b>
<b>Offertory</b>	<b>Franks Herbert Family</b>
<b>Sunday Mass</b>	<b>9.15am</b>
<b>Euch. Minister</b>	<b>M Fernandez/C Lyons/D Lyons</b>
<b>Readers:</b>	<b>J Fulgoni / T Bressington</b>
<b>Offertory:</b>	<b>G Robertson</b>
<b>Collection:</b>	<b>T Mahoney / C Hensley</b>
<b>Tea:</b>	<b>Theresa Mackay</b>
<b>Cleaning:</b>	<b>Team 5 Angela's Team</b>
<b>Servers:</b>	<i>Brian/Edward/George</i>

**"The Liturgy Ministries Rota up to 19 07 15 has been circulated by E – mail. Hard copies are on the board in the Atrium"**

**Children's Liturgy This Week ; No Children's Liturgy  
Next Week: T Howell /L Harris**

## COLLECTIONS FOR 24<sup>th</sup> May

*Gift Aid: £609.43; Non Gift Aid: £56.00;  
Loose Plate: £131.28*

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION** Fr. Allan will be available to celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation on the first Saturday of every month, beginning on 2<sup>nd</sup> May, from 10.15 a.m. to 11.15 a.m.

**NOTICE TO PARISH PREMISES KEYHOLDERS** We are endeavouring to update our records and would appreciate it if all key holders for the church properties could give your names to any member of the Parish Council (Cheryl Hensley, Jim O'Dwyer, Emyr

Adlam, Carolyn Lyons, Therese Charnock or Teresa Bressington) . Please indicate what access you have, i.e. Church or hall, or both. We need to ensure that we have a comprehensive list of such key-holders. Thank you.

## WHAT'S GOING ON

**MARIE CURIE BIG TEA PARTY...** One week to go... Next Sunday June 7<sup>th</sup> is our big bake off and Big Tea Party for Marie Curie in the Parish Hall after the 9.15 am mass. We hope you are all baking away ready for this big event. The more the merrier.... Let's have all your favourite recipes, **Victoria Sponges, Chocolate Cake, Banana Cake, Boiled Fruit Cakes, Cup Cakes Galore, Welsh Cakes**, whatever you feel like baking, it is all for a good cause.

Tempt us with your culinary delights and delicious cake recipes.... Importantly too, is that you come along and support the parish in this very worthy cause. We are looking to increase on last year, but we cannot achieve this without your help and support. Geraldine is at the helm and eager for us all to be involved Don't disappoint her, GET BAKING !!!!

**MINNESINGERS CONCERT...**The Minnesingers are holding their Annual Concert in All Hallows Church on **Friday 5<sup>th</sup> June** with the "Melon Griffiths Band". The concert starts at 7.30 pm Tickets are £7 available from Brian Hargreaves (01443225679), Mike Clinch (0790878393) and Meryn Williams (07792672287) or on the door.

**REMINDER... POOR CLARES VISIT...** Our annual visit to the Poor Clares is arranged for **Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> June**. It is our tradition to take gifts for the Sisters. If you would like to contribute they can be left in the church porch. If you would like to join us get in touch with Maureen or Tony.

**200 CLUB – MAY PRIZE DRAW** 1<sup>st</sup> Dr & Mrs Hunt (72), 2<sup>nd</sup> Andrew Draper (41), 3<sup>rd</sup> Theresa Mackay (53) Also Anna Wilson 3<sup>rd</sup> Prize for March and also April – envelopes in the safe for collection.

**REFRESHMENTS IN THE HALL AFTER THE 9.15AM MASS...** Why not join us for a Tea/Coffee with homemade Welsh Cakes in the Parish Hall. We would love to see you there...

# **ST DYFRIG'S NEWS**

**RCT SCHOOL TRANSPORT CONSULTATION** RCT Borough Council Cabinet has agreed to consult on the proposal to charge for all discretionary school transport. If this goes ahead, it will have a disproportional impact upon families who have chosen to send their children to a Church school. All of the Church schools in RCT, both Church in Wales and Catholic, are opposed to this change. As a group, together with the support of the dioceses involved, we will strongly resist these proposals on behalf of our children and their parents. We will be seeking the views of all of our stake holders shortly. A statement outlining our initial arguments was presented to the Cabinet at the meeting on Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> May by Fr. Robert Davies, Chair of Governors St John Baptist Church in Wales High School Aberdare. For further details about the council proposals and to download the written response to the council proposal, please visit the Cardinal Newman website: <http://www.cardinalnewman.co.uk/>

**FIRST IMPRESSIONS COUNT** To enhance our submissions to grant agencies it has been suggested that a brochure is produced with our vision of the improvements to the Church, Hall, Presbytery and grounds that funding could provide. We are seeking the assistance of those with artistic or graphical skills who can assist with creating a few Artists impressions of the improvements envisaged and present them in an attractive brochure. We do not require detailed Architectural plans, these will be produced at a later stage funded by grants, just eye catching illustrations of how the Parish would like to maintain and improve the Buildings and grounds.

If you or someone you know can help please contact Liz Mayo on 01443 209850 or mayoliz@hotmail.com or speak to Fr Allan.

