

Our Lady of Peace Parish, Newbridge

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

Sundays B Weekdays 1 Psalter Week 1	Ss. Anthony & Clare, Risca	Our Lady of Peace, Newbridge	The Sacred Heart, Pontllanfraith
Sunday 6th 2 nd Sunday of Advent	9.30am Rosary & Morning Prayer	Sunday Stream 10.30am Barbara & Joseph Sims	Angelus & Evening Prayer 6.00pm
Monday 7th Mem: St. Ambrose		Chapel Stream 6.30pm	Angelus & Evening Prayer 6.00pm
Tues. 8th Sol: Immaculate Conception of the B.V.M.	9.30am Rosary Morning Prayer 10.00am	Chapel Stream 10.30am The Parish	Angelus & Evening Prayer 6.00pm
Wed. 9th St. Juan Diego Cuahtlatatzin	9.30am Exposition	Chapel Stream 10.30am Marna Roberts	5.30pm Rosary Angelus & Evening Pr. 6.00pm
Thursday 10th St. John Roberts		Chapel Stream 6.30pm Nora Pritchard	Angelus & Evening Prayer 6.00pm
Friday 11th St. Damasus	9.30am Exposition	Chapel Stream 10.30am Holy Souls	5.30pm Rosary Angelus & Evening Pr. 6.00pm
Saturday 12th Our Lady of Guadalupe		Chapel Stream 10.30am Peace	6.00pm - Angelus & Evening Prayer
Sunday 13th 3 rd Sunday of Advent	9.30am Rosary & Morning Prayer	Sunday Stream 10.30am Pietro Opel	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, Ruth & Helen,
Ken Randall, Lisa Evans, Nell Hawkins,
Steve and Stuart, John Foley, Keith Thomas
. 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!

Advent Info!
See what is happening in Advent! Click the link below:-
[Advent 2020](#)

RCIA and Confirmation
For those of you are ready to receive the Sacrament of
Confirmation, please ask your parents to email your name and
contact details to the parish email AT: newbridge@rcadc.org
with the subject 'Conf' We are not sure when the actual
Confirmation will take place but it would be good to start some
of the ground work now.
RCIA
Those who are interested in becoming members of the Catholic
Church, or in learning more about the Faith; please send an
email with the subject 'RCIA', and you name and contact
details. Thank you.

The Year of the Word
**As we come into Advent, so the Year of the Word
ends.**
However, it has led us into a study of the Word and the
Church's teachings and this we will continue.
**We will be on the Chapel Stream on Monday & Wednesday. On
Monday we will be looking at prayer at 4.00pm. On Wednesday
we will continue looking at Verbum Domini and looking closely at
Part I at 4.00pm. Then on Tuesday we will be looking at some
themes about Advent, trying some craft ideas – suitable for
Adults and Young People!!**

Verbum Domini
Copies are available at £3.95. Recommended reading for
Readers and those involved in Ministries in the Parish.

Saint of the Week

S. Damasus

Damasus was born in Rome, and his father was a Priest just
outside the city - which is where Damasus started his
ecclesiastical career.

When Damasus was an Archdeacon, he was banished from
Rome - along with the Pope at the time, but returned
immediately because he had a great share in the Government
of the Church.

When the Pope died, Damasus succeeded to the Papacy,
however, another deacon had been appointed simultaneously
resulting in a three day massacre. After gaining control of the
basilica, a Synod declared Damasus the true Pope.
He spent 18 years as the Pope, and was buried with his mother
and sister - but it is not known where

Feast day: 11th December
Patron: Archaeologists, Against Fevers

Mary's Meals

Mary's Meals are offering cards sponsoring a child's food for one year
for £15.90 to give as Christmas gifts or simply to donate to. At the
moment, the Government are doubling all donations till January 31st, so
buying sponsorship for one child automatically becomes two - a lovely
way of helping this charity to feed children in the poorest areas of the
world. Do have a look at their website
marysmeal.org.uk

ZOOM

There will be a link for the Daily Masses for those
who would like it. Some rules for using Zoom at
Mass:

1. Log on and enable audio – then mute! *This
will enable you to hear over zoom.*
2. If you are Reading or responding
- unmute at the appropriate time. Wait a moment
after Mass until we are in the Sacristy
*We will have a 'Coffee Morning' Zoom after
each Sunday Mass in Advent.*

The meeting ID will be on the front of the Website, at
the bottom of the right hand column,
We are also planning a Zoom Christmas Carols night
on the Sunday after Christmas!!

Church Opening

Please keep a lookout on the website this week and I will update
you on our situation by Wednesday! We hope to be able to start
some celebrations sometime during Advent!

Please be assured

The 'Live Stream' will continue!

Christmas!

The times and arrangements for online Masses at
Christmas will be in the Newsletter next weekend.
Also, we will have outside Blessing of the Cribs on
Christmas Eve. Times will be given next weekend.

Can You Help?

I'm looking for some Volunteer singers! Email the Parish
address with name and phone number if you are interested

Food Banks

The Council are doing the work of most of the Food Banks
for the present moment. The work will return to the Food
Banks at a future date - *not yet known.*
The Food Bank that we supply in Pontllanfraith have closed
until this happens. They have asked that contributions to
them stop for a while.

Please Note

Some Foodbanks in Risca remain open and are leafletting
for donations. Please be generous if these requests come
your way. Thank you!

Fund Raising

Raffle!

Whilst we cannot run our paper ticket Raffle this
year, we will have an Online Draw. Tickets will be
£1.00 each and numbers will be allocated randomly.

First Prize: £100.00

Second Prize: £50.00

10 Prizes of: £10.00

The Draw will take place online during a **Zoom Quiz**
on Tuesday, 15th December!..

You can buy tickets by putting your name and
contact details and the number of tickets along with
the money in an envelope marked 'Raffle' and pop it
through the door at either Newbridge or Pont or you
can also use the Letter Box on the fence at Risca!
Numbers will be allocated at random by a machine!!!

(non-bias selection!)

Please make sure that those without internet access
have an opportunity to be involved!
(Any donations towards Prizes will be gratefully)

Advent & Christmas Gifts etc.

I have some Advent Calendars available. I also have
Calendars, Diaries, Christmas Cards and other goods
arriving soon! There will be a way of selecting and
ordering these online and then a time to collect them will
be arranged. The items will be bagged for collection,
rather like 'Click & Collect'.
Information will be on the Website.

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.

Saying is one thing, doing is another.

Live Stream

Monday 7th Dec.	Prayer & Spirituality	4.00pm (Chapel Stream)
Tuesday 8th Dec.	Advent Prep.	6.30pm (Chapel Stream)
Wednesday 9th Dec.	Verbum Domini	4.00am (Chapel Stream)

Premananda

Following a very difficult time in India, I am pleased to report that the
Orphanage in India is doing well with a lot of safeguards in place for the
youngsters there. They have returned to schools and colleges and life is back
to some sort of normality.

It has been very difficult to get money through to the Orphanage during this
period but I'm pleased to report that we have managed to do so now.

Because of these problems I did not ask people who pay annually for their
sponsorship money earlier, but now I am in a position to be able to forward it
so I would be grateful if people could send their money to me or pay it in
directly to the Premananda back account.

Please make cheques payable to 'Premananda Orphanage Centre Appeal'.
If you are unsure how to do this or need the account details, please phone or
message me on
07773 649460

Thank you so much for your continued support of the Orphanage.
It really is appreciated.
God Bless you all.