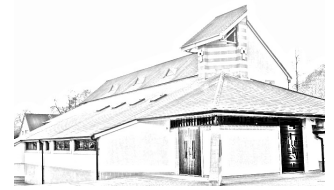


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Sunday 31st May 2020

Pentecost Sunday

Cycle A Psalter Week 1

	Mass Intention
Saturday 30 th May	People of the Parish
Sunday 31 st May Pentecost Sunday	David Novello May RIP
Monday 1 st June The Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church	Betty and Gordon Rees
Tuesday 2 nd June Sts Marcellinus and Peter	Nancy Shepherd
Wednesday 3 rd June St. Charles Lwanga and Companions, Martyrs	Andrew Bridge
Thursday 4 th June Our Lord Jesus Christ, The Eternal High Priest	
Friday 5 th June St. Boniface	
Saturday 6 th June St. Norbert	
Sunday 7 th June The Most Holy Trinity	

THE BUILDING WORK AT ST DYFRIG'S DURING LOCKDOWN

The work in the church continued until the end of March. After this the builders, plasterers and painters were unable to work. However work recommenced about three weeks ago. In the beginning there was a lot of preparatory work to be done. This included hacking off loose plaster and peeling paint. Replastering meant that the new had to be blended into the old existing plaster which hadn't become loose. This work now seems to be complete. I have said previously that the current stage of work involves the area above the choir and the sanctuary. The main body of the church - the nave, will be refurbished during stage three of the building work. (Stage one involved the renewal of the exterior coping stones and making the building watertight). However, the workmen and women have also renewed the confessional rooms and the priest's sacristy, taken away the railings alongside the main road (so that we will be able to access the church guttering more easily) and also repainted the exterior semi dome above the original baptistry. You may have noticed that it is now gold which was the original colour. A wall leading to the boiler room underneath the sacristy has also been rebuilt.

Work has now begun on the painting of the choir and sanctuary. The colours have been chosen by the historical architect. As far as I can see she has chosen neutral colours to remain in keeping with the age of the building. The painters are also working on the woodwork and doors.

In your mercy, please pray for the repose of the soul of Matthew Cummings, nephew of Yvonne Jenkins, Andrew Bridge brother of Sandra Phillips, Geraldine Seery, and Nancy Shepherd who died recently. Our sympathy and prayers are with their families at this sad and difficult time. Please continue to pray for the sick of our communities especially Chris De Silva Rosa.

The weekly Newsletter and Father Allan's Sermon are also available. Please let your friends, who do not receive a Newsletter, know.

First Reading Acts 2:1-11; Second Reading 1 Corinthians 12:3-7. 12-13

Gospel John 20:19-23

Responsorial Psalm: Send forth your Spirit, O Lord, and renew the face of the earth.

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia! Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and kindle in them the fire of your love. Alleluia!

At the moment we are unsure as to when this stage of the work will be completed not least of all because of the repercussions of the coronavirus. If the work is finished we may be able to move into the church when lockdown is lifted. If not we will move back into the hall. The Archbishop has sent out a letter to priests today that gives a list of all the things that will have to be taken into consideration when we are allowed to worship as a community once again. This list includes such things as social distancing, the actual numbers that will be allowed into the building given the fact that social distancing will mean that the seating capacity will be reduced. We will have to buy PPE materials and we will need to organise volunteers to manage the ways people come in and out of the church. The Archbishop also talks of a staggered opening of churches. He talks of larger and strategically placed churches opening first. There are other things besides. A meeting of the Welsh Faiths Forum is due to take place on 3rd June. These and other things will be discussed then.

Even though there does seem to be some light at the end of the tunnel our prayers continue to go to those who have died because of Covid 19 and those whose lives are affected directly. May God Bless you all, Fr Allan

This week we return to Ordinary Time, the 9th week of Cycle II. The Cycle of Prayer: During Ordinary Time (Summer) i.e. up to September, we are asked to pray for the following intentions:

A deeper understanding between Christians and Jews; those who suffer persecution, oppression and denial of human rights; Europe; human life; seafarers.

National Rosary Rally 9 am to 9 pm England, Wales, and Scotland. Pentecost Sunday May 31st.

Pope Francis encourages simple Rosaries, and joining online Rosary initiatives to pray to Our Lady for deliverance from covid-19 and has composed two prayers for this intention. You are invited to join in an initiative that follows on from the Pope's request, the **Pentecost Sunday National Rosary Rally**, from 9 am to 9 pm across Scotland, England and Wales. Our Diocese has been asked to pray a Rosary Hour at 12 noon and you are warmly invited to take part. *It does not matter what time during that specified hour that the Rosary is prayed. At 9 pm the Rosary Rally will end with a Rosary being led by Bishop John Keenan from St. Mirin's Cathedral, Paisley.*



