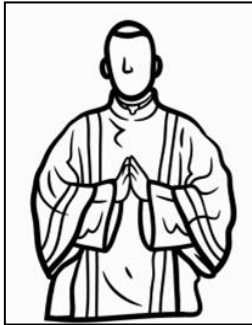




Catholic Churches serving southern RCT  
Parishes of the Archdiocese of Cardiff  
Registered Charity No. 1177272

To Contact Pastor Gareth,  
Email: [gareth.leyshon@rcadc.org](mailto:gareth.leyshon@rcadc.org)  
Call: 01443 402439



Pastor Gareth writes: **ONE WORLD. ONE MISSION.**

This weekend we mark *World Mission Sunday*, the one Sunday in the year when we remember that the Church has the mission of preaching the Gospel through the whole world. Donations are collected at these worldwide Masses and they go, in their entirety, to support churches, hospitals, schools and vocations in countries where the Church is new, young or poor. We also offer our prayers, joining with missionaries everywhere in communion and compassion to support them in spreading the Good News. By giving a donation we respond to Christ's call to feed the hungry and clothe the naked.

(How is this different from supporting CAFOD? The work of Cafod provides aid for people in great need without being delivered in a religious context. But the World Mission Fund supports Catholic agencies doing both spiritual and practical activities to help people.) Our donations help build the Church, support vocations, and enable missionaries to carry out their mission in often dangerous and remote places.

The charity *Missio* is responsible for coordinating World Mission Sunday and provides new, young or poor dioceses with the essential support they need on their journey to becoming self-sufficient. We work through local bishops, churches and missionary congregations to ensure that resources are distributed equitably and justly – on the basis of need. The money goes directly from England and Wales to the bishops in the mission territories – local Church directly helping local Church!

Watch a short film which demonstrates the importance of World Mission Sunday at [tinyurl.com/WMS23film](http://tinyurl.com/WMS23film) - please do share it with friends who are also passionate about their faith! Learn more at: [missio.org.uk/wms](http://missio.org.uk/wms)

## Upcoming events:

Discovering Christ - Session 5	Cwm Farm Shop, Treorchy All Hallows' Hall Pick & Shovel, Treforest	Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup> October 12.30 pm Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup> October 12.30 pm Thursday 26 <sup>th</sup> October 6.30 pm
Nearly New Ladies Fashion Sale	St Dyfrig's Hall	Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> , Saturday 28 <sup>th</sup> October 10am – 5pm
Real Hallowe'en	St Dyfrig's Hall	Tuesday 31 <sup>st</sup> October at 6pm
Memorial Mass	S.S. Gabriel and Raphael	Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup> November at 10:45am
Eucharistic Adoration	All Hallows	Saturday 4 <sup>th</sup> November 10:30 am – 12 noon
Autumn/Christmas craft fayre	All Hallows' Hall	Saturday 4 <sup>th</sup> November, 12noon – 4pm
Young Disciples first meeting	St Mary Magdalene Hall	Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> November at 7pm – 9pm
Memorial Mass	St Dyfrig's Church	Friday 10 <sup>th</sup> November at 6:30pm
Memorial Mass	All Hallows' Church	Saturday 11 <sup>th</sup> November at 3:00pm
Weekend Club	All Hallows' Hall	Saturday 11 <sup>th</sup> /Sunday 12 <sup>th</sup> November am
Memorial Mass	St Mary Magdalene Church	Saturday 18 <sup>th</sup> November at 11:00am

For more information on any of these events, please contact [treforest@rcadc.org](mailto:treforest@rcadc.org)

## 29<sup>th</sup> Sunday, Year A

Entrance Antiphon: *To you I call; for you will surely heed me, O God; turn your ear to me, hear my words.  
Guard me as the apple of your eye, in the shadow of your wings protect me.*

Psalm response: *Give the Lord glory and power.*

Gospel Acclamation:

*Alleluia, Alleluia!*

*Your word is truth, O Lord, consecrate us in the truth.*

*Alleluia!*

Communion Antiphon: *The Son of Man has come to give his life as a ransom for many.*

