

## Stewardship & Formation

**Bereaved or lonely and in need of support?** If you are bereaved or lonely and would like company and a friendly chat, the Bereavement Support Group are here to help. Drop-in at St. Michael's Hall on Wednesdays 2:00pm-4:00pm or see contact details on the posters in our churches.

The next **Baptism course** is due to start in February. If you have a child under the age of 8, who you want to be Baptised, please complete and return the form 'Your Child and Baptism' to the parish office by **Monday 28<sup>th</sup> January**. Any received after this date will automatically go onto the next course, after Easter. Please **do not** return the form(s) electronically.

**Baptism Date Enquiries:** After Fr Robert's suggestion last week regarding knowledge of one's baptismal date, the office received many requests. If you would like to know the date of your baptism, please contact Fr Robert through the parish office. It would be helpful if you knew the year and church.

**Visiting the Sick of our Parish:** During the month of February the Priests will be visiting the housebound of the parish. It is an opportunity to experience the mercy of the Lord in the Sacrament of Reconciliation, and receive the Sacrament of the Sick. The Priests will endeavour to make contact beforehand. If you would like to receive a visit from the Priests, please contact the parish office.

**St. David Lewis Community Committee** - next meeting will be held on Thursday 31st January 2019 at 5.30pm in the St. David Lewis church Hall.

Due to distribution changes **Lunch Bags** for the homeless will be distributed on February 2<sup>nd</sup>/3<sup>rd</sup> for return on February 9<sup>th</sup>/10<sup>th</sup>. This is rather soon after the last effort but we are unlikely to be called upon again until May. Thank you for your continued support.

**St. Anne's Community Committee** are due to meet on Thursday February 7th in the sacristy at 6:15pm

St. Mary's S.V.P. meet on Monday 28<sup>th</sup> January at 10.30am.

## Prayer & Worship

**Divine Mercy Devotions in St. Mary's.** Come and pray a while with us every 2nd Saturday of the month between 3.00pm - 4.00pm. The next Divine Mercy Devotions on SATURDAY 9<sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY 3.00pm.

**Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes:** Mass for Feast with the anointing of the sick. Monday 11<sup>th</sup> February at St David Lewis, 2pm. Followed by tea and coffee. If you need transport to the church, please contact the office.

Offeren y Sul: **Mass will be celebrated in Welsh** on Sunday January 27th, 4.30pm at St Teilo's Church, Old Church Road, Whitchurch CF14 1AD. Croeso cynnes i bawb. (Welcome to all)

**Devotion to the Sacred Heart.** Many of us are familiar with the beautiful image of the Sacred Heart of Jesus. Our Blessed Lord points to his heart aflame with love for us and crowned with thorns exposed upon his chest. This is how He appeared to St. Margaret Mary in the seventeenth century asking for devotion

to his Sacred Heart in reparation for sins; for it is in his heart that he feels the pain of sins. He promises that those who consecrate themselves and make reparation to His Most Sacred Heart will receive an abundance of graces, peace, comfort and a secure refuge. All those who receive Holy Communion on the First Fridays in nine consecutive months will receive the grace of final perseverance. Our Lord's Divine Heart shall be their safe refuge in the last moments of life. Essentially the First Friday Devotion consists of:

- **Sacramental Confession** as a preparation for
- **Holy Communion** received on nine consecutive First Fridays
- Giving an **Hour of Prayer** in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament.

Beginning Friday 1st February on the first Friday of every Month. We will keep this wonderful devotion at St. Mary's beginning with Confession at 9:00am and followed by Holy Mass and Adoration with devotions to the Sacred Heart. You are all invited to come adore, worship and draw near to the wellspring of grace.

## Social & Fundraising

**St. Mary's 200 Club** 20.01.19. No. 101 A. Goff.

**Guild of St Stephen:** The assistance that our young (and not so young!!) people provide at the Altar is invaluable. Service at the Altar is a great privilege that assists us all in prayer. As a 'thank you', the pastoral team will be arranging a Fish n' Chip supper, more details to follow...

## Other News

**Lourdes Pilgrimage 2019.** A group of people from around All Saints make an annual pilgrimage to Lourdes and invite you to join their trip from the 6<sup>th</sup> – 11<sup>th</sup> September 2019. 5 nights – Full board -departing from Bristol with coach from Newport. Contact: Antonietta on 01633 508460 for further information.

**CATHOLIC DIRECTORY FOR WALES 2019** – This Annual Publication is available across all our churches priced £3.00. This invaluable guide provides parish & clergy information, Mass times, Catholic sodalities etc. covering all of Wales and Herefordshire. A useful guide and a further record for the archives of Catholic History in wales. Get your copy TODAY

## Love for Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament

O Saint John Bosco, you loved Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament and zealously promoted this devotion by encouraging participation in the Holy Eucharist, reception of Holy Communion and daily Visits. Pray for us that, inspired by your example, we may grow in this love, so that we may end our days strengthened and comforted by the Heavenly Food of the Most Holy Eucharist.