'.... after the example of the Apostles and disciples who with Mary, the Mother of Jesus, persevered in prayer,



awaiting the Spirit promised by the Lord; like them, let us, too, listen with quiet hearts to the Word of God. Let us meditate on how many great deeds God in times past did for His people and let us pray that the Holy Spirit, whom the Father sent as the first fruits for those who believe, may bring to perfection his work in the world.'
(Pentecost Sunday Vigil Mass)

Monday – Genesis 3:9-15,20, John 19:25-34

Tuesday – 2 Peter 3:11-15. 17-18, Mark 12:13-17

Wednesday – Timothy 1:1-3. 6-12, Mark 12:18-27

Thursday - Timothy 2:8-15; Mark 12:28-34

Friday – Timothy 3:10-17, Mark 12:35-37

Saturday – Timothy 4:1-8, Mark 12:38-44

Thursday Evening Mass for the sick, their families

NHS staff: 28 May Bishop Terence Draine

St. Mary's Cathedral, Middlesbrough

YouTube Channel

No Computer? Dial a Service! The priests of All Saints Parish, Newport offer a weekly telephone reflection on the Gospel of the Sunday – a 15 minute reflection including the Sunday Gospel, a short homily and prayer – all for the cost of a local call. The number is 01633 982483

From St Alban's Parish, Splott It is possible to listen to Sunday Mass from St Alban's church from your landline telephone or mobile phone. The St Alban's Mass Line is a dedicated phone line which now connects Parishioners without internet access to Sunday Mass: St Alban's 'Mass Line' enables the Faithful to hear the familiar Mass prayers and hymns and join in raising their own voices in Worship of Almighty God. 'Mass Line' will give some consolation to those who have felt so cut off since the pandemic lockdown." **THE MASS LINE NUMBER IS: 029 2267 0924**

St. Michael's News – if you would like to apply for a place for September 2020, please contact Mrs J. Taylor Head@stmichaels.wales. We are almost full in Nursery and Reception, Year 5 is full with limited spaces in all other year groups. Please see job advert at the end of the newsletter.

Cycle of Prayer for the Parishes of the Archdiocese

This week our prayers are requested for Rev Canon Patrick O’Gorman and the parishioners of St. Helen’s Barry, the staff, pupils and governors of St. Helen’s Primary School Barry and St. Richard Gwyn High School.

Age Cymru is offering a free ‘Check in and Chat’ telephone service for the over 70’s in Wales who live alone. It is hoped that the initiative will provide reassurance to older people, answer basic questions and link to local services and support during the Covid-19 outbreak. If you are over 70 living alone and would like to speak to someone at Age Cymru to share your concerns – or to just to have a chat – please telephone 0800 022 3444 or email

enquiries@agecymru.org.uk

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.

Columbarium Co-ordinator Barbara Hillier
01443 204973

Donations to All Hallows Funds

As our church is closed, those who give regular donations during mass can donate at:
<http://uk.virginmoneygiving.com/AllHallowsChurch>

UCM MEMBERS ARE MEETING WEEKLY VIA ZOOM

if you would like to join us the meeting starts at 2:30 pm each Thursday for a chat. You can download Zoom for free to your phone, tablet/IPAD or laptop. Please let Suzy know and you will be sent the code and password for the meeting.

ALL HALLOWS PRAYER WALL

Our Prayer wall is now available on our website at
<http://www.pontypriddrcdeanery.org.uk/churches/llantrisant>

There is a contact form where you can request an addition to our prayer wall or ask for a mass intention. Or contact Suzy via llantrisant@rcadc.org

ALL HALLOWS PARISH 25TH ANNIVERSARY

Next year will be the 25th Anniversary of the opening of our Parish Church here at Misikin. We are hoping to make it a special celebratory year and welcome support from parishioners to come together as part of a planning committee in this project. We are proud of our church and parish and think it would be a wonderful opportunity as a parish to share in this celebratory year. Are you interested ???

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>Noreen Jones</i>	<i>Simon Dewsbury (Recovery Covid 19)</i>
<i>Helen Howells</i>	<i>Bassam Fathola</i>
<i>Ceri Philip</i>	<i>Margaret Sidoli</i>
<i>Heather Duff (Trigg)</i>	<i>Shielanie Barrientos RIP</i>
<i>Ken and Kath Bond</i>	<i>Nicole Price RIP</i>
<i>Canon Patrick Daly</i>	<i>Mo Scanlon</i>
<i>Jayne Bird</i>	<i>Elizabeth Stonebank</i>
<i>Mary Englehardt</i>	<i>Veronica Buckingham RIP</i>
<i>Maureen Fuller</i>	<i>Dun Rajapakse RIP</i>
<i>Aileen Chivers</i>	<i>Bacchetta Family</i>
<i>Cardoza & Alexander Families</i>	<i>Grace & Dylan Horton</i>
<i>Baby Pebbles RiP</i>	

Please help us to manage our Prayer Wall by letting us know when names may be removed.

