



# St Dyfrig's & All Hallows Catholic Churches

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Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> May 2019

**Fourth Sunday of Easter Sunday**

Cycle C Psalter Week 4

## NEWS FOR ALL

**A NEW WAY TO CELEBRATE** - On June 29<sup>th</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup> CELEBRATE WALES will take place at Mary Immaculate High School in Cardiff. This is a Catholic Charismatic Family weekend designed to bring together families of all ages to celebrate the Faith we share and to experience something different in our worship and praise of God. This weekend will include inspired teaching by expert communicators, creative liturgies, workshops on many subjects of faith and ministry. This weekend has provision for all ages and especially provides a packed programme for children as young as 3 and up to teens. Parents, too, can join in or take time to consider their own lives and their relationship with God. For more information and details of booking procedures for this fantastic weekend of faith, contact Michael Coyle on 01952 5417223

**On Saturday, June 15<sup>th</sup> this year**, Sherry Weddell, the world-renowned American author and evangelist, is coming to our Diocese to speak on her extensive research into the 'thresholds' or 'stages' that people go through when becoming disciples of Jesus Christ. This is based on her years of research and experience between 1993 and 2012. The cost of the day is £75 per person including lunch, tea and coffee. Parishes in the Diocese are expected to pay this cost for people wishing to attend. Booking forms may be found on the Archdiocesan website and at the back of the Church. Sherry Weddell has requested that all delegates on the day arrive with a working knowledge of her work. With that in mind, parishes across the Diocese have set up 'Forming Intentional Disciples' (FID) groups and are reading and discussing her book. Alan

de Ste Croix will be leading one in St Dyfrig's parish hall from the 2nd Sunday of Easter (28th April) from 1 to 2pm for 6 weeks.

**First Holy Communion and Confirmation Cards** are for sale at Tonteg Post Office.

**The Society of St. Gregory**- will be holding a workshop on planning and preparing for Mass – it is aimed at anyone involved in the liturgy in any way at all. It will be held at St. Helen's Church Caerphilly on Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> May 10 am to 4.30 pm. The cost is £10 per person; bring your own packed lunch. Booking requests may be made by [emailingbookings@ssg.org.uk](mailto:emailingbookings@ssg.org.uk)

On behalf of the Novice Master and Community of **Pluscarden Abbey**, I am sending out an invitation for this summer's Monastic Experience Weekend, extended to young men, aged 18-35. This year, it will take place during Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> – Monday 5<sup>th</sup> August. Further information may be obtained from Prior Benedict Hardy at [novicemaster@pluscardenabbey.org](mailto:novicemaster@pluscardenabbey.org)

**Faithful Companions of Jesus** – a weekend for young women, reflecting on the vocation to the religious life 24-26<sup>th</sup> May 2019 FCJ Community Liverpool. To reserve a place email Sr Lynne lynnefcj@hotmail.com

**After Easter Talks** - Those of us who attended the first of these 'After Easter' Talks last Wednesday, May 1<sup>st</sup>, were treated to a wonderful consideration of prayer and spirituality– interesting and humorous, given by Canon Peter Collins. Deacon Rob Coyne will give the second of the three talks on Wednesday, May 15<sup>th</sup>

**First Reading Acts 13:14. 43-52 ; Second Reading: Revelation 7:9. 14-17**

**Gospel: John 10:27-30.**

**Responsorial Psalm We are his people, the sheep of his flock.**

**Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia! I am the good shepherd, says the Lord;**

**I know my own sheep and my own know me. Alleluia!**

from 7.30pm to 9pm, with tea and coffee served from 7pm. The talks will be held at the Cornerstone, Charles Street, Cardiff CF10 2SF. Deacon Rob will explore ways we can all contribute to the mission and life of our parish. Each talk is a stand - alone talk so feel welcome to come along even if you missed the first talk. Everyone is welcome. For more information, please

e-mail [madeleine.walters@rcadc.org](mailto:madeleine.walters@rcadc.org)

