

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 10th 32 nd Sunday	11.15am <i>Holy Souls</i>	9.15am <i>Holy Souls</i>	5.00pm (Sat) <i>Holy Souls</i>
Monday 11th Mem: St. Martin of Tours			Rosary 10.30am 11.00am <i>Holy Souls</i>
Tuesday 12th Mem: St. Josaphat	Evening Prayer 6.00pm 6.30pm <i>Holy Souls</i>		
Wed. 13th	Exposition 9.30am 10.00am <i>Holy Souls</i>		
Thursday 14th St. Dyfrig		Rosary 10.00am 10.30am <i>Holy Souls</i>	
Friday 15th St. Albert the Great			Exposition 10.00am 10.30am <i>Holy Souls</i>
Saturday 16th BVM		10.00am <i>Holy Souls</i>	
Sunday 17th 33 rd Sunday World Day of the Poor	11.15am <i>Holy Souls</i>	9.15am <i>Holy Souls</i>	5.00pm (Sat) <i>Holy Souls</i>

Please Note! Through November all Masses will be for Holy Souls

Parish Clergy
Fr. Kevin Paine - The Presbytery, Ashfield Road, Newbridge. NP11 4RB
Tel: 01495 243304 - Mobile: 07980 23.69 36
Fr. Kevin's email: kevinpaine62@gmail.com
Parish email: newbridge@rcadec.org
Parish Deacon
Rev Patrick Maloney - Tel: 01495 75.66.95
e-mail: mrpatmaloney87@yahoo.co.uk
Parish Website - ourladyofpeace.co.uk

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, Jane Villa, Ken Randall, and Lisa Evans.
. 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 03/11/19	
Parish	£544.72

Meetings & Information

SVP
The next SVP meeting will be November 11th
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 **December 7th** in St. Paul's, Newbridge at 10.00am.
Social & Fundraising Committee
The next meeting will be on **Friday November 15th** at 7pm in Newbridge
Justice & Peace
The next meeting will be on **Monday November 11th** at 6.15pm at the hall in Pont.
I.T. Group
Please contact Fr. Kevin
Musicians & Singers
Please meet in Newbridge on **Sunday November 10th at 5.30pm**
We will be practicing for Christ the King and our Advent service.

Saint of the Week

S. Dyfrig

Dyfrig was born in Herefordshire and when his Grandfather heard his daughter was pregnant with him, he threw her in the river Wye. They survived and when the baby Dyfrig touched his grandfather he was cured of leprosy.
Dyfrig was very clever and founded two monasteries where he was a noted teacher; and is mentioned in the book of Llandaff.
He became a Bishop and then Archbishop of Wales and lived well into his 80s.
Dyfrig died of natural causes and his relics are in Llandaff Cathedral where his Shrine can still be seen.
Feast day November 14th

Volunteers Needed!

We have a stock of rosaries, medals, Advent calendars and candles, diaries, Church Art calendars, Christmas cards and goods. These are on sale after Mass in the Hall, in Pontllanfraith and Risca, and at the back of the church in Newbridge.
We need people to look after these goods and sell them and take orders, or enquiries, for other goods.
+++++
Fund Raising Goods
We have some 'tote bags with our logo, and pens which need to be sold and someone in each church to sell them.
Please see Fr. Kevin after Mass – or he may approach you!

The Year of the Word 'The God Who Speaks'

The Catholic Bishops' Conference of England and Wales have designated 2020 as 'The God Who Speaks': A Year of the Word This is to celebrate the 10th anniversary of *Verbum Domini* - Pope Benedict XVI's Apostolic Exhortation on 'The Word of the Lord', and the 1600th anniversary of death of St Jerome, who translated the Bible into Latin (*this is known as the 'Vugate'*)
We celebrate the feast of S. Jerome on the 30th September and our Year of the Word begins on 1st December – the First Sunday of Advent. We will advertise events that are held in the Parish and Diocese here in the Newsletter, as well as information and facts about the year. We will start with some articles about S. Jerome!!
+++++

Scripture Study Days at the Cornerstone
Fleur Dorrell (Catholic Scripture Engagement Manager at the Bishops' Conference) – November 18th 2019 at 6.30pm
+++++

A word to consider:- **'HOPE !....'**



'All Scripture is inspired by God and useful for refuting error, for guiding people's lives and teaching them to be upright. This is how someone dedicated to God becomes fully equipped and ready for any good work.' (2Timothy 3:16)

Thought for the Week

Age is in the mind, not in the calendar.

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.

Christ the King Booklet

Could the various groups start preparing their annual round-up of reports please?
Catechism/Communion Classes, SVP, Justice & Peace, Social & Fundraising, HCPT, Restoration Gp, etc..
+++++

Please let us know if you need, or can offer, a lift!!

Christmas Fayre in the Memo

Our ladies have a table top with crafts, tote bags and pens in the annual Christmas fayre in the Memo on **Sunday November 24th from 2pm – 5pm.**
Do come along and support them in the afternoon.
All proceeds for church funds.

Christmas Raffle

Tickets will be available shortly for the Christmas raffle. £1 a ticket or £10 a book. Donations towards costs and prizes would be much appreciated. Many thanks.

Body Shop Party In aid of HCPT Group 737

The Body Shop party will take place in the church hall in Risca on Monday November 11th at 7pm.
Entrance is £3 with a cup of tea/coffee.
Do come along and bring your friends for a fun evening
Coach to Gloucester!
The first pick up will be at 8.00am in Pontllanfraith - Opposite Colin's Fish Bar!
Then in Risca Train Station at 8.20am
Leaving Gloucester at 5.30pm

The Miraculous Medal

Novena to Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal
Next weekend I will have copies of the Novena to hand out. This will begin on Tuesday, 19th November to the Feast on the 27th November. The Mass, with the blessing and investiture of medals, will be on Thursday at 6.30pm at Our Lady of Peace in Newbridge.
Anyone may wear a Miraculous Medal
By being invested with a miraculous Medal we encourage you to: Wear it in Faith and Devotion!
Pray the Rosary regularly for the people and needs of the Parish. Meet as a group twice a year (*May and November*) Be prepared to tell people about the Medal and encourage others to wear one..
+++++
I now have some medals if you would like to look at them. If you would like gold plated (*or gold*), or silver plated medals and/or chains, please see me after mass as these will be ordered when requested.
+++++

Restoration Group!

We meet again this Monday at 1.00pm at Our Lady of Peace. There will be a representative from the Archdiocese with us so that we discuss a time-scale for Grant Applications and so help us plan our fund raising and the other preparatory works we need to do! All are welcome.
New Lights!!
Please take time to look at the new lights at Our Lady of Peace. There are lights, for safety, illuminating the steps from the road down to the church. There are also some flood lights which light up the church at night and, even though the building needs a lot of work on the outside, it does look impressive!!
They cost about £8,000.00. Good quality and value, but we do need to raise some funds to put this back to help with other works!

Christmas Quiz Night

This will take place in the church hall in Risca on **Friday December 6th at 7pm.** Get your teams ready for a fun night. £2 per person to enter. Mulled wine & mince pies etc for refreshments. Do come along and join us.

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.
Thank you 😊