1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Isaiah 45: 1, 4-6

2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: 1 Thessalonians 1: 4-5

Gospel: Matthew 22: 15-21

**Please pray for the recently deceased in our churches:**

Fred McNamara

Anne Parker

Sheila Barnes

**Please also remember in prayer all our sick and housebound.**

**Our Churches:**

**St Dyfrig's, Treforest**

Email: treforest@rcadc.org

Call: 01443 402 439

**Address:**

St Dyfrig's Catholic Church,  
Treforest,  
Pontypridd  
CF37 1DB

**St Mary Magdalene, Ynyshir**

Email: rhondda@rcadc.org

Call: 01443 421 929

**Address:**

St Mary Magdalene  
4 Gynor Ave,  
Porth  
CF39 0NH

**Ss Gabriel and Raphael, Tonypany**

Email: rhondda@rcadc.org

Call: 01443 421 929

**Address:**

S.S. Gabriel and Raphael  
13 Trinity Road,  
Tonypany  
CF40 1DQ

**All Hallows, Miskin**

Email: llantrisant@rcadc.org

Call: 01443 228 866

**Address:**

All Hallows' Catholic Church  
School Rd, Miskin,  
Pontyclun  
CF72 8P

**The Pope's Prayer intentions:**

*During October, Pope Francis is dedicating his prayer for the Synod. Let us pray for the church, that she may adopt listening and dialogue as a lifestyle at every level, and allow herself to be guided by the Holy Spirit towards the peripheries of the world.*

**Parish Directory**

Baptism	Wendy Marsh
Becoming Catholic	
Confirmation	Lizzy de-Ste-Croix
First Communion (St Dyfrig's)	Teresa & Alan de-Ste-Croix
First Communion (All Hallows)	Sarah Horton
First Communion (Rhondda churches)	Through St Gabriel and Raphael School
Weekend Club	Marita Fernandez
Hall Hire (St Dyfrig's)	Treforest Office (or Sue Cleary)
Hall Hire (All Hallows')	Pamela Harding
Maintenance (All Hallows')	Shamus Harding
Marriage	Pr Gareth
Mass Intentions	Individual Parish Administrator
Music Ministry (All Hallows')	Teresa Bressington; Anne Thomas (Organist)
Music Ministry (SS Gabriel and Raphael)	Bridget Green (organist) David Hoban (folk group)
Music Ministry (St Mary Magdalene)	Joachim Biddulph
Music Ministry (St Dyfrig's)	Chidie Ejiogu
Newsletter	Parish Offices
Safeguarding (St Dyfrig's)	Maggie White (01443 410593) or Roy Mayo (01443 209850)
Safeguarding (All Hallows')	Suzy Stacey (07359 463013) or Diane Franks-Herbet
Safeguarding (Rhondda churches)	Maria Hughes (07811011674)
UCM – Union of Catholic Mothers	Suzy Stacey

**HOSPITAL CARE**

To arrange communion for someone in hospital, contact:

**Royal Glamorgan (RGH)**

Marita Fernandez,  
[kochuma@hotmail.com](mailto:kochuma@hotmail.com)  
07960 206916

**Llwynypia Hospital**

Sr Berenice (Parish Sister for the Rhondda Parishes)  
**Via Tonypany Parish**

**Cardiff Hospitals (UHW)**

Call 02920 747 747 and ask for the on-call Catholic Chaplain

**Collection figures (8<sup>th</sup> October):**

**St Dyfrig's**

Gift Aid: £161.25  
Loose Plate: £225.38

**All Hallows'**

Gift Aid: £498.00  
Loose Plate: £184.64  
Non Gift Aid: £30.00

**Collection figures (15<sup>th</sup> October):**

**St Dyfrig's**

Gift Aid: £115.00  
Loose Plate: £324.53

**All Hallows'**

Gift Aid: £449.00  
Loose Plate: £126.45  
Non Gift Aid: £20.02

Here are the latest articles on our parish blog: [amdg.page](#)

- ❖ [Following God's will](#), an online retreat.
- ❖ Where is your parish going? Invite to the [Catholic Parish Summit](#).
- ❖ All are welcome to the [Good Counsel Ball](#)
- ❖ Information on a [Catholic Youth Ministry Internship](#)
- ❖ Invitation to Llandaf Cathedral's [Saying Goodbye Service](#)
- ❖ Time for an [SVP retreat for young people](#), limited spaces

