

# 3 Churches News

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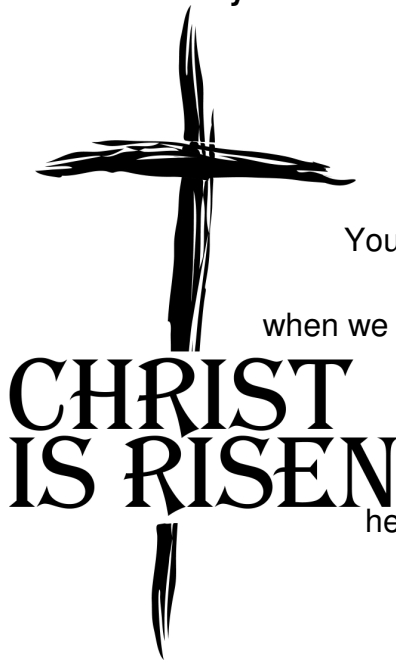
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**Palm Sunday | Easter Sunday 2015**

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**A blessed Holy week and happy Easter to all our parishioners and friends, from Fr Matthew**



Lord Jesus Christ,

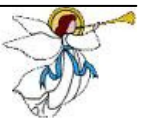
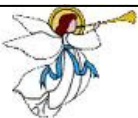
You have accompanied me on my journey through Lent;  
be with me still in this most holy of weeks -  
when we come again to the foot of the Cross, when all seemed lost,  
and move through the emptiness  
towards the new dawn of Easter.

As I share the moments of your Passion,  
help me to embrace the glory and the joy of the cross  
through which you redeemed each one of us.

Instill in me a desire to draw closer to you;  
to follow you more closely in my daily life  
and show Your love to those I meet.

Amen

~~~~ Palm Sunday (Sunday 29 March 2015) ~~~~



Response to Psalm **My God, my God why have you forsaken me?**

Gospel Acclamation: **Praise to you, O Christ, king of eternal glory: Christ was humbler yet, even to accepting death, death on a cross. But God raised him high and gave him the name which is above all names. Praise to you, O Christ, king of eternal glory.**

**1st Reading: Isaiah 50: 4-7 2nd Reading: Philipians 2: 6-11 Gospel: Mark 14: 1-15: 47**

~~~~ Easter Sunday (Sunday 5 April 2015) ~~~~



Response to Psalm **This day was made by the Lord; we rejoice and are glad.**  
Gospel Acclamation: **Alleluia, Alleluia! Christ, our Passover has been sacrificed;  
Let us celebrate the feast then, in the Lord. Alleluia!**

**1st Reading: Acts 10: 34. 37-43 2nd Reading: Letter of St Paul to Colossians 3: 1-4 Gospel: John 20: 1-9**

St. Brigid's and Christ the King are parishes of the Archdiocese of Cardiff. A Registered Charity No. 242380.

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## 3 Churches

### Father's News

#### HOLY WEEK SERVICES

**Wednesday-** 11.30am Chrism Mass at the Cathedral  
2pm Way of the Cross at St Brigid's led by children of Christ the King School

**Maundy Thursday-** 8pm Mass of the Lord's Supper and Watching at Christ the King and St Brigid's

**Good Friday-** 3pm  
Commemoration of the Passion at St Paul's and Christ the King

**Easter Vigil-** 8pm First Mass of Easter at Christ the King and St Brigid's (no evening Mass at St Paul's)

**Easter Sunday-** Mass times as usual

#### NEWSLETTER

Please note that this newsletter covers two weeks.

#### WEDNESDAY WORD

Fr Matthew gives the "Wednesday Word" for Easter week on Radio Wales 8<sup>th</sup> April at approx. 2.25pm

#### KRAKOW 2016

The next **World Youth Day** is at Krakow, Poland in 2016. Let's be part of this great event by sending young people from our 3 Churches. Information and the registration form are on the diocese's special WYD website - [www.Cardiff2Krakow.org](http://www.Cardiff2Krakow.org) Log on, find out and sign up!

#### A moment of peace & candlelight

St Brigid's and St Paul's remain open daily during daylight hours.

#### **Candlelight and quiet**

Each Friday term time, 6.30-7.00 in Christ the King.  
*It's yours.*

#### ***Celebrate Wales 2 & 3 May Corpus Christi HS Cardiff***

We look forward to welcoming you to the 5<sup>th</sup> CELEBRATE WALES WEEKEND. If you are a first timer, a regular, a family or coming on your own- you are all welcome.

We really hope that CELEBRATE WALES will help you find inspiration and renewal in your faith in a relaxed and friendly atmosphere.

There is an excellent range of speakers and activities to engage, excite and encourage you, whether you are aged 7 or 70 years old! We will have a variety of workshops, drama from Rise theatre, Adoration, opportunities for Reconciliation and prayer ministry, Mass will be celebrated on both days.

