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Sunday 25th April 2021

Fourth Sunday of Easter

Cycle B Psalter Week 4

News for all

The Duke of Edinburgh 1921 -2021 - prayer from St Cadoc's, Cardiff

We pray for a wife who has lost her "beloved" husband, children who have lost their father and grandchildren who have lost their precious grandfather. May they find comfort in our prayers and in the international mourning for a life of service. May he rest in peace. Amen.

Today is The World Day of Prayer for Vocations (or Good Shepherd Sunday)

"The Lord's call is not an intrusion of God in our freedom; it is not a "cage" or a burden to be borne. On the contrary, it is the loving initiative whereby God encounters us and invites us to be part of a great undertaking. He opens before our eyes the horizon of a greater sea and an abundant catch. On this World Day of Prayer for Vocations, let us join in prayer and ask the Lord to help us discover his plan of love for our lives, and to grant us the courage to walk in the path that, from the beginning, he has chosen for each of us." (Pope Francis).



We also pray for our two seminarians Elliot Hanson, Dale Cutlan. Hopefully they will be joined by a third when the seminary reopens after the pandemic. The retiring collection at both masses this weekend will be for the Priests Training Fund. Leaflets and envelopes are available at the back of All Hallows and St Dyfrig's. This collection will be open for a few weeks.

This can also be done on line

<http://uk.virginmoneygiving.com/AllHallowsChurch>

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

Please remember to indicate that you wish to donate to the Priests Training Fund.

THE SOLEMNITY OF THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD - 13TH MAY 2021

There will be a 10.00am mass in St Dyfrig's and a 12 noon mass in All Hallows on the Feast of the Ascension. There will be no need to book a seat for these masses although social distancing will still be in place and seats will be allocated on a "first come first served" basis. The obligation to personally attend mass, as with weekend masses, has been removed due to the pandemic.

For those still unable to attend Mass the following prayer is an Act of Spiritual Communion written by St Alphonsus Liguori in the 18th Century. "My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

During Eastertide we are asked to pray for the following intentions: vocations, the right use of media, the Church, human work.

First Reading Acts 4:8-12; Second Reading First Letter of St. John 3:1-2

Gospel John 10:11-18

Psalm: The stone which the builders rejected has become the corner stone.

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia! I am the good shepherd, shays the Lord; I know my own sheep and my own know me. Alleluia!

Saturdays in Eastertide at Belmont Abbey –

Via Lucis – the Way of Light, commencing on 17th April and the following five Saturdays from 10 am to 1 pm, led by Dom Brendan Thomas. The Church gives us fifty days of Eastertide so that we may enter more deeply into this mystery of faith: Christ alive, Christ risen. Beginning with the Gospels and with the help of the great artists, saints and spiritual writers we make that journey from the Empty tomb of Easter Sunday to the Upper Room of Pentecost. How to join live via the web page and Zoom – Meeting ID 812 288 3 8503 Passcode 908613 or you can follow on your own: from any day at any time via the webpage only.

44 begin the New Archdiocesan Programme!

The Diocesan Evangelisation Commission is pleased to announce that 44 parishioners and clergy from parishes across the Archdiocese began the new Evangelisation Programme on Wednesday, April 21st. We had more applications than we could take on the first run as 44 was our optimum number and applications are still coming in. A second run of the Programme has now been arranged to accommodate the continuing interest. The dates will be Tuesday, September 28th, October 5th, 12th and 19th, and November 2nd, 9th and 16th 2021. The Programme is open to all parishioners and clergy across the Archdiocese.

It is a seven-week programme, running for one and half hours via Zoom on one evening a week. The Programme will remind participants of the Great Commission and the basic Gospel message. It will cover a rudimentary history of the early church and will consider important messages from recent papal papers, how to give witness testimonies, evangelise non-church going Catholics with practical approaches and tools for building a parish team to evangelise.

