

Our Lady of Peace Parish, Newbridge

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

Day Sundays C Weekdays 1	Ss. Anthony & Clare, Risca	Our Lady of Peace, Newbridge	The Sacred Heart, Pontllanfraith
Sunday 17 th 6 th Sunday in Ordinary Time	11.15am <i>Parish Family</i>	9.15am <i>Andrew Simmonds</i>	5.00pm (Sat.) <i>Kathleen Caswell</i>
Monday 18 th			Rosary 10.30am 11.00am <i>Ron & Faye & Family (G.E)</i>
Tuesday 19 th	6.00pm Evening Prayer 6.30pm <i>Word & Sacrament</i>		
Weds. 20 th	9.30am Exposition 10.00am <i>Word & Sacrament</i>		
Thursday 21 st St. Peter Damian		10.00am – Rosary 10.30am <i>Word & Sacrament</i>	
Friday 22 nd Feast: The Chair of St. Peter The Apostle			10.00am Exposition 10.30am <i>Word & Sacrament</i>
Saturday 23 rd Mem: St. Polycarp		10.00am <i>Peace</i>	
Sunday 24 th 7 th Sunday in Ordinary Time	11.15am <i>Thes Strickland-Grant (G.E)</i>	9.15am <i>Parish Family</i>	5.00pm (Sat.) <i>John Quick</i>

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Please pray for...
All those who receive the Sacrament at home, those who are in any need and especially for:
Norah Pritchard, Stuart Coe, Jackie Heather, Kathleen Russell, Valerie Griffin, and Ken Randall.
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 10/02/19	
Parish	£462.66

Meetings & Information
SVP
The next SVP meeting will take place in the hall in Risca on Monday February 18th at 2.30pm.
Faith Exploration
We will meet at 11.00am on 28th February.. We will be looking at the Gospel of Luke.
Prayer Group
Evening Prayer in Risca on a Tuesday evening at 6.00pm
Sunshine Club
Meet every other Monday at 6.30pm in the Hall in Risca. Come along and check those pounds!!
Senior Citizens
We meet in the Hall in Pontllanfraith every Tuesday from 1.15pm to 3.30pm. You are more than welcome to turn up for a chat, a cup of tea, and a game of bingo. For more information, please contact Denise Robert..
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 meeting will be held on Saturday March 2nd in Golden Grove at 10.00am.
Justice and Peace
The next meeting will be on Monday February 18th at 7pm in Sue's house.
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Saint of the Week
Chair of S. Peter the Apostle
Peter was originally known as Simon when he was a fisherman, but was named Peter when he became a disciple of Jesus
.Peter went on, with the other apostles and his wife, to create the Church we know today, and because he lived his later life in Rome. He is regarded as the First Pope.
In St. Peter's Basilica there is an ancient Chair that has been protected for over 2000 years; people believe it belonged to St. Peter. It is a tradition for every Pope since Peter to have a Chair and every year to celebrate the feast of St. Peter's Chair.
It is a sign of our unity as Catholics.
Feast day: February 22nd

Pilgrimages
Oberamagau
Planning is underway for a visit to Oberamagau in 2020 to see the Passion Play! Details of the Oberammergau Passion Play in Sept 2020 are available – please ask for information.
Walsingham
The 2019 Pilgrimage to the Shrine of Our Lady of Walsingham will be from Monday, 14th October to Thursday 17th October. Please do consider this for next year. Have a chat with some of those who have been before. No prices for next year as yet, but enquiries are welcome now.
We are in contact with the Shrine for this Year's booking and forms and costs will soon be available!

Our Lady of Peace
Thursdays!
We are trying some alterations to the times at Our Lady of Peace on Thursdays. We will be saying the Rosary at 10.00am followed by Mass at 10.30am.
We will then have time for a cup of tea before we start the Faith Exploration meeting.
We will try this pattern for a while and may 'tweak' the day a little as seems appropriate.
This week, Feb. 21st, there will be 'Coffee and a Chat' after Mass!

One Mass Only!
Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe
Sunday November 24th 2019
11.00am
Our Lady of Peace Newbridge
Followed by bring & share refreshments in the side Chapel.

Social & Fundraising Committee
This group has agreed to co-ordinate Social and Fund Raising events in the Parish. Representatives of each church will be made know so that ideas, suggestions can be forwarded to them or through a 'Suggestion Box' in the church. Suggestions may also be made by email to: newbridge@rcadc.org
This group does not 'DO' the fund raising for the Parish, we are all responsible for that!
This group will co-ordinate events so that there are no clashes, events too close together, etc..
If you are planning an event, please check with the representatives that the date is available BEFORE advertising!
The first event on the calendar is the **Cawl a Chwis** night in Risca. This will be an open evening to all in the Parish – no tickets but there will be a request for donations. For catering purposes, please put your name on the list if you intend coming.
Next Meeting
A meeting will take place in Our Lady of Peace in Newbridge on Friday, 8th March at 7.00pm. Many thanks.

200 Club
Payments for February are now due. Please put your payment in an envelope with your name on it and hand it in to your collectors. Many thanks.

As Lent Approaches!
The date of the CAFOD Family Fast Day will be Friday, 15th March. Envelopes and information will be available soon.
Walk With Me..
These will be available soon. A good little booklet for daily reflection and prayers through Lent. Still only £1.00 each!
Also..
I would like to have an evening/afternoon session through Lent for about 1 - 1 1/2 hours.
Please let me know if this would interest you..

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Coffee Morning/Evening
Thank you so much for supporting our recent coffee mornings and evening. Our final total was £325.
An excellent result.
Well done everyone!

Food Banks
Thank you to all those who help with this.
For those who would like to help but are not sure what items are needed a list has been prepared with needed goods. Please take one and ask any questions you have.

Flame 2019
Significance
An invitation to our Youth to join in the Flame 2019 conference at the Wembley Arena – March 2nd 2019!
Open to Year 10 and above. Our Youth go up to about the age of 35!
We leave on the Saturday morning to go to Wembley and arrive about 10.00am (*ish*). Events in the Arena through the day and plenty to see outside! We leave about 5.30pm.
Have a look at: <https://cymfed.org.uk/flame2019/>

Coming Soon!
Noson Cawl a Chwis - Cawl & Quiz night
March 1st – Dydd Gwyl Dewi Sant.
This is open to all with donations on the night and a small cost for the quiz.
Please let us know if you intend coming as we need numbers for catering!!
Also
We will have pancakes after Mass on Tuesday, 5th March!!
All in aid of Church Funds

Thought for the Week
The secret of happiness is to admire without desire.