

# 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
<b>Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup></b> 4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter tide		<b>10.30am</b> Parish Family (Sunday Stream)	Night Prayer Daily at 10.00pm
<b>The Sacred Heart - The painting is nearly finished! All Masses and services will be streamed on line</b>			
<b>Monday 4<sup>th</sup></b>	Rosary – 9.30am Morning Prayer 10.00 am	<b>10.30am</b> Chapel Stream	Angelus & Evening Prayer 6.00pm
<b>Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup></b> St. Asaph	Rosary – 9.30am Morning Prayer 10.00 am	<b>10.30am</b> Chapel Stream Marilyn Jefferies	Angelus & Evening Prayer 6.00pm
<b>Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup></b>	Exposition – 9.30am Morning Prayer 10.00 am	<b>10.30am</b> Chapel Stream	Angelus & Evening Prayer 6.00pm
<b>Thursday 7<sup>th</sup></b>	Rosary – 9.30am Morning Prayer 10.00 am	<b>10.30am</b> Chapel Stream Jean Coley Annie Martin	Angelus & Evening Prayer 6.00pm
<b>Friday 8<sup>th</sup></b>	Exposition – 9.30am Morning Prayer 10.00 am	<b>10.30am</b> Chapel Stream Jane Villa	Angelus & Evening Prayer 6.00pm
<b>Saturday 9<sup>th</sup></b>	Rosary – 9.30am Morning Prayer 10.00 am	<b>10.30am</b> Chapel Stream	Angelus & Evening Prayer 6.00pm
<b>Sunday 10<sup>th</sup></b> 5 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter	Morning Prayer 10.00 am	<b>10.30am</b> Parish Family (Sunday Stream)	Angelus & Evening Prayer 6.00pm
<b>Stations of the Cross</b>	<a href="https://www.catholic.org/prayers/station.php">https://www.catholic.org/prayers/station.php</a>		

Congratulations to Rebecca and Ryan on the birth of their son, Jasper.  
Congratulations also to Sue and Nigel on becoming grandparents.

## 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, 21<sup>st</sup> 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, 31<sup>st</sup> May!

Were the Apostles ready? Will we be ready?

### Live Stream

This is improving as time goes on and thank you for all your comments. If you are still having problems with the feed, please contact Fr. Kevin. If you are getting the stream, consider (if you are not already) subscribing to the YouTube channel. It doesn't cost anything but it can give you alerts for the scheduled feeds!

### 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.

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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!

### Thought for the Week

Our deeds determine us, as much as we determine our deeds.

## The Year of the Word

### 'The God Who Speaks'

May the Month of Mary

The topic for discussion on Thursday after Mass at 11.30am. 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!**



Let what you have said be done to me.  
Luke 1: 38

## Saint of the Week

### S. Rose

Rose was the daughter of a physician and entered the Convent as soon as she could. However, after a few months she had to return home to look after her widowed mother.

Rose used to gather the women and girls of the village to say the Rosary together in the evening. She was surprised how little they knew, so started to instruct them. The priest told her she had the real ability to teach and that was where her vocation was. As a result, she started to teach in other villages and to educate teachers. Rose opened schools and even when the opposition burnt them down her faith and trust in God overcame any obstacles.

Her reputation spread and she was called to Rome where her holiness was confirmed with miracles.

However, Rome was also where she died aged

72years old

**Feast day May 7th**

## 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

We have received a 'Thank you' to all those who have contributed gifts of money to help the Food Bank continue through these difficult times. Well done!

A breakdown of their work will be sent to us shortly.

## Thank You

For all the feedback and positive comments about the streamed Masses. We still have a few technical issues to sort out. So thank you all for your comments.

Sound has been an issue and we have worked on this. We hope for a better quality this week!

Thank you also for subscribing to the channel.

Please let others know of this service. Thank you!

## 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.

## For Your Diary

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9<sup>th</sup>/10<sup>th</sup> May S. Patrick's Missionary Soc.

Founded on S. Patrick's Day in Ireland in 1932 its Mission was first aimed at Nigeria. From there the Society has spread out to include the rest of Africa. In the 1960's the branched out from Africa into Brazil as well! Their work and expansion does not stop there. It will be fascinating to hear from them on this weekend in May.

This may be postponed!

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29<sup>th</sup> Nov. One Mass Only!

11.00am at Our Lady of Peace Newbridge

Followed by refreshments - Bring and share after Mass

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## 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.

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## 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](mailto: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!

## 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