



# St Dyfrig's & All Hallows Catholic Churches

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Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> September 2019

23<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

Cycle C Psalter Week 3

## News for All

### Interested in the Catholic Faith? – RCIA

The RCIA Programme is for people who are either interested in becoming a Catholic, finding out more about the Catholic Faith, or Catholics who may wish to renew and/or refresh their faith. Our next Programme will begin on Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> September and will continue each Tuesday during school term times, until Easter next year. We meet in the Annex to St Dyfrig's Hall from 7.30 until 9 o'clock. The evenings take place in a very informal, relaxed way. If you feel this may be for you or for someone you know, a warm welcome awaits to join with us in growing in knowledge and understanding of the Church and of our Faith. There is no commitment by coming to finding out. If you would like more information, please contact Fr Allan Davies-Hale - 01443 402439: or Cath or Tony Carroll – 01443 207576 or 0748

**Catholic Certificate in Religious Studies - Catechetics Module** – this can be followed as part of the CCRS Course or as a stand-alone module for those interested / involved in Catechesis. These days will be led by David Wells, a catechist and author who regularly speaks at conferences throughout the world. Day 1: Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> October 2019 and Day 2: Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> November 2019 at the Pastoral Resources Centre, 910 Newport Road, Rumney, Cardiff CF3 4LL .

**CATECHESIS – PASSING ON FAITH IN THE THIRD MILLENNIUM**

Pope Francis encourages us to rethink how we pass on what we believe to others. He is not changing the message but asking the messenger to change. What

does that mean? In our day together we will consider three questions:

Does what we currently do in our parishes actually work, not just in terms of what we pass on, but how?

Can we reconsider what 'conversion in hearts and minds' is like and how that affects how we approach catechesis?

How does this affect who we are as 'missionary catechists'?

The sessions are full of insights from our scriptures, Church teaching and the Saints. You don't have to be a catechist to attend, but during the sessions we hope you will enjoy the possibility that you are one, you have always been one, and why you want to be one.

David writes: Our aims are

greater knowledge and confidence about who a catechist is and what a catechist does.

a better understanding of strong pastoral strategies for catechesis.

clarity about missionary approaches to catechesis.

enjoyment of the days, leaving glad you came and excited about the future.

The sessions can be attended as a 'Specialist Module' for the Catholic Certificate in Religious Studies (CCRS) Course, or as a stand-alone course for a Diocesan Catechists' Certificate. Cost for the 2-day course is included in the course fee for those following the complete CCRS Course and £15 for other participants.

**First Reading Wisdom 9:13-18; Second Reading: Philemon 9-10. 12-17;  
Gospel Luke 14:25-33**

**Psalm: O Lord, you have been our refuge from one generation to the next.**

**Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia! I call you friends says the Lord, because I have made known to you everything I have learnt from my Father. Alleluia!**

Booking is essential. Visit [www.rcadcschools.org](http://www.rcadcschools.org) and use the Book a Course facility or email [ccrs@rcadc.org](mailto:ccrs@rcadc.org)

The Catholic Bishops' Conference of England and Wales have designated **2020 as 'The God Who Speaks': A Year of the Word to celebrate the 10th anniversary of Verbum Domini - Pope Benedict XVI's Apostolic Exhortation on 'The Word of the Lord', and the 1600th anniversary of death of St Jerome, who translated the Bible into Latin. The launch of the Year of the Word takes place on 30<sup>th</sup> September, the feast of St. Jerome. We are invited to listen afresh to the word of God, as did Our Blessed Lady at the Annunciation, to encounter anew the presence of that word, and to proclaim it afresh in the Church and the World.**

Therefore, in St Dyfrig's there will be a year of celebrating, living and sharing God's word, through a number of events. These events are open to all in the Pontypridd Deanery and beyond.

**Old Testament and our history of salvation.** We have a loving Father who since the fall has been searching for you and putting in place the means by which you can be reconciled and brought back into a close loving relationship with the creator. There will be 6 sessions led by Alan de Ste Croix.

- Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> October (2:00-3:30)  
:- The Covenant with Adam and Noah
- Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> October (2:00-3:30)  
:- The Covenant with Abraham
- Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> November (2:00-3:30)  
:- The Covenant with Moses
- Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> November (2:00-3:30)  
:- The Covenant with David
- Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> December (2:00-3:30)  
:- The promises of the prophets
- Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> December (2:00-3:30)  
:- The everlasting Covenant with Jesus

**The Gospel of Matthew.** Next year we are in Cycle A and the Gospel will be from Matthew. The Catholic Bible School have a study resource that we will be adapting. There will be 4 sessions led by both Kate Duffin and Alan de Ste Croix;

**The New Testament.** To prepare for the Easter Triduum, the celebration of the death and rising of our Lord Jesus, the installation of the final everlasting covenant for all; we will study the world of the N

ew Testament (the politics, the writers, the parables and the miracles). There will be 4 sessions led by Kate Duffin

**For Sale - Nintendo Wii System** - This includes Wii console /remote controls/ power supply etc. Also Wii balance board / Wii Fit Game Disc and Tiger Woods PGA Tour game Disc. There is an assortment of accessories for Golf, Tennis and a driving Wheel. All this for only £20. Anyone interested please contact Jeanette Stacey on 01443 203152. All proceed towards St. Dyfrig's Restoration Fund.

**Aid to the Church in Need** – Thank you so much to both parishes for your support to the Appeals made on July 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup>. Donations came to £765.76, sale of goods £292 and Gift Aid £66.75, therefore a Grand Total of £1,124.51.

**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.

**NEWSLETTER** - If you are sending information for the newsletter, please send it to [llantrisant@rcadc.org](mailto:llantrisant@rcadc.org) rather than send it to one of the newsletter team as this can delay your news item from being included in the weekly newsletter. The deadline remains 11am on Wednesday mornings.

**Columbarium Co-ordinator Barbara Hillier**  
01443 204973

**Confessions: First Saturday of every month**  
**10.15 – 11.15 am**

**Collections: 1<sup>st</sup> September 2019**  
**Gift Aid: £604.10    Non-Gift Aid: £112.50**  
**Loose: £143.26**

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT.** We Invite you to join with us at the next Eucharistic Adoration which will be taking place on **Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> September from 10.00 am. – 12.00 noon.** It is such a blessing to spend some quiet time in Adoration and listen to God in silence. Please come and spend some precious time in quiet prayer and reflection.

**Offices for Week Commencing 8 September 2019**  
**Saturday Mass 6.30 pm**  
Euch Ministers: T Jacobs, P Herbert & L Fernandez  
Readers: E Adlam & A Draper  
Offertory: C & J Milsom  
**Sunday Mass 9.15 a.m.**  
Euch Ministers: C & D Lyons & T Mahoney

Readers T Howell & S Howells  
 Offertory: S Collyer  
 Collection: K & T Jacobs  
 Tea: Kath Attfield  
 Cleaning: Team 7 Norman's Team  
 Children's Liturgy L.Harris & T. Spiller  
 Altar Servers: George, Donal, Luke, Lara, Brian Faye, Gryff

**Offices for Week Commencing 15 September 2019  
 Saturday Mass 6.30 pm**

Euch Ministers: J.Dendle, S & N Flint  
 Readers: L.Fernandez & J May  
 Offertory: Margaret Trigg & Rita Wilson

**Sunday Mass 9.15 a.m.**

Euch Ministers: C.Hensley, K.Thomas, M.Mortley  
 Readers Theresa Roberts & Suzy Stacey  
 Offertory: UCM  
 Collection: Nigel & Sue Flint  
 Tea: Sandra Corp  
 Cleaning: Team 1 Maureen's Team  
 Children's Liturgy C. Lyons & T. Mahoney  
 Altar Servers: George, Donal, Luke, Lara, Brian Faye, Gryff

**LECTIO DIVINA**

The Lectio group will start again on **Monday 9th September at Anna's house 6.30pm**

If you would like to join please contact [anna@mayer.co.uk](mailto:anna@mayer.co.uk)

**WHAT'S GOING ON.....**



**VOSKRESCENIJE CHOIR from St Petersburg** will be performing Russian Sacred and Folk Songs at All Hallows RC Church, Misken as part of their UK Tour. We are honoured to host this spectacular choir with again on **Friday 25 October at 7.30 p.m.** Tickets are **£10.00 and can be purchased at the door.** A cash donation will be made from the proceeds to the Pontyclun Food Bank. Please make a note in your diaries.

