

Our Lady of Peace Parish, Newbridge

With Sacred Heart, Pontllanfraith & Ss. Anthony & Clare, Risca

Day Sundays A Weekdays 2	Ss. Anthony & Clare, Risca	Our Lady of Peace, Newbridge	The Sacred Heart, Pontllanfraith
Sunday 26th 3 rd Sunday of Eastertide		10.30am Parish Family (Sunday Stream)	Night Prayer Daily at 10.00pm
The Sacred Heart - The painting is nearly finished! All Masses and services will be streamed on line			
Monday 27th	Rosary – 9.30am Morning Prayer 10.00 am	10.30am Chapel Stream	Angelus & Evening Prayer 6.00pm
Tuesday 28th	Rosary – 9.30am Morning Prayer 10.00 am	10.30am Chapel Stream	Angelus & Evening Prayer 6.00pm
Wednesday 29th Feast: S. Catherine of Sienna, V&D	Exposition – 9.30am Morning Prayer 10.00 am	10.30am Chapel Stream	Angelus & Evening Prayer 6.00pm
Thursday 30th	Rosary – 9.30am Morning Prayer 10.00 am	10.30am Chapel Stream Jean Coley Annie Martin	Angelus & Evening Prayer 6.00pm
Friday 1st May S. Joseph the worker	Exposition – 9.30am Morning Prayer 10.00 am	10.30am Chapel Stream Jane Villa	Angelus & Evening Prayer 6.00pm
Saturday 2nd S. Athanasius, Bp, D. Mem.	Rosary – 9.30am Morning Prayer 10.00 am	10.30am Chapel Stream	Angelus & Evening Prayer 6.00pm
Sunday 3rd	Morning Prayer 10.00 am	10.30am Parish Family (Sunday Stream)	Angelus & Evening Prayer 6.00pm
Stations of the Cross	https://www.catholic.org/prayers/station.php		

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Please pray for...
 All those who receive the Sacrament at home, those
 who are in any need and especially for:
 Stuart Coe, Jackie Heather,
 Kathleen Russell, Valerie Griffin, Ken Randall, Lisa Evans,
 Nell Hawkins, Flo Smyth, Steve and Stuart.
*If you would like to place someone on the list for
 prayers; please check they are willing for their name to
 appear here and forward their name to us.*

Collection	
Parish	At a later date!

Requiescat in Pace
 Please pray for **Jean Coley** and **Jane Villa**.
 They will be buried this week. Jean on Thursday and Jane on
 Friday. Please remember their families at this difficult time;
 especially with the limited numbers, contact and time that we
 are given at present.
 Please send a spiritual 'Cwtch' to them in your prayers.

The Year of the Word
'The God Who Speaks'
 Spirituality – Prayer.
**The topic for discussion on Monday after Mass at 11.30am. Any
 questions welcome; text Fr. Kevin or email the parish.**
**A session on Morning & Evening Prayer will be at the same time on
 Wednesday!**

Verbum Domini
 Copies are available at £3.95. Recommended reading for Readers
 and those involved in Ministries in the Parish.
 Other titles will be recommended as the Year of the Word
 develops.
 This will be discussed on-line soon.

 A word to consider: - **PRAY!**

When he was at the table with them, he took bread,
 gave thanks, broke it and began to give it to them.
 Luke 24: 30

Saint of the Week
S. Marie of the incarnation
 Marie was the fourth of eight children and from an
 early age was drawn to the religious liturgy. When
 she was aged 7 she had her first vision of Jesus,
 and at 14yrs old she wanted to become a nun.
 Her parents, however, wouldn't allow it, so it wasn't
 until she was 31 years old, and after another vision,
 that she joined the Ursuline convent.
 Years later she travelled to 'New France' where she
 set up another Ursuline convent and the first ever
 girls school; she also wrote many published books.
 She died aged 72 years old of a liver illness. since
 then films have been made of her life, Churches and
 schools named after her and a statue of her is
 outside the Quebec Parliament in Canada.
Feast day 30th April

Food Banks
 As you can imagine, the donations of food to the Bank are almost nil at
 the moment; although some people have managed to get money to
 them. Mario has talked with the Food Bank and we have their Bank
 Details. So we can do one of the following:
 1. Transfer money to them (contact Fr. Kevin or Mario for
 details).
 2. Make a cheque payable to: 'Bellyfull'
 (write the Parish name on the back) and send to:
 Tab Life Centre, Tram Road, Pontllanfraith, NP12 2JF
 We have received a 'Thank you' to all those who have contributed gifts
 of money to help the Food Bank continue through these difficult times.
 Well done!

