



**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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*30<sup>th</sup> September 2018                      26<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY YEAR B                      Psalter Week 2*

***PARISH LITURGY AND DEVOTIONS FOR THIS WEEK***

Morning Prayers: Mon, Tues, & Fri at 9.10am, Thurs & Sat 9.40am                      Evening Prayer: Fri 4.40pm.

Divine Mercy Devotions: Fri 3pm (OLA)

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| Saturday  | 5.00pm         | St David's | Mel Pearce (M&PL): Canon T O'Leary (MPK)                                  |
| Sunday    | 9.30am         | Our Lady's | Nicholas Sueref (PJ) : Deceased Sheehy Family (PP)                        |
|           | 11.15am        | St David's | Mel Pearce (MP) <b>26<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Year B</b>                   |
| Monday    | 9.30am         | Our Lady's | Eucharistic Service <i>St Therese of the Child Jesus</i>                  |
| Tuesday   | 9.30am         | St David's | Eucharistic Service <i>The Holy Guardian Angels</i>                       |
| Wednesday | 11.00am        | Our Lady's | Eucharistic Service   |
| Thursday  | <b>10.00am</b> | St David's | Eucharistic Service <i>St Francis of Assisi</i>                           |
| Friday    | 9.30am         | Our Lady's | Eucharistic Service   |
| Saturday  | 10.00am        | Our Lady's | Eucharistic Service   |
| Saturday  | 5.00pm         | St David's | Patricia and Kenneth Harnett (LA) <b>27<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Year B</b> |
| Sunday    | 9.30am         | Our Lady's | Ints Des & Debbie Robertson : Paul Roberts (UR)                           |
|           | 11.15am        | St David's | Larry and Myra Delaney(VJ)  |

***Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament***                      ***Sacrament of Reconciliation***  
St David's: Tuesday - No Adoration                      There are no confessions in either church on  
Our Lady's: Friday - 8am -9am: 10am-5pm                      **Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> October 2018**

***Annual Mission Appeal Collection***  
***29-30<sup>th</sup> September 2018***  
***The Spiritans(Holy Ghost Fathers)***  
Our mission is the evangelisation of the "poor" (Lk 4:18). Therefore we, Spiritans, go especially:  
**to peoples, groups and individuals who have not yet heard the message of the Gospel or who have scarcely heard it.**  
**to those whose needs are the greatest, and to the oppressed.**  
**We willingly accept tasks for which the Church has difficulty in finding workers.**  
The Spiritan option for the poor involves a solidarity which brings us to share in the world of the marginalized. "When we opt for the poor, we opt not for poverty as such, but for people who are unjustly poor." Our Spiritan Rule of Life (14) asks of us to make ourselves "the advocates, the supporters and defenders of the weak and the little ones against all who oppress them."

***Second collection this weekend is for the Annual Mission Appeal.***  
We extend a warm welcome to Fr Jude Kurumeh who will be making an appeal on behalf of The Spiritans (Holy Ghost Fathers) this weekend and he will be supplying for Canon John who is in Lourdes as chaplain to the Hosanna House Group

***Rosary***  
During the month of October we will recite the Rosary **after** morning Mass or Eucharistic Services on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday and **before** Mass or Eucharistic Services on Wednesdays

***Eastern Valley Food Bank***  
Collection next weekend 6<sup>th</sup>& 7<sup>th</sup> October 2018

***Your giving to your Parish:***  
***many thanks***

Gift Aid: £405.00  
Non Gift Aid: £598.81  
Gift Aid Standing Order: £207.71  
Total giving this week : £1211.52  
Mass Count: 366

***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, 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, Iverna Ward, Fr Kevin Paine, Michael Egan, Lisa Melody, Philomena McCafferty, Bryn Jones, Tina Cordani, Cath Gormley, Robert Hayton, Jimmy Szymanski, Margaret Wells, Norma Martin Jean and Lawrence Crowley, Jo & Rees Parlow, Clare Williams and all who care for them.

***The Annual Mass***

The Annual Mass for School and College staff is on **Monday, 8<sup>th</sup> October** at 7pm in St Joseph's High School in Newport.

***MARRIAGE CARE***  
"Do you have relationship problems? If so, Marriage Care have a team of voluntary counsellors trained to help you. We are a nationwide group with over 65 years of experience.  
Don't struggle alone.... make an appointment for help on [0800 389 3801](http://0800.389.3801) [www.marriagecare.org.uk](http://www.marriagecare.org.uk)"

***70 years of the National Health Service***

A Deanery Mass is to be held in All Saints Church, Ebbw Vale on Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> October 2018 at 7pm to celebrate the 70<sup>th</sup> birthday of the NHS. Main celebrant Archbishop George Stack.  
Aneurin Bevan, who as Minister of Health was responsible for establishing the National Health Service, was born in Tredegar and served as an MP for Ebbw Vale for 31 years.  
If you are interested in going please sign the list at the back of the church and a coach can be arranged.  
**If you sign the list you are expected to pay the fare if you don't turn up.**

***What's on this week***  
***Interested in Becoming a Catholic?***  
***RCIA Course***  
Thinking of becoming a Catholic or getting a deeper understanding of our faith? Join us **every Monday evening from 24<sup>th</sup> September in St Anne's room from 7.00pm to 8.30pm** to discover what being a disciple of Jesus means.

***Divine Mercy Prayer Group***  
The prayer group meet on **Tuesday mornings** after Mass in St David's.

***Union of Catholic Mothers***  
The UCM meet on **Wednesdays** after Mass

***Baptism Course***  
The final session of the baptism course will be held in St Anne's room, Our Lady's on **Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> October at 6pm**

***Prayer Group***  
You are invited to St Anne's room on **Wednesday evenings at 7.30pm** for the weekly prayer meeting. Please bring a bible.

***Second World Day of the Poor,***  
Pope Francis' *Message* for the **Second World Day of the Poor**, which will be celebrated on the 33<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time, 18 November 2018  
The Second World Day of the Poor, instituted by Pope Francis at the end of the Jubilee of Mercy on the 33<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time, will be on 18 November this year. The World Day is one of the ongoing fruits of the Jubilee Year of Mercy and is a call to the Christian community to listen to those who live on the margins of society.  
<http://press.vatican.va/content/salastampa/en/bollettino/pubblico/2018/06/14/180614d.html>

***Church Cleaners***  
We have only a few volunteers who clean our churches and they are in desperate need of help. Can you spare an hour or so to assist them, if so please come contact Pauline Morris or Veronica Williams in Our Lady's and Jean Cadogan if you can help in St David's.

***SVP***  
Th next meeting of the SVP will take place on **Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> October at 6pm** in St Non's room, St David's Church

***Prayer to my Guardian Angel***  
**O angel of God, my guardian dear  
To whom God's love commits me here.  
Ever this day/night be at my side  
To light, to guard, to rule and guide. Amen**