

Our Lady of Peace Parish, Newbridge

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

Day Sundays A Weekdays 2	Ss. Anthony & Clare, Risca	Our Lady of Peace, Newbridge	The Sacred Heart, Pontllanfraith
Sunday 10th 5 th Sunday of Easter tide	Rosary – 9.30am Morning Prayer 10.00am	10.30am Parish Family (Sunday Stream)	Night Prayer Daily at 10.00pm
The Sacred Heart – Is finished! All Masses and services will be streamed on line			
Monday 11th	Rosary – 9.30am Morning Prayer 10.00 am	10.30am Chapel Stream The Sick of the Parish	Angelus & Evening Prayer 6.00pm
Tuesday 12th Sts. Nereus & Achilleus	Rosary – 9.30am Morning Prayer 10.00 am	10.30am Chapel Stream Sharon Moore (G.E)	Angelus & Evening Prayer 6.00pm
Wednesday 13th Our Lady of Fatima	Exposition – 9.30am Morning Prayer 10.00 am	10.30am Chapel Stream Jean Daniels	Angelus & Evening Prayer 6.00pm
Thursday 14th Feast: St. Matthias, Apostle	Rosary – 9.30am Morning Prayer 10.00 am	10.30am Chapel Stream Rob Cooze	Angelus & Evening Prayer 6.00pm
Friday 15th	Exposition – 9.30am Morning Prayer 10.00 am	10.30am Chapel Stream Holy Souls	Angelus & Evening Prayer 6.00pm
Saturday 16th	Rosary – 9.30am Morning Prayer 10.00 am	10.30am Chapel Stream Peace	Angelus & Evening Prayer 6.00pm
Sunday 17th 6 th Sunday of Easter	Rosary – 9.30am Morning Prayer 10.00 am	10.30am Parish Family (Sunday Stream)	Angelus & Evening Prayer 6.00pm
Stations of the Cross	https://www.catholic.org/prayers/station.php		

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Please pray for...
 All those who receive the Sacrament at home, those
 who are in any need and especially for:
 Stuart Coe, Jackie Heather,
 Kathleen Russell, Valerie Griffin, Ken Randall, Lisa Evans,
 Nell Hawkins, Flo Smyth, Steve and Stuart.
*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	
Parish	At a later date!

Thank You!
 For all the feedback and positive comments about the streamed
 Masses. Thank you all for your comments.
 Thank you also for subscribing to the channel.
 Please let others know of this service. Thank you!

The Year of the Word
'The God Who Speaks'
 May the Month of Mary
**We will look the History and the events and apparitions at Fatima on
 Wednesday after Mass at 11.30am.**
**On Monday, after Mass, we will continue looking at 'Spirituality and
 Prayer, after Mass at 11.30am.**
**On Friday evening, at 7.00pm, we will look a little more at Taizé –
 history, music and prayer**
Any questions welcome; text Fr. Kevin or email the parish.

Verbum Domini
 Copies are available at £3.95. Recommended reading for Readers
 and those involved in Ministries in the Parish.
 Other titles will be recommended as the Year of the Word
 develops.
 This will be discussed on-line soon.

 A word to consider: - **Surrender!**

Blessed is she who has believed that the Lord would
 fulfill his promises to her!"
 Luke 1: 45 (NIV)

Saint of the Week
Our Lady of Fatima
 Three young children, Lucia and her two cousins, were
 coming back from tending sheep in Fatima, when they saw
 an apparition of 'Our Blessed Lady'
 It was 13th May, and there were six appearances in total,
 the last being on 13th October.
 The events were deemed 'worthy of belief' because they
 revealed 3 secrets which were given to the Vatican. The
 third revealed the attempted assassination of Pope John
 Paul II; 64 years later to the day of the first apparition.
 The place where the apparitions appeared in Portugal have
 become a shrine visited by millions and is called 'Our Lady
 of Fatima.'
 Lucia became a nun aged 14yrs old and was persuaded by a
 Priest to write books on her experiences. She died aged
 98years old in 2005.

