

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 10 th 1 st Sunday of Lent	11.15am <i>Parish Family</i>	9.15am <i>Catherine O'Brien</i>	5.00pm (Sat.) <i>Tom Downey & Nancy Hughes</i>
Monday 11 th			<i>Rosary 10.30am</i> 11.00am <i>Word & Sacrament</i>
Tuesday 12 th	6.00pm Evening Prayer 6.30pm		
Weds. 13 th	9.30am Exposition 10.00am <i>Hywel Jenkins</i>		
Thursday 14 th		10.00am – Rosary 10.30am <i>Patricia Gillette</i> <i>Stations after Mass</i>	
Friday 15 th CAFOD Family Fast Day	Stations of the Cross 6.00pm		10.00am Exposition 10.30am <i>For those who mourn</i> <i>Stations after Mass</i>
Saturday 16 th		10.00am <i>Peace</i>	
Sunday 17 th 2 nd Sunday of Lent	11.15am <i>Parish Family</i>	9.15am <i>Richard McDermott</i>	5.00pm (Sat.) <i>Bernard Poslad</i>
<p>During Lent We will be using the Apostles' Creed; and Memorial Acclamation 3. For the Mass we will be using Missal Tones</p>			

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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, Mike Parker.
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 03/03/19		
Parish	£	501.00

Meetings & Information
SVP
The next SVP meeting will take place in the hall in Risca on Monday March 18th at 2.30pm.
Faith Exploration
We will meet at 11.00am on 14th March. 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 TBA
Parish IT
Please see Fr. Kevin after Mass!

PAC Meeting!
There will be a meeting of the PAC (*Parish Advisory Council*) on Tuesday, 19th March after the Mass in Risca. This will be the first meeting for some time so would reps. please do your best to attend or make sure your apologies are given.
ALSO
We need another TWO reps. From Sacred Heart/ Our Lady of Peace. Is this for you? Could you suggest a name?

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!
Meeting
Our meeting on Friday had to be postponed but a new date will be agreed soon. But keep the suggestions coming!

Thought for the Week
No one can make you feel inferior without your consent.

Saint of the Week
Blessed William Hart
William was born in Wells, Somerset and studied in Oxford then Rome. After being Ordained he returned to England. There he ministered to Catholic prisoners in York Prison. He endured many a close encounter in his endeavour to stay free. But he was eventually betrayed to the English Authorities by someone who worked on the estate where he had been given refuge.
He died a Martyr in York.
Feast day 15th March
Patron: Prison Ministers

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!

S. Teresa of Avila
Consider this prayer of S. Teresa when you are thinking about what to do during Lent!
Christ has no body now but yours. No hands, no feet on earth but yours. Yours are the eyes through which he looks compassion on this world. Yours are the feet with which he walks to do good. Yours are the hands through which he blesses all the world. Yours are the hands, yours are the feet, yours are the eyes, you are his body. Christ has no body now on earth but yours.

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.

Some Lent Events!
This Friday is the CAFOD Family Fast Day!
The theme this year is:
Eat Simply that others may simply eat!
I encourage you to take a simple bowl of soup and a roll for a meal whilst considering and praying for those who have less, or nothing!
The Friday Soup Lunch at the Sacred Heart is open to all and I encourage you to come and join with the group there after the Mass. All the donations go to CAFOD. Also, there will be a Soup Supper at Ss. Anthony & Clare after the 6.00pm Stations on Friday.
Do make an effort for this day!
Walk With Me.
There are a few left at £1.00 each!
Wednesdays
At 7.00pm on Wednesdays at Our Lady of Peace in Newbridge. A time for Spiritual Reflection on 'Knowing the Love of God'.
Risca Churches Together
Lent lunches and a chat at:
S. Margaret's - 20th March
Bethany - 28th March
High Street Crosskeys - 5th April
All start at 12.00 Noon! All are welcome!
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Please take one of the Lent 'Origami' leaflets as a guide to events through Lent leading to Easter.

HCPT Group 737
Race Night!
Friday, 15th March 2019
At Rivermead Centre near Morrison's, Rogerstone.
Doors open at 7.00pm
First Race due to start at 7.30pm.
No bar - but guests can bring their own refreshments!
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Would you like to Sponsor a Race?
Would you like to own a horse?
Please ask for information!

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.

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.