

# 3 Churches News

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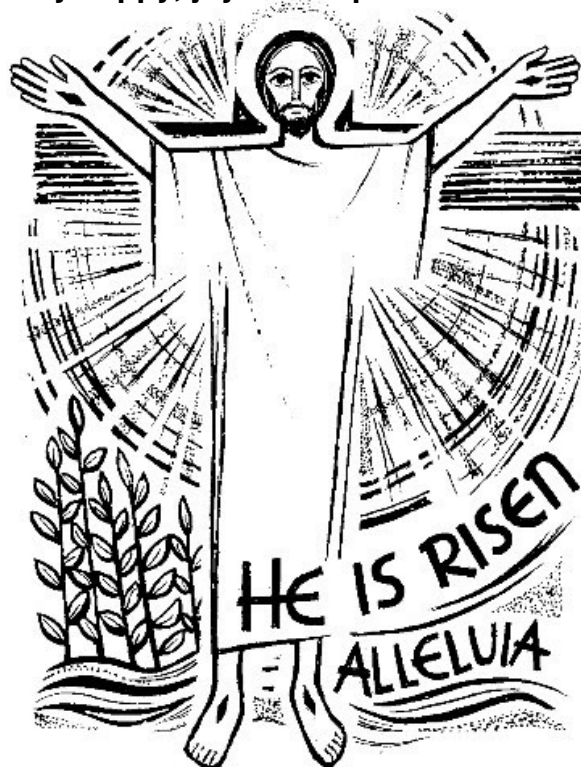
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**Easter Sunday | Divine Mercy Sunday**

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Fr Matthew and Fr Tomy wish all our parishioners and friends of the 3 Churches  
a very happy, joyful and peace-filled Easter!



~~~~ Easter Sunday (Sunday 20 April 2014) ~~~~



Response to Psalm **This day was made by the Lord; we rejoice and are glad**

Gospel Acclamation: **Christ, our Passover has been sacrificed; let us celebrate the feast then, in the Lord. Alleluia!**

**1st Reading:** Acts 10: 34. 37-43 **2nd Reading:** Letter of St Paul to Colossians 3: 1-4 **Gospel:** John 20: 1-9

~~~~ **2nd Sunday of Easter: Divine Mercy Sunday (Sunday 27 April 2014)** ~~~~

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:** St Peter 1: 3-9 **Gospel:** John 20: 19-31

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### Father's News

#### NEWSLETTER

Please note that this newsletter covers two weeks, and also that owing to Fr Tomy being away, there will be fewer weekday Masses.

#### Father Owen Hardwicke

Fr Owen Hardwicke will mark 60 years of his priesthood on **Friday 25 April with an anniversary mass of thanksgiving at 7.30pm at St Mary of the Angels in Canton**, the church where he was ordained. Fr Owen served in the Wrexham diocese but has been a regular visitor to Christ the King for many years and a great help and support to us in the 3 churches since his return to Cardiff in retirement. All are welcome to attend the mass and refreshments afterwards in St Mary's church hall. For further information please contact Elizabeth Taylor 2075 1401. (On 17 June Fr Owen will celebrate a further mass of thanksgiving, this time for his 90<sup>th</sup> birthday, at St Francis Church in Llay.)

#### **MISSIONS APPEAL**

On the weekends 3/4 May and 17/18 May missionary priests will be at Christ the King and then St Brigid/St Paul's respectively to make the annual appeal permitted by the Bishops.

#### TORCHLIGHT PROCESSION

The annual Torchlight Procession in honour of Our Lady takes place at Belmont Abbey, Hereford, on Wednesday 14 May starting at 9pm. Preacher: Dom Brendan Thomas. Refreshments available afterwards. Info: 01432 374 735

#### **CELEBRATE WALES**

Our Celebrate Wales Weekend is **3<sup>rd</sup> – 4<sup>th</sup> May at Corpus Christi High School**. This faith filled weekend is for the whole family - with inspiring talks and workshops, streams for children & young adults aged 3 to 21 and daily Mass, praise and worship. Talented speakers include Charles Whitehead and Pastor Clyde Thomas. Visit our webpage at [www.celebrateconference.org/wales](http://www.celebrateconference.org/wales) and see why hundreds of people recommend Celebrate Wales as something the whole family can enjoy together as they grow in faith. Pick up a leaflet at the back of the church, download a booking form at the website or phone 07961 346343 for more details.

Help needed for teas and coffee on the Saturday and Sunday if you can help please come along. This year there is going to be a Crèche. We are looking for a couple of ladies that can help the Mums at this. All talks will be relayed to the room and you do not need to pay any conference fees. Can you please let Caroline Munroe know if you can help with the teas and Pat Williams for the Creche

#### **LIFE IN THE HOLY SPIRIT**

Do you need renewal in your Christian life and faith? Do you want a "refresher" or perhaps you are looking for a "starter"? Are you looking for a follow-up to Celebrate? Do you know much about the Holy Spirit? From **Sunday 11 May** a series of seven weekly gatherings will take place in St Brigid's Hall at 7.30 where we will revisit the very foundations of our faith and seek to grow in the power of the Holy Spirit in the season of Easter and Pentecost. Speakers will include Fr Matthew, Fr Gareth Leyshon,

Deacon Rob Coyne and others.