Through your intercession may God grant me the following grace... [pause]... so that together with others I may assist in bringing young people to the love of Christ in the Eucharist.

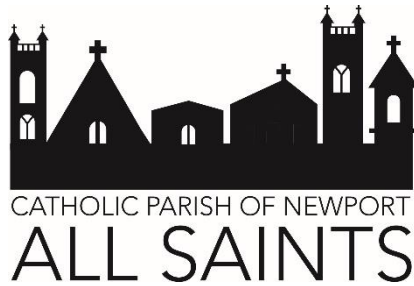
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#### Parish Pastoral Team:

Fr. Michael Doyle (Parish Priest)  
Fr. Daniel Stanton, Fr. Robert James,  
Fr. Roman Kowalski, Fr. Peter McLaren,  
Deacon Pasquale Cinotti,  
Deacon Rigo Logier

Sr. Brigid Cantwell  
Sr. Paul Gerard Chidgey  
Sr. Justina Morrin, Sr. Miriam Morrin  
Sr. Visitation O'Donoghue  
Sr. Claude Walsh

#### Churches:



St. Mary, Stow Hill, Newport, NP20 1TP.

St. Anne, Oliphant Circle, Malpas, Newport NP20 6PF.

Ss. Basil & Gwladys, Tregwilym Road, Rogerstone, NP10 9DW.

St. David, Park Crescent, Maesglas, Newport, NP20 3AQ.

St. David Lewis, Monnow Way, Bettws, Newport, NP20 7DX.

St. Gabriel, Ringland Circle, Newport, NP19 9PQ.

St. Julius the Martyr, Beaufort Road, St. Julian's, Newport, NP19 7PZ.

St. Julius, Aaron & David, High Street, Caerleon, NP18 1AG.

St. Michael, Clarence Street, Pillgwenlly, Newport, NP20 2BZ.

## 3<sup>rd</sup> SUNDAY OF THE YEAR - Cycle C – 27.01.19.

#### Entrance Antiphon:

O sing a new song to the Lord;  
Sing to the Lord, all the earth  
In his presence are majesty and splendour,  
Strength and honour in his holy place.

#### Psalm Response:

Your words are spirit, Lord,  
and they are life.

#### Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, Alleluia!  
The Lord has sent me  
To bring the good news to the poor,  
To proclaim liberty to captives.  
Alleluia!

#### Memorial Acclamation:

Save us, Saviour of the world,  
For by your Cross and Resurrection,  
You have set us free.

#### Communion Antiphon:

Look toward the Lord and be radiant;  
Let your faces not be abashed.

#### Who are we as members of the body of All Saints?

We all know what it feels like when one part of the body doesn't function properly. The whole body is hindered, other parts try to struggle on and make up for what is lacking, but such strain eventually leads to a breakdown taking place in other parts and eventually the body gives up and no part achieves its purpose.

St. Paul writes today as a reminder that all people (and all church communities) have a part to play as members of the wider body. He posits: *"I am not a hand and so I do not belong to the body", would that mean that it stopped being part of the body"*. To separate ourselves from the whole is a sickness in the body as we do not recognise that it is Christ who binds us together, all other things are immaterial. This happened to the Corinthians:

*"I am for Paul, I am for Apollos, I am for Christ"*.

Over the past few weeks I have been reflecting on the state of 'the body' in Newport as All Saints. I have been disappointed to witness slips of paper that had been handed around stating that "We will ensure the money is spent on our [individual] church"; I despair at the clandestine meetings some communities have been holding once the priest has left. The only thing we need to remember when it comes to the functioning of the Church is this:

*"God has arranged the body ... that each part may be concerned for all the others"*.

### In an Emergency, call: 07805 696474 (24 hours)

#### Hospitals – Royal Gwent, St. Woolos & St. Cadoc's

If you know of anyone who is in hospital or about to go into hospital and would like to receive holy communion, please ring the parish office leaving the persons' name and ward details. Or contact the Hospital Chaplaincy on 01633 234234.

#### Home Visits

If you would like a sick visit at home or know somebody who would, you can now request a visit by calling the parish office; completing the 'Request a Sick Visit' form and handing it to a member of the Pastoral Team.

