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Sunday 3rd November 2019

31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

Cycle C Psalter Week 3

News for All



'.....Your Word is our path and your truth is our light. This day and every day.' (taken from the Official prayer, the God Who Speaks)

Scripture Study Days at the
Cornerstone Fleur Dorrell (Catholic

Scripture Engagement Manager at the Bishops' Conference) – November 18th 2019, 7 pm

The First Sunday of Advent sees the launch of the Year of the Word, under the title of, *The God Who Speaks*. The Year marks the 10th anniversary of Pope Benedict XVI's *Verbum Domini* on 'The Word of the Lord', as well as coinciding with the 1,600 anniversary of St. Jerome's death.

To celebrate the opening of the Year of the Word, there will be Solemn Evening Prayer and Benediction at Cardiff Cathedral at 3.30 pm, presided over by Archbishop George. During the celebration, copies of the Gospel of St. Matthew will be given out to the congregation, as a reminder that scripture is at the centre of everything that the Church does. Evening Prayer and Benediction will be led by the students and staff of St. Alban's High School, Pontypool.

November: Month of The Holy Souls: As is our custom, a Book of Remembrance will be displayed in both Parishes during the month of November. I shall celebrate a Mass for the Holy Souls at various stages throughout November. You will be able to add names to the Books in the usual way. *Fr. Allan.*

First Reading Wisdom 11:22 – 12:2; **Second Reading:** 2 Thessalonians 1:11 – 2:2;
Gospel Luke 19:1-10

Psalm: I will bless your name for ever, O God my King.

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia! Blessing on the King who comes, in the name of the Lord!
Peace in heaven and glory in the highest heavens!

VOCATIONS WEEKEND FOR YOUNG WOMEN

Theme: Discernment and Vocation

Dates: 29 Nov - 1 Dec 2019. Location: Liverpool.

Please see the poster in the Narthex of both churches.

St. Michael's News – on Monday 4th November we will be focusing on what makes a healthy snack and diet through a variety of literacy and numeracy activities.

FIRST COMMUNION

13 applications have been received to date. Please ensure that any outstanding forms are submitted asap. so that sufficient workbooks can be ordered.

DBS RENEWALS

Thanks to those who have returned their applications. Please complete outstanding forms and return to Maggie White as a matter of priority.

LECTO DIVINA - There will be a gathering of the Lectio group on Monday 11th November 2019 at 6.30 pm at Anna's house. If you would like to join us, please contact Anna at anna@mayer.co.uk

Wales and The Marches Catholic History Society

All are welcome to the first of our new series of free talks by one of our most popular speakers It may sound somewhat morbid, but it is the month when we pray for our dead. As always, I'm sure Maddy will make it very interesting. **Sunday November 10th 2019 at 2.45pm Medieval Welsh Tombstones Prof. Madeleine Gray** Professor Emerita of Ecclesiastical History University of South Wales. **Please note we have a new venue The Cardiff University Catholic Chaplaincy At the rear of Nazareth House, coming from the City enter by the very last gate way on the left in Colum Rd.**

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. The deadline remains 11am on Wednesday mornings.

CALLIGRAPHER VACANCY

There is a vacancy for a Calligrapher who will be responsible for the entry of family/friends' recollections, of the deceased person, in the "Book of Remembrance". Any interested person(s) should submit their application to the Parish Priest, along with samples of their writing ability. Please mark your envelope with the word, **CALLIGRAPHER**.

Columbarium Co-ordinator Barbara Hillier
01443 204973

Confessions: First Saturday of every month 10.15 – 11.15 am

Collections: 27th October 2019

Gift Aid: £544.12 Non-Gift Aid: £35.49
Loose: £196.77 CAFOD: £323.20

The CAFOD collection will be held again next weekend for any who missed it this week.

Offices for Week Commencing 2 November 2019

Saturday Mass 6.30 pm

Euch Ministers: T Jacobs, N & S Flint
Readers: W Brown & E Adlam
Offertory: B Cardoza & Family

Sunday Mass 9.15 a.m.

Euch Ministers: C Hensley, M Mortley, K Thomas
Readers: P Hopkins & S Howells
Offertory: T & M Aherne
Collection: T & N Spiller
Tea: Sandra Corp
Cleaning: Team 1 Maureen Griffiths' Children's
Liturgy: No Children's Liturgy
Altar Servers: George, Donal, Luke, Lara, Brian Faye, Gryff

Offices for Week Commencing 9 November 2019

Saturday Mass 6.30 pm

Euch Ministers: E Adlam, P Herbert, L Fernandez
Readers: K Atfield, S Stacey
Offertory: G Edwards & Family

Sunday Mass 9.15 a.m.

Euch Ministers: C Barrion, L Butcher, T Charnock
Readers: M Mortley, T Poole
Offertory: S Collyer
Collection: T Mahoney & C Hensley
Tea: Madeleine Hargreaves
Cleaning: Team 2 Mrs Dewhursts' Team
Children's Liturgy: C Lyons & Trish Mahoney
Altar Servers: George, Donal, Luke, Lara, Brian Faye, Gryff

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION OF THE BLESSED

SACRAMENT. We invite you to join with us at our Eucharistic Adoration, which is held on the **first and third Saturday of each month**. The next Eucharistic Adoration will be taking place on **Saturday 16 November 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.

