

3 Churches News

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Sundays April 1st & 8th 2018

Easter

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A happy, holy and peace-filled Easter to all our parishioners and friends
Fr Matthew

~~~~ Easter Sunday (Sunday 1 April 2018) ~~~~

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!

1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Acts 10: 34. 37-43 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: Colossians 3: 1-4 Gospel: John 20: 1-9

~~~~ Second Sunday of Easter Divine Mercy (Sunday 8 April 2018) ~~~~

Response to Psalm Give thanks to the Lord for he is good, for his love has no end.
Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia! Jesus said: 'You believe because you can see me.
Happy are those who have not seen and yet believe.' Alleluia!

1st Reading: Acts 2: 42-47 2nd Reading: 1 Peter 1: 3-9 Gospel: John 20: 19-31

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Father's News

TWO WEEK NEWSLETTER

Please note that this newsletter covers two weeks.

FRIDAY MASS

This week St Brigid's 7.30pm evening Mass will be on **Friday**, and replace morning Mass at St Paul's.

COMING UP...

CONFIRMATION

Archbishop George Stack will be with us on Saturday 21 April to celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation at Christ the King.

CELEBRATE!

This annual fantastic family weekend takes place at Mary Immaculate High School 21 - 22 April.

www.celebrateconference.org/wales

ANNIVERSARY

On Friday 27 April there will be a Thanksgiving Mass at 7pm for Fr Matthew's 40 Anniversary, followed by a Bring-and-Share supper. All are very welcome!

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Our children receive Jesus for the first time in Holy Communion on Saturday 12 May at St Brigid's.

ORDINATION

Deacon Peter Davies will be ordained by Archbishop Stack on Friday 29 June, the Feast of Sts Peter & Paul, at 7pm in St Brigid's.

Mass at 9.30 on Tuesday 3 April at Christ the King will be for deceased members of the 3 churches, particularly those who died in January (Len Baker, Brian Mark and Maureen Carroll)

A BIT OF POSTER FEEDBACK

A parishioner reports that a workman called to repair the cooker this week. While making him a cuppa, the man said "You're a Christian, then?" "What made you say that?" the parishioner enquired, to which the workman replied "Your notice in the front window." During the following short discussion, he revealed that his mother is a Catholic. The parishioner told him to get his act together and start going back to church! Any more feedback about the posters or cards?

LOURDES

Welsh National Pilgrimage: the dates this year are Sunday 22 - Friday 27 July, flying from Cardiff. Bookings should be made through Joe Walsh Tours. Telephone 029 2000 3865 / London 0203 468 0617

Fr Matthew's 40 Anniversary

It is the actual date of Fr Matthew's ordination - 1/4/1978..... 1/4/2018. 40 years is a wonderful milestone and deserving of recognition by us all. May God Bless Him for all his care and devotion, past present and in the future.

St David's Praise is back with The Sons of Jubal (from Georgia USA) for a stirring evening of music and praise with an American twist - Saturday 28 April 7.30pm at St David's Hall. Tickets £14 & £13 available from the box office. Come along and join the members of the 3 Churches who belong to the St David's Praise Choir for a rousing concert for the Easter season.

Monday Group

The Monday Group Ladies will be holding their charity coffee morning on Friday 13 April after 9.30 Mass at St. Paul's. Proceeds will be for Myeloma Research.

Last month's coffee morning for our Charity-of-year, Tros Gynol Plant - a Welsh Charity helping people and children in Wales, raised over £100. Thanks to all who supported this.

Following the confirmation candidates bake sale after mass on 10/3, they raised £92 and this has been donated to Marie Curie which was their decision at our retreat. Thank you all for your support.

Circle of Friends Group

The next meeting of the Circle of Friends will take place on Monday 9 April in Three Arches in Rhydypennau at 7.30pm. Some of us will be meeting first for a meal from about 6.30pm. If you would like to join us please come along or ring Celia Bailey (2075 2413) first for further information.

Huggard Centre for the Homeless (CASH)

A massive thank you to those who supported the recent Tea Party with the Rock Choir. A total of £1529.50 was raised and this has now been passed to the Centre.

At the moment the Centre is unable to accept donations of clothes due to a lack of storage but would be very grateful for TOWELS, MUGS, SOCKS AND UNDERWEAR. If you are able to help with those particular items please let me know and I will arrange to collect them. Your support is really appreciated. Celia Bailey (2075 2413)

Other events

NEW Alpha Course

Starting:

Sunday 22 April

You are very welcome to join the Alpha Course which is being run by Park End Church over the next 12 weeks.

If you would like to join the course or would like any further information, please contact

Nick or Jo Perry

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We will be meeting at 7:15pm on Sunday evenings starting 22 April at:

9 Pendraw Place, Cyncoed, Cardiff CF23 6JS

You will be made very welcome.

www.parkendcardiff.org.uk

Please remember the deceased members of the 3 churches whose anniversaries occur in April including: Peter Murphy, Betty Martin, Lillian Toozer, Teresa Berridge, Olga Davis, Vincent Regan, Pat Worthington, Peter Nyhan, Edmund Ring, Thomas Richards, Michael Mills, Maria Hatton, Pat Roberts, Peter Fearby, Mary Cole and Concetta Filice

St Brigid's & St Paul's

RIP

Please continue to pray for the repose of **Beryl Drayton** recently deceased. Requiem at St Paul's Monday 9 April 12 noon. Please remember her relations and friends in your prayers.