**CHILDREN'S LITURGY** Due to the shortage of leaders, we have made the decision to no longer offer Children's Liturgy on Saturday nights. The parish says a big Thank You to all the team who have shared their faith with our children for a number of years and we pray the Lord will continue to bless them for all their hard work. Liturgy will continue on Sunday Mornings. The new term starts next week (7<sup>th</sup> June).

**SVP QUARTERLY MEETING** will take place on Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> June at 7pm. Please try to come and bring a friend to swell the crowd! Thank you. Everybody welcome. Anne 842825

**A MUSICAL EVENING** at St Thomas' Abercynon on Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> June at 7.30pm. Tickets £5. See poster in the Narthex for more details.

**DONATION FROM COSTCUTTER!** We say many thanks to our local CostCutter! St Dyfrig's Parish was awarded £1000 from their Charities Fund. We say a big "Thank You" to Ruki, his family and all concerned.

## **FUND RAISING GROUP**

The next meeting of the Fund Raising Group will be held on Tuesday 2nd June at 7 p.m. We would welcome new members so if you are interested in arranging social activities or fund raising please attend the meeting.

Please do not forget 'BEAT THE CLOCK'. 'Minutes' are on sale in the Narthex after Mass on Saturday evening and Sunday morning. You can buy one or as many minutes as you like or buy minutes each week. As soon as all the minutes have been bought we will wind a clock and whatever the minute is when the clock stops is the winning minute. Whoever has bought the minute will win £100 and the individuals who have the minute immediately before and after the winning minute will win £10. Please support this fund raising activity.

## **PARISH FINANCES**

**23<sup>rd</sup>/24<sup>th</sup> May 2015** Gift Aid Envelopes: £137; Loose Collection: £339.71; Christian Aid: £80.05; Vocations Training: £10

**1<sup>st</sup>-30<sup>th</sup> April 2015** Standing Orders received: Gift Aid £496; Non Gift Aid £372

**FRIENDS OF ST DYFRIG'S APRIL** £50 Mrs M McCarthy (256); £20 Mr J Murray (254); £10 John Friel (21); £10 Joe Biddulph (16); £10 Mrs M McCarthy (270)

**Hymn Numbers (Sat Mass)** Entrance 234; Offertory 641; Communion 635; Recessional 469

## Liturgy/Masses at St Dyfrig's Treforest and All Hallows, Miskin

Date	Time & Place	Service & Intention
<b>Saturday</b> 30 <sup>th</sup> May	10.30am St Dyfrig's 4.30pm St Dyfrig's 5.00pm St Dyfrig's 6.30pm All Hallows	<b>FIRST HOLY COMMUNION Mass</b> <b>Reconciliation</b> <b>Mass – Nora Fawcett</b> <b>Mass – People of the Parish</b>
<b>Sunday</b> 31 <sup>st</sup> May <i>The Most Holy Trinity</i>	9.15am All Hallows <b>11.00am</b> St Dyfrig's	<b>FIRST HOLY COMMUNION Mass – John Mahoney</b> <b>Mass – People of the Parish</b>
<b>Monday</b> 1 <sup>st</sup> June <i>St Justin</i>	9.30 am St Dyfrig's 9.45 am St Dyfrig's	<b>Morning Prayer</b> <b>Service of the Word</b> with Holy Communion
<b>Tuesday</b> 2 <sup>nd</sup> June	9.30 am All Hallows	<b>No Mass</b>
<b>Wednesday</b> 3 <sup>rd</sup> June	9.30 am St Dyfrig's 9.45 am St Dyfrig's	<b>Morning Prayer</b> <b>Service of the Word</b> with Holy Communion
<b>Thursday</b> 4 <sup>th</sup> June	All Hallows	<b>No Mass</b>
<b>Friday</b> 5 <sup>th</sup> June <i>St Boniface</i>	9.30 am St Dyfrig's 9.45 am St Dyfrig's  7.30pm All Hallows	<b>Morning Prayer</b> <b>Service of the Word</b> with Holy Communion <b>Followed by Exposition until 3.00pm</b> <b>Folk Group Practice</b>
<b>Saturday</b> 6 <sup>th</sup> June	4.30pm St Dyfrig's 5.00pm St Dyfrig's 6.30pm All Hallows	<b>Reconciliation</b> <b>Mass – People of the Parish</b> <b>Mass – People of the Parish</b>
<b>Sunday</b> 7 <sup>th</sup> June <i>The Body &amp; Blood of Our Lord Jesus Christ</i>	9.15am All Hallows 10.45pm St Dyfrig's	<b>Mass – People of the Parish</b> <b>Mass – Agnes Hughes Birthday Thanksgiving</b> <b>Refreshments after Mass</b>

### CONTACTS

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Mike Clinch 01443 228147

Hall Bookings:  
Therese Charnock 01443 227246

### Schools

**St Michael's RC Primary School**, John Place, Treforest. (Head: Mr M Chappel) 01443 486840

**Cardinal Newman Catholic Comprehensive**, Dynea Road, Rhydyfelin. (Head: Mr J O'Sullivan) 01443 494110

**Hospital Catholic Chaplains:** The Heath, Cardiff: Br Brian 029 2074 3230; Royal Glamorgan: Fr Tadeusz 01443 421929

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