

## Mission

**Forming Intentional Disciples** - On Saturday, June 15th 2019, Sherry Weddell will be running a day of workshops for the Diocese drawing on her extensive research into the 'thresholds' or 'stages' that people go through when becoming disciples of Jesus Christ. In preparation for her visit to the Diocese, parishes are starting to run 'Forming Intentional Disciples' or 'FID' groups in their parish or region.

The Cathedral is running a reading and discussing group, beginning on Friday, February 22nd from 11am to 12.15pm in the Cornerstone, opposite the Cathedral. This group will run for six weeks, ending on Friday, March 29th. All are welcome to attend. For more information, please contact madeleine.walters@rcadc.org or fbcallus@aol.com

**COMING SOON .....** **Walk With Me, Lent 2019** - This pocket-size booklet of prayers and reflections for Lent 2019 is now available at the back of church. It costs £1 and supports parish funds. The focus of this year's **Walk With Me** is 'Living a Holy Life'. Archbishop George Stack, Bishop Tom Burns and Bishop Peter Brignall have written a forward to the booklet and recommend it as an aid to prayer. In the introduction we read, 'During these Forty Days of Lent Jesus invites us to 'Walk With Me'. May the readings and prayers contained in this short booklet help us realise that he continues to accompany us on our journey towards East – and beyond.'

## 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.

Ss. Julius, Aaron and David and Ss. Julius the Martyr, food for the February delivery to the Bettws Food Bank, needs to be left at the churches by the weekend of Feb 23rd/ 24th.

## Prayer & Worship

**Friday Morning Mass – St. Julius the Martyr.** After 6 months of providing a weekday Mass at St. Julius the Martyr, it has been determined, there is no stable uptake for this Mass including weeks with no congregation. The clergy can make use of the time on other Pastoral matters, as such the Mass will now cease to be on the regular schedule.

**ADVANCED NOTICE – ASH WEDNESDAY** 6<sup>th</sup> March 2019. Marks the start of our journey through the Holy Season of Lent. Mass with Distribution of Ashes will be celebrated at ALL churches according to the following schedule:

7:30am – St. Mary's	12:15pm – St. Mary's
9:45am – Ss. Basil & Gwladys	1:00pm – St. Anne's
10:00am – St. David Lewis	4:00pm – St. Gabriel's
10:30am – Caerleon	6:30pm – St. Julius the Martyr
11:00am – St. Michael's	7:00pm – St. David's

## Social & Fundraising

**St. Mary's 200 Club :** 17.02.19. No. 4 S. Sexton

Next Sunday (3rd March) from 10.00am over 50 people will be taking part in the **HCPT Group 99 Abseil** from Newport Transporter Bridge (Stephenson Road side) and each one of them will be raising funds for our group to help us take some very special children from the



Newport area to Lourdes this Easter. If you would like to make a contribution to help your local group, please go to our JustGiving page at: [www.justgiving.com/hcptgroup99](http://www.justgiving.com/hcptgroup99) or donations for HCPT Group 99 can be left at the Presbytery office and will be collected. For further details contact Mike Halford 07813 612340. Thank you for helping us help others, we couldn't do it without you.

## 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.

Mathew Varghese been acting as local Secretary to **MISSIO** from 2011 for St Mary's, but due to other commitments, has to step down. If anyone is interested in taking on this role, please contact the parish office for more details. Also, the number of members has reduced 50% this year, so if anyone interested to **join Missio**, and help the mission work, please ask at the parish office.

If you have post for the parish office and you are in St Mary's **when the office is closed, please put it in the post box on the wall**, by the side entrance glass doors. The box is opened daily. Many thanks.

Dydd Gwyl Dewi: Mass will be celebrated in Welsh for St David's Day at St Teilo's Church, Whitchurch CF14 1AD at 6pm on March 1st. Bilingual booklets are provided, and refreshments will be served afterwards. Croeso cynnes i bawb.

**Parking @ St. Mary's** - Please do not park in St Mary's Presbytery car park, or on the keep clear sign. The clergy have to be able to leave for Masses around the parish, and there have been several times in the last few weeks, that they have been blocked in by parishioners. Please, also be aware of parking on the hill, just on the bend of School Lane, it makes it very difficult to see traffic coming down the hill, as well being able to get around parked cars.

## A clarification regarding Baptism in All Saints

It has been brought to our attention in the past week that there is a false rumour doing the rounds regarding the Sacrament of Baptism within the parish. It is **not** true that there is a six-week preparation course; it is still two one-hour sessions. However the suggestion actually has merit as the Lord commanded "Go therefore make disciples ... baptise them ..." (Mt 28:19); the emphasis of the original Greek being we make disciples then baptise not baptise to make disciples. Pope Francis has also been making calls for more adequate preparation in a spirit of encounter.

