

3 CHURCHES NEWS

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Sunday October 31st 2021

All Saints (Year B)

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Dear friends and parishioners

THE SYNOD Diocesan coordinator Madeleine Walters from St Teilo's and her team are now asking each church community for at least two people to be representatives in enabling parishioners to reflect, share and respond to the questions of the Synod. It's disappointing that only one person volunteered last week, and it would be tragic if we all were prevented from making our contribution by a lack of coordinators. If you would like to serve our churches in this historic event, please email Fr Matthew at matthew.jones@rcadc.org **within the next three days**. The diocese will supply training next week, and info will continue in forthcoming newsletters. ~ Fr Matthew

Response to the Psalm: Such are the men who seek your face, O Lord.

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia! Come to me, all you who labour and are overburdened, and I will give you rest, says the Lord. Alleluia!

1st Reading: Apocalypse 7:2-4, 9-14 **2nd Reading:** 1 John 3:1-3 **Gospel:** Matthew 5:1-12

BAPTISMS – This weekend we have welcomed **Mason and Yasmine Marshall** into the Church through Baptism.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION – On the next two Saturday mornings children of current Year 4 will be receiving their First Holy Communion. Please remember them, their families and catechists in your prayers.

NOVEMBER – We begin the month of the Holy Souls, so let us all bring them with us through these weeks.

RIP – Please pray for the repose of the soul of **Ray Hudson** whose Requiem Mass will take place at Christ the King 12th November 1.15pm. Remember Brenda and her family and friends in your prayers. Eternal rest grant to him, Lord.

MUSIC AT ST PAUL'S – We are looking for volunteer(s) to take over the music at St Paul's. Our very faithful Chris John has served the parish for many years, for which we are incredibly grateful, but now she wants to hand over the reins. Do you have musical gifts, at the organ or other instruments, and a desire to help us in our worship of God and fellowship with one another? If so, please contact Fr Matthew.

KEEPING US SAFE – In our diocese we use an electronic tool called the **Safety Toolbox** to ensure our safety is maintained in aspects of our buildings. Fr Matthew is seeking new leaders in this for St Brigid's and for St Paul's. You should have some time – and patience – and be computer literate. Basic familiarity with the buildings and knowledge of maintenance a great advantage. If you think you could help please contact Fr Matthew as soon as possible.

Live-streaming of Mass - continues from St Brigid's at www.3churches.org/streamed-masses

SAFEGUARDING – St Brigid's: Pat Williams | St Paul's: Carl French | Christ the King: Christine Williams & Neil Powell (safeguardingctk@gmail.com)

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SATURDAY 6.00pm	Christ the King	Jimmy Graham (The Graham Family)	
SUNDAY 9.00am	Christ the King	John Wareing (E Waring)	All Saints
9.00am	St Paul's	Nardo Sartori	
10.30am	St Brigid's	Jim Regan (Pauline)	
6.00pm	St Brigid's	People of the Parish	
MONDAY 9.30am	St Brigid's	Holy Souls	
TUESDAY 9.30am	Christ the King	Deceased members of the 3 Churches	All Souls
WEDNESDAY 9.30am	St Paul's	Ray Hudson	St Winefride; St Martin de Porres
THURSDAY 9.30am	Christ the King	Eugene Flynn (B Brown)	
7.30pm	St Brigid's	Lynne Jones	
FRIDAY 9.30am	St Paul's	Bernard Conway	
SATURDAY 10am	St Brigid's	First Holy Communion #1	St Illtud
6.00pm	Christ the King	Andrew Donovan (T Evans)	
SUNDAY 9.00am	Christ the King	Sylvia Martin (A McDevitt)	32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
9.00am	St Paul's	People of the Parishes	
10.30am	St Brigid's	Thomas Anthony Sherry	
6.00pm	St Brigid's	Holy Father's Intentions	

**** DON'T FORGET – THE CLOCKS GO BACK THIS SUNDAY 31 OCTOBER ****

If anyone has deposited a RED BOX for the missions at the church, or needs a box, we have a number of them available in the store room at the front of St Brigid's Church. Please could you collect one or contact Karen on 07963 183655 if you need any help.

Remembrance in November – There are several opportunities to remember a loved one/s. You are invited to write their name(s) on a wooden heart to be hung on a tree at St Brigid's. The hearts are available in each church until early November. You can donate spring bulbs to be planted in the church gardens – they can be left in any of the church porches. The 3 Churches Mass of Memories will be on Saturday 20 November, 10am at Christ the King – later than usual due to First Communion celebrations.

COP 26 Webinar – As our world leaders gather in Glasgow, CAFOD is hosting a webinar on 9 November with Neil Thorns, CAFOD's Head of Advocacy, Communication and Education, and a Vatican representative on the progress made at COP26 so far. Register at - <https://www.bigmarker.com/cafod/COP26-update>

CYCLE OF PRAYER – The diocese prays this week for Blessed Sacrament parish, Rumney, pp Fr Brian Gray, and parish Sisters Marie de Montfort and Maureen Davies.

Please remember in your prayers the deceased members of the 3 Churches whose anniversaries occur in November including: Philip Flook, Brian Bermingham, Margaret Harper, Josephine Pugsley, Lynn Latham, Theresa Thomas, Celia Campbell, Vera Callow, Mary Sullivan, Bill Drury, Fr Ambrose Walsh, Teresa Jones and Kathleen Perkins.

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, Caitriona Lovell, Michael Mathews, Miranda Meldrum, Dominic Morgan, Sarah Morris, Brendan Murphy, Kate Murphy, Niamh Murphy, Audrey Nelson, Kieran Ollin, Rona Perry, John Reardon, Claire Richards, Anne Roach, Adela Rogers, Shaun Stone, Bev Tumelty, Anne Wake, Gemma Ward, Emma Warlow, Dorothy Warren & Phyllis Webber.