

3 Churches News

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Sunday 7 July 2019 **14th Sunday in Ordinary Time** **(YEAR C)** **Issue 24/19**

THE YOUNG AND THEIR TEACHERS

Two events come together this week - on Saturday morning there is Mass with Confirmation at St Brigid's, and on Wednesday a Mass of Thanksgiving at Corpus Christi (see page 2). The one is all about our young people embarking on the journey through teenage years and towards adulthood, the other is about those people of tremendous significance in their lives; their teachers in school.

Our twenty or so confirmandi are great people, and God thinks so too! "Respect" is a big word nowadays, and God respects them so much He wants to share his own Spirit with them in this wonderful sacrament. They must reach out to receive this gift and then ask God to help them use the gifts of the Spirit to be the people God wants them to be.

Then, we are very blessed in our 3 Churches area to have Catholic education from 3 - 18 or 19 on our doorstep. Christ the King Primary School, Corpus Christi High School and St David's are three jewels in our Catholic crown here in Cardiff, and all of them lie within our boundaries. So it's excellent to celebrate those women and men who devote their working lives to the education of our young people, such as those for whom we give thanks on Wednesday. Teachers like Mrs Pat Pavlovic and Mrs Ann Geen have given extraordinary service to the children who have passed through their hands, to their families and to the Church and wider community. They are truly "vocational" teachers, very much with a calling.

So let us honour and pray for both groups - our young people due to be confirmed by Archbishop George Stack on Saturday, and all those who work in our Catholic schools on Wednesday - especially those who will now enjoy a well-earned rest!