That said, it IS true that Baptisms outside Mass now take place once a month **on a Saturday**. The clergy were recently told that there is no weekend cover available in the diocese for sickness and holidays and we are to support other parishes where needed. We can no longer guarantee a full complement of clergy on Sundays making the baptism schedule impossible; however, Baptisms on Saturday will work. As such, Baptisms outside Mass now take place on the last Saturday of the month at four of our churches simultaneously with up to four families at a time. That equates to 16 Baptisms outside Mass a month **increasing** the monthly total than under the previous provision. Please pray for the Pastoral Team as we prepare to hold a day of prayer and discussion on April 1<sup>st</sup> to look at more long-term future strategies for the parish and will assess how these new arrangements are operating, along with how we promote a spirit of encounter across the entire parish.

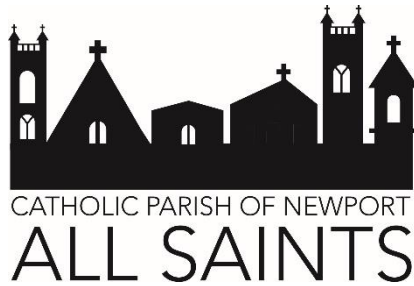
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#### Parish Pastoral Team:

Fr. Michael Doyle (Parish Priest)  
Fr. Daniel Stanton, Fr. Robert James,  
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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.

## 7<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY OF THE YEAR - Cycle C – 24.02.19.

### ADVANCE NOTICE

St. Mary's Closure - Due to ongoing works requiring major scaffolding being erected in the centre of the church, St. Mary's will be closed during the week of Monday 25<sup>th</sup> February - Friday 1<sup>st</sup> March inclusive. During that week the 10:00am Mass will be transferred to the churches that would normally have 7:00pm Mass on each of the days. There will be **NO** 7pm masses, on these days, except Friday (St David's Day).

Monday 25<sup>th</sup> February 10am St Anne

Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> February 10am St Basil & St Gwladys

Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> February 11am St Michael

Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> February 10am. St David Lewis

Friday 1<sup>st</sup> March 10am & 7pm St David

### St David's Day

Celebration of St. David's Day - Friday 1<sup>st</sup> March **7:00pm at St. David's, Maesglas**. The principal St. David's Mass will be held at St. David's as both our National celebration, and the patronal feast of the church. Following the Mass there will be a "fish & chip" supper in the school hall. A sign up sheet and envelope is at the back of church. A **10:00am** Mass will also be offered at **St. David's** but there will be no celebration afterwards.

St. David's day is a national Solemnity, as he is the Patron Saint of the whole of Wales. This means that the laws regarding abstaining from meat do not apply! Rejoice and be glad!

O Great Saint David, still we hear thee call us,  
unto a life that knows no fear of death;  
Yea, down the ages, will thy words enthrall us,  
strong happy words: 'Be joyful, keep the faith.'

*Most Reverend Francis Mostyn  
Second Archbishop of Cardiff*

### 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 23<sup>rd</sup> February 2019</b>	St. Mary	3.30pm	Sacrament of Reconciliation until 4.15pm	
		<b>4.30pm</b>	+Gilda Cervi, +Michael Moran	
	St. David Lewis	4.30pm	Holy Rosary	
		<b>5.00pm</b>	+Rose, Bell & Gomes Families	
	St. Gabriel	5.00pm	Sacrament of Reconciliation until 5.20pm	
		<b>5.30pm</b>	Michael Anderson	
	Ss. Basil & Gwladys	<b>6.00pm</b>	Intention of Ann Butler	
	Ss. Julius, Aaron & David	<b>6.30pm</b>		
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<b>Sunday 24<sup>th</sup>  Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>	St. Anne	<b>9.00am</b>	+Bridget McEvoy, Intention of Sr. Visitation (B'Day)	
	St. David	<b>9.00am</b>	Msza w j. polskim	
	St. Mary	<b>9.30am</b>	Michael Anderson, +Liliana Alonzi	
	St. Gabriel	<b>10.00am</b>	Wayne & Ron Dobbs, Domenica Cesa & Enrighetta Antonelli	
	St. Michael	<b>10.45am</b>	+Peggy & Tom Hall, +Lizzie & Will Tart, +John & Maura Searson, +Patrick Calvey, Good Estate of Molly Fisher	
	St. David	<b>11.00am</b>	+William & Madeleine Bray, Haggi & Robson Families	
	St. Julius the Martyr	<b>11.15am</b>	Thanksgiving for all the blessings and prayers granted Vi King.	
	Ss. Basil & Gwladys	<b>11.30am</b>	Ordinariate Mass	
	St. Mary	4.00 pm	Evening Prayer & Benediction	
		<b>6.00 pm</b>	Sick of the Parish	
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<b>Monday 25<sup>th</sup></b>	St. Anne	<b>10.00am</b>	Clergy of the Parish	
	St. Mary		<b>NO 10.00am MASS. CHURCH CLOSED ALL WEEK</b>	
	St. Anne	6.30pm	Sacrament of Reconciliation until 6.50pm	
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<b>Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup></b>	St. Anne	9.30am	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	
	Ss. Basil & Gwladys	<b>10.00am</b>	+Suzanna Pacini	
	St. Michael	<b>11.00am</b>	Requiem Mass for Liliana Alonzi	
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<b>Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup></b>	St. Michael	<b>11.00am</b>	Requiem Mass for Marian Mulcahy	
	Ss. Julius, Aaron & David	<b>10.00am</b>	People of Dhaka, Bangladesh	
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<b>Thursday 28<sup>th</sup></b>	St. David Lewis	<b>10.00am</b>	+Suzana Pacini	
	St. Gabriel	<b>10.00am</b>	+Joseph O'Neil (Anniv.)	
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<b>Friday 1<sup>st</sup> St. David Women's World Day of Prayer</b>	St. David	<b>10.00am</b>	+Virginia Frederick	
	St. Mary		NO Divine Mercy Chaplet due to St. Mary's being closed.	
	St. David	<b>7.00pm</b>	For a renewal of Faith in Wales	
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<b>Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup></b>	St. Mary	9.30am	Holy Rosary	
		<b>10.00am</b>	+Anna Crotty, Betty Sefton (Intention)	
		10.30am	Sacrament of Reconciliation until 11.45am	
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		St. Mary	<b>4.30pm</b>	+Christine Verrinder
	St. David Lewis	<b>5.00pm</b>	+Simon Richards (B'day)	
	St. Gabriel	5.00pm	Sacrament of Reconciliation until 5.20pm	
		<b>5.30pm</b>	+Patricia Waterford, +Joan Brunnock	
	Ss. Basil & Gwladys	<b>6.00pm</b>	+Jayne Bartley	
	Ss. Julius, Aaron & David	<b>6.30pm</b>	Sick of Parish	
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<b>Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup>  Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time Day for the Unemployed</b>	St. Anne	<b>9.00am</b>	Meney Jones (Intentions)	
	St. David	<b>9.00am</b>	Msza w j. polskim	
	St. Mary	<b>9.30am</b>	+Nick Jordan, +John Joseph, Lucia Cesa, Margo Ryan	
	St. Gabriel	<b>10.00am</b>	+Bridget Vasey	
	St. Michael	<b>10.45am</b>	+Anna Goan Kim, +Sheila Cooper, Mr. Roger Collins	
	St. David	<b>11.00am</b>	+John Lavin	
	St. Julius the Martyr	<b>11.15am</b>		
	Ss. Basil and Gwladys	<b>11.30am</b>	Ordinariate Mass	
	St. Mary	4.00pm	Evening Prayer and Benediction	
		<b>6.00pm</b>		

