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Sunday 17th February 2019

Sixth Sunday of Ordinary Time

Cycle C Psalter Week 2

NEWS FOR ALL

Confirmation 2019 – Confirmation will take place on Friday 31st May, at All Hallows Parish. Enrolment forms and dates are available in the narthex of both parishes. The preparation programme will be carried out in the Church Hall of St. Dyfrig's from 6 – 7 pm. Our young people will need to have reached Year 8 of secondary school, and they must be baptised. We will need evidence of their Baptism.

Today is **Racial Justice Sunday** and we are asked to pray for dignity for all workers.

For those facing exploitation

O gracious God,

From your abundance all gifts and skills are bestowed, making us participants in your work of creation. By the word of your Son, confront our greed, challenge us when we treat people as means of profit, or discriminate unjustly against our fellow human beings.

Raise up to new life in your service that in all our works begun, continued and ended in you, we may glorify your holy name. Through Jesus Christ your Son, our Lord. Amen.

The next Family Group event will be on <u>SATURDAY 2nd MARCH</u> from pm. As an international celebration of St David's Day, the Family Group will be holding a <u>Wales & the World Night</u>. This is an opportunity to

sample food and music from the places we came from. Please bring a song, some music or maybe a poem from your country to share with us all, maybe on a CD or an MP3, or just the words to your favourite song that we can all learn. Children are encouraged to join in with the songs too! As usual at our family groups we ask you to bring a plate of food to share. Everyone is welcome; Catholic & non-Catholic alike: all members of our families.

Teresa & Alan have kindly offered to host again: fliers with more information are available in the narthex, or contact Teresa & Alan on 01443 406564 or Teresa.destecroix@gmail.com

On Saturday, June 15th 2019, Sherry Weddell will be running a day of workshops for the Diocese drawing on her extensive research into the 'thresholds' or 'stages' that people go through when becoming disciples of Jesus Christ. In preparation for her visit to the Diocese, parishes are starting to run 'Forming Intentional Disciples' or 'FID' groups in their parish or region.

The Cathedral is running a reading and discussing group, beginning on Friday, February 22nd from 11am to 12.15pm in the Cornerstone, opposite the Cathedral. This group will run for six weeks, ending on Friday, March 29th. All are welcome to attend. Your own parish may be running its own group but if the time in your parish does not suit you or you miss one of its sessions, you are very welcome to come to the Cathedral's group. For more information, please contact madeleine.walters@rcadc.org or fbcallus@aol.com

Offeren Y Sul yn Gymraeg: Mass in Welsh will be celebrated on Sunday February 24th at 4 30pm at St

First Reading Jeremiah 17:5-8; Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 15:12. 16-20 Gospel: Luke 6:17. 20-26

Responsorial Psalm: Happy the man who has placed his trust in the Lord.

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia! Blessed are you Father, Lord of heaven and earth, for revealing the mysteries of the kingdom to mere children. Alleluia!

Teilo's Church, Whitchurch, Cardiff CF14 1AD.
Bilingual booklets are provided. Croeso cynnes i bawb.

Dydd Gwyl Dewi: Yr Offeren yn Gymraeg. Come to celebrate St David's Day at Mass in Welsh, Friday March 1st at 6pm; St Teilo's Church, Old Church Road, Whitchurch CF14 1AD. Bilingual booklets are provided, and refreshments will be served afterwards. Croeso cynnes i bawb.

ALL HALLOWS NEWS

New to our Parish: We welcome you; please let us know who you are. We invite you to complete one of our Parish Census Forms and tell us about yourselves. These forms are available in the Church Foyer.



Offices for Week Commencing 24th February Saturday Mass 6.30 p.m.

Euch Ministers: J Dendle, L Jones & N Flint Readers: A Draper & K Thomas

Offertory: C & J Milsom

Sunday Mass 9.15 a.m.

