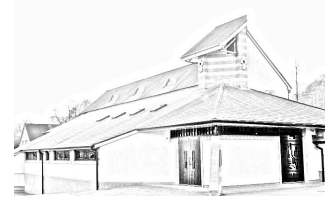


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Sunday 27th March 2016 Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord Cycle II Psalter Week 1

“Now that the days of the Lord’s Passion have drawn to a close, may you who celebrate the gladness of the Paschal Feast come, with Christ’s help... to those feasts that celebrate eternal joy”

(from the blessing of the Easter Vigil)



*May I take this opportunity to thank you for all that you do to build up these parish communities of All Hallows and St Dyfrig's.
A very Happy and Blessed Easter to you all.*

Fr Allan

NEWS FOR ALL

CENTENARY PILGRIMAGE OF PRAYER This week we join our prayers with the intentions of our Archbishop, George Stack.

HOLY HOUR IN ST DYFRIG'S There will be no Friday night Holy Hour in St Dyfrig's for this week. The next Holy Hour will be on Friday 8th April at 6.30pm.

KEEPING THE HOUR OF MERCY AT ST MARY'S NEWPOR. In keeping with the theme of the Holy Door at St. Mary's, Stow Hill, Newport, the parishioners will be completing the Novena to the Divine Mercy at 3pm on Sunday 3rd April (Divine Mercy Sunday). Everyone is invited to come and experience the rich grace Jesus promised to St Faustina: "*I promise that the soul that*

will venerate this image will not perish. I also promise victory over its enemies already here on earth, especially at the hour of death. I myself will defend it as My own glory." The Divine Mercy Novena begins on Good Friday and concludes on Divine Mercy Sunday. Join us at St Mary's for the promise of great graces.

LIFE IN THE SPIRIT SEMINARS. A series of potentially life changing seminars are being held at St Peter's RC Church, Roath, Cardiff CF24 3BA. (Entrance to the Chapel Via the Double Black gates on Bedford Street). Every Tuesday Evening at 7:30pm Start (7:15pm Registration) from 29th March to 17th May 2016. All Welcome, FREE (Donation Only); Organised by the St Peter's Prayer & Healing Ministry Fellowship. Please see Poster at the back of the Church, contact Spiro on

Response to Psalm: *This day was made by the Lord; we rejoice and are glad.*

Gospel Acclamation: *Alleluia, alleluia! Christ, our passover, has been sacrificed;*

Let us celebrate the feast then, in the Lord. Alleluia!

1st Reading: Acts 10:34, 37-43; **2nd Reading:** 1 Corinthians 5:6-8; **Gospel:** John 2:1-9

0781 516 5104 or visit the website for more information: www.stpetersprayergroupcardiff.org.uk

MARRIAGE CARE CARDIFF: Marriage preparation Courses in 2016 One day courses will be on the following dates: *24th April, 22nd May & 19th June*. The courses will take place in The Pastoral Resource Centre, Cardiff and run from 10am to 4pm. For information please contact Fr Allan or the parish office

CELEBRATE WALES FAMILY CONFERENCE 2016 A weekend of praise, worship, teaching and faith sharing on *Sat. 30th April – Sun. 1st May* at St. David's Catholic Sixth Form College, Cardiff. Please see booking forms at the back of the church or visit www.celebrateconference.org/weekends/wales/

CAFOD SCHOOL VOLUNTEERS NEEDED! CAFOD is looking for volunteers in this area to work with children and young people in schools and parishes to help them learn about global poverty and to put their faith into action. Could you spare a few hours a month to give a talk or presentation on an aspect of CAFOD's work? Full training and excellent resources are available. For further information please contact CAFOD South Wales on 029 20 344 882, email southwales@cafod.org.uk or visit www.cafodsouthwales.wordpress.com for further information.

ALL HALLOWS NEWS

OFFICES FOR THE WEEK COMMENCING 27 Mar 2016

Sunday Mass: 9.15 am Easter Sunday

Euch Ministers: M Nathan/D Lyons/M Fernandez

Readers: G Hunt/K Atfield

Offertory: G Robertson

Children's Lit: No Children's Liturgy

Collection: No Count

Tea: Sandra Corp

Cleaning: Team 5 Andrea MacCarthy

Servers: Brian/Edward/George

Extra Mass for Easter 12.30 p.m.

Euch Ministers: C Hensley/T Charnock

Readers: S Stacey/L Fernandez

Offertory: TBA

OFFICES FOR THE WEEK COMMENCING 3 April 2016

Saturday Mass: 6:30 p.m.

Euch Ministers: D F- Herbert /P Herbert/ D Lyons

Readers: C Lyons/M Fernandez

Offertory: C & J Milsom

Sunday Mass 9.15. a.m.

Euch Ministers: C Hensley/M Mortley/C Barrion

Readers: D Philip/G Robertson

Offertory: Team NCM

Children's Lit: No Children's Liturgy

Collection: M Drake & S Howells

Tea: Theresa Mackay

Cleaning: Team 6 Sue Collyer

Servers: Brian/Edward/George

CONFESSIONS: First Saturday of every month 10.15 – 11.15 a.m.