Wales and the Marches Catholic History Society Annual History Day Saturday June 8th at St. David's Catholic Sixth Form College, Cardiff. This is always a really enjoyable day and all are most welcome. Cost: members £15, visitors £18 this includes a buffet lunch and teas/ coffees. For more information and to book please contact: **Tricia Coulthard 02920 595 899 - email: [triciacoulthard@outlook.com](mailto:triciacoulthard@outlook.com)**

**The Archdiocese of Cardiff, Herefordshire** LEA and the Governors of Our Lady's School invite applications for a CLASS TEACHER Key Stage 2 Year 3 (Salary/Rate: MPS/UPS). Full time required from September 2019

Location: Our Lady's R C Primary School,  
Boycott Road, Hereford, HR2 7RN  
Phone: 01432 274814  
Email: [admin@our-ladys.hereford.sch.uk](mailto:admin@our-ladys.hereford.sch.uk)

**Archdiocese of Cardiff Our Lady of the Angels RC Primary School Temporary (one-year contract) Foundation Phase Teacher Post MPS.** Commencing September 2019. Application forms from <https://www.catholiceducation.org.uk/recruitment-process>. Applications to be returned to [head.cwmbbranrc@torfan.gov.uk](mailto:head.cwmbbranrc@torfan.gov.uk)

Closing date: Friday 15<sup>th</sup> May 2019 at 12 Noon  
Interviews: Monday 20<sup>th</sup> May 2019

## **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 12<sup>th</sup> May 2019**

### **Saturday Mass 6.30 pm**

Euch Ministers: J Dendle, L Fernandez, N Flint  
Readers: K Attfield & B Cardoza  
Offertory: G Edwards & family

### **Sunday Mass 9.15 a.m.**

Euch Ministers: C Barrion, C Hensley, M Nathan  
Readers: G Hunt & T Poole  
Offertory: Team UCM  
Collection: N & S Flint  
Tea: Madeleine  
Cleaning: Team 6 Sue Collyer's Team  
Children's Liturgy: C Lyons & L Butcher  
Altar Servers: George, Donal, Luke, Lara, Brian, Dafydd, Faye, Gryff

## **Offices for Week Commencing 19<sup>th</sup> May 2019**

### **Saturday Mass 6.30 pm**

Euch Ministers: T Jacobs and N & S Flint  
Readers: T Bressington & J May  
Offertory: B Cardoza & Family

### **Sunday Mass 9.15 a.m.**

Euch Ministers: T Mahoney, K Thomas and L Butcher  
Readers: 1<sup>st</sup> HC  
Offertory: 1<sup>st</sup> HC  
Collection: K & T Jacobs  
Tea: Kath Attfield  
Cleaning: Team 7 Norman's Team  
Children's Liturgy: No C Lit  
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: 5<sup>th</sup> May 2019**

**Gift Aid: £631.69      Non-Gift Aid: £34.40**  
**Loose: £109.32**

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:** The next Eucharistic Adoration will be taking place on **Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> May**. This will be a time for **silent adoration**, prayer, contemplation or just to be in the presence of Our Blessed Lord. The more time you spend with Jesus, the more you will come away feeling renewed and healed, something we need in this climate of uncertainties and ever increasing pace of daily

life. Many other wonderful things happen where and when the Lord Jesus is adored in the Blessed Sacrament. Come along any time between 10 and 12. Our Lord is waiting for you.

**Lectio Divina** - The next Lectio will be on **Tuesday 14 May** at the usual time of **6.30 p.m.** at Anna's house, Efail Isaf.

**Holy Communion...** We remember to pray for our children as they prepare for their First Holy Communion which will be taking place in All Hallows on Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> May at the 9.15 am Mass.

**APF MISSIONS (Red Boxes)** Reminder.... It is that time of year again; please remember to bring in your Red Mission Boxes (APF Missions) they are due for emptying for this quarter.