Euch Ministers: C Hensley, C & D Lyons Readers P Davies & R Evans

Offertory S Collyer
Collection: N & S Flint
Tea: Kath Attfield

Cleaning: Team 7 Norman's Team Children's Liturgy: No Children's Liturgy

Altar Servers: George, Donal, Luke, Lara, Brian,

Dafydd, Faye, Gryff

If you would like to book a Mass, please use the envelopes in the church foyer or contact Suzy Stacey

Confessions: First Saturday of every month 10.15 – 11.15 am

Collections: 10th February 2019

Gift Aid: £562.35 Non-gift Aid: £56.00

Loose: £169.84

Church and Hall Key Holders if you hold a key for the church or hall please let Suzy know as soon as you can and please say why you hold a key.

Dates for your Diaries

LECTIO DIVINA Monday 18th February
Please contact Anna at Anna@mayer.co.uk

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION February 23rd 10.00 – 12.00

A DAY OF PRAYER AND REFLECTION SATURDAY 9TH MARCH 2019.

Starting at 10.30am and finishing about 4.00pm. Please contact Anna at Anna@mayer.co.uk or call 02920 890556

HOLY COMMUNION Sunday May 19th

Social Events

LENTEN LUNCHES

The All Hallows Lenten Lunch is on Saturday March 16^{th.} Details of other lunches to follow.

ALL HALLOWS SPRING AND EASTER CRAFT FAYRE Saturday April 27th

Tea and Coffee – Social Gathering...Why not join us for Tea/Coffee/Biscuits) call into the Hall after the 9.15am mass on Sunday morning. Call in for a chat and introduce yourselves, ideal way of making new friends in the parish.

How you can help

Used spectacles - Had new spectacles recently? Don't know what to do with the old ones; we will have them for the **World in Sight Appeal**.... Please bring them in or see Teresa Bressington, we will take them off your hands.

Making Tea - We need help with making tea after mass on Sunday, we have only 4 UCM members on our rota. If you would like to help, please let us know.

Pontyclun Food Bank – All donations are really appreciated, if you have children or grandchildren get them involved by selecting one item a month for them to donate.

Bedding or Sleeping Bags for the Homeless – raid your lofts or the back of the airing cupboard and leave them at the back of the church.

Spring Clean – We need help cleaning out the cupboard in the Parish Hall. We will set a date and hope you can join us.

ALL HALLOWS PRAYER WALL

Our Parish Prayer Wall is in the LADY CHAPEL. Please write the name of the person you wish to pray for on a post-it note and add it to the wall.

Please join us in prayer, as we ask for your prayers for:

Ceri Philp Margaret Sidoli

Ken and Kath Bond Canon Patrick Daly

Bethan Williams Karen Thorne Alma Jones Heather Duff (Trigg) Deborah Mortley Mo Scanlon Roxana Watson



ST. DYFRIG'S NEWS

FIRST COMMUNION CANDIDATES

Congratulations to our First Holy Communion Candidates, Annabel, Aurora, Isaac, Jude, Patrick, Philip, Rich and Tait, who made their public commitment to participate enthusiastically in their sacramental preparation. Their Reconciliation Service will take place on Saturday, 23rd. February at 10.30am. Please remember them in your prayers.



ARIENTIFERY FUNDED! We would like to thank all those who attended the HLF grant celebration on Sunday and for the generous donation of items for the buffet.

At this stage we are asking for help in 3 ways:

Volunteers to help research and record the history of St. Dyfrig's.

We also said that we would like to talk to people about their experiences and comments about the way the church has changed over the years.

Many people have already donated photographs, newspapers, or other documents which illustrate the history of the parish, but if you have any more that we can copy we would be grateful. These items can be placed in a box we will place in the narthex with your name on or given to one of the project team.

The project team includes Lesley Hughes, Sue Cleary, Maggie White and Liz Mayo. Please let one of us know if you are interested in volunteering or are prepared to be interviewed about your experiences as a parishioner.

If you were unable to attend a number of information sheets about the Heritage project have been placed on the HLF Grant noticeboard in the narthex. Please feel free to take a copy.

PRAY & PLAY - it's not just for children!

PRAY & PLAY is a bible study prayer group, open to everyone. Anyone is welcome join us in the church hall annex on a Tuesday Morning from 10.00 am. We reflect on the forthcoming Sunday Gospel, using the weekly "Wednesday Word" sheets, and how it relates to our own faith journey. Tea or coffee is always available and children, of course, are very welcome too: toys are provided! Our door is never locked. Please come and join us.