We have groups for young people and children of all age groups led by experienced leaders running relevant and fun activities. There is plenty of parking and lovely grounds so you can bring a picnic lunch and the Saturday evening meal is included in the ticket price.

Many have attended the conference in previous years and have thoroughly enjoyed it.

For further information on how to book please contact:

Margaret Coyle (01952 417223  
[wales@celebrateconference.org](mailto:wales@celebrateconference.org))

#### **Help still needed with**

**accommodation-** 34 beds for children's liturgy leaders, speakers etc. If you can help contact Pat Williams on 2061 7374 or [patandpaul1@btinternet.com](mailto:patandpaul1@btinternet.com)

#### Good Friday Lenten Lunch

*(Bread & Soup)*

St Brigid's Hall

*Come along any time between  
12.30 and 1.30pm*

Adults £1.50; Children 50p  
Proceeds to Fr Tim Greenway's missionary work in India

The next Catholic Women's League charity coffee morning is after 9.30am mass at St Paul's on Friday 10 April. Proceeds will be for the George Thomas Hospice.

#### Eucharistic Adoration

There will be no Eucharistic Adoration in the 3 Churches during Holy and Easter weeks. We will resume w/c 13 April. There will be "Watching" at St Brigid's and Christ the King on Holy Thursday evening until midnight. If you are available to attend during the evening please sign the sheet placed at the back of your Church.

#### **Christian Aid Week 10-16 May**

Here are some events already planned for the week:  
Saturday 9 May 9am-12pm  
Christian Aid Week Plant etc. sale at Llanishen Baptist Church.  
Sunday 10 May 6pm United Service at St. Isan Church

#### ***Reaching out to our neighbourhood - evangelisation in action***

After Easter look out for the start of a new weekly initiative - to pray street by street for those living close to St Brigid's and Christ the King churches and deliver prayer cards to those houses. More information to follow - or contact Anne Burns (2076 6318) or Elizabeth Taylor (2075 1401)

## Christ the King

#### **Altar Linen**

April: M Welsher

#### **Mass Changes**

**There are several changes to the Mass schedule, please check the newsletter carefully.**

# Christ the King

**RIP**

Please pray for Keith Allen who has died this week. His funeral service will take place at Christ the King on Thursday 9 April at 12.15pm. Please also pray for Gareth Clarke, grandson of Dilys Scanlon who has died recently. Please keep the families of both Keith and Dilys in your prayers.

**Baptism**

On Easter Sunday we welcome Georgia Rose Hill into our parish family through baptism. Please pray for Georgia, her parents and godparents.

**Poems and a glass takes place in the parish centre this Sunday 29 March at 7.30pm. All welcome.**

Maundy Thursday/Good Friday/  
Easter Vigil

We need Eucharistic Ministers and Welcomers. If you can help please sign the list on the board in the church porch. For singers - practice in the church this Wed 1 April - 8pm.

Sandwich Making for the homeless

Sandwich making for the homeless takes place in the parish centre, this Monday 30 March at 1.15pm. All volunteers very welcome.

**Christ the King Eucharistic Adoration**

There will be no Eucharistic Adoration on: Tuesday 31 March and Tuesday 7 April. We will resume on Tuesday 14 April 2015.

**Parish Office**

Please note that the CTK Parish office will not be open from 6<sup>th</sup> April until Monday 13<sup>th</sup> April. If you have any urgent messages during that time, please contact St Brigid's presbytery.

**St Brigid's &  
St Pauls**

**PARISH COUNCIL**

The next meeting of St Brigid & St Paul Advisory Council is on Monday 13 April.



Sunday March 29<sup>th</sup> Palm Sunday

|              |                      |   |                 |
|--------------|----------------------|---|-----------------|
| 6pm          | St Paul's            | <b>Leighton Bater</b>   |                 |
| 6.30pm       | C the K              | <b>Veronica King (M Gannon)</b>   |                 |
| Sun. 8.30am  | C the K              | <b>James &amp; Margaret Harley (C Bailey)</b><br>Palm Sunday (of the Passion of the Lord) |                 |
| 9am          | St Paul's            | <b>Fr Jose Marti RIP (Forbes)</b>   |                 |
| 10.30am      | St Brigid's          | <b>Holy Souls</b>   |                 |
| 10.30am      | C the K              | <b>Johanna Foley (M MacNamara)</b>  |                 |
| 6pm          | St Brigid's          | <b>People of the Parish</b>   |                 |
| 7.30pm       | St Brigid's          | <b>Sunday Praise</b>  |                 |
| Mon. 9.30am  | St Brigid's          | <b>Len Perry</b>  |                 |
| Tues. 9.30am | C the K              | <b>All souls in purgatory especially deceased members of FOSS (M &amp; T Pinnell)</b>     |                 |
| Wed. 9.30am  | St Paul's            | <b>Ints Fr Matthew</b>  |                 |
| 11.30am      | St David's Cathedral | <b>Chrism Mass</b>  |                 |
| 2pm          | St Brigid's          | <b>Way of the Cross led by children of Christ the King School</b>                         |                 |
| Thurs. 8pm   | St Brigid's          | <b>Mass of the Lord's Supper</b>  | Maundy Thursday |
| 8pm          | C the K              | <b>Mass of the Lord's Supper [Mary Josephine McAuley (E Lloyd)]</b>                       |                 |
| Fri. 10am    | C the K              | <b>Office of Readings and Morning Prayer</b>  | Good Friday     |
| 3pm          | St Paul's            | <b>Commemoration of the Passion</b>   |                 |
| 3pm          | C the K              | <b>Commemoration of the Passion</b>   |                 |

