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Sunday 27th Sept. 2015

26th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year B)

Cycle 1 Psalter Week 2

NEWS FOR ALL

CAFOD HARVEST FAST DAY is Friday, 2 October Your support and donations this Harvest Fast Day will enable our partners to work with people to have access to tools and training, and empower them to become self-sufficient. Additionally, your donations this Fast Day will be used to fund our partners' work in Europe and the Middle East to support those affected by the refugee crisis.

WELCOME TO ALL STUDENTS AT THE UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH WALES. Students are welcome at the Meeting House, the Ecumenical Chaplaincy on Treforest Campus and also here in the parishes of St Dyfrig's and All Hallows. Fr Allan, the Associate Catholic Chaplain is based at St Dyfrig's. As well as the weekend masses mass is also celebrated at the Meeting House every Thursday at 12.15. There is also a Catholic Society – see posters, prayer cards and details of membership at the back of church. To comply with Student Union Rules membership is £3 (but this does include a Cath Soc memory stick!) More announcements at the weekend.

HELPING THE CHRISTIANS IN THE HOLY LAND A missionary group from Bethlehem in the Holy Land will visit both St Dyfrig's and All Hallows Parishes this weekend to sell religious articles made out of olive wood to help and support the poor Christians families. Any help you could give them it will be highly appreciated.

FIRST RECONCILIATION AND COMMUNION PREPARATION for 2015/2016 is due to begin. All Hallows preparation program will begin on

Wednesday 4th November. The sessions will be held 7.00 - 7:45pm. There will be a meeting with catechists Diane Franks-Herbert, Jo Taylor and Father Allan on 21st October 2015 at 7pm for all those wishing to take this course at All Hallows. **St Dyfrig's** program will begin on 14th October and will run on Wednesdays 6.00-7.00pm. The catechists are Mrs Maggie White and Mrs B Slaughter.

Pupils who are eligible are currently in year 3 or above. The publications used will be 'Making things right' and 'Called to his supper', these have proved to be very successful. If you wish your child to join the preparation program please complete a form in the foyer of the church and hand to Father Allan or a catechist at St Dyfrig's (Mrs White or Mrs Slaughter) All Hallows (Diane Franks-Herbert or Jo Taylor)

RCIA – INTERESTED IN THE CATHOLIC FAITH? Are you interested in becoming a Catholic and/or finding out more about the Catholic Faith? Are you a Catholic and wish to renew and/or refresh your faith? If so, a warm welcome awaits you on Tuesday evenings beginning 6th October at 7.30 until 9 pm, in the annexe to the Parish Hall. We look forward to meeting you. For more information contact Fr Allan, or Cath or Tony Carroll – 01443 207576

PROCLAIM 15 The Archdiocese invites you to a day of reflection and preparation for the work of building missionary parishes. It takes place at St David's College on Saturday 10th October at 10.00am.. Booking forms available in all Mass centres to be returned as soon as possible. Find out more at: tinyurl.com/P15CF-info

Response to Psalm: The precepts of the Lord gladden my heart.

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia! Your word is truth, O Lord, consecrate us in the truth. Alleluia!

1st Reading: Numbers 11:25-29; **2nd Reading:** James 5:1-6; **Gospel:** Mark 9:38-43, 45,47-48

PROCLAIMERS OF THE WORD: Saturday 17th October, from 10.30am –3.30pm at Saint David's College, Cardiff, CF23 5QD. A diocesan day including workshops for Readers, Cantors, Children's Liturgy of the Word leaders, Liturgy and music planners, Music planners and Musicians, Writers of the Prayers of the Faithful, Catechists, and all who break open and share the Word of God. For further details of the day and a booking form, please contact your Parish Office.

GEN VERDE "START NOW" CONCERT at the Newport Centre on Thursday 12th November from 7.30PM. An amazing concert which explores the gospel values of peace, collaboration, mutual respect and dialogue. In which our faith inspires us to live life to the full and contribute towards a more just and united world. This concert is performed by the International performing group Gen Verde formed by 21 women from 16 countries, alongside about 150 young people from the Torfaen area who have worked with them in a series of workshops. Tickets cost £10.00. To book call 07592 437 837 or Mary Howells (St Dyfrig's) on 07980 173 556

