

# 3 CHURCHES NEWS

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22<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year A)

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**Corona Virus – Help a Parishioner. If you are well and able to do so, please offer to help our older & more vulnerable parishioners who may need assistance during this uncertain time.**

Dear parishioners and friends of our 3 Churches



Can we sense some kind of opening up, even a return to some kind of normal? If so, it is natural to be excited by that. But the fact is that we are still in a very precarious situation regarding the virus. All the more reason, then, as our children and grandchildren return to school, to make sure that we follow appropriate directions, and protocols in school, in church, at work, at home – everywhere. Meanwhile, it's great seeing everyone who is able to come to church, and knowing that hundreds are following on the internet. Welcome one and all!

*Fr Matthew*

**Response to the Psalm:** For you my soul is thirsting, O Lord my God.

**Gospel Acclamation:** Alleluia, alleluia! May the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ enlighten the eyes of our mind, so that we can see what hope his call holds for us. Alleluia!

**First Reading:** Jeremiah 20:7-9 **Second Reading:** Romans 12:1-2

**Gospel:** Matthew 16:21-27

## MASS

### **Remember...**

...the Sunday Obligation is still lifted, so you can come to Mass any day.

...all St Brigid's Masses and services are streamed via 24/7 camera at [3churches.org](http://3churches.org)

...10.30 Sunday Mass is followed by a "virtual coffee" at 11.20ish via Zoom 865 017 3340 / coffee

...thank you for complying with the stewards' directions. To offer time as a steward via [Anstic2018@yahoo.com](mailto:Anstic2018@yahoo.com) (St Paul's & St Brigid's) or Marie [llanishen@rcadc.org](mailto:llanishen@rcadc.org) (Christ the King)

## SACRAMENTS

For Baptisms, Marriages and Funerals please contact Fr Matthew. Confessions are by arrangement.

## R.I.P.

Please pray for the repose of the soul of David Rees, whose Funeral will take place at Christ the King week beginning 31<sup>st</sup> August. We remember his family and relations in our prayers.

## SUPPORT YOUR PARISH

To receive the newsletter by email, contact our editor [luke.todd@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:luke.todd@yahoo.co.uk)

If not already doing so, please consider starting a bank standing order.

**Zoom service** – Sundays 6pm (lasts around 30 minutes). Contact Kath Liddington to join ([liddingtonk@talktalk.net](mailto:liddingtonk@talktalk.net))

**SAFEGUARDING** – *Jim Winterbottom (Christ the King) and Pat Williams (St Brigid's)*

<b>Sunday August 30<sup>th</sup> 22<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>			
<b>SATURDAY 6.00pm</b>	Christ the King	Christina Lewis (Bailey)	
<b>SUNDAY 9.00am</b> <b>10.30am</b> <b>6.00pm</b>	Christ the King	James Noel Skinner (Pinnell)	<b>22<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>
	St Brigid's	Jack Barratt	
St Brigid's	People of the Parishes		
<b>MONDAY 9.30am</b>	St Brigid's	Special Intention	
<b>TUESDAY 9.30am</b>	Christ the King	Deceased of our 3 Churches	
<b>WEDNESDAY 9.30am</b>	<b><u>St Paul's</u></b>	David McLees (Cole)	
<b>THURSDAY 9.30am</b> <b>7.30pm</b>	Christ the King	Savage Family	<b>St Gregory the Great</b>
	St Brigid's	The Sick	
<b>FRIDAY 9.30am</b>	St Brigid's	Camilleri Wedding Anniversary	<b>St Augustine</b>
<b>SATURDAY 9.30am</b> <b>6pm</b>	St Brigid's	Huguette Skinner & Marjorie Elsworth	
	Christ the King	Tony Greenman	
<b>SUNDAY 9am</b> <b>10.30am</b> <b>6pm</b>	Christ the King	John & Evelyn Lloyd (Family)	<b>23<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>
	St Brigid's	David Gaisford	
	St Brigid's	People of the Parish	

~~ JOKE TIME ~~

We know you're waiting for Fr Andy's joke for the week...  
What do demons have on their holidays?  
A devil of a time!

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**The Christian Aid Autumn Appeal has just launched... Global Neighbours.**  
Find out more at – [www.christianaid.org.uk/appeals/global-neighbours-autumn-appeal](http://www.christianaid.org.uk/appeals/global-neighbours-autumn-appeal)

**Mass on Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> September 9.30am at Christ the King will be offered for the deceased members of the 3 Churches, in particular for Margaret Hoffer, Michael Crowley, Ivy Church and David McLees who died in June.**

**CTK Church Cleaning Help Needed!** Coronavirus means those over 70 are in the 'vulnerable category' and due to government restrictions are unable to carry out these tasks. Men & women of the parish who are under 70 years old, are needed to help keep the church clean. Sanitising products are available and precautions have been taken to ensure safety. If you can help for around an hour once a fortnight, contact Marie in CTK Parish Office

**CTK Stewards** - We are in urgent need of stewards for the weekday Masses from the beginning of September. If you can help, please contact Marie - [llanishen@rcadc.org](mailto:llanishen@rcadc.org) tel 2075 3945

### **Praying for our Neighbours**

Even if we cannot deliver prayer cards we will continue to pray during the coming week for our neighbours in...Heol Merlin, Wasdale Close & Gilwern Crescent.

### **Cycle of Prayer**

We continue to pray for the parishes and communities of our diocese. This week prayer is for Sts Julian, Aaron, and David, Caerleon, part of Newport All Saints area, Fr Michael Doyle and team, and St Cadoc's Hospital.

### **PRAYERS**

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

Mary Amugan, Chris Babu, Edith Baker, Ann Brown, John Campbell, Mary Clarke, Corey-Jay Coles, Terry Culbertson, Agnes Davies, Claire Doherty, Bill Drury, Win Drury, Sheila Ferriter, Emily, Maria Hill, Paul John, Caitriona Lovell, Michael Matthews, Dominic Morgan, Sarah Morris, Brendan Murphy, Niamh Murphy, Audrey Nelson, Kieran Ollin, Rona Perry, Michael Porter, John Reardon, Ann Rees, Claire Richards, Anne Roach, Adela Rogers, Shaun Stone, Paula Tunncliffe, Genoveve Urriaga, Anne Wake, Gemma Ward, Emma Warlow, Dorothy Warren & Pat Watkins.