The Genesis Mission will be an important follow-on activity offered to participants, providing the necessary skills for successful encounters. For more information and to register for the second run of the Programme, please email Madeleine Walters at madeleine.walters@rcadc.org



'Lord Jesus, explain the scriptures to us. Make our hearts burn within us as you talk to us. (Luke 24:32)



“The God Who Speaks”: A Year of the Word – Scripture Study



With the programme of events being disrupted due to Covid 19, our planned talks in the Archdiocese of Cardiff are set to resume online this month with **Fr. Tim McGrath giving a talk on “Encountering Jesus as the Messiah in Matthew’s Gospel”** on Saturday, April 24th from 11am-12.30pm.

Details of the programme of talks for the year can be found on the Archdiocesan website <https://rcadc.org/events>.

How to Access the Online Talks

You can access the talks on the day via Zoom at: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/8240925645pwd=YktlYnQvWjNzQjl5L0xnZkFsaHNYUT09>

Meeting ID: 824 0925 6453

Passcode: 633303

The talks will also appear on YouTube. Please go to the ACES YouTube channel

Contacts for enquiries: Madeleine Walters at madeleine.walters@rcadc.org or Kate Duffin at kate.duffin@hotmail.co.uk

Are you or someone in your family celebrating a significant wedding anniversary? Why not join the Diocesan Mass for Marriage during National Marriage week. The celebration is being organised by the Family Life Commission on Saturday 15th May at 11 am in St. Mary’s Church Newport. All are welcome to join the celebration on line, during the Mass, all couples will be encouraged to make the renewal of commitment together at home.

The Commission would like to produce a reflective presentation for the Mass and so encourage you to send a wedding photo, ideally taken inside or outside the church in which you were married, that you are happy to be included in a promotional slideshow that will be shared during the Mass and also on the Archdiocesan social media platforms. Please contact the Commission via fllc@rcadc.org

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 on request.

SUNDAY MASS AT ALL HALLOWS To book a mass for Sunday at 9:15 a.m. please contact Teresa Bressington each Friday on [07599155418](tel:07599155418) between 10.00am to 12.00pm to reserve a place at mass. **(Please note the change to booking times)**

BOOKING FOR MASSES

As you are aware, we have limited seating spaces at Mass in line with the Covid regulations, if you have booked a place at mass and for some reason you are unable to attend, please could you let us know in order that the space allocated can be offered to another person. As confidence is growing, more people are coming back to mass and we are continually endeavouring to accommodate as many people as allowed within the spaces available, most weeks we have people on a reserve list in the event of cancellations.

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

E-Mail Addresses - As we communicate much more by email at the moment please email Suzy at llantrisant@rcadc.org and we can keep in touch via the Newsletter and other news.

COLLECTIONS: 18 April 2021

Gift Aid: £628.00
Non-Gift Aid: £10.00
Loose: £55.00

Happy Birthday greetings this week to one of our most senior parishioners, namely Marjorie Mortley who will be celebrating her 96th birthday this coming week.

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 recently. 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).

Tony Yule's Walk for Water

Tony would like to thank all those who supported his CAFOD's Walk for Water Challenge this Lent. Starting on Ash Wednesday and finishing on Maundy Thursday he managed 44 different walks, each exceeding 10,000 steps, walking a total of 287 miles. See the web-site at <https://walk.cafod.org.uk/fundraising/Tony-Yule> for a blow-by-blow account or to donate.

DONATIONS TO ALL HALLOWS FUNDS

As our church is open in a limited in capacity, those who give regular donations during mass can donate at:

<http://uk.virginmoneygiving.com/AllHallowsChurch>

This account was closed by Virgin Money without asking us. If you have sent any monies between February 20th and March 5th, please let Suzy know.

COLLECTIONS - Many parishioners are making regular monthly and weekly donations via the virgin money portal. These welcomed donations can be made anonymously but please record what the donation is for: Mass Stipends, Weekly or Monthly Collections or any other specific donation e.g., SVP donations, Easter Offerings etc. This will ensure we can allocate the donations correctly.

MISSIO (Red Box Collection)

In 2020, our community of All Hallows raised £520 through our Red Boxes and donations to Missio and the Mill Hill Missionaries. Thank you! Communities around the world are so grateful that people here in Miskin are supporting them through prayer and our generous donations. The missionaries and the communities they serve, are living in such difficult circumstances, made even harder by COVID-19. They have asked us to pass on their thanks, and tell us that they pray for us all. Find out more about Missio at missio.org.uk.

