

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 24th 7 th Sunday of Easter tide	Rosary – 9.30am Morning Prayer 10.00am	10.30am May Procession (Sunday Stream) Parish Family	Night Prayer Daily at 10.00pm
All Masses and services will be streamed on line			
Monday 25th St. Bede the Venerable	Rosary – 9.30am Morning Prayer 10.00 am	10.30am Chapel Stream Keith Ebel	Angelus & Evening Prayer 6.00pm
Tuesday 26th Mem: St. Philip Neri	Rosary – 9.30am Morning Prayer 10.00 am	10.30am Chapel Stream Virginia Fredericks	Angelus & Evening Prayer 6.00pm
Wednesday 27th St. Augustine of Canterbury	Exposition – 9.30am Morning Prayer 10.00 am	10.30am Chapel Stream The Sick of the Parish	Angelus & Evening Prayer 6.00pm
Thursday 28th	Rosary – 9.30am Morning Prayer 10.00 am	10.30pm Chapel Stream Maria Galinari	Angelus & Evening Prayer 6.00pm
Friday 29th St. Paul V1	Exposition – 9.30am Morning Prayer 10.00 am	10.30am Chapel Stream Holy Souls	Angelus & Evening Prayer 6.00pm
Saturday 30th	Rosary – 9.30am Morning Prayer 10.00 am	10.30am Chapel Stream Peace	Angelus & Evening Prayer 6.00pm
Sunday 31st Sol: Pentecost Sunday	Rosary – 9.30am Morning Prayer 10.00 am	10.30am (Sunday Stream) Parish Family & Rino Moruzzi	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

On Monday, after Mass, we will continue looking at 'Spirituality and Prayer, at 11.30am.

On Wednesday, after Mass, we will continue looking at Our Lady of Lourdes, at 11.30am.

On Friday evening, at 7.00pm, we will have a Chanting Evening! 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!**

His mother said to the servants, "Do whatever he tells you."
John 2:6 (NIV)



Saint of the Week
S. Imelda

Imelda was born into a wealthy family and her father was a Count. However, from a very early age she showed unusual piety, taking delight in praying at her own made oratory in the corner of her house. At 9 years old she was placed in a convent at her own wish, and it was here that her consuming desire with the Eucharist began.

At 11 years old she was present at the Ascension day Mass. As the nuns were about to leave the Church, they saw a Sacred host hovering in the air above Imelda while she was deep in prayer by the closed tabernacle. Although 1st communion wasn't until you were 12 years old, in the face of such a miracle, the Priest gave Imelda Communion. However, it was to be her last because she was so overcome, Imelda collapsed to the ground.

Feast day 13th May
Patron: First Communicants

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!

May 'Procession'

Thank you all for your contributions for the procession today. It was so good to see all the efforts you went to in honouring Our Lady.

Under 'Prayer Resources' on our web page, you will find the words to some of the Marian hymns we will be singing today!

Prepare now for Pentecost with inspirations about the Feast.
Thoughts and ideas are most welcome.

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.

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.

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

Parish Projects
Sacred Heart

The decoration at the Sacred Heart is finished. I will try and upload some pictures for you to see next week.

Ss. Anthony & Clare

As soon as we are able, we hope to start works on the Toilet alterations and the Ramp.

Our Lady of Peace

We have had tenders back for two faces of the Church; The elevation with the cross and the Front entry side. These are for about £115,000.00!
What a time to have to fund raise! But we will succeed – with little help!

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
A stumble may prevent a fall.

Happy Easter
Pentecost

The Birthday of the Church! How are you going to celebrate? Remember the 'Dress Code' is Red (to symbolise the Holy Spirit); what other symbols do we have that you can think of? Send a picture of: a birthday of the church card, an drawing/ model – doves /fire of the spirit. Let your imagination loose!

I would also be interested in a word with which you would describe the Feast of Pentecost i.e. 'Amazing' 'Spectacular'
Send in by email or text. Thank you!

Live Stream

Other events this week.

Monday, 18th May	Spirituality & Prayer	11.30am (Chapel Stream)
Wednesday, 20th	Our Lady of Lourdes	11.30am (Chapel Stream)
Friday, 22nd	Chanting Evening!	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.