**The donations from All Hallows during 2018 amounted to £3974.70.**

Thank you once again for your generous support to the Mission. If you would like to have a Red Box or wish to find out more about the work of the APF, **please contact Teresa Bressington.**

**Offertory Envelopes - The new boxes of envelopes are available in the church foyer.**

On behalf of the Parish I would like to thank all those of you who Gift Aid your contributions and use envelopes or standing orders. I would also thank all of those who signed up to the scheme.

These provide a method for regular giving in addition to allowing us to recover the tax paid on their contributions. New and existing parishioners who do not currently use offertory envelopes are encouraged to request a set by contacting Tony Yule (029 20890621).

**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. If you would like to help and join us on the rota to make the tea/coffee, we would be glad to hear from you.

## 200 Club

1st Gloria Davies (75)  
2nd. Joanna Taylor (25)  
3rd Jane Holder (29)

## 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:*

<i>Ceri Philp</i>	<i>Alma Jones</i>
<i>Margaret Sidoli</i>	<i>Heather Duff (Trigg)</i>
<i>Ken and Kath Bond</i>	<i>Deborah Mortley</i>
<i>Canon Patrick Daly</i>	<i>Mo Scanlon</i>
<i>Bethan Williams</i>	<i>Trevor Wooding &amp; family</i>
<i>Joan Jones</i>	<i>Sarah Spicer</i>
<i>Margaret Brian</i>	<i>Jimmy Carter</i>
<i>Mary Hutchinson</i>	<i>John Hutchinson</i>
<i>Elizabeth Stonebank</i>	<i>Jayne Bird</i>
<i>Bernard &amp; Olive McCormack</i>	<i>Josie Baldwin</i>
<i>Harri Taylor (exams)</i>	<i>Joan Lewis</i>
<i>Frances Richards &amp; Family</i>	<i>Pam &amp; Shamus Harding</i>

## ST. DYFRIG'S NEWS

### Church Roof Repairs



The contractor, Taliesin, hopes to erect the scaffolding in the week beginning May 20th. They think it will take approx. 1 week to erect the scaffold. There will be a period of time to assess the area for asbestos containing materials. The asbestos testing should take a couple of weeks to obtain results, should the results be returned to demonstrate that there are no problems, works are expected to commence in earnest on the 3rd June 2019. Based upon the programme duration of 16 weeks, the completion date would be 6th September 2019. We'll keep you updated.

We have also been advised that because of noise during the week we will not be using the church for morning prayer and mass on Wednesdays and Fridays while the building work is going on. From the week beginning 20<sup>th</sup> May prayer and Mass will take place in the annex of the hall. The weekend masses will not be affected and neither will the arrangements for weddings and funerals.

A selection of First Holy Communion Cards, Sympathy Cards and Mass Cards are available in the Narthex price 80p.

**Fundraising-** thank you to everyone who supported the Table Top sale after Mass on Easter Sunday, a total of just over £110 was raised and added to the Easter Raffle, a total of £402 was raised for the Church Restoration Fund.

**A Ladies Fashion Night-** Wednesday **16th May** St Dyfrig's Community Hall, Treforest 7.30 pm. New and nearly new fashion and accessories, shoes, bags, jewellery etc. Entrance £2.50 per person also light refreshments and a raffle.

**Foodbank** - Hi all! Pontypridd Foodbank would be extremely grateful for donations of:

- \* UHT longlife milk
- \* cartons of fruit juice
- \* tinned meat and fish
- \* pot noodles
- \* chocolate bars/cakes
- \* tins of rice pudding
- \* jam
- \* tinned fruit
- \* squash
- \* tea and coffee
- \* biscuits

Please place your donations in the baskets in the Narthex - many thanks for your continued support

**St. Dyfrig's Family Group – Walk to Abercynon** – The family group are going to walk from St. Dyfrig's to St. Thomas Abercynon on Saturday 18th May. We will leave St. Dyfrig's at 11 am and follow the Taff Trail. The route is about 4.5 miles and is suitable for prams and buggies. Allowing for children's walking pace and a picnic break half way, we should be at St.

