

3 CHURCHES NEWS

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Dear friends and parishioners



Please remember that next Sunday is 15 August, and therefore the **Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary**. This is the principal feast of Our Lady in the Church's calendar and has its own readings and prayers. ~ Fr Matthew

***** Sunday 8 August: 19 Sunday of Ordinary Time *****

Response to the Psalm: Taste and see that the Lord is good.

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia! If anyone loves me he will keep my word, and my Father will love him, and we shall come to him. Alleluia!

1st Reading: 1 Kings 19:4-8 **2nd Reading:** Ephesians 4:30 – 5:2 **Gospel:** John 6:41-51

***** Sunday 15 August: The Assumption of Our Lady *****

Response to the Psalm: On your right stands the queen, in garments of gold.

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia! Mary has been taken up into heaven; all the choirs of angels are rejoicing. Alleluia!

1st Reading: Apocalypse 11:19; 12:1-6.10 **2nd Reading:** Corinthians 15:20-26 **Gospel:** Luke 1:39-56

3 CHURCHES INFO. ** PLEASE NOTE THAT FACE MASKS MUST BE WORN IN CHURCH **

- For all parish **email communication with the Presbytery**, use matthew.jones@rcadc.org
- There will be no "virtual coffee" for two Sundays.
- For **Baptisms, Marriages & Funerals** please contact Fr Matthew. Confessions by arrangement.
- To receive the **newsletter by email or submit items** - luke.todd@yahoo.co.uk

Afternoon Tea on the Move on Sunday 22 August from 2.30pm in support of Seeds for the Future (Lesotho). Starting at St Brigid's with a savoury bite; moving on (walking / cycling / driving) to Christ the King for a scone treat; returning to St Brigid's for afternoon tea, last serving at 5pm. An opportunity to combine socialising, high quality refreshment, exercise, and support for Seeds for the Future – in a Covid-safe outdoor setting. Tickets £15 donation covering refreshments, drinks and a tea 'box' of sandwiches, cakes and biscuits. Additional cakes available to buy on the day; and a raffle! Ticket requests to seedsstf@gmail.com or to Elizabeth Taylor 2075 1401. Please advise any dietary requirements. Last date for ticket requests, 18 August.

3 Churches Food Market – The next 3 Churches Food Market is Saturday 21 August 10.30 – 11.30 at St Brigid's Hall. All food (perishable and non-perishable) is free. If you know of anyone who would benefit from some extra food, particularly now during the school holidays, please ask them to come along and help themselves to some items of food. Or, come to the Hall yourself and take and deliver a bag of food to someone you know who is in need. If you can help, please come to the Hall at 10am on Saturday 21st.

SAFEGUARDING – St Brigid's: Pat Williams; St Paul's: Carl French

Christ the King: Christine Williams (07543 105768; chriswilliams.wales1@gmail.com); Neil Powell (07966 015885; neiljpowell@gmail.com)

NHS TRACK, TRACE, PROTECT – Use the **NHS Track & Trace App** to scan the QR code each time you enter the church. Alternatively, you can fill in a paper contact form. **KEEP SAFE!**

Sunday August 8th 19th Sunday of Ordinary Time			
SATURDAY 6.00pm	Christ the King	Andrew Donovan (L Barry)	
SUNDAY 9.00am 9.00am 10.30am 6.00pm	Christ the King	Sylvia Martin (A McDevitt)	19th Sunday of Ordinary Time
	St Paul's	Holy Father's Intention	
	St Brigid's	People of the Parish	
	St Brigid's	<i>Available</i>	
MONDAY 9.30am	St Brigid's	Flow Walsh (Stone)	St Teresa Benedicta
TUESDAY 9.30am	Christ the King	Glyn Williams (S Passey)	St Laurence
WEDNESDAY 9.30am	St Paul's	Holy Souls	St Clare
THURSDAY 9.30am 7.30pm	Christ the King	Rhona Flynn (A Rees)	St Jane Frances de Chantal
	St Brigid's	<i>Available</i>	
FRIDAY 9.30am	St Paul's	Sick & Housebound of Parishes	
SATURDAY 9.30am 6.00pm	St Brigid's	<i>Available</i>	St Maximilian Kolbe
	Christ the King	Peter O'Brien (Family)	
SUNDAY 9.00am 9.00am 10.30am 6.00pm	Christ the King	William Thomas Brown (B Brown)	The Assumption of Our Lady
	St Paul's	Families of the Parishes	
	St Brigid's	Private Int (Casey)	
	St Brigid's	People of the Parish	
Monday 9.30am	St Brigid's	Holy Souls	St Stephen of Hungary
Tuesday 9.30am	Christ the King	Felicity and Craig (A Rees)	
Wednesday 9.30am	St Paul's	Time Cole	
Thursday 9.30am 7.30pm	Christ the King	Felicity and Craig (B Hudson)	St John Eudes
	St Brigid's	<i>Available</i>	
Friday 9.30am	St Paul's	The Sick & Housebound	St Bernard
Saturday 9.30am 1.00pm 6.00pm	St Brigid's	<i>Available</i>	St Pius X
	Christ the King	Marriage of Rashmi D'Souza and Francesco Fiorini	
	Christ the King	Mary Taylor (Family)	
Sunday 9.00am 9.00am 10.30am 6.00pm	Christ the King	Tess Court (A Rees)	21st Sunday of Ordinary Time
	St Paul's	Holy Father's Intention	
	St Brigid's	People of the Parish	
	St Brigid's	<i>Available</i>	

Praying for our Neighbours - Even if we cannot deliver prayer cards, we will continue to pray during the coming week for our neighbours in... Duffryn Close, Attfield Close, Orchard Castle, Dan yr Heol, Graham Close, Cae Garw, Brynawelon Road, Woosnam Close & Brookvale Drive.

Cycle of Prayer - We pray this week for the parish of St David's Cathedral, Archbishop Stack, Fr Robert James, Nazareth House, the University Chaplaincy and St Cuthbert's School, and for St Mary's, Canton, Canon Peter Collins, Fr Nicholas Williams and Deacons Maurice Scanlon and Christian Mahoney, and St Mary's School. Our Lady Star of the Sea, Porthcawl, pp Fr Tim McGrath and Deacons Rob Coyne and Anthony Martin.

Please remember the following in your prayers, who are unwell at this time: Mary Amugan, Chris Babu, Edith Baker, Ann Brown, EAB, John Campbell, Corey-Jay Coles, Terry Culbertson, Win Drury, Emily, Sheila Ferriter, Baby Francesca, Patrick Harris, Maria Hill, Caitriona Lovell, Michael Mathews, Miranda Meldrum, Dominic Morgan, Sarah Morris, Brendan Murphy, Kate Murphy, Niamh Murphy, Audrey Nelson, Kieran Ollin, Rona Perry, Bob Pugsley, John Reardon, Claire Richards, Anne Roach, Adela Rogers, Shaun Stone, Bev Tumelty, Anne Wake, Gemma Ward, Emma Warlow, & Dorothy Warren.