**2019 All Hallows Annual Autumn and Christmas Vintage and Craft Fayre**

We are all busily preparing for our forthcoming Annual Autumn and Christmas Vintage Craft Fayre

which will be taking place on **Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> October commencing at 12.00 noon until 4.00 p.m.**

We are already fully booked with eager crafters ready to sell their artistic items, from the home grown, to the quirky and interesting items, home baked cakes and designer furnishings.



We are looking to all our parishioners for your support again this year. If you have any **unwanted gifts** that we could **use as raffle prizes** we would be grateful to receive them, also, the **Parish CAKE Stall** could do with your support, so we appeal to all budding chefs' to start baking and join with us in providing cakes and pastries for this popular table.

**TREFEST** - We are supporting a local festival of creativity at **St Dyfrig's Church Hall on Saturday 12 October from 11.00 – 5.00 p.m.**, Music, Crafts Stalls, Vintage Homeware, Retro Items, Foodstalls and much more. Workshops throughout the day, followed by an evening of entertainment by the Skyliners, the whole evening will be 50's inspired commencing at 5.30 p.m. with Latin American dancing, followed throughout the evening with "Rock N Roll" ....More details to follow .....

**Latin Line Dancing**

Sundays at All Hallows Church Hall. **£16 for 4 weeks (1<sup>st</sup> Class free for new dancers)**

Beginners 6.00 pm – 6.45 pm  
 Improvers 6.45 pm – 7.30 pm  
 Experienced 7.15 pm – 8.00 pm

**\*New Class starts 8<sup>th</sup> September\***

No partner required, fun relaxed atmosphere, dancing to good music.

*Cha Cha Cha, Rumba, Mambo, Merengue danced in line to music by Gloria Estefan, Rick Martin and Enrico Iglesias.*

Contact Rebecca on 07794 479644

[tworlinedance@hotmail.com](mailto:tworlinedance@hotmail.com) f @2Rlinedance

### Lighter Life Express Slimming Club

Would you like to be 3 stone lighter by Christmas?  
Join **Lighter Life Express Slimming Club** at **All Hallows Church Hall Monday 6pm – 8pm**  
Contact Mobile **07866 486185**  
Email [Jilliancole59@gmx.co.uk](mailto:Jilliancole59@gmx.co.uk)

### 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.

**CHURCH CLEANERS... Have you a few hours to spare to join our Church Cleaning Teams, we are looking for able recruits to help us keep our beautiful church in pristine condition. No qualifications necessary.....**

### 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:*

*Cathleen Cardoza & Family*

*Ceri Philp*

*Margaret Sidoli*

*Ken and Kath Bond*

*Canon Patrick Daly*

*Bethan Williams*

*Bacchetta Family*

*Bernard and Olive McCormack*

*Elizabeth Stonebank*

*Frances Richards & Family*

*Anita Morris & Family*

*Professor Sean Sellars*

*Alma Jones*

*Heather Duff (Trigg)*

*Deborah Mortley*

*Mo Scanlon*

*Joan Jones*

*Josie Baldwin*

*Jayne Bird*

*Mary Englehardt*

*Sid Noble*

*Edwina Kingston*

### ST. DYFRIG'S NEWS

**SVP – Porthcawl Trip** – We are fast approaching our Porthcawl trip 11 am Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> September. There are still some seats up for grabs. Please write your name on the form in the Narthex or ring Anne on 842825.

**CHILDREN'S LITURGY** - The practice of children leaving the Saturday / Sunday assembly during the Liturgy of the Word and gathering, with adults, in the annexe is to celebrate the readings in a way more appropriate to the children's level of understanding.