It has been difficult to empty the Red Boxes this past year, and we ask you to consider your continued support by using the following means of donation:

1. Send a cheque, payable to Missio-Mill Hill and post it to Red Box, 23 Eccleston Square, London SW1V 1NU
2. Give online or make a bank transfer missio.org.uk/redbox

3. Call: 020 7821 9755 during office hours to donate with your credit or debit card.
4. Give via text: Text REDBOX 5 (to give £5) or REDBOX 10 (to give £10) to 70085 (This cost £5 or £10 plus your standard rate message).

Please continue to pray for the sisters and brothers overseas and all missionaries who share God's love - they tell us the love and strength they receive from us keeps them going.

UCM MEMBERS ARE ABLE TO PRAY TOGETHER AND MEET VIA ZOOM - If you would like to join us for our prayers via Zoom at 14:30 each Thursday please contact Kath Attfield or Suzy Stacey. Anyone can join us for prayer, a chat and a cuppa.

(MV) ROSARY GROUP - Please join with us when we come together to pray from the comfort of our homes at 9.00 p.m. every night. On Tuesday nights the Rosary is for all people affected by the pandemic. The Rosary Group has been praying together throughout the pandemic and not only consist of parishioners of All Hallows but with members from other parishes across the country. You are more than welcome to join with us in the holy rosary and unite in love and prayers. In May, let us invoke Our Blessed Mother for the future of the Catholic Church, that we will be able to return to the sacramental life of the Catholic Church. Please contact Marita on 07960206916.

ALL HALLOWS PRAYER WALL - Our Prayer wall is now available on our website at <http://www.pontypridrcdeanery.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 llantrisant@rcadc.org

LECTIO DIVINA - please contact Anna Mayer at Anna@mayer.co.uk if you wish to join the group. The next Lectio Divina Group will be held on Monday 26th April 2021 at 6.30pm. The Group will be meeting every week via Zoom unless otherwise stated.

ALL HALLOWS PARISH 25TH ANNIVERSARY
Due the COVID situation, we have not had the opportunity to have a year of celebration for the 25th Anniversary of our Parish Church here in Miskin.

However, on **Sunday 23 May which is the Feast of Pentecost** we will also celebrate this date for our **25th Anniversary Mass** and in due course, as restrictions become lifted, we will plan further celebrations and

gatherings to share together in this special milestone for our parish.

Our Parish Prayer Wall is in the LADY CHAPEL. Please contact Suzy with the name of the person you wish to pray for.

***Please join us in prayer, as we ask for your prayers for
Margaret & Silvano Sidoli
Helen Howell
Ceri Philp
Maureen Fuller
Cardoza & Alexander Families
Edwina Kingston
Erica Surcombe
Ron Bacchetta
Bassam Fathola
Heather Duff
All our Sick and Housebound***

Please help us to manage our Prayer Wall by letting us know when names need to be updated

St. Dyfrig's News

Newsletter items – please email kate.duffin123@gmail.com, (please note the change of email address), no later than 11 am on Wednesdays. **Mass Bookings between 11 am and 1pm on Wednesdays** 07709618735 by text or phone call, if busy please leave a voice message. As more parishioners are feeling confident to attend Mass, can we please ask everyone to be generous of spirit in accepting that you may not be able to have a place at Mass every week. Thank you to all those parishioners who were not able to book for this Sunday, you were ever so gracious.

VIRTUAL TEA & COFFEE – VIRTUAL TEA & COFFEE - Our Sunday tea and coffee still carries on after every Sunday Mass. If you want to join us, simply pop the kettle on and click the teacup on the front-page of our website. Everyone is welcome and we look forward to catching up with you over a nice steaming cuppa! **Please note the new joining ID and Passcode.** (If you need them: Meeting ID: 810 9907 3706 Passcode: 676978)

Collections

March 7/3/21
Gift Aid £595
GA Heating £10
Loose £158

March 21/3/21
Gift Aid £235
GA Heating £45
Loose £219.74

Friends of St. Dyfrig's

March

1st Mrs P Wakely (134) £50; 2nd Eugene McKenna (92) £20; 3rd Bryn Hughes (27), Alison Parker (7) Theresa Meek (124) £10.

