

# 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 23 <sup>rd</sup> The Body And Blood Of Our Lord Jesus Christ	11.15am <i>Parish Family</i>	9.15am <i>Maria Roberts</i>	5.00pm <i>Maureen Barbero</i>
Monday 24 <sup>th</sup> Sol: The Nativity of John the Baptist		6.30pm The Parish	Rosary 10.30am 11.00am <i>Win &amp; Tony Phillips</i>
Tuesday 25 <sup>th</sup>	Evening Prayer 6.00pm 6.30pm <i>Parish SVP</i>		
Wed. 26 <sup>th</sup> St. Romuald	Exposition 9.30am 10.00am <i>McCarthy Family</i>		
Thursday 27 <sup>th</sup> S. Cyril of Alexandria, Bp. D.		Rosary 10.00am 10.30am <i>Eileen Hitchings</i>	
<b>The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus</b> Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> Exposition 10.00am – 6.00pm Morning Prayer – 10.00am Divine mercy Prayer – 3.00pm Chaplet of the Divine Mercy – 6.00pm followed by Evening Prayer & Benediction <b>Mass – 6.30pm</b>			
Saturday 29 <sup>th</sup> The Immaculate Heart of Mary		10.00am <i>Peace</i>	
Sunday 30 <sup>th</sup> Ss. Peter & Paul, Apostles	11.15am <i>Thanksgiving</i>	9.15am <i>Parish Family</i>	5.00pm <i>Christopher Kedward</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 16/06/19	
Parish	£349.35 <i>(More to add!!)</i>

**Meetings & Information**  
**SVP**  
 The next SVP meeting will take place in the hall in Risca on Monday June 24<sup>th</sup> at 2.30pm.  
**Faith Exploration**  
 We will meet at 10.30am on 27<sup>th</sup> June. 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 July 6<sup>th</sup> in St. Paul's, Newbridge at 10.00am.  
**Social & Fundraising Committee**  
 We will be meeting at Our Lady of Peace in Newbridge at 7.00pm on Friday, 5<sup>th</sup> July.  
**Justice and Peace**  
 The next meeting **TBA**  
**Parish IT**  
 See Fr. Kevin!  
**Parish Advisory Council (PAC)**  
 The next meeting - **Tuesday July 9<sup>th</sup>** after the Mass in Risca.

**Saint of the Week**  
**Sol. John the Baptist**  
 Usually we observe the day of a Saints death, but the Solemnity (Sol) of 'John the Baptist' celebrates his birth.  
 John was cleansed of original sin in the womb of his mother so this is the reason his birth is Sacred. He was also the only one chosen to Baptise Jesus in the waters of the Jordan. John persuaded the Jewish people of Judea that Jesus was the Messiah, then went on to be the main disciple of Jesus.  
 St. John the Baptist day is a holiday celebrated on June 24<sup>th</sup> by French Canadians across Canada and the U.S.  
**Solemnity June 24th**

**Pilgrimages**  
**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 this year. Have a chat with some of those who have been before.  
 Application forms are available online; please email to the Parish at: [newbridge@rcadc.org](mailto:newbridge@rcadc.org) and a link will be sent to you.  
 The costs have risen a bit for this year and the price per person for a standard room, transport and meals at Walsingham is: £225.00.  
 The ensuite rooms are all taken!  
 A £30.00 per person non-refundable deposit is required with booking!  
*Online forms preferred, but if you have no access please ask for a form.*

**Welsh National Pilgrimage to Lourdes**  
 26<sup>th</sup> – 31<sup>st</sup> July 2019  
 Bookings are being taken on-line or see Fr. Kevin. Because of problems with planes, this year we travel from Friday to Wednesday. The flights are from Cardiff Airport! See the posters at the back of the churches!

**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.**

**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. Please take one.

**Discussion After Mass!**  
 'Looking at the Creed' Wednesday, 26<sup>th</sup> June in Risca after 10.00am Mass.

**Corpus Christi - 23<sup>rd</sup> June!**  
 There will be a Procession of the Blessed Sacrament at Llantarnam Abbey in this afternoon at 3.00pm.  
 For our young people who have made their First Holy Communion it is an ideal opportunity to give thanks for this great gift. Come and join in the Procession with Our Lord.  
 It would be good to see as many of our parish there as possible! If anyone would like to assist with stewarding, please see me after Mass. There will be light refreshments in Ty Croeso after the Procession.

**Premananda Orphanage**  
 Thank you to everyone in the Parish who have supported Premananda Orphanage over the years by coming to fundraising events, buying raffle tickets, supporting collections and by donations that are given. Your help is really appreciated.  
 I'd particularly like to thank those who sponsor children. Some people do this by paying monthly and others prefer to make an annual donation. If you do sponsor a child and pay annually then the £200 payment is now due.  
 Please make cheques out to  
**PREMANANDA ORPHANAGE CENTRE APPEAL.**  
 Thank you so much.  
 If anyone is interested in becoming a sponsor then please contact me and I'll let you know the details. God bless you all - *Imelda Mortimer*

**Coming Feasts!**  
 On Friday, 28<sup>th</sup> June we celebrate:  
**The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus**  
 An all day celebration at the Sacred Heart in Pont  
 Finishing with a 'do' in the Hall!  
**Feast of S. Clare**  
**Saturday, 10<sup>th</sup> August** at Ss. Anthony & Clare, Risca.  
 All day celebration!  
**Our Lady of Peace**  
**Saturday, 7<sup>th</sup> September** with the Birthday of The Blessed Virgin Mary.  
 An all day celebration in Newbridge!

**HCPT Group 737**  
**Bourton-on-the-Water**  
 A coach has been arranged for a visit to Bourton-on-the-Water for Saturday, 3<sup>rd</sup> August. Seats are £17.00 each and please can we take payment with the booking!!  
 Exact pick up times will be published nearer the time.  
 All proceeds to HCPT Group 737

**Thought for the Week**  
 The aim of mankind should be to make man kinder.

**Building Projects in the Parish**  
 There's a lot of works to be done in each of the churches in the Parish.  
 Coordinating this work with the PAC are the members of our Buildings & Maintenance Group.  
 Each church has had a lot done to and for it. But the work gets increasingly demanding in terms of **volunteers** and **funding** (not words people like hearing!)  
 We all face the challenges of being Church in this world, and we all need to find a response! How can you help with these projects?  
 1. By offering to be part of the Buildings & Maintenance group. *To do this please send an email to [newbridge@rcadc.org](mailto:newbridge@rcadc.org) offering to join the group or asking for information.*  
 2. By helping with the 'August maintenance month' which tackles some of the minor jobs and the tidying of church, Hall and grounds.  
 3. By being aware of and highlighting any jobs that need to be done.  
 4. By joining in the *Social and Fundraising* events that are held around the Parish. *Next meeting 5<sup>th</sup> July at 7.00pm*  
 We will have a meeting of the B&M group soon. There will be a meeting after the Tuesday evening Mass in Risca on Tuesday, 25<sup>th</sup> June.

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