**Our local Catholic Schools:**

**Cardinal Newman RC Secondary, Rhydfelin** 01443 494110

Email: [headteacher@cardinalnewman.co.uk](mailto:headteacher@cardinalnewman.co.uk)

**S.S. Gabriel and Raphael RC Primary, Tonypany** 01443 433094

Email: [admin@ssgabrielraphaelrcprimary.rctcbc.cymru](mailto:admin@ssgabrielraphaelrcprimary.rctcbc.cymru)

**St Michael's RC Primary, Treforest** 01443 570090

Email: [admin@stmichaelsrcprimary.rctcbc.cymru](mailto:admin@stmichaelsrcprimary.rctcbc.cymru)

**Collection figures (Both):**

**St Mary Magdalene**

Loose Plate: £89.20

**Ss Gabriel and Raphael**

Gift Aid: £342.00  
Loose Plate: 193.81

## The Latest News

### A Weekend club project – All Hallows Community Garden

We are planning to start our raised bed for the All Hallows Community Garden, on the morning of Saturday 11th November and Sunday 12th November.

We are looking for volunteers to help with this project. If you can help please come along, bring tools if you have some.

We look forward to your ideas and interest, it is a project meant for all ages and abilities.

For further information contact Marita Fernandez or Diane Franks-Herbert

### Autumn and Christmas Craft and Vintage Fayre

Come along to All Hallows' church hall for the Autumn & Christmas craft and Vintage Fayre on Saturday 4 November from 12.00 - 4.00 pm. Maybe you'll have the chance to find a Christmas bargain or gift for the upcoming season. We'd love to see you all there.

### Young Disciples

*Lizzy de-Ste-Croix writes:* We are excited to announce that we will be introducing a youth group into our pastorate. **Young Disciples** is a weekly group that is aimed for those in secondary school (ages 11 to 16) where they can meet with like-minded young people who want to grow deeper in their faith. Each week, we'll meet for some light food, games and fellowship with the aim to grow into a community dedicated to growing with Christ. **This first meeting will be on 6<sup>th</sup> November.**

**Foodbank** – Nile Street [Pontypridd](#) 01443 404 692 and [Taff Ely](#) Foodbank 01443 520 730

**All Hallows Church:** Please check Taff Ely Foodbank Facebook page for urgently needed items or see the list in the church foyer. Please gift aid your monetary donations. Forms are available in the foyer. The donation box at All Hallows is emptied every Wednesday.

**St Dyfrig's:** Thank you for your continued support as the need for the foodbank is greater than ever. If you can manage to make a donation, we are desperate for all toiletries (men's and women's) UHT fruit juice, bags of rice and tins of rice pudding. But whatever you can donate would be most welcome.

### Macmillan Coffee Morning

Thank you to everyone who made, bought, donated or supported the coffee morning. A total of £166.50 was raised at St Dyfrig's and a further £205.00 at All Hallows for the Macmillan cancer charity – well done everyone!

### The All Hallows Tea Dancers

A total of £264.00 was raised by last Sunday's tea dance. UCM will allocate this to a charity we support with our grateful thanks to Kathy and Tony Jacobs, who organise the event and the UCM ladies who make the teas and coffees.

### REAL HALLOWE'EN – MORE THAN TRICK OR TREAT?

Tuesday 31st October is the eve of All Saints Day, aka All Hallows and from there we get the name All Hallows' Eve - Hallowe'en. And as Catholics we believe there is far more to this day than just tricks or treats!

The Seekers & Young Disciples Teams are coming together to host a one off special event -a REAL HALLOWE'EN evening! It is for any young people in Key Stage 2 and above, and their parents. (Ages 7 and up).

There will be food, games, music, a story or two - a fun evening for you all. We are offering prizes for anyone who comes in a saint costume and there will be a treat bag for everyone to take home. After, we will be helping with Mass.

We start in St Dyfrig's Parish Hall at 6pm, with Mass in St Dyfrig's Church at 8pm (this fulfils your Sunday obligation). Come and join the fun!

