

3 Churches News

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Sunday July 27th 2014 **17th Sunday in Ordinary Time (YEAR A)** **Issue 29/14**

PRAYERS OF ST IGNATIUS

Founder of the Jesuits, Feast Day Thursday

Abandonment

Take, Lord, and receive all my liberty,
my memory, my understanding
and my entire will,
All I have and call my own.
You have given all to me.
To you, Lord, I return it.
Everything is yours; do with it what you will.
Give me only your love and your grace.
That is enough for me.

Generosity

Lord, teach me to be generous.
Teach me to serve you as you deserve;
to give and not to count the cost,
to fight and not to heed the wounds,
to toil and not to seek for rest,
to labor and not to ask for reward,
save that of knowing that I do your will.

In the Darkness

O Christ Jesus
When all is darkness
And we feel our weakness and helplessness,
Give us the sense of Your Presence,
Your Love and Your Strength.
Help us to have perfect trust
In Your protecting love
And strengthening power,
So that nothing may frighten or worry us,
For, living close to You,
We shall see Your Hand,
Your Purpose, Your Will through all things.

Fr Matthew



Response to Psalm Lord how I love your law!

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia! I call you friends, says the Lord,
because I have made known to you everything I have learnt from my Father. Alleluia!



1st Reading: Kings 3: 5. 7-12 **2nd Reading:** Letter St Paul to Romans 8: 28-30 **Gospel:** Matthew 13: 44-52

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Father's News

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Catholic Certificate in Religious Studies (CCRS)

An invitation to any interested parishioners to join us at the Pastoral Resources Centre on Wednesday evenings, from 10th September 2014, for an opportunity to deepen their knowledge and understanding of some key aspects of the Catholic faith. During the next academic year, modules in Old Testament, New Testament, Christology, Catholic Education and Religious Education will be delivered.

Participants are welcome to attend a single module, or follow the complete course and submit assignments for the award of a CCRS certificate. For further details, contact Frances Bibey at the Pastoral Resources Centre / ccrs@rcadc.org / Tel 029 2036 2599

The next C.W.L. meeting will take place at St. Paul's on Monday 28 July at 2pm. The next charity coffee morning will be on Friday 1 August after the 09.30 mass at St. Paul's. Proceeds will be for Fr. Greenway's mission in India.

Churches Together

The next Churches Together Prayer Link will be at Thornhill Church Centre on Saturday 2 August, from 9-10 am. All are welcome.

Cardiff & Vale University Health Board

We are looking to train people who are firmly anchored to their religious Community, as **Chaplaincy Volunteers**- This involves a 6 week training course (one afternoon a week) before being deployed to a ward to visit patients on behalf of the Chaplains.

Our next course begins:

Wednesday 10 September 2014, 2pm University Hospital of Wales, Heath Park. Contact us on **2074 3230** for an application form if you want to make a difference

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RENEWAL IN WALES
UNDER THE LEADERSHIP OF
THE WELSH BISHOPS.
CATHOLIC RENEWAL IN THE
SPIRIT OF PENTECOST
**THE JOY OF THE GOSPEL!
RENEWAL CONFERENCE
FRIDAY 22 AUGUST –
SUNDAY 24 AUGUST 2014
TRINITY COLLEGE CAMPUS,
JOB'S WELL ROAD,
CARMARTHEN
SA31 3EP.**

HOLY MASS, RECONCILIATION,
ADORATION, PRAYER MINISTRY
BOOKING FORMS:

DOWNLOAD at: <http://ccrw.org.uk>
or PAT WILLIAMS' E-MAIL

patriciamary1950@gmail.org.uk

TELEPHONE: - 2061 7374

COST:

WEEKEND FULL BOARD £120.

DAY VISITORS

£25 incl.