**Sunday April 5<sup>th</sup> Easter Sunday**

|               |             |   |               |
|---------------|-------------|---|---------------|
| Sat 10am      | C the K     | <b>Office of Readings and Morning Prayer</b>  | Holy Saturday |
| 8pm           | St Brigid's | <b>Easter Vigil &amp; First Mass of Easter (People of the Parish)</b>                 |               |
| 8pm           | C the K     | <b>Easter Vigil &amp; First Mass of Easter (People of the Parish)</b>                 |               |
| Sun. 8.30am   | C the K     | <b>John Hill (Hudson Family)</b>  |               |
| 9am           | St Paul's   | <b>People of the Parish</b>   | Holy Family   |
| 10.30am       | St Brigid's | <b>Children of the Parish</b>   |               |
| 10.30am       | C the K     | <b>Vivian Owen &amp; Alberta Hartley (H Owen)</b>                                     |               |
| 12 noon       | C the K     | <b>Baptism: Georgia Rose Hill</b>   |               |
| 6pm           | St Brigid's | <b>Holy Souls</b>   |               |
| 7.30pm        | St Brigid's | <b>Sunday Praise</b>  |               |
| Mon. 9.30am   | St Brigid's | <b>Michael &amp; Pat Keating</b>  | Easter Octave |
| Tues. 9.30am  | C the K     | <b>Deceased of the 3 Churches</b>   | Easter Octave |
| Wed. 9.30am   | St Paul's   | <b>Michael Dowling (McLees)</b>   | Easter Octave |
| Thurs. 9.30am | C the K     | <b>All souls in purgatory especially deceased members of FOSS (M &amp; T Pinnell)</b> | Easter Octave |
| 12.15pm       | C the K     | <b>Funeral Service: Keith Allen</b>   |               |
| 7.30pm        | St Brigid's | <b>Len Perry</b>  |               |
| Fri. 9.30am   | St Paul's   | <b>The Sick of the Parish</b>   | Easter Octave |
| Sat. 9.30am   | St Brigid's | <b>Available</b>  | Easter Octave |

**Sunday April 12<sup>th</sup> 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Easter**

|             |             |   |  |
|-------------|-------------|---|--|
| 6pm         | St Paul's   | <b>Tony James</b>   |  |
| 6.30pm      | C the K     | <b>Peter Murphy (Murphy Family)</b>   |  |
| Sun. 8.30am | C the K     | <b>Canon Keane (M Crowley)</b><br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy) |  |
| 9am         | St Paul's   | <b>Available</b>  |  |
| 10.30am     | St Brigid's | <b>Available</b>  |  |
| 10.30am     | C the K     | <b>Luis Urtiaga (A Davies)</b>  |  |
| 6pm         | St Brigid's | <b>People of the Parish</b>   |  |
| 7.30pm      | St Brigid's | <b>Sunday Praise</b>  |  |



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**Eucharistic Adoration**

*There will be no Eucharistic Adoration in the 3 Churches over Easter. Eucharistic Adoration resumes w/c 13 April*

**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** £ 548.40  
**Non Gift Aid** £ 531.44  
**Total** £ 1079.84  
**S/O month av.** £ 846.77

**Christ the King**

**Gift Aid** £ ~~~~~  
**Non Gift Aid** £ ~~~~~  
**S/O weekly av.** £ ~~~~~  
**Total** £ ~~~~~

**Please send items to [luke.todd@yahoo.co.uk](mailto: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:*

Mary Amugan, Brian Bermingham, Maureen Carroll, Sian Clark,  
Mary Clarke, Terry Culbertson, Agnes Davies, Emily, Anna Forrest, Maria Hill, Caitriona Lovell,  
Joseph (Benny) Lynch, Dean Maguire, Pat McConnell, Charles McDevitt, Katrina Meades,  
Fr Modest, Vernon Morgan, Sarah Morris, Peter Murphy, Maureen O'Driscoll, Kieran Ollin,  
Alan Paines, Rona Perry, Valentino Rascon, John Reardon, Rhian Reardon, Cath Rees,  
Claire Richards, Pat Roberts, Adela Rogers, Peter Scott, Dewi Thomas, Emma Warlow,  
Dorothy Warren & Pat Watkins.