ALL HALLOWS NEWS

OFFICES FOR WEEK COMMENCING 26th Sept. 2015

Saturday Mass 6.30 pm

Euch. Minister: A Thomas

Reader: L Fernandez

Offertory: M Trigg & R Wilson

Sunday Mass 9.15 am

Euch. Minister: K Thomas / M Fernandez/ C Hensley

Readers: K Bond & T Bressington

Offertory: G Robertson

Collection: K & T Jacobs

Tea: Theresa Mackay

Cleaning: Team 7 Norman

Servers: Brian/Edward/George

OFFICES FOR WEEK COMMENCING 4th Oct. 2015

Saturday Mass 6.30 pm

Euch. Minister: T Jacobs

Reader: E Adlam & W Brown

Offertory: S Williams & E James

Sunday Mass 9.15 am

Euch. Minister: T Mahoney/ A Thomas/K Thomas

Readers: T Charnock & P Davies

Offertory: Ryan Family

Collection: M Drake & S Howells
Tea: Madeleine Hargreaves
Cleaning: Team 1 Maureen Griffiths
Servers: Brian/Edward/George

CHILDREN'S LITURGY

This Week: T Howell & T Mahoney

Next Week: S Stacey & T Spiller

COLLECTIONS for WEEKEND 13th September 2015

Gift Aid: £552.40; Non Gift Aid: £63.00; Loose Plate: £123.82

RECEPTION OF HOLY COMMUNION BODY AND BLOOD

Before Mgr Bob Reardon left All Hallows I know that he had spoken about the reception of Holy Communion under the species of the consecrated bread and wine. To this end very soon parishioners will have the opportunity to receive the precious blood as well as the consecrated bread. Receiving the host is a full reception of the Body of Christ. It is simply that the "body" and "blood" is a fuller expression and reflection of the words of Jesus "This is my Body, this is my blood, do this in remembrance of me".

TESCO VOUCHER SCHEME - News from Jim We are pleased to announce that Tesco's have agreed to restart the Tesco Voucher Scheme... Watch this space for further details.

MUSIC MINISTRY - Would you like to participate in the music liturgy in our Parish? Music plays as major part in our parish liturgy and we would like to further enhance and develop what we already have in our parish. As with all Feasts in the church, music is essential in our masses and devotions. Come along and join with us, if you are interested in singing, or can play an instrument, please contact Teresa Bressington. (01443 204830)

APPEAL FOR ALTAR SERVERS As Fr Allan announced last weekend, we would welcome all interested people who would like to become altar servers at our weekend Masses. Please give some thought to this important role.

UCM NEWS: AUTUMN AND CHRISTMAS CRAFT FAYRE Saturday 24 October from 12.00 noon until 4.00p.m. Arrangements are well underway for this year's event. For the past three years we have hosted this popular event and we have people queuing, in

case of cancellations, hoping to have a table at the Craft Fayre. Many local crafters are participating with a fine array of quirky, interesting and unusual items for sale. Remember to note this date in your diaries, and of course tell a friend. Poster/Flyers and media coverage will shortly be available promoting this event. ***The UCM are running a Cake Fayre and Bottle Stall at the Fayre and we ask for any bottles, (wines, Spirits, anything in a bottle) and of course, your support in baking a few cakes to help us raise funds.***

ANNUAL PARISH CHRISTMAS DINNER Our Parish Christmas Dinner, will be taking place on Saturday 12 December in the Parish Hall. We will have the menu information and costs at the beginning of October.

GIFT AID RECEIPTS The gift aid receipts for last year are now available in the Church Foyer. Apologies for the delay that has occurred this year. If you have any queries about your receipt please contact Tony Yule on 029 20890621

ST DYFRIG'S NEWS

APF MISSIO RED BOXES The next collection is on us. Please bring your box in and leave it in the Sacristy (which is kept locked at night) when you are next at Church, or give the box to me - I will usually be at Saturday Mass; I would be grateful if you can make sure that your name and address are on the label. I will check the Sacristy for any Red Boxes during the week, if it is more convenient for you to leave them after a morning Service. If you do not like carrying the money about, then please telephone me and I will pick it up from you. If Promoters would get their funds to me when you are ready, that would be great. Any queries, please let me know: Allan Reeves 01443 206767. For more information on the boxes - APF Missio website: missio.org.uk

SVP We have an SVP meeting on Wednesday 30th September at 7.30pm. Why not come along and see the work of the SVP? All are welcome. Anne 842425.

