



**PARISH OF OUR LADY AND ST DAVID
CWMBRAN
(Registered Charity No. 242380)**

*Tea, coffee
and a chat in St
Anne's Room
after Mass every
Sunday*

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*26th August 2018 21st SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR B Psalter Week 1
PARISH LITURGY AND DEVOTIONS FOR THIS WEEK*

Morning Prayers: Tues, Thurs & Fri at 9.10am, Mon & Sat 9.40am Evening Prayer: Fri 4.40pm.
Divine Mercy Devotions: Fri 3pm (OLA)

Saturday	5.00pm	St David's	Alyson Clare (KC)	<u>21st Sunday of Ordinary Time Year B</u>
Sunday	9.30am	Our Lady's	Ints of Kath & Derek Ford : Lucia Basini Gazzi : Elsie & William Desmond	
	11.15am	St David's	Mel Pearce (J&CP): Mary, Brid & Fred Strutt (MO'D)	
Monday	10.00am	Our Lady's	Angela Hanlon (CM)	St Monica
Tuesday	9.30am	St David's	Valerie Daly & Patricia Glazier (DD)	St Augustine, Bishop
Wednesday	11.00am	Our Lady's	Mel Pearce (UCM): Sr Mary Teresa (Srs) The Passion Of St John the Baptist	
Thursday	9.30am	St David's	Felicity Penelope (J&D)	Blessed Richard Lloyd, Martyr
Friday	9.30am	Our Lady's	Anthony David Osbourne (VB)	
Saturday	10.00am	Our Lady's	The People of the Parish	
Saturday	5.00pm	St David's	Charles Cadogan (TH)	<u>22nd Sunday of Ordinary Time Year B</u>
Sunday	9.30am	Our Lady's	Angela Hanlon (J&RP)	
	11.15am	St David's	Denis Francis Brennan (F)	

<u>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</u>	<u>Sacrament of Reconciliation</u>
St David's: Tuesday - 10am-11.30am	Our Lady's: Saturday 11.00am – 11.30am
Our Lady's: Friday - 8am -9am: 10am-5pm	St David's: Saturday 4.15-4.45pm

The Parish Mission Prayer

We pray for our parish mission that we continue to build a parish community in which we recognise, Christ with us, before us and behind us. Christ in every word that we speak and in everyone that we meet. May the love of God be among us, the life of Jesus guide us and the power of the Spirit flow through us. Amen

Parish Mission 15th-21st September 2018
Please invite your family and friends to come along with you.

Welcome to Fr Nick Williams

We extend a warm welcome to recently ordained Fr Nick Williams who will celebrate the 9.30am Mass with us. If you would like a First Blessing from Fr Nick please remain in church after Mass and join us for light refreshments in St Anne's room afterwards.

Baptism 11.15am Mass

We welcome into our parish family Lowri Marina Simmonds and congratulate her parents as she begins her Faith journey

Parish Council Meeting

The next Parish Council meeting will be held on 30th August 2018 at 7pm at Our Lady of the Angels Church.

Eastern Valley Foodbank Collection
Next weekend 1st/2nd September

Your giving to your Parish:
many thanks

Gift Aid: £317.00
Non Gift Aid: £723.93
Gift Aid Standing Order: £210.23
Total giving this week : £1251.16
Mass Count:

Parish Sick List

Please pray for the sick and housebound especially Mostyn Crowley, Joyce Thomas, Hazel McCarthy, John Kane, Mary Lee, Jean Olearczyk, Goff & Rose James, Barbara Berger, Trevor Jenkins, Joan Lawrence, Ian Werrett, Pat Mulligan, Violet Thomas, Frances Brown, Fr Michael Cronin, Derek Miller, Sean Gilgunn, Anne Savoury, Pat Parfitt, Sr Celsus, Carolyn Gallagher, Christopher Mulcahy, Sr Mary James, Gerry Scully, Robert Davies, Nora MacDonnell, Ann Pitchforth, Phyllis Whatley, Phoebe Dunn, Sabina Fisher, John & Beryl James, Luke Smith, Becky James, Kay Donavon, Joan Sweeney, Joyce & Jim Sheehy, Sam Spokes, John Adams, Brian Gingell, Stella Bradley, Meryl Davies, Keith Shepherd, Ivorna Ward, Fr Kevin Paine, Michael Egan, Lisa Melody, Philomena McCafferty, Bryn Jones, Tina Cordani, Cath Gormley, Robert Hayton, Jimmy Szymanski, Margaret Wells and all who care for them.

Interested in Becoming a Catholic?

RCIA Course

The RCIA course will commence in the Autumn. Please pick up an enrolment form from the church porches and return to Canon John when completed

Pilgrimage to Poland

The outstanding balances have to be paid to Pilgrimage Options by 15th September so I suggest we meet on **Monday 10th September at 7pm** in St Anne's room at **Our Lady of the Angels Church**, to make our final payments. If paying by cheque please make it payable to Pilgrimage Options Ltd. If paying by cash I will send a parish cheque for all cash payments I receive. If you are unable to come please either send a cheque to me at the parish office or direct to Pilgrimage Options. The coach fare is £18 per person, this can be paid in cash or by cheque made payable to Our Lady and St David's Parish. **Carole**



Parish Mission 15th-21st September 2018

Please say the Mission Prayer with your family at home. Please make a note of the date in your diaries. Please ask yourself, how can I be involved to make Christ the Centre of my life and don't be afraid to take part in this Graceful moment in the history of this parish.

Among all the things that Pope Francis says, what are those that most characterize his action, according to you? I have no doubt that it is his continual reaffirmation of Jesus' name. This is the epicentre that he continually returns to. More than the name of *Christ*, which is a title, he talks about *Jesus*, which is the name that indicates the concrete person of the God-man. It is revealing that the pope asked the faithful who were gathered in St Peter's Square not to cry out, "Francis, Francis!" but to cry out, "Jesus, Jesus!" This is what every Christian should do. This pope has a personal relationship with Jesus, a fruit of the Spirit, and it shows. Everyone can perceive it. It is most certainly the fruit of a long labour, as we can see then Francis makes reference to his own conversion in the course of his life. It is a road with some aspects that make me think of the road Monsignor Oscar Arnulfo Romero, a man and a pastor who learned and embraced a certain style of Gospel radicalness because of the circumstances he was living in.

Raniero Cantalamessa

Can you help?

Volunteers are needed to make and serve tea/coffee and clear up after the morning and evening sessions. To prepare the hall on Friday morning for the evening social and clear up after the social. If you can help in any way please contact Carole Morgan in the parish office 01633 482346 or email cwmbbranadmin@virginmedia.com

Parish Mission - Social Evening

You are very welcome to the social evening on Friday 21st at 7pm in Our Lady's Parish Hall. Buffet, Tea & Coffee will be provided. **Feel free to bring your own drinks and glasses but we ask that you please take your bottles with you when you leave.** Please return your invitations by **Sunday 8th September**, there are baskets in the porches for acceptance cards.

Pilgrimage to the Shrine of Our Lady of Walsingham

Monday 15th October to Thursday 18th October. Booking forms available at the back of the church.