Food Banks
 As you can imagine, the donations of food to the Bank are almost nil at
 the moment; although some people have managed to get money to
 them. Mario has talked with the Food Bank and we have their Bank
 Details. So we can do one of the following:
 1. Transfer money to them (contact Fr. Kevin or Mario for
 details).
 2. Make a cheque payable to: 'Bellyfull'
 (write the Parish name on the back) and send to:
 Tab Life Centre, Tram Road, Pontllanfraith, NP12 2JF
 The Food Bank is receiving referrals from the County and is working
 very hard and efficiently and they are very grateful for your support.
Thank you all!

Meetings & Information
SVP
 The next SVP meeting will be announced some time in the
 future.
Sunshine Club
 Meetings are suspended for the time being! We will put a
 note in the Newsletter when we restart.
Senior Citizens
 Suspended for now.
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 meetings are suspended at the moment.
Justice & Peace
 The next meeting will be re-arranged for a later date.

For Your Diary

**9th/10th May S. Patrick's Missionary
 Soc.**
Postponed!

29th Nov. One Mass Only!
 11.00am at Our Lady of Peace Newbridge
 Followed by refreshments - Bring and share after Mass

Happy Easter
 As we continue to celebrate Eastertide, we walk through this time with the
 Apostles and the early church on the way to the Ascension of Our Lord. We
 celebrate this on Thursday, 21st May closely followed by the Feast of Pentecost
 (50 days after Easter) and the promised gift of the Holy Spirit. We celebrate this
 on Sunday, 31st May!
 Were the Apostles ready? Will we be ready?

Live Stream
Other events this week.

Monday, 11th May	Spirituality & Prayer	11.30am (Chapel Stream)
Wednesday, 13th	History of Fatima	11.30am (Chapel Stream)
Friday, 15th	History & Music/ Prayer	7.00pm (Chapel Stream)

Restoration Milk Bottle Fund-Raiser!
 Labeled milk bottles will be given out for this. We also have labels if you
 want to use your own bottles. These will be collected in at Pentecost.
 This project may take a bit longer in the present climate! Do not worry,
 we will update you when the restrictions are lifted.

May 'Procession'
 As we talked about honouring Mary during May, we also
 mentioned the custom of having May 'altars' for Our
 Lady in our houses.
 Start to make one for yourselves with a statue or picture
 of Mary, candles, flowers, drawings, rosary, prayers and
 hymns. Perhaps you could make a crown of flowers?
 Then perhaps you could send me photos to include on
 Sunday, 24th May, when we 'Crown' the statue in church!

Auction?
 If like me your using this time to have a sort out remember
 that we will be having a Chinese auction when we are all
 able to come together again. Please keep your donations
 until such a time as we can get them to raise much needed
 funds for our churches. Thank you! Maria

Bibles Available
 We are in the process of ordering more Bibles. I have a large print Bible
 for inspection! Other bibles are also available. If you would like to order
 one of these, please ask.

Morning and Evening Prayer
 The books that are used for these offices cost about £30.00!
 They contain Morning and Evening Prayer as well as Night
 Prayer. It also has the variations for the Saints days throughout
 the year. If you think you would like one but would like to borrow
 one to look through, please ask as I have some and could get
 one to you. If you want to buy one, please contact me.

St Matthew's Gospel
This project is temporarily on hold!
 We are exploring an audio reading of S. Matthew's
 Gospel. More news on this next weekend.

Collection & Envelopes!
 Some of you have asked about collection and
 Standing Orders. Thank you for your
 thoughtfulness.
 I have a copy of a Standing Order form. If you
 would like one please email the parish at
Newbridge@rcadc.org.
 Also, if you would like to 'Gift Aid' your offering,
 you can ask for a Gift Aid form at the same email.
 If it is for a gift aid form, please state the church
 you normally attend (OLOP, SSA&C, SH).
 Within the week we hope to be including a 'Give'
 button onto the website!

Thought for the Week
 Saying is one thing, doing another.