St. Dyfrig’s News

SVP Support Lines - St. Dyfrig’s SVP is in a difficult position at the moment for obvious reasons. We can no longer visit those people we usually see and as but two of our Society are in the ‘vulnerable’ category of people, there is little else we can do other than telephone and keep in contact with those we know. However, we would like to make ourselves available to other who we may not know. Therefore, below is a list of names and phone numbers. If you or anyone else you know is isolated and lonely and would welcome a chat, we are here on the end of the phone. If we can help in any other way we will, but obviously within the Government guidelines. Our love and prayers to you all. Keep well, keep safe, stay at home.

Angela Hunter:	01443 207935
Allan Cleary:	01443 400605
Ann Cleary:	01443 400605
Anne Parker:	01443 842825
Cath Carroll:	01443 207576: 07482 406215
Julie Gilbertson:	01443 205041
Lesley Hughes:	01443 205077: 07799 613527

Mary Richards: 07855 241289
Richard Boyle: 01443 400189
Sandra Phillips: 01443 20207

better than we are speaking, we offer these prayers in all the holy names of God, amen. (Fr Richard Rohr)

We now have pages on Virgin Money Giving for donations to be made to both parishes during this time when normal collections cannot be taken. When donating via Virgin Money there is a box available for comment. Parishioners can specify in this section a specific destination for their donation, e.g. Parish Funds, Easter Offering, Mass Intention etc. The links for donations are as follows:

<https://uk.virginmoneygiving.com/StDyfrigsChurchTreforest>

ST. DYFRIG'S PRAYER WALL – May we also keep in our prayers those who find the current lockdown difficult and are anxious. May they find comfort in the presence of the Lord Jesus

Prayer for Our Community:

O Great Love, thank you for living and loving in us and through us. May all that we do flow from our deep connection with you and all beings. Help us become a community that vulnerably shares each other's burdens and the weight of glory. Listen to our hearts' longings for the healing of our world. [Please add your own intentions.] . . . Knowing you are hearing us

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
Ken Biddiscombe	Pete Leueis
William, John (Jackie) Picton	
Rene Marengi	Chris Da Silva Rosa
Elizabeth Holland	Lauren Gibson
June Thomas	Pat Holmes
Celia Thomas	Ruth Pinder
Wendy Collier	Maureen James
Marion Toms	Phyllis Davies
Anne Atkins	Elizabeth Baines
J. & M Pierce	Sylvia Ashfield
John Smith	Jill Morgan
Meirion Davies	Pat Quinn
Beverley Steer	Lauren and Sophie Gibson
Robert Kennelly	

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drossiter2011@btinternet.com
Safeguarding Rep: Maggie White 01443 410593

Schools: **St Michael's RC Primary School, John Place, Treforest. (Head: Mrs J. Taylor) 01443 570090**
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** email treforest@rcadc.org

RHONDDA CYNON TAF COUNCIL

ST MICHAELS RC PRIMARY SCHOOL
JOHN PLACE TREFOREST PONTYPRIDD CF38 1SF

KS2 TEACHER

Salary: Teacher Pay Scale

Start Date: September 2020 (Autumn term initially)

The Governing Body of St Michael's RC Primary School wish to appoint an outstanding practitioner to join a dedicated team that has a focus on school improvement. St Michael's RC Primary School is a welcoming community with a strong catholic ethos.

We are seeking a teacher who can demonstrate excellent classroom practice within KS2, and have a thorough knowledge of new curriculum developments.

Our new member of teaching staff will:

- Demonstrate high standards of teaching and learning.
- Encourage and inspire children to reach their full potential through high quality learning experiences.
- Be able to cater for a wide range of pupils with a variety of needs.
- Have the ability to develop bilingualism (Welsh as a Second Language).
- Demonstrate excellent communication skills in order to work effectively in partnership with staff, parents, Governors and the local community.
- Be creative and willing to contribute to all aspects of school life.
- Be part member of our innovative team.

St Michael's RC Primary School can offer:

- A welcoming, caring school with a catholic ethos based on our school vision of "Faith Action Success".
- An opportunity to help share the future of learning and teaching with all children.
- A strong commitment to professional development, in line with national professional Teaching and Leadership Standards.

Applicants should state their curricular strengths and any extra-curricular skills they may be able to offer the school.

Any queries / questions can be sent to head@stmichaels.wales

Application forms, and further details, may be obtained from the eteach website and should be returned to (upon completion): Human Resources Unit, Ty Elai, Williamstown, Tonypanydy. CF40 1NY. Telephone Number: (01443) 444550. Alternatively completed forms can be emailed to school.recruitment@rctcbc.gov.uk

The closing date for applications is Friday 5th June at 12.00 noon.

THE SUCCESSFUL APPLICANT WILL BE SUBJECT TO AN ENHANCED DISCLOSURE AND BARRING SERVICE CHECK.

In view of the large number of Application Forms which are currently being submitted, individual applications are not acknowledged. Consequently if you do not hear from us within four weeks of the closing date, please assume that your application is unsuccessful on this occasion. In which case you are thanked for the interest you have shown in applying for a position within the Council.