Fr Matthew



~~~~ 14<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time (Sunday 7 July 2019) ~~~~



Response to Psalm **Cry out with joy to God all the earth.**  
Gospel Acclamation: **Alleluia, Alleluia! I call you friends says the Lord,**  
**because I have made known to you everything I have learnt from my Father. Alleluia!**

**1<sup>st</sup> Reading:** Isaiah 66: 10-14 **2<sup>nd</sup> Reading:** Galatians 6: 14-18 **Gospel:** Luke 10: 1-12. 17-20

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### Father's News

#### FAREWELL TO STAFF AT CORPUS CHRISTI

A message from JR (school lay chaplain): The School warmly extends an invitation to members of our community to a Mass of Thanksgiving at Corpus Christi High School. This is for our longstanding staff members, Pat Pavlovic and Ann Geen, for all the years they have served in our school and also for all other staff who are leaving us. Mass will be at the school hall on Wednesday 10 July at 7pm. Our principal celebrant will be Canon Matthew Jones. We hope you can join us. Your brother in Christ,  
- JR (School Lay Chaplain)

#### **HOLY HOUR FOR VOCATIONS**

Join our diocesan seminarians and younger clergy in a time of prayer for vocations. Wednesday 17 July 6pm at St David's Cathedral. Includes Evening Prayer and Benediction plus a chance to meet the students and priests afterwards.

#### **Sacrament of Confirmation**

Confirmation will be celebrated on Saturday 13 July at St Brigid's. After the service we usually have a cup of tea and cut the cake. Is there anyone who could help us with this? We need a few people to prepare the refreshments and help with serving tea and coffee. If anyone from the 3 Churches could help then please contact Charlotte - [charlotte.mathews@hotmail.com](mailto:charlotte.mathews@hotmail.com)

**New to the Parish?  
Pick up a leaflet**

#### **Churches Together in Llanishen & District Joint Service**

Holy Communion  
This Sunday 7 July 6pm at Christ Church, Roath Park

#### UCM News

Members of the UCM will be holding their Strawberry Tea on Saturday 20 July. Tickets, priced £6 will be sold after Mass this weekend and next (6/7, and 13/14 July)

#### **SVP**

The SVP will meet this Tuesday evening (9 July) at 7pm in Christ the King Parish Centre

#### ***Circle of Friends***

The monthly meeting of The Circle of Friends will be held at The Three Arches pub this Monday 8 July at 7.30pm. All are welcome (single, separated, divorced or widowed) When you come into the pub look for a noisy group sprinkled with laughter! See you there!

#### **Summer Reflection**

At the Quiet Garden by Llanishen Methodist Church on Wednesday 17 July 10am for 10.30am Join us for a half hour of prayer and reflection this summer on the theme of *'Honesty and Truth'*. Tea and coffee served from 10am.

#### **20s/30s Catholic Drinks**

- Sunday 28 July  
On the last Sunday of each month, starting at 7.30pm at the Duke of Wellington, The Hayes, Cardiff. Catholic young adults from across Cardiff are invited to meet friends new and old who share our faith and to relax before Monday morning - all are welcome!

#### **Welsh National Pilgrimage**

A call to come & join the pilgrimage in this special anniversary year as we celebrate 160<sup>th</sup> & 130<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Bernadette's birth and death.

A chance to join together in prayer, liturgies, acts of compassion, friendship, laughter, camaraderie. Renew your dedication to Our Lady and the Welsh National!

The Welsh National is growing and it's an exciting time to be part of the community / pilgrimage family. A full religious programme is organised with time included for reflection, discussions and free time. We enjoy an afternoon tea and entertainment, joy and laughter.

Support is available for those depending on the individual needs. We have an experienced and dedicated medical team of doctors and nurses who work tirelessly alongside the army of youth helpers and adult helpers in order to ensure that all enjoy and all needs are catered for.

Our pilgrimage is a family who support and encourage each other in order to answer Our Lady's call. This year's theme "blessed are the poor in spirit" will provide an opportunity for us to think about the poor and vulnerable in our communities and the ways we can support each other.

Are you someone who could...?

- volunteer as a helper (youth or adult)

- sponsor an assisted pilgrim

- join us as a pilgrim and bring a friend / family member

- a member of the clergy who could support the pilgrimage

- bring a group from your parish / SVP or other faith group.

If so, please contact the Welsh National Pilgrimage director -

[welshnational](http://welshnational)

[pilgrimage@gmail.com](mailto:pilgrimage@gmail.com)

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### **Future Baptism Preparation Courses:**

\* **St Philip Evans, Llanedeyrn** (small Hall behind Church) July - no catechist at present

\* **Christ the King Course**, hosted by Brigid Lee. Tuesdays 20 & 27 August 7.30pm. Anyone wishing to attend should email Brigid for details of the venue -

[andylee63@talktalk.net](mailto:andylee63@talktalk.net)

\* **St Brigid's, Crystal Glen**

(Sacristy, accessed beyond altar in Church) Tuesdays 24 September & 1 October 7pm. Please email Ann Martin if attending -

[stevemartincardiff@gmail.com](mailto:stevemartincardiff@gmail.com)

### **Catholic Renewal Fellowship**

A timetable of films and documentaries relating to the Apparitions in Fatima take place on the 13th of each month through to October. For more information visit - [www.sdcrf.org.uk/fatima100years.htm](http://www.sdcrf.org.uk/fatima100years.htm)

### **Adoration for our Families**

Monday 8 July 1.30 - 2.30pm in St Teilo's Church, Cardiff CF14 1AD

## Other events

### **Organ Recital**

Friday 12 July 1.15pm at St John the Baptist Church, Cardiff

### **Cardiff Polyphonic Choir Concert**

Saturday 13 July 7.30pm  
St German's Church CF24

### **Tale Top Sale**

Saturday 13 July 9.30am - 12 noon  
Llanishen Baptist Church, Lower Hall

Lots of bargains, refreshments, tea / coffee. Everyone welcome.

Car park to the rear of the church.

### **Jesus Christ Superstar**

25 July - 3 August 8pm  
Saturday matinees 3pm  
At Sophia Gardens

For tickets and more information -

[www.cardiffopenairtheatrefestival.co.uk](http://www.cardiffopenairtheatrefestival.co.uk)

## Christ the King

### **Baptism**

Please pray for Cataleya Venetsianos, Thomas Pitt and Lucia Pitt who will be baptised here this weekend and pray for their parents and godparents

### **Wedding**

Please pray for Hannah O'Brien & Craig Salisbury who were married at Christ the King this weekend.

