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Parish of St. Teilo's with Our Lady of Lourdes

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Parish Newsletter



Weekend 31st March-1st April and 7th - 8th April 2018
Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord and
Second Sunday of Eastertide (Divine Mercy Sunday)

Today's Mass: The Mass readings and prayers for the Easter Vigil are on page 216, for Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord on page 251 and for the Second Sunday of Eastertide on page 255 of the Mass Book.

Easter Collection - There is only one collection at all Masses on Easter Day – this is the Easter Offering for our Parish Priest.

Easter Greetings - Canon Isaac would like to wish you and all your loved ones every joy and blessing during this Easter Season. May the light of the risen Lord shine in your lives!

Newsletter for two weeks

Please note that this week's newsletter covers two weeks. Please keep a copy for next week.

Welcome - At the Easter Vigil, we welcome Ryan Moreland and George Caravias into full communion with the Church. We pray that they may be enriched by their new lives as Catholic Christians as all of us are renewed in our Baptismal Faith by this Holy Season.

Social Gathering - A glass of wine or soft drink will be available after the Easter Vigil at St. Teilo's for us to celebrate our Easter faith together.

Easter Flowers - Canon Isaac would like to thank all those who kindly donated to the Easter Flowers in both churches.

Apostles Creed - At weekday Mass during Eastertide, we use the Apostles' Creed as a reminder of the Easter Faith of the Church.

Memorial Candle - The candle burning in front of the Book of Remembrance this week, April 1st-7th, is in memory of Christine Tune. The candle burning in front of the Book of Remembrance the following week, April 8th-14th, is for the repose of the souls of the members of the Caffarelli Family. May they, and all the faithful departed, rest in peace.

Coffee Morning at St. Teilo's - Friday, April 7th, is the first Friday of the month and so the 10am Mass at St. Teilo's will be followed by a coffee morning. All are welcome to come up to the Hall after Mass for a convivial cup of tea or coffee, cake and a chat.

Mass attendance on Sunday 24th / 25th March 2018
 6pm - 82 St. Teilo's 9am - 140, 11am - 155, 6.30pm - 101

Rest in Peace

Please kindly keep in your prayers the repose of the souls of Mrs. Julia Hamilton, Miss Helena Evans, Mr. Colin Harty, Mrs. Mary Crowley and Jack Lovell who have all died recently. Mrs Hamilton, a resident of Nazareth House, will have her Funeral Service at Thornhill at 3pm on Tuesday, April 10th. Miss Evans' Requiem Mass is on Thursday, April 12th at 10am at St. Teilo's followed by cremation at Thornhill. Mr Harty's Funeral Service will take place at Our Lady of Lourdes on Thursday, April 19th at 12.15pm followed by committal at Thornhill. Mrs Crowley's Requiem Mass will take place at St Teilo's on Friday, May 4th. Exact timings will be announced shortly.

Mass and Confessions on Saturday - Please note the earlier time for Mass on Saturday, April 7th. Mass will be at 8.30am and there will be no Confessions. Canon is attending the funeral of Canon Harold Clarke at St. Martin's, Roath that morning.

Nazareth House Easter Fayre - On Easter Saturday, April 7th, Nazareth House is holding its Easter Fayre. It opens at 1.30pm and runs all afternoon. Entry is £1 and there are lots of stalls: Games, Prize Draw, Tombola, the Sisters' Famous Irish Coffee, Bottle Stall, etc. Why not go along and support the work of the Sisters?

Divine Mercy Sunday - Next Sunday, April 8th, is Divine Mercy Sunday. An afternoon of Divine Mercy is taking place at St. Alban's Church, Splott. Confessions are available from 2pm to 4pm. Holy Mass is celebrated at 4pm. The Chaplet of Divine Mercy will be prayed at 4.45pm. Veneration of the Divine Mercy Image and Veneration of the First Class Relic of St. Faustina will take place from 5pm. Jesus in his apparition to St. Faustina said: "If a soul is sincere and repentant and goes to Confession and Communion on my Feast of Mercy he or she will be forgiven all past sins and will not suffer any punishment for those sins in the next life." This is a great opportunity to renew our faith.

APF Red Mission Boxes

Many thanks to all who have continued to donate through the red boxes to support the Missionary activity of the Church. If your box has not been collected in March, would you kindly contact me and then Peter Jones will arrange for it to be collected. Many thanks. Peter Jones - Tel. 07594 693054

Baptism Courses – April and May

Dates are now available for the Baptism Courses in April and May. The course in April will take place at Christ the King, Llanishen on Thursdays, April 12th and 19th at 7.30pm. Brigid Lee is hosting this course. Anyone wishing to attend should e-mail Brigid for details of the venue at andylee63@talktalk.net

The course in May takes place at St Brigid's, Crystal Glen on Tuesdays, May 8th and 15th at 7pm. Please e-mail Ann Martin if you are planning to attend, at stevemartincardiff@gmail.com

Confirmation - Please note that there will be no Confirmation class during the Easter Holidays, on April 3rd or April 10th. The next class will be on Tuesday, April 17th. This class will be the Rehearsal for the Confirmation and will run from 6.30pm until 8pm.