There will be no Eucharistic Adoration on Wednesdays at St Paul's Church until 11 April (inclusive). We will restart after Easter on Wednesday 18 April.

Teas at St Brigid's

All are welcome to tea and coffee after the 11.00 mass at St Brigid's. All monies raised go to the City Hospice formerly called the George Thomas hospice

Christ the King

"50 Club" Winners

March 2018

1st Prize £25

Rona Flynn

2nd Prize £15

David Stone

3rd Prize £12

Anna & Ivan Roach

Parish Office

Please note the Parish Office will be closed this week and will reopen on Monday 9 April

Adoration

There will be no Adoration on Easter Tuesday 3 April. We resume again on Tuesday 10 April.

Walk With Me for Easter

Copies of Walk With Me for Easter are now available on the table at the back of the church priced £1

APF-Mill Hill collection

Thank you for your continued support of the APF-Mill Hill charity. Christ the King parish has raised a grand total of £4433.02 during 2017, through red box collection and direct donations. This is, again, the highest for any parish in the Archdiocese of Cardiff. The Missio Central office is grateful to all the donors, collectors and promoters for raising money for propagation of the Faith in underprivileged areas of the world.



Sunday April 1st Easter Sunday

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| Sat. 8.30pm | St Brigid's | Easter Vigil and First Mass (People of the Parish) | Easter |
| Sun. 9am | St Paul's | Cole Intention | |
| | 9am | C the K | Easter Sunday Mass Stuart & Fraser Bates (A Liddington) |
| | 11am | St Brigid's | Thanksgiving (Fr M) |
| | 6pm | St Brigid's | Dec'd Camilleri Fam |
| Mon. 9.30am | St Paul's | Thanksgiving (Slowikowska) | Easter Monday |
| Tues. 9.30am | C the K | Intention of Tess Evans (C Lush) | Easter Tuesday |
| Wed. 9.30am | St Paul's | Eucharistic Service | Easter Wednesday |
| Thurs. 9.30am | C the K | Special Intention (F) | Easter Thursday |
| Fri. 7.30pm | St Brigid's | Scott & Lucy (Stone) | Easter Friday |
| Sat. 9.30am | St Brigid's | David Jenkins (Tunncliffe) | Easter Saturday |

Sunday April 8th 2nd Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy)

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| Sat. | 6pm | C the K | Don Barry (B Theeswaran) | |
| Sun. | 9am | St Paul's | Maureen Carroll (Cole) | |
| | | | 2 nd Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy) | |
| | 9am | C the K | Sian Clark (M & C Johnson) | |
| | 11am | St Brigid's | Eric Russell | |
| | 6pm | St Brigid's | People of the Parish | |
| Mon. | 9.30am | St Brigid's | John & Norma Pathy | Annunciation |
| | 12 noon | St Paul's | Requiem: Beryl Drayton | |
| Tues. | 9.30am | C the K | Nancy Hansen (B Brown) | |
| Wed. | 9.30am | St Paul's | Brian Mark | St Stanislaus |
| Thurs. | 9.30am | C the K | Charles McDevitt (A McDevitt) | |
| | 7.30pm | St Brigid's | The Sick of the Parishes | |
| Fri. | 9.30am | St Brigid's | Barbara Nelson | |
| Sat. | 9.30am | St Brigid's | Available | |

Sunday April 15th 3rd Sunday of Easter

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| Sat. | 6pm | C the K | Peter Murphy (Murphy Family) | |
| Sun. | 9am | St Paul's | Doreen & John Smits | 3 rd Sunday of Easter |
| | 9am | C the K | Dom Bryon (M & C Johnson) | |
| | 11am | St Brigid's | People of the Parish | |
| | 6pm | St Brigid's | Available | |

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Eucharistic Adoration

Christ the King

Resumes 10 April

St. Paul's

Resumes 18 April

St. Brigid's

Sacrament of Reconciliation

St Brigid's

Saturday 10-10.30

St Paul's

Friday before/after

9.30am Mass

Christ the King

Saturday 5.30pm

Last Week's Collection

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| Sts. Brigid & Paul | |
| Gift Aid | £ 779.20 |
| Non Gift Aid | £ 548.02 |
| Total | £ 1327.22 |
| S/O month av. | £ 846.77 |

Christ the King

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

Praying for our Neighbours

Please remember in your prayers this week
our neighbours in

St Edwen Gardens

Woosnam Close & Salmon Close

Heol y Cadno & Clos y Ceinach

Jubilee Gardens

Scholars Drive

Lake Road West & Ullswater Avenue

who have received prayer cards in
the last few days.

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:

Mary Amugan, Chris Babu, Edith Baker, John Campbell, Mary Clarke,
John Cook, Terry Culbertson, Agnes Davies, Win Drury, Emily, Bobi Gower,
Patrick Harris, Maria Hill, Caitriona Lovell, Sarah Morris, Peter Murphy, Kieran Ollin,
Rona Perry, Valentino Rascon, John Reardon, Claire Richards, Adela Rogers,
Shaun Stone, Bev Tumelty, Anne Wake, Gemma Ward,
Emma Warlow, Dorothy Warren & Pat Watkins.