LUNCH – TEA/COFFEE

PROVIDED

Time to Chat

On Saturday 6 September the 3 Churches Bereavement Support Group is holding a drop-in session at St Brigid's Church Hall from 10.15 am. We hope to hold further sessions on the first Saturday of each month. We are not a counselling group but we offer a listening ear to those who have been bereaved - whether recently or some time ago. If you or anyone you know (they don't need to be a member of the 3 churches) would like to come along for a tea/coffee and a chat you will be welcome. For further information please contact Fr Matthew or any member of the Bereavement Support Group or email us at beareavementsupport@3churches.org

Annual Pilgrimage to the grave of St John Kemble

Archbishop George Stack will lead this year's pilgrimage which takes place on Sunday 24 August. Pilgrims meet at 9am for Mass at St Mary's Church, Monmouth followed by a walk to Welsh Newton and Benediction back at St Mary's at 4.15pm. Please bring a packed lunch.

Send your newsletter items to:

luke.todd@yahoo.co.uk and if you would like to be included on the mailing list to receive an e-version of this newsletter, please contact the same address.

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Save the Date!

Join us on Thursday 23 October for the launch of CAFOD's new climate change campaign— we're campaigning on climate change because it's pushing people deeper into poverty. And we want you to join us! So put your faith into action and register for free to attend the Cardiff Diocese launch at www.cafod.org.uk/campaignevents
This is your chance to make sure your voice is heard and hear all about this new campaign. It's going to be big, so tell all your friends, family and fellow parishioners to join you at a launch event where they'll find out how they can get involved too. Absolutely everyone is welcome!

The UCM Strawberry Tea realised the total of £292.03, the Bring and Buy £26.50. Sincere thanks to all who supported this event and to those who couldn't attend and kindly gave donations.

Holy Mass in Honour of God the Father of all mankind

Please come and join us at Nazareth House, Colum Road, Cardiff CF10 3UN on Sunday 3 August at 3pm. We start with Holy Mass, Chaplet to God the Father is at 3.45pm, and Litany at 4pm. This is followed by tea and coffee. For more information, contact Mr Philip Illsley (01443 203305)



Christ the King

Altar Linen

July: Valerie Graham

Junior Club Volunteers Needed

We are in need of adult volunteers to help at Junior club on a rota basis (usually no more than once a month). The club meets most Fridays of term time in the parish centre, 6.30 – 7.45pm. If you would like to volunteer please contact Marie O'Brien; 2075 3771, email marie.peter@btinternet.com

Poems and a Glass

Poems and a Glass takes place this Sunday 27th July in the parish centre. All are welcome.

RIP

Please pray for Tony Hutchings who has died recently and whose funeral service will take place at Christ the King on Friday 1 August at 10.15am. Please remember all of Tony's family in your prayers.

Petition Book

Periodically we send out a list of the petitions that have been entered in the petitions book during the previous couple of months to a group of parishioners who have agreed to pray especially for these petitions. If you would like to be part of this group just ring Ann on 2075 2900 or send an email to g.ann.rees@gmail.com

Baptism

This weekend we welcome Joseph Alexander Wilkinson into our parish community as he is baptised. Please pray for Joseph, his parents and godparents in your prayers.

Church Grounds

Work to clear the back border and put down a membrane to inhibit growth of brambles and weeds has been completed. Some new planting is needed and on-going maintenance. If anyone - or a group of people - is willing to take responsibility for this please contact Marie O'Brien in the Parish Office. (We have a contract for routine maintenance such as grass & hedge cutting and litter picking).

St Brigid's & St Pauls

JUBILEE LUNCH

On Sunday September 21st, 50th anniversary of the first Mass in the present St Brigid's Church, there will be a **Jubilee Lunch** at the New House Hotel. Tickets for this event are on sale at £20 adults £10 children under 11. There will be a choice of two starters, mains and desserts plus vegetarian option on the day.

