



**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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24<sup>th</sup> March 2019      3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Lent Year C      Psalter Week 3

**PARISH LITURGY AND DEVOTIONS FOR THIS WEEK**

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

<b>Saturday</b>	<b>5.00pm</b>	<b>St David's</b>	<b>3rd Sunday of Lent Year C</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>9.30am</b> <b>11.15am</b>	<b>Our Lady's</b> <b>St David's</b>	<b>Thanksgiving for Recovery of Lisa (MO'B) : Veronica &amp; Malcolm Southwood (LR) Trevor Prosser (AO'D) Jean Price (DP)</b>
Monday	9.30am	Our Lady's	The People of the Parish <i>Annunciation of the Lord</i>
Tuesday	9.30am	St David's	Arturo Sterini (PR)
Wednesday	11.00am	Our Lady's	Mary Brennan (B fam): David Bown (TH)
Thursday	9.30am	St David's	Special Intention (Sr S)
Friday	9.30am	Our Lady's	John Kane (SVP)
Saturday	10.00am	Our Lady's	The People of the Parish
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>5.00pm</b>	<b>St David's</b>	<b>4th Sunday of Lent Year C</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>9.30am</b> <b>11.15am</b>	<b>Our Lady's</b> <b>St David's</b>	<b>Fred &amp; Violet Faulkner (PT): Mr &amp; Mrs Tracey (MJ) Kath Crowley (PL) Mary Brennan (B fam)</b>

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**  
St David's: Tuesday 10am-11.30am  
Our Lady's: Friday 8am -9am: 10am-5pm

**Sacrament of Reconciliation**  
Our Lady's: Saturday 11am -11.30am  
St David's : Saturday 4.15-4.45pm

**Stations of the Cross**  
Our Lady's: Wednesdays at **10.15am (Before Mass)**  
St David's: Thursdays after Mass

**RETIRING COLLECTION NEXT WEEK**  
**CAFOD Cyclone Idai Emergency Appeal**

**Cycle of Prayers for the Parishes of the Archdiocese**  
Prayer Intentions for 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Lent:  
**Cardiff Deanery**  
Parish: St Joseph, Penarth, and St Mary, Dinas Powys.  
Parish: Clergy: Rev Canon Joseph Boardman, VG. Rev Deacon Elfed Jones.  
Please pray also for the Schools and hospitals in the parish

**The National Pilgrim Statue of Our Lady of Fatima**  
The Statue with relics of the visionaries will visit the parish of All Saints, Newport on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> May this year! See notice boards for details of the Visitation to Newport parish and Belmont Abbey

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

Gift Aid: £299.00  
Non Gift Aid & S.O.: £628.85  
Gift Aid Standing Order £253.98  
Total giving this week : £1181.83  
Mass Count : 362  
CAFOD Family Fast Day £1113.88

**Parish Sick List**

Please pray for the sick and housebound especially Mostyn Crowley, Joyce Thomas, Hazel McCarthy, Mary Lee, Jean Olearczyk, Goff & Rose James, Barbara Berger, Trevor Jenkins, Joan Lawrence, Ian Werrett, Violet Thomas, Frances Brown, Derek Miller, Sean Gilgunn, Anne Savoury, 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, Brian Gingell, Stella Bradley, Meryl Davies, Keith Shepherd, Iverna Ward, Fr Kevin Paine, Michael Egan, Philomena McCafferty, Bryn Jones, Tina Cordani, Cath Gormley, Robert Hayton, Jimmy Szymanski, Margaret Wells, Norma Martin, Jean and Lawrence Crowley, John Smith, Jo & Rees Parlow, Clare Williams, Kathryn Slade, Margaret Lennon, Mary Healy, Pauline McGrath, Gwen Phillips, John Fitzgerald, Mary Peacock, Major Stuart Ashman, Sarah Hopkins, Pina Rabaiotti, Mario Basini Gazzi, Michael Padfield and all who care for them

**Catechises**

**Baptism Course**  
The baptism course continues on **Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> March** in St Anne's room at 6pm

**First Reconciliation Preparation**  
Preparation classes continue on **Monday 25<sup>th</sup> March 5pm** in the parish hall for OLA School Candidates and **Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> March at 5pm** in St Non's room, St David's Church for St David's School Candidates

**Confirmation**  
Confirmation preparation class continues on **Tuesday March 26<sup>th</sup> at 6pm** in St Anne's room in Our Lady's church. **The Mass of Enrolment will take place on Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> March at 9.30am in Our Lady's Church**

**RCIA Course**  
The Course continues on **Monday evenings** in St Anne's room from 7.00pm to 8.30pm

**The Salvation Army**

The Foodbank is in urgent need of some volunteers who are physically able to carry donated goods to the upstairs store at The Salvation Army. Please reply to Helena Simmonds 07399 336341

**What's on this week**

**Intentional Disciples (FID)**  
**Mondays in St Non's room at St David's at 2pm** on 25<sup>th</sup> March, 1<sup>st</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup> April  
**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 in St Anne's room.  
**Prayer Group**

The prayer group meet on **Wednesdays** in St Anne's room at 7pm. Please bring a bible  
**Intentional Disciples (FID)**  
**Thursdays in St Anne's room at Our Lady's at 7pm** on 28<sup>th</sup> March, 4<sup>th</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup> April

**Lent to Easter**

**Reconciliation Services - North Gwent Deanery**  
**Monday 1<sup>st</sup> April 7pm** at Our Lady and St Michael, Abergavenny  
**Monday 15<sup>th</sup> April at 7pm** in St David's, Cwmbran

**North Gwent Deanery Lenten Station Mass**

Archbishop George Stack will celebrate the Station Mass for our Deanery at St Alban's, Pontypool on **Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> April at 7pm**. Please make a note in your diaries. Coach to be arranged.

**CAFOD Cyclone Idai Emergency Appeal**

The scale of the crisis is such that the Disaster Emergency Committee, of which CAFOD is a member, has launched a full-scale humanitarian appeal. CAFOD's Director, Christine Allen, said "The more we see and hear of the destruction caused by Cyclone Idai, the more shocking is the devastating impact on the lives of children, women and men. Reports from the ground tell us of entire villages submerged and whole families missing. "But there are still lives to be saved and communities who need our help. We cannot waste any time reaching those in urgent need. "We've already seen how the Catholic community has responded, here in England and Wales and through our global church network. CAFOD has made an initial £100,000 pledge for Mozambique and £50,000 for Zimbabwe, but much more will be needed as the disaster unfolds. "This money will help families who have lost everything to survive the coming days. Knowing they are not alone will give them hope." We are so thankful for your support of our recent Family Fast Day, which we rely on for our planned projects over the next year around the world. We don't make this request lightly, but the situation is so urgent, we are asking, if possible, a second collection be taken to help us support these vulnerable families.

**Requiescant in Pace**

Of your charity please prayer for the repose of the souls of Michael Meaney, Pat Parfitt, Clara Bridgeman and Robert McConnell and we extend our sympathy to their family and friends