## What's on this Week

### Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> February :

5.00pm St. Mary's Folk Choir Practice

### Monday 25<sup>th</sup> February :

10.30am Line dancing at St. David Lewis.

2.00pm Monday Club at St. Gabriel's.

### Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> February :

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

### Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> February :

2.00pm Bereavement Drop in Group meet in St. Michael's Hall.

7.30pm Line Dancing at St. David Lewis

### Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> February :

10.30am Line Dancing at St. David Lewis.

6.30pm Confirmation Class in St. Mary's Institute.

### Friday 1<sup>st</sup> March :

10.00am St. David Lewis Divine Mercy Devotion.

### Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> March :

**Flame 2019** Wembley Arena London.

### Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> March :

4.00pm Evening Prayer & Benediction at St. Mary's.

5.00pm St. Mary's Folk Choir Practice

Soul Food

For those above and those below:  
the influential, the disadvantaged,  
those who follow the crowd  
and those who are individuals - different from the rest;

for the haves and have-nots.

All are welcome

Me and You

SOUL FOOD is good-

Please COME

Enjoy it too!

*Louise Bowes*

## Prayer Requests

Please pray for the repose of the souls of Annie Cynthia Woodruff, Jean Aviss, Maureen Rafferty, Koon Sing Lok and all who have died recently.

Please also remember in your prayers Michael Drewett, Michael Hurley, Maura Dineen, Steve Marsh, 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, 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.

To add a request please contact the Parish Office by calling 01633 265533.

## Dates for Diary

### Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> March – ASH WEDNESDAY (Fasting & Abstinence)

A Committee meeting will be held on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March [at 7.30pm](#) in St. David Lewis' Church Hall.

During Lent instead of the Holy Rosary, the Stations of the Cross will be recited [at 4.30pm](#) every Saturday before Mass at St. David Lewis' Church.

The next **Divine Mercy Devotions** will take place on Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> March from 3pm -4pm These devotions take place in St. Mary's on the second Saturday of each month. Try and come and pray with us even if your stay can only be brief. You are all most welcome.

**Annual Lenten Station Mass** with His Grace the Archbishop. Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> March at 7:00pm in St. David's church.

**Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> May:** Parish Pilgrimage to Penrhys, further information in the coming weeks.

### Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> October

**A day for our parish catechists.** 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, 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.

## “A gift to our Church”

This weekend you will notice a booklet with this title included in the copies of the diocesan newspaper and at the back of our churches. The booklet has been produced by the diocese to help people make informed decisions when deciding to leave a legacy or bequest to the parish, a church or the diocese upon death. In recent years there has been a case within our parish where a parishioner died never updating their will, even though the individual parishes ceased to exist and 'All Saints' was formed. It has taken the executors of the will nearly four years to sort out the legal implications and have the wishes of the deceased realised.

Please read the leaflet carefully and take advice if you are considering leaving a lasting legacy to our Church, so that your wishes may be executed fully.