It is also possible to request a visit at home or in hospital by completing the 'Request a Sick Visit' form and handing it into the parish office or a member of the pastoral team. The form can also be completed online at <http://allsaintsrcnewport.org.uk/sick/>

**Vigil Masses of the Sunday**

<b>Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> January 2019</b>	St. Mary	3.30pm	Sacrament of Reconciliation until 4.15pm
		<b>4.30pm</b>	Thanksgiving Thomas Abraham, Thanksgiving Margaret Hoare, +Ann Feeney, Michael Moran RIP
	St. David Lewis	4.30pm	Holy Rosary
		<b>5.00pm</b>	Felix Osbourn Intention
	St. Gabriel	5.00pm	Sacrament of Reconciliation until 5.20pm
	<b>5.30pm</b>	+Fr. Felix Connolly	
	Ss. Basil & Gwladys	<b>6.00pm</b>	Mary Cotterell Intention, +Victoria Jenkins, +Nellie O'Mahony,
	Ss. Julius, Aaron & David	<b>6.30pm</b>	+Canon Ieuan Wyn Jones
<b>Sunday 27<sup>th</sup></b>	St. Anne	<b>9.00am</b>	+Mary Buckley, Lilian Skinner, Douglas Skinner
	St. David	<b>9.00am</b>	Msza w j. polskim
	St. Mary	<b>9.30am</b>	+Maureen Lyons, +Oreste Battaglia, Giuseppina Di Rienzo
	St. Gabriel	<b>10.00am</b>	+Fr. Thomas Joseph Dove-Nowell
	St. Michael	<b>10.45am</b>	Sheila Cooper (Doherty), +John Lester
	St. David	<b>11.00am</b>	Jan Colesboddy & Family, +Grandparents Joan, Kim, Anna-Maria Vincinte, Averil McDonald
	St. Julius the Martyr	<b>11.15am</b>	+Luke & Philomena Hains, Vi King, The Champs Family
	Ss. Basil & Gwladys	<b>11.30am</b>	Ordinariate Mass
	St. Mary	4.00 pm	Evening Prayer & Benediction
		<b>6.00 pm</b>	+Eileen Cromwell
<b>Monday 28<sup>th</sup> St. Thomas Acquinas</b>	St. Mary	9.30am	Holy Rosary
	St. Mary	<b>10.00am</b>	Gordon Campbell, +Clare McManigan (Anniv.), +John Daly
	St. Anne	6.30pm	Sacrament of Reconciliation until 6.50pm
		<b>7.00pm</b>	+Fr. Michael Keegan
<b>Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup></b>	St. Mary	<b>7.30am</b>	+Linda Chambers, +Douglas Goff
	St. Anne	9.30am	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
	St. Mary	<b>10.00am</b>	+M. M.Varghese, +Matty & Joan Donovan (Anniv.)
	Ss. Basil & Gwladys	6.30pm	Sacrament of Reconciliation until 6.50pm
		<b>7.00pm</b>	+Anne Feeney, +Dorothy Wilkins
<b>Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup></b>	St. Mary	<b>10.00am</b>	Requiem Mass for Olga Di Bellis
	St. Julius, Aaron & David	<b>10.00am</b>	+Fr. John Fahy
	St Michael	6.30pm	Sacrament of Reconciliation until 6.50pm
		<b>7.00pm</b>	Archbishop George Stack Intention
<b>Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> St. John Bosco</b>	St. Mary	<b>10.00am</b>	Requiem Mass for Eileen Cromwell
	St. Gabriel	<b>10.00am</b>	+Fr. John Owen
	St. Michael	<b>11.30am</b>	Requiem Mass for Shirley Woodcock
	St. David Lewis	6.30pm	Sacrament of Reconciliation until 6.50pm
		<b>7.00pm</b>	+Fr. Philip McAuliffe
<b>Friday 1<sup>st</sup> Feb.</b>	St. Mary	9.00am	First Friday Confessions
		<b>10.00am</b>	+Michael Paciello
		<b>10.30am</b>	First Friday Holy Hour with Devotion to the Sacred Heart
	St. Julius the Martyr	<b>10.00am</b>	Priests of the parish
	St. Mary	3.00pm	Divine Mercy Chaplet
	St. David	6.30pm	Sacrament of Reconciliation until 6.50pm
		<b>7.00pm</b>	+Laura Crew
<b>Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> Presentation of our Lord</b>	St. Mary	9.30am	Holy Rosary
		<b>10.00am</b>	+Elaine Wilson
		10.30am	Sacrament of Reconciliation until 11.45am