JUMBLE SALE Many thanks for the cash donations, lovely jumble donations and manual help we received last Saturday. To date our total made was £615 but in a few weeks we will have our final count. Our money will be shared between Church Refurbishment and Refugees, through the Little Way. They have Sisters in

Jordan where there is one of the biggest refugee camps. People arriving over from Syria, desperate for food, clothing and shelter. Your money will be used well.

Thank you Fr Allan and the team for the lovely flowers, card and gift I received on my last Jumble Sale. I am sad to be leaving but the team was right. The sales will continue under the capable hands of Julia and the team. If you would like to help please see Julia at weekend Mass. Your help will be gratefully received. There's no better feeling than helping the poor and needy and our own church. God Bless Anne.

SVP Sponsored Walk On Saturday 10th October, Richard Boyle will be raising funds for the St Dyfrig's SVP by undertaking a sponsored walk from Pontypridd to Merthyr Tydfil. Sponsorship forms can be found in the narthex.

ST DYFRIG'S YOUTH CLUB has restarted for the Autumn term and it is great to see so many new faces. New members are welcome any time. However, the rota is looking a bit stretched and we could do with some more help ! If you can spare an hour and a half on a Friday every once in a while to help the Youth Club, that would be great. You need to have a tolerance of noise! If you are interested, please call in to the Youth Club any Friday in Term Time to see us.

SOCIAL FUND RAISING GROUP The next Social Fund meeting will be held on MONDAY 5th October at 6 p.m. We would welcome new members and people who are interested in helping to raise funds and organise social events. If you want more information please phone 01443 209850 or email mayofam@btinternet.com.

LADIES Come down to Tonteg Community Hall on Thursday 1st October from 7pm: hand painted furniture; Christmas decorations; ladies new & nearly new clothes. All proceeds to the Church Restoration Fund; admission £1 includes refreshments.

HYMN NUMBERS (Sat Mass) *Entrance 726; Offertory 641; Communion 634; Recessional 263*

Parish Finances 19th/20th September 2015

Gift Aid Envelopes: £345; Loose Collection: £355.15;

FRIENDS OF ST DYFRIG'S August 2015 *£50 Ms A Yates; £20 John Carroll; £10 Helen Woolrich, Ms A Yates, Mr W Coughlin*

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

Date	Time & Place	Service & Intention
Saturday 26th September	5.00 pm St Dyfrig's 6.30 pm All Hallows	Mass – <i>Marilyn Shakespeare</i> Mass – <i>People of the Parish</i>
Sunday 27th September <i>Harvest Sunday</i> <i>26th Sunday of Ordinary Time</i>	9.15 am All Hallows 10.45 am St Dyfrig's	Mass – <i>Michael O'Sullivan RIP</i> Mass – <i>People of the Parish</i> Refreshments after Mass
Monday 28th September	9.30 am St Dyfrig's 9.45 am St Dyfrig's	Morning Prayer Service of the Word with Holy Communion
Tuesday 29th September <i>Sts Michael, Gabriel & Raphael</i>	9.30 am All Hallows 2.20 pm St Michaels	Mass – <i>Private Intention</i> Mass
Wednesday 30th September <i>St Jerome</i>	9.30 am St Dyfrig's 9.45 am St Dyfrig's	Morning Prayer Mass – <i>Roy & Emily Wide</i>
Thursday 1st October <i>St Thérèse of the Child Jesus</i>	9.30 am All Hallows 2.15 pm All Hallows	Mass – <i>Private Intentions</i> UCM Meeting – Parish Centre
Friday 2nd October <i>The Holy Guardian Angels</i>	9.30 am St Dyfrig's 9.45 am St Dyfrig's	Morning Prayer Mass – <i>Sheila Loveless</i> Followed by Exposition until 3.00pm
Saturday 3rd October	10.15 am All Hallows 4.30 pm St Dyfrig's 5.00 pm St Dyfrig's 6.30 pm All Hallows	Reconciliation (Confession) Reconciliation (Confession) Mass – <i>Geoff Shakespeare</i> Mass – <i>People of the Parish</i>
Sunday 4th October <i>26th Sunday of Ordinary Time</i>	9.15 am All Hallows 10.45 pm St Dyfrig's	Mass – <i>People of the Parish</i> Mass – <i>People of the Parish</i> Refreshments after Mass

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St Michael's RC Primary School, John Place, Treforest. (Head: Mr M Chappell) 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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