#### CORPUS CHRISTI SCHOOL

Mrs Angela Thomas has been appointed by the Governors of Corpus Christi High School as acting Headteacher with effect from September 2014. Mrs Pat Pavlovic has been appointed acting Deputy Headteacher. The school has decided that, although successful at interview, it is not appropriate for Mr Chris Belli to assume the Headteacher post for September 2014. Mr David Stone retired earlier in the school year, and Mr David Cushion has meanwhile been acting Headteacher, but he also is retiring in the summer. Mrs Thomas and Mrs Pavlovic are both well-known and respected in the Corpus Christi community, so we can be sure that the school will be in safe hands until the process to appoint a permanent Headteacher resumes.

**Please pray for Leila Helena Tong and Solomon Michael Tong who will be baptized at St Brigid's on Easter Sunday and also, Estella Jolly who will be baptized at Christ the King on Sunday 27 April. Please also remember their parents and godparents in your prayers.**

#### **CWL**

The next C.W.L. monthly meeting will be on Monday 28 April at 2pm at St. Paul's. After the meeting we will have our annual Section A.G.M. The next charity coffee morning will be after the 09.30 mass at St. Paul's on Friday 2 May. Proceeds will be for St. David's College Lourdes Group.



## St Brigid's & St Pauls

### R.I.P.

Please pray for the repose of the souls of Olga Davies (requiem St Paul's Wednesday 10.30), Brigid Skene (Service at St Brigid's Friday 3.30pm celebrated by Fr Phil Scanlon) and Vincent Regan, son of Jim and Pauline, (requiem at St Brigid's Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> 12 noon). We remember their families and extend our condolences to them.

*Eternal rest grant to them, Lord.*

## Christ the King

### Altar Linen

W/c 21 April: Lynne Davies

W/c 28 April: Rhona Flynn

### Christ the King Church Roof

The major project to put a new roof on Christ the King Church begins this Tuesday 22 April. The project will last up to five weeks, but it is expected that minimal disruption to activity inside the Church will be caused. We know that all parishioners will be patient while this important job is carried out.

### Parish Office

Please note that the CTK Parish office will not be open until Monday 28 April. If you have any urgent messages please contact St Brigid's presbytery.

**Sandwich making for the homeless will take place in the parish centre on Monday 28 April at 1.15pm.**



### Prayer Petition Letters

Letters for those who have agreed to pray especially for those in the petition book will be at the back of the church.

**The next Poems and a Glass will take place in the parish centre on Sunday 27 April at 7pm.**

### Christian Aid Week 11<sup>th</sup> -17<sup>th</sup> May

Christian Aid week is approaching and we will have our usual forty two streets to cover. A list of streets and envelopes will be available shortly. Can you could help with the distribution and collection of the envelopes? Do ring Ann on 2075 2900 if you are interested.

### United for Justice and Peace

A cake sale will be held on Sunday 27 April after 8.30 and 10.30 Masses. Please bring any contributions to the Parish Centre before Mass.

## Sunday April 20<sup>th</sup> Easter Sunday

|               |             |   |               |
|---------------|-------------|---|---------------|
| 8pm           | St Brigid's | <b>Easter Vigil and First Mass (John &amp; Norma Pathy)</b><br>Holy Saturday          |               |
| 9pm           | C the K     | <b>Easter Vigil and First Mass</b>  |               |
| Sun. 8.30am   | C the K     | <b>Deceased members of the O'Brien Family (H Owen)</b><br>Easter Sunday               |               |
| 9am           | St Paul's   | <b>Jo Regan (Horton)</b>  |               |
| 10.30am       | St Brigid's | <b>People of the Parish</b>   |               |
| 10.30am       | C the K     | <b>Children of the Parish</b>   |               |
| 11.45am       | St Brigid's | <b>Baptisms: Leila Helena Tong and Solomon Michael Tong</b>                           |               |
| 6pm           | St Brigid's | <b>Dec'd Carey Family</b>   |               |
| 7.30pm        | St Brigid's | <b>Easter Sunday Praise</b>   |               |
| Mon. 9.30am   | St Brigid's | Easter Octave   |               |
| Tues. 9.30am  | C the K     | <b>John Lloyd (Evelyn Lloyd)</b>  | Easter Octave |
| Wed. 10.30am  | St Paul's   | <b>Requiem: Olga Davies</b>   | Easter Octave |
| 7.30pm        | C the K     | <b>Deceased members of the parish whose anniversaries occur this month</b>            |               |
| Thurs. 9.30am | C the K     | <b>Intentions of Pat &amp; John Worthington (Gill, Lynda &amp; Val)</b> Easter Octave |               |
| 7.30pm        | St Brigid's | <b>Holy Souls</b>   | Easter Octave |
| Fri. 9.30am   | St Paul's   | <b>Jo Regan (Horton)</b>  | Easter Octave |
| 3.30pm        | St Brigid's | <b>Funeral Service: Brigid Skene</b>  |               |