### **Parish AGM**

The Parish AGM will take place on Tuesday 16 July.

Please can leaders of parish groups send their annual reports to the office - [ckadmin@3churches.org](mailto:ckadmin@3churches.org) ASAP. Thank you

### **"50 Club" Winners**

**June 2019**

**1<sup>st</sup> Prize £25**

**Mo Bryon [No.75]**

**2<sup>nd</sup> Prize £15**

**Monica Maddox [No.15]**

**3<sup>rd</sup> Prize £10**

**Jon Dartnell [No.90]**

### **Junior Club**

The Junior Club is in need of new volunteers for the autumn term in September. You need only volunteer for two hours on one Friday every month (there is a lot of flexibility in this)

If you can help please contact Marie in the Parish Office -

[ckadmin@3churches.org](mailto:ckadmin@3churches.org) 2075 3945

**This Thursday (11 July) there will be a Tai Chi Class.**

**The next LIFT Class will be next Thursday 18 July 10 - 11am in Christ the King Parish Centre.**

**\*\* Please note that there will be no classes on 1, 8 & 15 August, nor 12 & 19 September.**

### **The September Pilgrimage to Shrines of France**

**9 - 16 September 2019**

Due to a late withdrawal the Pilgrimage has a twin / double room vacancy. Anybody interested please ring Billy Gill ASAP on 2059 3555 for a detailed itinerary.

## St Brigid's & St Paul's

### **Tea at St Brigid's**

All are welcome to tea and coffee after 11am Mass at St Brigid's. All money raised goes to the City Hospice, formerly called the George Thomas Hospice

### **Finance & Maintenance**

The next meeting of the St Brigid's / St Paul's Finance and Maintenance Group will take place at St Brigid's Presbytery this Tuesday 9 July 7pm.

**Sunday July 7<sup>th</sup> 14<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

|        |             |             |                                                                    |                                          |
|--------|-------------|-------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------|
| Sat.   | 6pm         | C the K     | <b>Reg Gilbard (S Cunningham)</b>                                  |                                          |
| Sun.   | 9am         | St Paul's   | <b>Irmgard Soeding (Harrington)</b>                                | 14 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time |
|        | 9am         | C the K     | <b>Paul Grant (M &amp; C Johnson)</b>                              |                                          |
|        | 11am        | St Brigid's | <b>Celia Campbell</b>                                              |                                          |
|        | 12.30pm     | C the K     | <b>Baptism: Cataleya Venetsianos, Thomas Pitt &amp; Lucia Pitt</b> |                                          |
|        | 6pm         | St Brigid's | <b>People of the Parish</b>                                        |                                          |
| Mon.   | 9.30am      | St Brigid's | <b>Dec'd Daley Family</b>                                          |                                          |
| Tues.  | 9.30am      | C the K     | <b>Maureen Brown (B Brown)</b>                                     |                                          |
| Wed.   | 9.30am      | St Paul's   | <b>Morris Intention</b>                                            |                                          |
| Thurs. | 9.30am      | C the K     | <b>Graham Lush (C Lush)</b>                                        | St Benedict                              |
|        | 7.30pm      | St Brigid's | <b>Julia &amp; Peggy (Warwick)</b>                                 |                                          |
| Fri.   | 9.30am      | C the K     | <b>Cora Carroll (Slowikowska)</b>                                  |                                          |
| Sat.   | <b>10am</b> | St Brigid's | <b>Confirmation Mass</b>                                           |                                          |

**Sunday July 14<sup>th</sup> 15<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

|      |      |             |                                |                                          |
|------|------|-------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------------------|
| Sat. | 6pm  | C the K     | <b>Ann Donovan (Family)</b>    |                                          |
| Sun. | 9am  | St Paul's   | <b>Morillo Navarro Family</b>  | 15 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time |
|      | 9am  | C the K     | <b>Luis Urtiaga (A Davies)</b> |                                          |
|      | 11am | St Brigid's | <b>Holy Souls</b>              |                                          |
|      | 6pm  | St Brigid's | <b>People of the Parish</b>    |                                          |

**Praying for our Neighbours**

Please remember in your prayers this week our neighbours in  
**Llandennis Avenue & Nantfawr Crescent**  
**Cardinal Drive**  
**Rannock Drive & Barkley Court**  
 who have received prayers cards in the last few days.

**Cycle of Prayer**

Please pray for the parishes of St Mary, Chepstow, and St Paul, Caldicot in Newport Deanery, for parish priest Fr Michael St Clair and St Mary's Primary School, Chepstow.

**3 Churches  
Parish Council Chairs**

**Sts Brigid & Paul**

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**Christ the King**

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Headteacher  
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2076 1893

**St David's College**

Principal  
Mark Leighfield  
2049 8555

**Safeguarding**

**Representatives**

**Sts Brigid & Paul**  
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**Eucharistic Adoration**

**Christ the King**  
Tuesday 10am - 3pm  
**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**  
Friday before/after  
9.30am Mass  
**Christ the King**  
Saturday 5.30pm

**Last Week's Collection**

**Sts. Brigid & Paul**  
Gift Aid £ 565.20  
**Non Gift Aid** £ 486.97  
**Total** £ 1052.17  
**S/O month av.** £ 846.77

**Christ the King**

Gift Aid £ 307.96  
**Non Gift Aid** £ 432.06  
**S/O weekly av.** £ 447.25  
**Total** £ 1187.27

**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:*

Mary Amugan, Chris Babu, Edith Baker, Clare Bell, John Campbell, Mary Clarke,  
 Corey-Jay Coles, Terry Culbertson, Elizabeth Cunningham, Agnes Davies, Win Drury,  
 Sheila Ferriter, Emily, Jean Hill, Maria Hill, Caitriona Lovell, Michael Mathews,  
 Sarah Morris, Peter Murphy, Kieran Ollin, Rona Perry, John Reardon,  
 Claire Richards, Anne Roach, Adela Rogers, Shaun Stone, Edgar Tiller, Genoveva Urtiaga,  
 Anne Wake, Gemma Ward, Emma Warlow, Dorothy Warren & Pat Watkins.