Gift Aid Declarations: In order to ensure we have up to date records, if your circumstances have changed or you have moved since completing your original declaration, please contact the Parish Office treforest@rcadc.org for a new form. If you have not previously donated by Gift Aid and are a UK tax payer, you may wish to consider doing so, as the Parish can reclaim 25p from HMRC of every £1 donated, at no cost to the donor. Many Thanks.

SVP Support Lines - St. Dyfrig's SVP - 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.

Angela Hunter:	01443 207935
Allan Cleary:	01443 400605
Ann Cleary:	01443 400605
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Cath Carroll:	01443 207576: 07482 406215
Lesley Hughes:	01443 205077: 07799 613527
Mary Richards:	07855 241289
Richard Boyle:	01443 400189
Sandra Phillips:	01443 203207

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>

Gift Aid envelopes for 2021.22 will be available in the narthex from this Sunday. Please collect yours or contact the Parish Office to arrange collection.

ST. DYFRIG'S PRAYER WALL

Prayer for Our Community:

Loving God, you fill all things with a fullness and hope that we can never comprehend. Thank you for leading us into a time where more of reality is being unveiled for us all to see. We pray that you will take away our natural temptation for cynicism, denial, fear and despair. Help us have the courage to awaken to greater truth, greater humility, and greater care for one another. May we place our hope in what matters and what lasts, trusting in your eternal presence and love. Listen to our hearts' longings for the healing of our suffering world. Please add your own intentions knowing, good God, you are hearing us better than we are speaking, we offer these prayers in all the holy names of God. Amen. (Fr Richard Rohr)

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	
Mrs Wilks	Wendy Collier
Brenda Smith	Joan Quinn
Agnes Hughes	Chris Da Silva Rosa
Peggy Kawulok	Poppy & Kelly Morris
Brin Davidge	Elizabeth Terry
Verna Caines	Ken Biddiscombe
Pete Leueis	Pat Davies
William, John (Jackie) Picton	
Elizabeth Holland	Lauren Gibson
June Thomas	Celia Thomas
Pat Holmes	Chris Shearan
Ruth Pinder	Anne Atkins
Marion Toms	Liz Coakley
Joe Howlin	Cathy Spencer
Anne Bliszko	
Those suffering from Covid	

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

	Time & Place	Service & Intention
Saturday 24 th April	St. Dyfrig's 10 am	Live stream Mass - Mrs Edwards RIP (Shaun Edwards' mother)
Sunday 25 th April Fourth Sunday of Easter Good Shepherd Sunday	All Hallows 9.15 am St Dyfrig's 11 a.m.	Mass with a Congregation – Special Intention (Caitlin) Mass Live Streamed and with a Congregation - For the People of the Parish
Monday 26 th April	St Dyfrig's 10 a.m.	Live stream Mass – Giovanna Cavalli
Tuesday 27 th April	St. Dyfrig's 10 a.m.	Live stream Mass – Marjorie Mortley (96th Birthday)
Wednesday 28 th April St. Peter Chanel, Priest and Martyr	St Dyfrig's 10 a.m.	Live stream Mass - Roger Morrish (RIP)
Thursday 29 th April St. Catherine of Siena Virgin and Doctor of the Church	St Dyfrig's 10 a.m.	Live stream Mass - Terry O'Conner (Get Well)
Friday 30 th April St. Pius V Pope	St Dyfrig's 10 a.m.	Live stream Mass - Liz Coakley (SVP)
Saturday 1 st May St. Joseph the Worker	St. Dyfrig's 10 am	Live stream Mass - Special Intention (LDH)
Sunday 2 nd May Fifth Sunday of Easter	All Hallows 9.15 am St Dyfrig's 11 a.m.	Mass with a Congregation – For the People of the Parish Mass Live Streamed and with a Congregation - Joan Rubina Morgan (RIP)

All Hallows Roman Catholic Church

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St Dyfrig's Roman Catholic Church

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