The children do what the rest of the community are doing at this point of the Mass. The purpose of adapting liturgy for children is to lead them into full, conscious and active participation in the liturgy of our parish. It is prepared mainly for primary school aged

children. All adults engaged in children's liturgy must be DBS {Disclosure and Barring Service} checked. Each team consists of 3 cleared adults. Sunday morning children's liturgy will begin next Sunday, 15 September. Due to lack of adult volunteers and the small number of children participating, it is intended to offer children's liturgy on Saturdays during the seasons of Advent / Christmas and Lent / Easter. We welcome and encourage volunteers to lead or help with this fulfilling and enjoyable ministry. Please contact Maggie White [Sundays} or Sue Cleary [Saturdays} for further details.

**Fundraising** The next fundraising meeting will be on **Monday 9th September** at 6pm in the Annex. Please come along to help plan and develop ideas for our fundraising team.

The next jumble sale will be on **Saturday 28th September**. If you can spare an hour or two to help set up, you will be most welcome on **Friday 27th** from 11am onwards.

The next Ladies Night will be on **Wednesday 16th October** in the Hall.

**PAC** - the next PAC meeting will be on Wednesday **11th September**. If you have any items for the agenda, please place them in the PAC box on the table in the Narthex or pass to any member of the PAC.

**Tea and Chat** - the next Welcome Friends Afternoon Tea and Chat is on **Friday 13th September at 2pm** in the Annex.

**MISSIO RED BOXES.** The next collection is about to start. From Monday 9th September, please bring in your red boxes and leave in the Sacristy when you are next at Mass (I will be away Sat. 7th and Sun. 8th Sept.). Once your box has been emptied I will return it to the Narthex for your collection. Very many thanks, Allan Reeves.

**Collections 1<sup>st</sup> September/31<sup>st</sup> August:** Gift Aid Envelopes £313.03; Loose Collection £341.96.

**Friends of St. Dyfrig's August:** 1<sup>st</sup> Mrs M. Howells (206) £50; 2<sup>nd</sup> Mrs R. Whitcombe (55) £20; 3<sup>rd</sup> Eddie Meek (104), Richard Boyle (210), Jan Bennett (10) £10.

## 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. Please can you write the name clearly.

### **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  
Angela Exton                      Celia Thomas  
Wendy Collier                      Maureen James  
Marion Toms                      Phyllis Davies  
Anne Atkins                      Matthew Cummings  
Elizabeth Baines                      J. & M Pierce  
Pat Holmes                      Jill Morgan

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

	<b>Time &amp; Place</b>	<b>Service &amp; Intention</b>
<b>Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> September Votive Memorial of Our Lady</b>	4.30 pm St. Dyfrig's 5.00 pm St. Dyfrig's 6.30 pm All Hallows	Sacrament of Reconciliation Mass – Val Davies Mass – Larry Ryan RIP
<b>Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> September 23<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time Education Sunday</b>	9.15 am All Hallows 10.45 am St. Dyfrig's	Mass – Felice Corsetti RIP Mass - People of the Parish
<b>Monday 9<sup>th</sup> September Blessed Frederic Ozanam</b>	9.30 am St. Dyfrig's 9.45 am St. Dyfrig's	Morning Prayer Service of the Word and Holy Communion
<b>Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> September</b>	9.30 am All Hallows 10.15 am St. Dyfrig's	Mass - Pray and Play Prayer Group St. Dyfrig's Annex
<b>Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> September St. Deiniol</b>	9.30 am St. Dyfrig's 9.45 am St. Dyfrig's	Morning Prayer Mass – Elizabeth Dawn Reed and Edward Chrominksi
<b>Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> September The Most Holy Name of Mary</b>	9.30 am All Hallows 2.15 pm All Hallows	Mass - Alma Jones (Birthday) UCM Meeting Parish Centre – all welcome
<b>Friday 13<sup>th</sup> September St. John Chrysostom</b>	9.30 am St. Dyfrig's 9.45 am St. Dyfrig's	Morning Prayer Mass – Val Davies (RiP)
<b>Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> September The Triumph of the Cross</b>	4.30 pm St. Dyfrig's 5.00 pm St. Dyfrig's 6.30 pm All Hallows	Sacrament of Reconciliation Mass – Val and John Davies (RiP) Mass –
<b>Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> September 24<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time</b>	9.15 am All Hallows 10.45 am St. Dyfrig's	Mass – People of the Parish Mass -

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**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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