Thank You!
 For all the feedback and positive comments about the
 streamed Masses. We still have a few technical issues to
 sort out. So thank you all for your comments.
Sound has been an issue and we have worked on this. We
 hope for a better quality this week!
 Thank you also for subscribing to the channel.
 Please let others know of this service. Thank you!

Auction?
 If like me your using this time to have a sort out remember
 that we will be having a Chinese auction when we are all
 able to come together again. Please keep your donations
 until such a time as we can get them to raise much needed
 funds for our churches. Thank you! Maria

Bibles Available
 We are in the process of ordering more Bibles. I have a large print Bible
 for inspection! Other bibles are also available. If you would like to order
 one of these, please ask.

Morning and Evening Prayer
 The books that are used for these offices cost about £30.00!
 They contain Morning and Evening Prayer as well as Night
 Prayer. It also has the variations for the Saints days throughout
 the year. If you think you would like one but would like to borrow
 one to look through, please ask as I have some and could get
 one to you. If you want to buy one, please contact me.

Meetings & Information
SVP
 The next SVP meeting will be announced some time in the
 future.
Sunshine Club
 Meetings are suspended for the time being! We will put a
 note in the Newsletter when we restart.
Senior Citizens
 Suspended for now.
Child Protection
 The LCPR – 'Local Child Protection Rep. for these parishes is
 Mrs Imelda Mortimer. Should you need to contact her the
 number is: 07773 649460
Christians Together
 The next meetings are suspended at the moment.
Justice & Peace
 The next meeting will be re-arranged for a later date.

For Your Diary

**9th/10th May S. Patrick's Missionary
 Soc.**
 Founded on S. Patrick's Day in Ireland in 1932 its Mission was first
 aimed at Nigeria. From there the Society has spread out to include
 the rest of Africa. In the 1960's the branched out from Africa into
 Brazil as well! Their work and expansion does not stop there. It will
 be fascinating to hear from them on this weekend in May.
This may be postponed!

29th Nov. One Mass Only!
 11.00am at Our Lady of Peace Newbridge
 Followed by refreshments - Bring and share after Mass

Happy Easter
 As we continue to celebrate Eastertide, we walk through this time with the
 Apostles and the early church on the way to the Ascension of Our Lord. We
 celebrate this on Thursday, 21st May closely followed by the Feast of Pentecost
 (50 days after Easter) and the promised gift of the Holy Spirit. We celebrate this
 on Sunday, 31st May!
 Were the Apostles ready? Will we be ready?

Live Stream
 This is improving as time goes on and thank you for all your comments. If you are
 still having problems with the feed, please contact Fr. Kevin.
 If you are getting the stream, consider (if you are not already) subscribing to the
 YouTube channel. It doesn't cost anything but it can give you alerts for the
 scheduled feeds!

Restoration Milk Bottle Fund-Raiser!
 Labeled milk bottles will be given out for this. We also have labels if you
 want to use your own bottles. These will be collected in at Pentecost.
 This project may take a bit longer in the present climate! Do not worry, it
 we will update you when the restrictions are lifted.

St Matthew's Gospel
This project is temporarily on hold!
 We are exploring an audio reading of S. Matthew's
 Gospel. More news on this next weekend.

Collection & Envelopes!
 Some of you have asked about collection and
 Standing Orders. Thank you for your
 thoughtfulness.
 I have a copy of a Standing Order form. If you
 would like one please email the parish at
Newbridge@rcadc.org.
 Also, if you would like to 'Gift Aid' your offering,
 you can ask for a Gift Aid form at the same email.
 If it is for a gift aid form, please state the church
 you normally attend (OLOP, SSA&C, SH).
 Within the week we hope to be including a 'Give'
 button onto the website!

Thought for the Week
 It is better to light a candle than to curse the darkness.

