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Sunday 15th September 2019

24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Cycle C Psalter Week 4

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 24th 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 07482406215

FIRST RECONCILIATION / COMMUNION 2019/20

At the beginning of the new school year families of children in year 3 start to prepare for the reception of the sacraments of reconciliation and Holy Communion.

There is, however, no set age for this. The Church specifies that a child should have reached "the age of reason", that is, to be able to understand and participate in the sacraments. This will vary according to each child and much will depend on their familiarity with the experience of prayer and worship, liturgy and Christian living. It is assumed that before starting children will be familiar with the Mass, responses, traditional prayers and basic practices of our Church.

"The Eucharist...

is not a prize for the perfect but a powerful medicine for the weak".

Evangelii Gaudium

Pope Francis

Application forms to join the 2019/20 preparation may be obtained from church or St. Michael's School. Please return them by the end of September so that sufficient books may be purchased.

TWO DAYS FOR CATECHISTS given by DAVID WELLS:

Saturday 5th October and Saturday 9th November at the Pastoral Resources Centre, Limited places, so if you would like to attend book directly via www.rcadcschools.org and use the Book a Course facility or email ccrs@rcadc.org. Course fee £15.



2020 has been designated as The Year of the Word with the tagline 'The God Who Speaks'.

The Diocesan Launch will be on Saturday 19th October with Mass at St. Helen's Church Caerphilly at 3 pm.

Here 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, those of us who work with Scripture as readers and liturgists; those of us interested in getting to know more; those who feel it washes over them at the weekend and does not seem to mean much, or even a closed book.

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

First Reading Exodus 32:7-11. 13-14; Second Reading: 1 Timothy 1:12-17;

Gospel Luke 15:1-32

Psalm: I will leave this place and go to my father.

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia! God in Christ was reconciling the world to himself, and he has entrusted to us the news that they are reconciled. Alleluia!

relationship with the creator. There will be 6 sessions between 2-3.30 pm, led by Alan de Ste Croix.

Sunday 6th October - The Covenant with Adam and Noah

Sunday 20th October - The Covenant with Abraham

Sunday 3rd November - The Covenant with Moses

Sunday 17th November - The Covenant with David

Sunday 1st December - The promises of the prophets

Sunday 15th December - 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 New Testament (the politics, the writers, the parables and the miracles). There will be 4 sessions led by Kate Duffin.

FCJ Vocations Weekend 29 November – 1 December 2019, FCJ Community Liverpool. Meet other young women discerning their vocation and experience community. To reserve a place contact Sr Lynne FCJ lynnefcj@hotmail.com

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 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: 8th September 2019

Gift Aid: £638.70 Non-Gift Aid: £46.50

Loose: £169.77

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 21st 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 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

Offices for Week Commencing 22 September 2019

Saturday Mass 6.30 pm

Euch Ministers: J Dendle, P Herbert & N Flint

Readers: E Adlam & N Draper

Offertory: B Cardoza & Family

Sunday Mass 9.15 a.m.

Euch Ministers: C Barrion, L Butcher & T Charnock

Readers: M Mortley & K Attfield

Offertory: T & M Aherne

Collection: T Mahoney & C Hensley

Tea: Madeleine Hargreaves

Cleaning: Team 2 Mrs Dewhurst's Team

Children's Liturgy L. Harris & T. Spiller

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

200 Club - August 2019 - Prize Draw

1st Vera Oakley (9)

2nd Joanna Dendle (44)

3rd Val Harris (46)

WHAT'S GOING ON.....



VOSKRESCENIJE CHOIR from St Petersburg will be performing Russian Sacred and Folk Songs at All Hallows RC Church, Miskin 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 26th 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** (1st 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 8th 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 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

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

Mary Englehardt

Elizabeth Stonebank

Frances Richards & Family

Alma Jones

Heather Duff (Trigg)

Deborah Mortley

Mo Scanlon

Josie Baldwin

Jayne Bird

Edwina Kingston

Sid Noble

ST. DYFRIG'S NEWS

GOODBYE PRAY & PLAY - Last Tuesday marked the end of an era: after four years of gathering together every week, through term-time and school holidays, Pray & Play has closed its doors for the last time. A big thank you to everyone who has joined us over the years. Our prayers for you all continue. God bless. Teresa & Margaret.

Fundraising - the next jumble sale will be on **Saturday 28th September** at 1pm. 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 at 7pm.

Christmas is just around the corner and we are already planning for the Christmas Raffle to raise funds for the continued repairs to the church. If you have any unwanted gifts then please consider donating to the Christmas raffle. A collection box will be placed in the narthex for donations.

Upcoming Events - An autumn bazaar is planned for Saturday 23rd November in the hall. Time to get the craft box and the knitting needles out!!

As in past years, Jay has offered to sell wine in the Annex on Sunday mornings after mass. This will start on Sunday 24th November, more details nearer to the date.

Once again Julie has offered to take your family Christmas photo. This will be in December, a date to be finalised.

The Christmas Raffle will take place on Sunday 22nd December. Raffle tickets will be available soon.

Post-Christmas - it has been proposed to hold a New Year dinner celebration mid-January. This will include a 3 course meal, entertainment and a bar. The provisional date is Friday 17th January. Details will be available soon.

Sunday Coffee Regulars – many thanks yet again, a total of £371 has been given to the hall fund.

Pontypridd foodbank -Hi everyone, we desperately need your help. After a busy summer holiday we are in need of:-

rice pudding/custard, UHT fruit juice, jam, packet mash, packet soup, biscuits, tinned potatoes, tinned fruit, tinned tomatoes, pasta sauce, coffee, tinned meat. All donations can be placed in the basket drawers in the narthex. Thank you for your help.

Collections 7th/8th September: Gift Aid Envelopes £253; Loose Collection £384.61; Heating £32.

Friends of St. Dyfrig's August: 1st Mrs M. Howells (206) £50; 2nd Mrs R. Whitcombe (55) £20; 3rd 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

	Time & Place	Service & Intention
Saturday 14th September	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 –
Sunday 15th September 24th Sunday of Ordinary Time	9.15 am All Hallows 10.45 am St. Dyfrig's	Mass – People of the Parish Mass - Angela Taylor RiP
Monday 16th September Sts. Cornelius and Cyprian	9.30 am St. Dyfrig's 9.45 am St. Dyfrig's	Morning Prayer Service of the Word and Holy Communion
Tuesday 17th September St. Robert Bellarmine	9.30 am All Hallows	Mass - Private Intention (Suzy)
Wednesday 18th September	9.30 am St. Dyfrig's 9.45 am St. Dyfrig's	Morning Prayer Mass – Val Davies
Thursday 19th September St. Januarius	9.30 am All Hallows 2.15 pm All Hallows	Mass - UCM Meeting Parish Centre – all welcome
Friday 20th September St Andrew Kim Tae- gon and Companions	9.30 am St. Dyfrig's 9.45 am St. Dyfrig's	Morning Prayer Mass – Stephen Gregory and Family
Saturday 21st September St. Matthew Apostle	10-12 noon All Hallows 4.30 pm St. Dyfrig's 5.00 pm St. Dyfrig's 6.30 pm All Hallows	Eucharistic Adoration Sacrament of Reconciliation Mass – Laura Atkins (Anniversary) Mass –
Sunday 22nd September 25th Sunday of Ordinary Time	9.15 am All Hallows 10.45 am St. Dyfrig's	Mass – People of the Parish Mass - Susan and David Donaldson 40 th Wedding Anniversary

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

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

To receive an electronic copy of the Newsletter, please email treforest@rcadc.org