COLLECTIONS FOR WEEKEND 20 March 2016

Gift Aid: £696.80; Non Gift Aid: £80.00;

Loose Plate: £206.50

OFFERTORY ENVELOPES: The new envelopes are available for collection this weekend. **Please do not start using these envelopes until the 10th April.**

We encourage any Parishioners who do not currently use envelopes to do so as a means of providing regular offerings. In addition, their use allows us to recover the tax paid on the contributions for those who pay tax. To receive a box of envelopes please contact Tony Yule in the foyer, or by telephone 029 20890621.

APF MISSIONS (Red Box) The Cardiff Diocese APF Mill Results for 2015 are available in the church foyer. **We are pleased to inform you that the sum of £4066.40 was raised from our Parish supporters.** Many thanks to everyone in raising this money which will make a huge difference to the church in developing countries around the world.

If you would like to have a Red Box or donate via Direct Debit to the APF Missions, please see Teresa Bressington 01443 204830.

Please take one of the Mission Books that are available on the table in the Church Foyer. They are full of information on the work of the APF.

It is time for the Red Boxes to come in for emptying during the next few weeks, please bring them in and leave in the box in the Church Foyer.

PARISH ADMINISTRATOR Please contact Suzy for any administrative requests/information/mass intentions etc. on 01443 223184 or 07734 701449.

MASS INTENTIONS Please see the envelopes for Mass Intentions at the back of the Church. They include all the information we need to ensure your wishes can be met or to contact you to alter your request when a specific day has already been allocated.

BAKE AND BOOK SALE: Our recent "*Bake and Book Sale*" on March 13th was a great success and many thanks to all who supported this event. **We raised £250** in our aim to raise £1000 for the HCPT in sending a sick child to Lourdes. We would like to take this opportunity to thank the kind benefactor who donated the tremendous selection of books and we look forward of holding a further Bake and Book Sale in the near future. Watch this space !!!!

UCM NEWS: Easter and Spring Vintage Craft Fayre... Saturday 16th April 2016. This is our annual event with the support of local artisans. This year promises to be a great occasion with many gifts and items of interest. We ask for your help (again) in baking a cake for the UCM Cake Stall, also bottles (of all description) and any plants that you would like to donate for the Bottle and Plant Stall run by the UCM. The Craft fayre commences at 12.00 noon until 4.00 p.m.

ANNUAL SUMMER TRIP: Only a few seats left, so it is not too late to book your place. Fancy a nice day out, **why not join with us** we are going to **BATH** on **Saturday 21st May**. Cost of trip £11.00 per person, leaving around 9.00 am from the Church, returning in time for evening Mass. Please give your name to Teresa Bressington 204830 if you are interested in booking your seat. Teresa will be collecting the money for the trip over the next few weeks.

RAFFLE PRIZES: If you have any items suitable for raffle prizes to help with our fund raising we would be happy to receive them. Any unwanted gifts, please leave in the church foyer, or see any member of the UCM.

CHURCH CLEANING: We are always looking for additional help with our Church Cleaning Teams, if you can spare some time in helping, many hands make light work... we have a beautiful church, hall and grounds and extra help is always appreciated.

ST DYFRIG'S NEWS

BAPTISM CERTIFICATES for the recent baptisms are in the Priest's sacristy awaiting your collection.

VALLEYS OF SANCTUARY SUPPORT FOR SYRIAN REFUGEES Local churches and other groups are joining with Rhondda Cynon Taff council to provide support for the Syrian families who will be housed in Treforest. Here is the link to the Google Doc which is being used to collate information on what's needed and who's collecting - do feel free to add whatever you can (but not delete existing entries obviously!) https://docs.google.com/document/d/1PlyuFU9DWneLk_qaPypgvhwyDIE3-bsvfvC-Me0mWec/edit

They are liaising with Too Good to Waste in relation to furniture and electrical goods for PAT testing. **Please do not leave items in church.** The items required are those listed on the above website. At this stage we are not sure how or when they will be collected.

APF MISSIO RED BOXES The Spring Red Box Collection is here. Please bring your box in and leave it in the Sacristy when you are next at Church, or give the box to me - I will be at Saturday Mass. 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 however they normally would do, 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

AFTERNOON TEA & CHAT Our next event will take place on Friday April 8th from 2-4 pm. Anyone over 50 who would like to meet old friends and make new friends is welcome. We will have to charge £3 in order to cover our costs but that includes a good quality afternoon tea. We will also have an enjoyable activity. The first two events were very successful and enjoyed by all who came.

Please invite anyone in the wider community who you think would enjoy this get together. transport is available for anyone who needs it. The sheets to sign up are in the Narthex and Annexe.

APPLICATION FOR GRANT Many thanks to all those putting together the grant application. They have held lots of meetings and the application has been submitted. We will find out if we are successful in June. KEEP PRAYING!!