**Sunday April 27<sup>th</sup> 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy Sunday)**

|               |             |   |                       |
|---------------|-------------|---|-----------------------|
| Sat. 6pm      | St Paul's   | <b>Len Perry</b>  |                       |
| 6.30pm        | C the K     | <b>Kathleen &amp; Ernest Bowley (M Murphy)</b>                                      |                       |
| Sun. 8.30am   | C the K     | <b>Deceased members of the Halloran &amp; Richardson Families (Halloran Family)</b> |                       |
|               |             | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy Sunday)                              |                       |
| 9am           | St Paul's   | <b>Dec'd Horton and Purcell Families</b>  |                       |
| 10.30am       | St Brigid's | <b>People of the Parish</b>   |                       |
| 10.30am       | C the K     | <b>Richie Fennell (Gloria &amp; Phyll)</b>  |                       |
| 12pm          | C the K     | <b>Baptism: Estella Jolly</b>   |                       |
| 6pm           | St Brigid's | <b>Dec'd Carey Family</b>   |                       |
| Mon. 9.30am   | St Brigid's | <b>Thanksgiving for Canonisation of John XXIII and John Paul II</b>                 |                       |
| Tues. 9.30am  | C the K     | <b>William Wynn (P Quinn)</b>   |                       |
| 12pm          | St Brigid's | <b>Requiem: Vincent Regan</b>   | St Catherine of Siena |
| Wed. 9.30am   | St Paul's   | <b>Private Int (Horton)</b>   | St Pius V             |
| 7.30pm        | C the K     | <b>Parish Intentions</b>  |                       |
| Thurs. 9.30am | C the K     | <b>Kathleen &amp; Ernest Bowley (T Evans)</b>                                       | St Joseph the Worker  |
| 7.30pm        | St Brigid's | <b>Holy Souls</b>   |                       |
| Fri. 9.30am   | C the K     | <b>The Sick of the Parish</b>   | St Athanasius         |
| Sat. 9.30am   | St Brigid's | <b>Brigid Skene</b>   | Sts Philip & James    |

**Sunday May 4<sup>th</sup> 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Easter**

|             |             |  |  |
|-------------|-------------|--|--|
| 6pm         | St Brigid's | <b>Len Perry</b>   |  |
| 6.30pm      | C the K     | <b>Harry &amp; Ann Norris (K Liddington)</b>                   |  |
| Sun. 8.30am | C the K     | <b>Int of Martin Keane &amp; Julia Price Marriage (A Rees)</b> |  |
|             |             | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Easter                               |  |
| 9am         | St Paul's   | <b>Olga Davies</b>   |  |
| 10.30am     | St Brigid's | <b>Vincent Regan</b>   |  |
| 10.30am     | C the K     | <b>Intention of Anthony Wang (M Wang)</b>                      |  |
| 6pm         | St Brigid's | <b>People of the Parish</b>                                    |  |



**Please send items to [luke.todd@yahoo.co.uk](mailto: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:*

Keith Allen, Mary Amugan, Maureen Carroll, Sian Clark, Mary Clarke, Win Collins, Terry Culbertson, Agnes Davies, Jennifer Ellis, Emily, Anna Forrest, Rod Forrest, Jane Goldsworthy, Maria Hill, Tony Hutchings, Caitriona Lovell, Joseph (Benny) Lynch, Dean Maguire, Dolores Meehan, Vernon Morgan, Niamh Murphy, Maureen O'Driscoll, Kieran Ollin, Alan Paines, Rona Perry, Sue Power, Valentine Rascon, Cath Rees, Claire Richards, Pat Roberts, Peter Scott, Dewi Thomas, Emma Warlow, Dorothy Warren & Pat Worthington.

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**Eucharistic Adoration**

**Christ the King**

Tuesday 10am-1pm

**St. Paul's**

Wednesday 10am-3pm

**St. Brigid's**

Thursday 8-9pm

**Sacrament of  
Reconciliation**

**St Brigid's**

Saturday 10-10.30

**St Paul's**

Saturday 5.30pm.

**Christ the King**

Saturday 5.45-6.15pm

**Last Week's Collection**

**Sts. Brigid & Paul**

**Gift Aid** £ 874.70

**Non Gift Aid** £ 562.77

**Total** £ 1437.47

**S/O month av.** £ 807.50

**Christ the King**

**Gift Aid** £ 498.77

**Non Gift Aid** £ 444.72

**S/O weekly av.** £ 382.20

**Total** £ 1325.69