3 CHURCHES NEWS

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Sunday September 19th 2021 25th Sunday of Ordinary Time (Year B)

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Dear friends and parishioners

Through our Baptism we are all responsible for the life and ministry of the Church. This autumn let's be thinking about what God has given us that we can share with one another. The number of people who have offered to help with the Food Bank and more recently the Food Market shows that we can all share our time and our talents in many different ways. So, what do *you* have to share and how can *you* share it? ~ *Fr Matthew*

Response to the Psalm: The Lord upholds my life.

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia! I am the light of the world, says the Lord,

Anyone who follows me will have the light of life. Alleluia!

1st Reading: Wisdom 2:12. 17-20 2nd Reading: James 3:16 – 4:3 Gospel: Mark 9:30-37

BAPTISMS – This coming Saturday we welcome into the Church **Darcie Walsh** at St Brigid's. Please remember her parents and god-parents in your prayers.

WEDDING – We congratulate Shaun Darker & Jordan Male on their wedding day at St Brigid's this Sunday

<u>FUNERAL</u> – **Priscilla Quinn** passed away peacefully last month. She has been part of the Christ the King Parish for over sixty years and will be greatly missed by many. Her Funeral Mass will be held at Christ the King at 12 noon next Tuesday 28 September.

<u>CARDIFF MARTYRS</u> – The recently verified relics of **Sts John Lloyd and Philip Evans** will be brought to Cardiff next month from their home at Stonyhurst in Lancashire. From Thursday 21st to Sunday 24th October there will be several events in Cardiff to mark this, so look out for further details.

MASS COUNT – We are asked to take a Mass count during these last two weekends of September and the first two weekends of October, including the Saturday Vigil Masses. In order to make the count as accurate as possible, we should make separate counts for each Sunday Mass (i.e., Saturday evening & Sunday), to include everyone (including children) present at Mass. St Brigid's and St Paul's should forward figures to Fr Matthew, and Christ the King to Marie O'Brien. Thank you.

Link to Hope Shoebox Appeal – The leaflets for the annual Shoebox Appeal can be found in the porch of Christ the King. All shoeboxes need to be with Vickie Adshead (07776 497946) by 5 November.

<u>Liturgy of the Word from Mass</u> – Sunday evenings at **6pm**. Open to everyone in our 3 Churches. The Zoom code is: 9851280988. The Password is: Church.

<u>SAFEGUARDING</u> – 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!*

	Sunda	y September 19th 25th Sunday of Ordinary Time	
SATURDAY 6.00pm	Christ the King	Rhona Flynn (S & D Mitchell)	
SUNDAY 9.00am	Christ the King	Elvira Andrew Donovan (M Bryon)	
9.00am	St Paul's	Alan James (Slowikowska)	25 th Sunday of
10.30am	St Brigid's	People of the Parishes	Ordinary Time
3.00pm	St Brigid's	Wedding Service: Shaun Darker & Jordan Male	
6.00pm	St Brigid's	Available	
MONDAY 9.30am	St Brigid's	Fr Jimmy Lutwana AJ (Thomas)	Martyrs of Korea
TUESDAY 9.30am	Christ the King	Gerard Nash (C Bailey)	St Matthew
WEDNESDAY 9.30am	St Paul's	People of our Diocese	
THURSDAY 9.30am	Christ the King	Kathleen Brown (B Brown)	St (Padre) Pio
7.30pm	St Brigid's	Available	
FRIDAY 9.30am	St Paul's	Sick & Housebound	
SATURDAY 9.30am	St Brigid's	Available	
3.00pm	St Brigid's	Memorial Mass: Ryan Moore	
6.00pm	Christ the King	Mary Taylor (Taylor Family)	
SUNDAY 9.00am	Christ the King	Lorenzo Marcelli (Falsini Family)	26 th Sunday of
9.00am	St Paul's	People of the Parish	Ordinary Time
10.30am	St Brigid's	Ryan Moore	
6.00pm	St Brigid's	Available	

ALERT LEVEL ZERO – Social distancing is now relaxed, although members of the congregation are encouraged to leave a space between themselves and the next group. 'Leave a Space' laminated cards are available on the table in the porch for anyone who wishes to remain socially distanced. All other precautions remain in place, stewards, track and trace, face masks, ventilation, and hand sanitising.

<u>Christ the King Primary School</u> – The New Curriculum for Wales will be implemented in Welsh schools from September 2022. At Christ the King, we would like our fellow pupils, parents, staff members, governors and members of the Parish and wider community's thoughts and contributions to our curriculum development work. This short survey will only take a few minutes and we welcome all contributions. https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=Ug4_TzS3ZEGUCRtgHRR5k9wsvzG7v6JMmHAc6SKbfxVURThZUEE4SFVFNTUwU09HTUhIQ1dCTDIwOC4u

Memorial Services – The families of those whose funerals took place from March - June 2020 faced tight restrictions, the only option being a brief crematorium or graveside service with few people present. Now restrictions have eased a number of these families have requested memorial services in church and the first, a requiem mass for Ryan Moore, takes place on Saturday 25 September 3pm at St Brigid's.

<u>Praying for our Neighbours</u> – We continue to pray during the coming week for our neighbours in... Westminster Drive, Penylan Terrace & Reigate Close.

Cycle of Prayer – The diocese prays this week for Holy Family parish, Fairwater, pp Canon Peter Collins, Mgr John Maguire (in residence), Holy Family School and Rookwood Hospital.

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, Baby Francesca, Patrick Harris, Maria Hill, Ray Hudson, 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.