MINISTRY OF CANDLESTICKS As you may know, for many years Nora has taken care of candlesticks and votive stands. She would like to throw in her pinny and is leaving the job open for anyone who has 1 hour to spare occasionally. Nora will be pleased to hear from you and give you a few tips at start. Please call 651100. God bless you, Nora for all the years' hard work.

HEATING COLLECTION There will be a regular retiring collection to go towards the cost of our outstanding heating bill. This will be on the third Sunday of each month. We will continue to collect the pink envelopes from our gift aiders. Thank you.

19th/20th March 2016

Gift Aid Envelopes: £398.12; Loose Collection: £356.57

FRIENDS OF ST DYFRIG'S FEBRUARY 2015

£50 Margaret Meek; £20 Ms A Yates; £10 Mrs M McCarthy, Mr R Mears, Mrs S Miller.

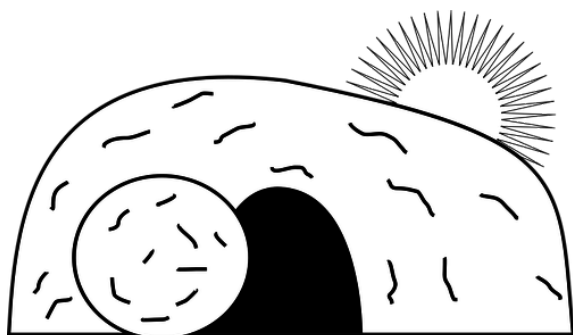
Subscriptions £13 now due.

Easter Day

by Evaleen Stein

Christ the Lord is risen today!
Angels rolled the stone away
From the tomb wherein He lay!

Little children, come and sing,
"Glory, glory to the King,
Christ the Lord of everything!"



PRAYING IN ST DYFRIG'S

We, as the community of St. Dyfrig's, are dedicated to praying for the needs of our family, friends, parish community and the entire Body of Christ. We would welcome the opportunity to pray for you and with you.

ST DYFRIG'S PRAYER WALL

Our new **PARISH PRAYER WALL** is in the narthex. Please write your intention on a post-it note and add it to the wall. The parish community will pray for all the intentions. Any names added to the 'Sick List' will be included in our Parish Prayer list and in the intercessions at the Sunday Mass.

PARISH PRAYER LIST

We ask your prayers for all who are in hospital, sick or housebound, including: Martin Burnet + Marie Cuff + Winifred Davies + Mike Evans + Joan Kimpton + Kate Lenaghan + Betty Lewis + David Mead + Sharon Owen + Alwyn Pugh + Jim Wynne.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Two weeks ago, as parishioners of St. Dyfrig's, you made a commitment to support out First Holy Communion Candidates. Each week a new prayer will be included in the newsletter. Please use these prayers to pray for: Alek, Anna, Ava, Claudia, Daniel, David, Ethan, Harrison, Jakub, Joel, Joseph, Lucia, Madison, Milena, Wiktoria and Zach.

PRAYER FOR OUR COMMUNION CANDIDATES

Jesus Christ, Bread of Life, be with these children as they learn of the great love you have for people. Help the children to truly believe that the gift you offer to them, the Eucharist, is your Body and Blood. Amen

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

Date	Time & Place	Service & Intention
Saturday 26th March <i>Holy Saturday</i>	9.30 am St Dyfrig's 8.30 pm St Dyfrig's	Morning Prayer Easter Vigil Mass –Mary Fodor
Sunday 27th March EASTER SUNDAY <i>Extra Mass for Easter *</i>	9.15 am All Hallows 10.45 am St Dyfrig's * <u>12.30 pm All Hallows</u>	Mass – People of the Parish Mass – People of the Parish Refreshments after Mass Mass – People of the Parish
Monday 28th March	9.30 am St Dyfrig's 9.45 am St Dyfrig's	Morning Prayer Service of the Word with Holy Communion
Tuesday 29th March	9.30 am All Hallows	Service of the Word with Holy Communion
Wednesday 30th March	9.30 am St Dyfrig's 9.45 am St Dyfrig's 10.15 am St Dyfrig's	Morning Prayer Service of the Word with Holy Communion Pray & Play Group - Annex
Thursday 31st March	9.30 am All Hallows 2.15 pm All Hallows	Service of the Word with Holy Communion UCM Meeting – Parish Centre
Friday 1st April	9.30 am St Dyfrig's 9.45 am St Dyfrig's	Morning Prayer Service of the Word with Holy Communion Followed by Exposition until <u>3.00pm</u>
Saturday 2nd April	10.15 - 11.15 am All Hallows 4.30 pm St Dyfrig's 5.00 pm St Dyfrig's 6.30 pm All Hallows	Reconciliation Reconciliation Mass – Mari Hopkin (RIP) Mass – The Grey family
Sunday 3rd April 2nd Sunday of Easter <i>Divine Mercy Sunday</i>	9.15 am All Hallows 10.45 am St Dyfrig's	Mass – People of the Parish Mass – People of the Parish Refreshments after Mass

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

*Two Churches Newsletter. All items for inclusion no later than 11am Wednesday please
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 Copies of this and previous newsletters are also available on both Parish websites.*