

# 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 24 <sup>th</sup> 7 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time	11.15am <i>Thea Strickland-Grant (G.E.)</i>	9.15am <i>Leanne Self</i>	5.00pm (Sat.) <i>John Quick</i>
Monday 25 <sup>th</sup>			Rosary 10.30am 11.00am <i>Mama Roberts</i>
Tuesday 26 <sup>th</sup>	6.00pm Evening Prayer 6.30pm <i>Moon Family</i>		
Weds. 27 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am Exposition 10.00am <i>Holy Souls</i>		
Thursday 28 <sup>th</sup>		10.00am – Rosary 10.30am <i>Dennis Daley</i>	
Friday 1 <sup>st</sup> March St. David, Patron of Wales - Feast			10.00am Exposition 10.30am (Welsh) <i>The Parish</i>
Saturday 2 <sup>nd</sup>		10.00am <i>Peace</i>	
Sunday 3 <sup>rd</sup> 8 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time	11.15am <i>Jean Daniels</i>	9.15am <i>Parish Family</i>	5.00pm (Sat.) <i>John Mortimer</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 17/02/19	
Parish	£ 532.17

## Meetings & Information

**SVP**  
The next SVP meeting will take place in the hall in Risca on Monday March 4<sup>th</sup> at 2.30pm.

**Faith Exploration**  
We will meet at 11.00am on 28<sup>th</sup> 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 2<sup>nd</sup> in Golden Grove at 10.00am.

**Justice and Peace**  
The next meeting will be on **Monday February 18<sup>th</sup>** at 7pm in Sue's house.

**Parish IT**  
TBA

## Saint of the Week

### S. David

David was known as a teacher and preacher, founding Monastic settlements and Churches in Wales. He presided over the synod in Caerleon after Monks elected him primate of the region. Later he became a Bishop then Archbishop.

On one occasion when he was preaching the ground where he stood, rose up to form a hill, and a white dove settled on his shoulder, It is also said that David prayed for his people to have a warning of their deaths. This was granted, and all those who lived in Dewi Sant were for-warned with a dim light.

### Feast day March 1<sup>st</sup> Patron of Wales

## 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, 14<sup>th</sup> October to Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> 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. 28<sup>th</sup>, there will be Faith Exploration after Mass.

## 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.

## One Mass Only!

**Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe**  
Sunday November 24<sup>th</sup> 2019  
11.00am  
**Our Lady of Peace Newbridge**  
*Followed by bring & share refreshments in the side Chapel.*

## As Lent Approaches!

The date of the CAFOD Family Fast Day will be Friday, 15<sup>th</sup> 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!

### Soup Lunches

Will be on Fridays after Mass; there will also be a discussion during lunch.

### Stations of the Cross

Will be on Thursday after Mass in Our Lady of Peace and on Fridays in the other churches

### Also

I would like to have an evening/afternoon session through Lent for about 1 – 1.1/2 hours. This will be centered around 'Spiritual Reflection'.

I am proposing a Wednesday evening at Our Lady of Peace at about 7.00pm.

**Please keep An eye out for the Leaflets of Lenten information which will be available soon!**

## 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 2<sup>nd</sup> 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 1<sup>st</sup> – Dydd Gwyl Dewi Sant.  
At Ss. Anthony & Clare, Risca at 7.00pm

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, 5<sup>th</sup> March!!  
*All in aid of Church Funds*

## Thought for the Week

Blessed are those who give without remembering and blessed are those who take without forgetting.