Thomas' Church about 2.30 pm. Once there we will pray the beautiful Stations of the Cross beside the river and sojourn to the Navigation for a drink. We will then catch the train back to Treforest. **All members of your family are welcome to join us - please remember your packed lunch and some good walking shoes.**

**Friends of St. Dyfrig's April:** 1<sup>st</sup> Mr E. Grainger (50) £50; 2<sup>nd</sup> Mrs M. Howells (206), £20; 3<sup>rd</sup> Mrs M. Howells (72), Francis Medcraf (181), Veronica Power (176) £10.

**Collections 4<sup>th</sup>/5<sup>th</sup> May:** Gift Aid Envelopes £278; Loose collection £357.22; GA Heating £11; Easter Offering £31.

Standing Orders April – Gift Aid £545, Non gift aid £95.

#### **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 Marengi	Chris Da Silva Rosa
Ann Lewis	Elizabeth Holland
June Thomas	Idris Griffiths
Brenda Smith	Celia Thomas
Iqbal Domun	Bill Cannon
Wendy Collier	Marion Toms
Val Davies	Anne Atkins
Matthew Cummings	Elizabeth Baines

#### **First Holy Communion in St Dyfrig's**

**Another reminder to keep our First Holy Communion children in your prayers. The celebration will take place in St Dyfrig's on Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> May at the 10.45am Mass. I am sure that the celebrations in both churches will be joyful occasions. Congratulations to all of our children.**

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

	Time & Place	Service & Intention
<b>Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> May</b>	4.30 pm St. Dyfrig's 5.00 pm St. Dyfrig's 6.30 pm All Hallows	Sacrament of Reconciliation Mass – Mrs Winifred Power (RiP) Mass - People of the Parish
<b>Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> May</b> Fourth of Easter	9.15 am All Hallows 10.45 am St. Dyfrig's	Mass – Bernard & Olive Cormack (Diamond Anniv.) Mass
<b>Monday 13<sup>th</sup> May</b> Our Lady of Fatima	9.30 am St. Dyfrig's 9.45 am St. Dyfrig's	Morning Prayer Service of the Word and Holy Communion
<b>Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> May St.</b> Matthias	9.30 am All Hallows 10.15 am St. Dyfrig's	Mass - Joseph Fernandez, Anniversary Pray and Play Prayer Group – St. Dyfrig's Annex
<b>Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup></b> May	9.30 am St. Dyfrig's 9.45 am St. Dyfrig's	Morning Prayer Mass – Mrs Winifred Power (RiP)
<b>Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> May</b>	9.30 am 12.15 University Meeting House 2.15 pm All Hallows	Mass - Thanksgiving (Marita) Mass UCM Meeting Parish Centre – all welcome
<b>Friday 17<sup>th</sup> May</b>	9.30 am St. Dyfrig's 9.45 am St. Dyfrig's 10.15am -2 pm St. Dyfrig's	Morning Prayer Mass – Intentions of Fred McNamara and family Adoration
<b>Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> May</b> St. John 1 Pope	4.30 pm St. Dyfrig's 5.00 pm St. Dyfrig's 6.30 pm All Hallows	Sacrament of Reconciliation Mass – John Davies (RiP) Mass -
<b>Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> May</b> Fifth Sunday of Easter	9.15 am All Hallows 10.45 am St. Dyfrig's	Mass – Sick members of the UCM Mass – People of the Paris

### CONTACTS

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Schools: **St Michael's RC Primary School**, John Place, Treforest. (Acting Head: Mrs J. Taylor) 01443 486840  
**Cardinal Newman Catholic Comprehensive**, Dynea Road, Rhydyfelin. (Head: Mr J O'Sullivan) 01443 494110

Hospital Catholic Chaplains. **The Heath, Cardiff: Rev. David Prichard**

Two Churches Newsletter. All items for inclusion no later than 11am Wednesday please.

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