### A note from the Parker family

Our mother, Anne Parker, was the only person we knew who would say grace before meals at McDonald's, prayer was that important to her. Thanks for all your prayers, Masses, thoughts and support given over the last year and in helping to give Mam the best send. We're very grateful. We'd love to read your memories of Mam. Please write in her book which is on the table as you come into St Dyfrig's. Thank you. - The Parker family.

### Friends of St Dyfrig's September winners

Congratulations to all the winners of last month's draw, you can collect your prizes from the St Dyfrig's Sacristy.

1 – Maureen Carter (154) (£50);

2 – Pauline Hankins (104) (£20);

3 – E. Mayo (99) (£10);

4 – Alan de-Ste-Croix (107) (£10);

5 – Anita Egan (202) (£10).

**Mass and Service times for this week**

	<i>Place</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Service with intentions</i>
Saturday 21 <sup>st</sup> October	All Hallows, Miskin	10am	Mass - Tom Phillips <i>RIP</i>
	Ss Gabriel & Raphael, Tonypany	10:30am 5pm 5:30pm	Adoration Confession Mass – for Orphaned Souls
Sunday 22 <sup>nd</sup> October <b>29<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time, Year A</b>	All Hallows, Miskin	8:45am 9:15am	Confession Mass –
	St Dyfrig's, Treforest	11:15am	Mass – Mrs Angela Jones & family
	Penrhys Shrine	2:45pm	Rosary
	St Mary Magdalene, Ynyshir	3:30pm 4pm	Confession Mass – Marian & Terry Quinn
	St Dyfrig's, Treforest	7pm	NO Confession – see note below
Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup> October	Ss Gabriel & Raphael, Tonypany	9:15am	NO Morning prayer or Service today
	St Dyfrig's, Treforest	11am	Mass – Naomi Savarimutu <i>Followed by adoration until 12 noon .</i>
Tuesday 24 <sup>th</sup> October	St Mary Magdalene, Ynyshir	9:00am	NO MORNING SERVICE TODAY
	All Hallows, Miskin	10 am	Service of the Word with Holy Communion
	From home	9pm	Rosary for the sick members of our parish
Wednesday 25 <sup>th</sup> October <i>Six Welsh Martyrs and their companions</i>	Ss Gabriel & Raphael, Tonypany	9:15am	NO Morning prayer or Service today
	All Hallows, Miskin	10am	Mass – Seraphine Pereira <i>RIP 2<sup>nd</sup> anniversary</i>
	St Dyfrig's, Treforest	10am	Service of the word with Holy Communion <i>Church open for prayer until 2 pm</i>
Thursday 26 <sup>th</sup> October	St Dyfrig's, Treforest	10 am	<i>Church open for prayer until 2 pm</i>
	All Hallows, Miskin	10am	Mass – Charles Tovey
Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> October	Ss Gabriel & Raphael, Tonypany	9:15am 10am	Morning Prayer and Adoration Mass –
	St Dyfrig's, Treforest	6pm	Adoration with praise music
Saturday 28 <sup>th</sup> October <i>Sts Simon and Jude</i>	All Hallows, Miskin	10am	Mass -
		10:30am	Adoration
	Ss Gabriel & Raphael, Tonypany	5pm 5:30pm	Confession Mass –
Sunday 29 <sup>th</sup> October <b>30<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time, Year A</b>	All Hallows, Miskin	8:45am 9:15am	Confession Mass – Suzy Stacey in Thanksgiving
	St Dyfrig's, Treforest	11:15am	Mass – Anne Parker <i>RIP</i>
	Penrhys Shrine	2:45pm	Rosary
	St Mary Magdalene, Ynyshir	3:30pm 4pm	Confession Mass –
	St Dyfrig's, Treforest	7pm	NO Confession – see note below

**Please note that Mass on a Thursday, during Pastor Gareth's absence, will take place at 10am.**

**The World Mission Sunday fund collection will take place on 21/22 October.**

**While Pastor Gareth is away, there will be no 7 pm Confessions in St Dyfrig's – if you wish to go to confession in St Dyfrig's please approach the priest celebrating Mass on Sunday or Monday at the end of Mass.**