**Vigil Masses of the Sunday**

	St. Mary	<b>4.30pm</b>	
	St David Lewis	<b>5.00pm</b>	
	St. Gabriel	<b>5.00pm</b>	Sacrament of Reconciliation until 5.20pm
		<b>5.30pm</b>	
	Ss. Basil & Gwladys	<b>6.00pm</b>	Pat Bowen Intension, Mary Roden (Speedy Recovery)
	Ss. Julius, Aaron & David	<b>6.30pm</b>	
<b>Sunday 3rd 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday In Year</b>	St. Anne	<b>9.00am</b>	
	St. David	<b>9.00am</b>	Msza w j. polskim
	St. Mary	<b>9.30am</b>	+Nick Jordan, +Noel Williams
	St. Gabriel	<b>10.00am</b>	
	St. Michael	<b>10.45am</b>	Audrey Bartlett, +Sheila & Goff Challingsworth
	St. David	<b>11.00am</b>	Dan Ryan, Andr�s Villalobos Ruiz
	St. Julius the Martyr	<b>11.15am</b>	
	Ss. Basil & Gwladys	<b>11.30am</b>	Ordinariate Mass
	St. Mary	<b>4.00pm</b>	Evening Prayer & Benediction
		<b>6.00pm</b>	+Cyril & Shelia Knott, +Pat Dennis

What's on this Week	Prayer Requests
<p><b>Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> January :</b> 5.00pm St. Mary's Folk Choir Practice</p> <p><b>Monday 28<sup>th</sup> January :</b> 10.30am Line dancing at St. David Lewis. 10.30am St. Mary's S.V.P. meet. 2.00pm Monday Club at St. Gabriel's. St. David's Folk Choir rehearse in the Sacristy.</p> <p><b>Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> January :</b> 9.30am St Anne's; Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, followed by our devotion to Our Lady, after which we go to the hall. 10.00am St. David Lewis Prayer meeting 7.00pm R.C.I.A. course in St. Mary's Institute. 7.15pm Bingo at St. Gabriel's</p> <p><b>Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> January :</b> 2.00pm Bereavement Drop in Group meet in St. Michael's Hall. 7.30pm Line Dancing at St. David Lewis</p> <p><b>Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> January :</b> 10.30am Line Dancing at St. David Lewis. 6.30pm Confirmation Class in St. Mary's Institute. 6.30pm R.C.I.C. upstairs in St. Mary's Institute.</p> <p><b>Friday 1<sup>st</sup> February :</b> 9.00am Confessions followed by Sacred Heart Devotions at St. Mary. 10.00am St. David Lewis Divine Mercy Devotion.</p> <p><b>Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> February :</b> CANDLEMAS, candles will be blessed and distributed at this Mass.</p> <p><b>Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> February :</b> 4.00pm Evening Prayer &amp; Benediction at St. Mary's. 5.00pm St. Mary's Folk Choir Practice</p>	<p>Please pray for the repose of the souls of Marie Phillips, Kenneth Robson, and all who have died recently.</p> <p>Please also remember in your prayers Steve Marsh, Ron Evans, Mary Roden, Fr James Siemens, Terrence Rose, Mostyn Crowley, Peter Okwusogu, Angela Parry (Pisani), Anne Reynolds, Sr. Denise, Gerald Walker, Helen Hathaway, Jeanette Bassett, John Ryan, Pat Bowen, Nanna Cozzi, Lena Evans, Daniel Gabriel, Monica Pugsley, Denis O'Carroll, James Routley, Catherine Wenegrieme, and all the sick at home or in our hospitals, and all who care for them.</p> <p>To add a request please contact the Parish Office by calling 01633 265533.</p>
	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Dates for Diary</b></p> <p><b>Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> February :</b> St. David's SVP meet in the Sacristy. 5.30 pm</p> <p><b>Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> February :</b> Divine Mercy Devotions in St. Mary's 3.00pm.</p> <p><b>Saturday in October:</b> <b>A day for our parish catechists.</b> Members of the Dominican Orders stylise their names with OP (Order of Preachers). Dominicans are known for their skills in communicating the Faith to those they meet. We are delighted that two Dominican sisters from the New Forest will come to the parish in October, (date to be confirmed) for a day with the catechists of our parish. The sisters have experience of working with young people and run successful formation weekends for young people around the U.K.</p>

### PRESENTATION OF THE LORD (CANDLEMAS)

At that time there was a man named Simeon living in Jerusalem. He was a good, God-fearing man and was waiting for Israel to be saved. The Holy Spirit was with him and had assured him that he would not die before he had seen the Lord's promised Messiah. Led by the Spirit, Simeon went into the Temple. When the parents brought the child Jesus into the Temple to do for him what the Law required, Simeon took the child in his arms and gave thanks to God:

"Now, Lord, you have kept your promise,  
 and you may let your servant go in peace.  
 With my own eyes I have seen your salvation,  
<sup>31</sup>which you have prepared in the presence of all peoples:  
 A light to reveal your will to the Gentiles  
 and bring glory to your people Israel."

The child's father and mother were amazed at the things Simeon said about him. Simeon blessed them and said to Mary, his mother, "This child is chosen by God for the destruction and the salvation of many in Israel. He will be a sign from God which many people will speak against and so reveal their secret thoughts. And sorrow, like a sharp sword, will break your own heart."