Fundraising - Teresa Meek has hand knitted and dressed a beautiful Welsh Doll for a St David's Day raffle to raise funds for the Church Repair fund. Tickets are on sale after the weekend masses and the draw will take place on February 24th after Sunday mass in the Annex.

Unwanted Gifts - if you have any unwanted gifts that can be used for raffle prizes, we will happily take them off your hands. Please leave them in the basket under the table in the Narthex. Many Thanks.

Friends of St. Dyfrig's January 1st Janice Thomas (167) £50; 2nd Chris Friel (11) £20; 3rd W. Coughlin (75), Miss M. Basini Gazzi (241), J. Murray (66) £10.

Collections 9th /10th February: Gift Aid Envelopes £306; Loose collection £334.74; GA Heating £20.

Standing Orders December 2018 Gift Aid £635 other £85, January 2019 Gift Aid £595 other £95.

St. Dyfrig's is on Twitter! Please follow us @St.Dyfrig_Treforest, for parish news, mass times, events and updates

ST DYFRIG'S PRAYER WALL

Our Parish Prayer Wall is in the narthex. Please write your intention on a post-it note and add it to the wall.

PARISH PRAYER LIST: We ask your prayers for:

Cyril, Maurice, Albert and Robert Davis

Angela Doyle Mrs Wilks
Brenda Smith Joan Quinn

Agnes Hughes Winifred Davies
Peggy Kawulok Poppy & Kelly Morris

Brin Davidge Elizabeth Terry
Verna Caines Julia Evans

Maureen & Ken Biddiscombe William, John (Jackie) Picton

Rene Marenghi Chris Da Silva Rosa
Ann Lewis Elizabeth Holland
June Thomas Idris Griffiths
Brenda Smith Celia Thomas
Iqbal Domun Bill Cannon
Nigel &Wendy Collier Marion Toms

Val Davies Anne Atkins

Mahri McDonald Matthew Cummings

Elizabeth Baines

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

| | Time & Place | Service & Intention |
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| Saturday 16 th | 10.30 All Hallows | Celebration of First Reconciliation |
| February | 4.30 pm St. Dyfrig's | Sacrament of Reconciliation |
| | 5.00 pm St. Dyfrig's | Mass – Bill Cannon (RiP) |
| | 6.30 pm All Hallows | Mass – People of the Parish |
| Sunday 17 th | 9.15 am All Hallows | Mass – Ann O'Dwyer RIP |
| February | 10.45 am St. Dyfrig's | Mass – People of the Parish |
| Sixth Sunday of | | |
| Ordinary Time Racial | | |
| Justice Sunday | | |
| Monday 18 th | 9.30 am St. Dyfrig's | Morning Prayer |
| February | 9.45 am St. Dyfrig's | Service of the Word and Holy Communion |
| Tuesday 19 th | 9.30 am All Hallows | Mass - Karen Thorne |
| February | 10.15 am St. Dyfrig's | Pray and Play – St. Dyfrig's Annex |
| Wednesday 20 th | 9.30 am St. Dyfrig's | Morning Prayer |
| February St. | 9.45 am St. Dyfrig's | Mass – |
| Thursday 21 st | 9.30 am All Hallows | Mass - |
| February St. Peter | 2.15 pm All Hallows | UCM Meeting Parish Centre – all welcome |
| Damian | | |
| Friday 22 nd February | 9.30 am St. Dyfrig's | Morning Prayer |
| The Chair of St. Peter | 9.45 am St. Dyfrig's | Mass – |
| the Apostle | 10.15am -2 pm St. Dyfrig's | Adoration |
| Saturday 23 rd | 10.00 - 12.00 All Hallows | Eucharistic Adoration |
| February St. Polycarp | 4.30 pm St. Dyfrig's | Sacrament of Reconciliation |
| | 5.00 pm St. Dyfrig's | Mass – |
| | 6.30 pm All Hallows | Mass – People of the Parish |
| Sunday 24 th | 9.15 am All Hallows | Mass – People of the Parish |
| February | 10.45 am St. Dyfrig's | Mass – Mahri |
| Seventh Sunday of | | |
| Ordinary Time | | |

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