Our Autumn Craft Fayre was a great success with many happy shoppers enjoying the opportunity to purchase so many handmade items. **The UCM raised £950, a great team effort!**

WHAT'S GOING ON.....



ALL HALLOWS ANNUAL CHRISTMAS DINNER....

Our **Parish Annual Christmas Dinner** this year will be taking place on **Saturday 30th November 2019** commencing at 7.30 p.m. Please see Teresa with your menu details, (Turkey or Beef, Christmas Pudding or Gateaux) or Vegetarian. The cost of the Dinner will be £22.50 which will include a glass of wine. We are fortunate again this year to have the **"More than a Song Community Choir"** who really enjoy coming to entertain us at All Hallows. This is an enjoyable evening and we look forward to seeing as many of our parishioners coming along and joining with us in the celebration and festivities. We welcome you all, if you have not come before, please consider coming along. Teresa will be available over the next few weekends, or you can contact her on 01443 204830

APF MISSION – Red Boxes... Last Call... please bring in your Red Boxes for emptying for this quarter. The APF Autumn Magazine with Prayer Book Marker are available on the table in the Foyer, please take one and read about the work of the APF. **Please ensure you collect your emptied APF Box from the Church Foyer. There are a number of emptied boxes awaiting collection.**

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD... We have beautiful hand knitted baby items for sale that would be an ideal gift to include in your Christmas Box for the Operation Christmas Child appeal this year. Please see the UCM. They would make an ideal present to include in your box.

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 MUSIC MINISTRY... *If you are interested in participating in our Parish Music, either with the Band or Folk Group, playing an instrument or joining in the singing, we would love to hear from you.*

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

Heather Duff (Trigg)

Deborah Mortley

Mo Scanlon

Josie Baldwin

Jayne Bird

Elizabeth Stonebank

ST MICHAEL'S SCHOOL PTA NEWS:

Bristol Christmas Trip: Saturday 23 November. 8.45 am pick up at the bottom of St David's Manor, Church Village, 9.00 am. St Michael's School. Treforest. 5.00 p.m. leave Bristol for home. £15.00 per ticket.

BINGO EVENING & Disco (Adults only) 15th November, Rhydyfelin Non-Political Club, 7.30 pm until late, £5.00 per ticket.

CHRISTMAS FETE, Saturday 7th December, 10.00 am – 1pm, at St Michael's School, Anyone wishing to hold a stall please contact Francine Morgan for more details.

Christmas Party, Friday 20 December – Pontypridd Rugby Club 4pm – 6pm £5.00 per child.

For all St Michael School PTA event enquiries, please contact Francine Morgan 07963 814544

ST. DYFRIG'S NEWS

Fundraising

Tickets are now available for the Christmas raffle, apologies they were not available last Sunday but they were left in the Sacristy.

Available in books of 5 - £1 per ticket or £5 per book. A box will be available for the completed stubs and returned money but if possible please hand any money to a member of the fundraising team. 1st prize is £100 cash plus many other prizes



Autumn Bazaar Saturday 23rd November at 1pm - this week we are looking for items for the Christmas gift stall

The total for the recent jumble sale is £943

Parish New Year Meal will be on Friday 17th January - Tickets £20

New Year's Jumble Sale - Saturday 25th January 2020

The date for the next Fundraising/social group meeting is **Monday 11th November at 6pm** in the Annex

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

	Time & Place	Service & Intention
Saturday 2nd November All Souls Day	4.30 pm St. Dyfrig's 5.00 pm St. Dyfrig's 6.30 pm All Hallows	Sacrament of Reconciliation Mass – Celia Stanislaws Mass – People of the Parish
Sunday 3rd November 31st Sunday of Ordinary Time	9.15 am All Hallows 10.45 am St. Dyfrig's	Mass – Phyllis de Alwis (10th Anniversary) Mass -
Monday 4th November St. Charles Borromeo	9.30 am St. Dyfrig's 9.45 am St. Dyfrig's	Morning Prayer Service of the Word and Holy Communion
Tuesday 5th November	9.30 am All Hallows 7-8 pm St. Dyfrig's	Mass - Alma Jones RIP (Hargreaves Family) Eucharistic Adoration
Wednesday 6th November St. Illtud, Abbot	9.30 am St. Dyfrig's 9.45 am St. Dyfrig's	Morning Prayer Mass – Holy Souls
Thursday 7th November	9.30 am All Hallows 2.15 pm All Hallows	Mass – Thomas John & Winifred Morton RIP (Teresa) UCM Meeting Parish Centre – all welcome
Friday 8th November All Saints of Wales	9.30 am St. Dyfrig's 9.45 am St. Dyfrig's 10.15-2 pm St. Dyfrig's	Morning Prayer Mass – Eucharistic Adoration
Saturday 9th November The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica	4.30 pm St. Dyfrig's 5.00 pm St. Dyfrig's 6.30 pm All Hallows	Sacrament of Reconciliation Mass – David Foley Mass – Alma Jones RIP
Sunday 10th November 32nd Sunday of Ordinary Time Remembrance Sunday	9.15 am All Hallows 10.45 am St. Dyfrig's	Mass – Mass - People of the Parish

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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**