This Rehearsal is for the candidates only.

After Mass Refreshments

There will be tea & coffee after the 11am Mass next Sunday April 8th

Collections for 24th / 25th March 2018					
LOL	6pm	St Teilo's	9am	11am	6.30pm
Cash	£ 123		£ 193	£ 219	£ 194
Gift Aid	£ 132		£ 198	£ 390	£ 130

The CELEBRATE Conference, Cardiff, April 21st to 22nd

CELEBRATE is a conference for all, young and old, open to individuals and families alike. We hope that the weekend will help you find fresh inspiration and renewal in your faith in a relaxed and friendly environment. We aim to make a space in which God can be powerfully present. Experience and feedback teaches us that these weekends are a time of great blessing through: Inspired Teaching from three great speakers, theatre productions from RISE and spirit-led praise & worship

The conference is on April 21st and 22nd at Mary Immaculate High School, Ely.

This will be a lively Catholic weekend conference for all ages. For more information, go to www.celebrateconference.org/weekends/wales.

Praying for those who are to be ordained to the Sacred Priesthood

This is a reminder to pray for all those who are preparing to receive the Sacrament of Orders in 2018. Dates for all the ordinations have now been confirmed.

Please keep in your prayers:

Rev Robert James, from Grangetown, who will be ordained a priest of the Archdiocese at St. David's Cathedral on Saturday, June 2nd.

Rev Peter Davies, from Gabalfa, who will be ordained a priest of the Archdiocese at St Brigid's on Friday, June 29th at 7pm

Rev David Prichard, whom we know well and his confrere Rev David Hathaway, who will be ordained, along with other priests to serve in the Ordinariate, on Saturday, June 30th, in the Oratory in Birmingham.

Rev Nicholas Williams, from Rumney, who spent part of his period of study in our parish, who will be ordained priest of the Archdiocese at St. David's Cathedral on Saturday, July 7th.

Please also kindly pray for Laurence Bryce who will be ordained Deacon of the Archdiocese at Allen Hall Seminary on Saturday, June 16th.

Please note that the list of our Faithful Departed whose anniversaries occur this week is on the noticeboard. Please inform Canon Isaac of any sick or housebound parishioners who would like to receive Communion at home.

Mass Times / Intentions Weeks Beginning 31st March - 1st April 2018			
Saturday 31st March The Easter Vigil	St.T.	8pm	Easter Vigil For the People of the Parish
	O.L.O.L.	8pm	Wigilia Paschalne
Sun 1st April Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord	St.T.	9am	Winifride Mullins - Anniversary
	O.L.O.L.	10.30am	Bilingual Easter Mass - English and Polish Msza dwujęzyczna - angielska i polska
	St.T.	11am	Special Intention
	O.L.O.L.	12pm	Msza w języku polskim

Confessions

Saturday: St. Teilo's - 10.30-11am
 OLOL - 5.15-5.45pm

Note:- No confessions at St. Teilo's
 on Saturday 7th April

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Mon 2nd April Easter Monday	St.T.	10am	Angela Hendy - RIP (MS)
Tue 3rd April Easter Tuesday	St.T.	10am	Fr. Jimmy Thomas - RIP (GG)
Wed 4th April Easter Wednesday	O.L.O.L.	7pm	Holy Souls
Thu 5th April Easter Thursday	St.T.	10am	Private Intention
Fri 6th April Easter Friday	St.T.	10am	Canon William Morris - RIP George, Mary and David Allen
Sat 7th April Easter Saturday	St.T.	8.30am	Brian Young (CBY)
Sat 7th April 2nd Sunday of Eastertide	O.L.O.L.	6pm	For the People of the Parish
	O.L.O.L.	7.15pm	Msza w języku polskim
Sun 8th April 2nd Sunday of Eastertide	St.T.	9am	Holy Souls
	O.L.O.L.	10.30am	Msza w języku polskim
	St.T.	11am	Josephine Zachrias - RIP (PP)
	O.L.O.L.	12pm	Msza w języku polskim
	St.T.	6.30pm	Private Intention
Mon 9th April The Annunciation of Our Lord (Solemnity)	St.T.	10am	Thomas and Winifride Mullins
Tue 10th April	St.T.	10am	All the Dead (CBY)
Wed 11th April St. Stanislaus, Bishop & Martyr	O.L.O.L.	7pm	James Farrell - Anniversary (BMWF)
Thu 12th April	St.T.	10am	Requiem Mass for Helena Evans
Fri 13th April	St.T.	10am	Avril Clear (UMcC)
Sat 14th April	St.T.	10am	Holy Souls
Sat 14th April 3rd Sunday of Eastertide	O.L.O.L.	6pm	Private Intention
	O.L.O.L.	7.15pm	Msza w języku polskim
Sun 15th April 3rd Sunday of Eastertide	St.T.	9am	Holy Souls
	O.L.O.L.	10.30am	Msza w języku polskim
	St.T.	11am	For the People of the Parish
	O.L.O.L.	12pm	Msza w języku polskim
	St.T.	6.30pm	Special Intention (R&MT)