If there is anyone who can help with lifts, or who needs a lift, to and from 10 30am mass and \ or the New House Country Hotel, on Sunday 21 September for the 50th anniversary celebrations of St Brigid's Church, please contact, Bernice Rayer (2062 6829)

APOSTLESHIP OF THE SEA

There will be a retiring collection for the Apostleship of the Sea after each Mass next weekend. Please try to be generous in your support of this charity which provides both spiritual and practical help to seafarers and is the Catholic Church's maritime welfare agency.

This newsletter was edited by Luke Todd (2014)

Sunday July 27th 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

6pm	St Paul's	Alan Cooke	
6.30pm	C the K	John Gallagher (C Bailey)	
Sun. 8.30am	C the K	Pat Worthington (Catenian Association- G Lynch) 17 th Sunday in Ordinary Time	
9am	St Paul's	Int Cecilia Ware (Daley)	
10.30am	St Brigid's	Thomas Sherry & Sherry Family Ints	
10.30am	C the K	Sick & Housebound of the Parish	
12pm	C the K	Baptism: Joseph Alexander Wilkinson	
6pm	St Brigid's	People of the Parish	
7.30pm	St Brigid's	Sunday Praise	
Mon. 9.30am	St Brigid's	Ints Cath & Brian McCormack	
9.30am	C the K	Private Intention (N)	
Tues. 9.30am	St Brigid's	Holy Souls	St Martha
9.30am	C the K	Thanksgiving (Wooding Family)	
Wed. 9.30am	St Paul's	Holy Father's Ints	St Peter Chrysologus
7.30pm	C the K	Terry Rogers (D & M Bryon)	
Thurs. 9.30am	C the K	Tony Maunder (B Theeswaran)	St Ignatius Loyola
7.30pm	St Brigid's	Len Perry	
Fri. 9.30am	St Paul's	The Sick of the Parish	St Alphonsus Liguori
10.15am	C the K	Funeral Service: Tony Hutchings	
Sat. 9.30am	St Brigid's	Available	St Juliam Eymard

Sunday August 3rd 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

12.30pm	C the K	Wedding: Matthew Barley & Rachel Foley
6pm	St Paul's	Len Perry
6.30pm	C the K	Intention of Ann Culbertson (H & M Tracey)
Sun. 8.30am	C the K	Tony Hutchings (C Bailey)
9am	St Paul's	Peace in our World
10.30am	St Brigid's	People of the Parish
10.30am	C the K	All Parishioners
6pm	St Brigid's	Available
7.30pm	St Brigid's	Sunday Praise

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Eucharistic Adoration

Christ the King
Tuesday 10am-1pm
St. Paul's
Wednesday 10am-3pm
St. Brigid's
Thursday 8-9pm

**Sacrament of
Reconciliation**

St Brigid's
Saturday 10-10.30
St Paul's
Saturday 5.30pm.
Christ the King
Saturday 5.45-6.15pm

Last Week's Collection

Sts. Brigid & Paul
Gift Aid £ 593.50
Non Gift Aid £ 517.20
Total £ 1110.70
S/O month av. £ 807.50

Christ the King
Gift Aid £ 428.09
Non Gift Aid £ 435.25
S/O weekly av. £ 368.45
Total £ 1231.79

Please send items to luke.todd@yahoo.co.uk by Wednesday afternoon at the latest!

PRAYERS

Please remember the following in your prayers, who are unwell at this time:

Keith Allen, Mary Amugan, Maureen Carroll, Sian Clark, Mary Clarke, Win Collins, Terry Culbertson,
Agnes Davies, Jennifer Ellis, Emily, Anna Forrest, Jane Goldsworthy, Maria Hill,
Caitriona Lovell, Joseph (Benny) Lynch, Dean Maguire, Dolores Meehan,
Vernon Morgan, Niamh Murphy, Maureen O'Driscoll, Kieran Ollin, Alan Paines, Rona Perry,
Valentino Rascon, Cath Rees, Claire Richards, Pat Roberts, Peter Scott,
Dewi Thomas, Emma Warlow, Dorothy Warren & Pat Watkins.