

Our Lady of Peace Parish, Newbridge

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

Sundays B Weekdays 1 Psalter Week 4	Ss. Anthony & Clare, Risca	Our Lady of Peace, Newbridge	The Sacred Heart, Pontllanfraith
Sunday 3 rd 2 nd Sunday of Christmas	9.30am Rosary & Morning Prayer	Sunday Stream 10.30am Giovanni Opel	Angelus & Evening Prayer 6.00pm
Monday 4 th		Chapel Stream 6.30pm Sr. Sarah King Turner's Int	Angelus & Evening Prayer 6.00pm
Tues. 5 th	9.30am Rosary Morning Prayer 10.00am	Chapel Stream 10.30am Cyril Daley	Angelus & Evening Prayer 6.00pm
Wed. 6 th The Epiphany of the Lord	9.30am Rosary Morning Prayer 10.00am	Sunday Stream 7.00pm The Parish	Angelus & Evening Prayer 6.00pm
Thursday 7 th In the Octave	9.30am Rosary Morning Prayer 10.00am	Chapel Stream 10.30am Rosemary's Int.	Angelus & Evening Prayer 6.00pm
Friday 8 th .	9.30am Rosary & Morning Prayer	Chapel Stream 10.30am Holy Souls	Angelus & Evening Prayer 6.00pm
Saturday 0 th	9.30am Rosary Morning Prayer 10.00am	Chapel Stream 10.30am Peace	Angelus & Evening Prayer 6.00pm
Sunday 10 th The Baptism of the Lord	9.30am Rosary & Morning Prayer	Sunday Stream 10.30am John Waite	Angelus & Evening Prayer 6.00pm

Coffee Morning!

We will be Zooming for coffee after Mass this Sunday.

The link will go live at 11.45

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/7898097636?pwd=U3BIS1JpUHIQMXJ3TtC YjJISnE4dz09>

Meeting ID: 789 809 7636 -f Passcode: m5veVc

Thank You!

To all of you who have helped to keep things running and have kept an eye on the other churches to make sure that they are safe and in good repair for when we return to them.

To all who have helped in so many ways to maintain the flow of the Liturgies – I thank you all!

Thank you for watching the channel and I do pray that you have Spiritual graces from your visits.

Thank you –

For all your cards and gifts at Christmas time; you are so generous!

Our love and prayers are with you all

Fr. Kevin & Caroline

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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, Ruth & Helen,
Ken Randall, Lisa Evans, Nell Hawkins,
Steve and Stuart, John Foley, Keith Thomas, Sean Rooke,
Rosemary Jenkins, **Christine, Dianne**

. 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

Church Opening

It is not yet the appropriate time to open churches at the moment. All activities will be on-line.

Cribs!

The Crib in Risca has sadly suffered damage due to the high winds! The shed was blown over and most of the figures have suffered some damage! We will salvage and repair as much as we can!

Stars!

These you may have seen on the wall of the Main Altar throughout Christmas Day. Their intentions have been included in all the Masses.

You can view these intentions on the website under Prayer Resources – scroll down to 'Christmas' Thank you for sending these requests in to us!

CAFOD World Gifts

You can view the Christmas Card on the website under Prayer Resources – scroll down to 'Christmas'

The drawings were from our Young people and the messages that were sent have been included.

We will publish the World Gifts that were bought next week. Thank you all

RCIA and Confirmation

For those of you are ready to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation, please ask your parents to email your name and contact details to the parish email AT: newbridge@rcadc.org with the subject 'Conf' We are not sure when the actual Confirmation will take place but it would be good to start some of the ground work now.

RCIA

Those who are interested in becoming members of the Catholic Church, or in learning more about the Faith; please send an email with the subject 'RCIA', and you name and contact details. Thank you.

Saint of the Week

S. Raymond

Raymond was born into a noble family so went to University where he received doctorates in civil and canon law. He went on to teach canon law in the same University and then decided to become a Monk.

Raymond wrote a book of penances for sins and was appointed Chaplain and Grand Penitentiary in Rome. He was then asked to publish a single book of Canon Laws instead of documents that were scattered around.

Raymond is known for the miracle of sailing on his cloak for 160 miles from Majorca to Barcelona.

Raymond died aged 100 years old and is buried in a tomb at the Cathedral in Barcelona.

Feast day 7th January

Patron: Lawyers

ZOOM

Would you like to be able to 'Zoom' and join in with a coffee morning, meeting, chat?

If you don't know how it works or what to do BUT would like to be able to use it, then we can help. Either myself or one of our IT Group, who you will know, will be able to talk with you and help you set up and enter your first Zoom meeting.

Please don't be afraid to ask, we are more than willing to help! You can email a request for 'Zoom help' to the Parish address: newbridge@rcadc.org

Or you can text my mobile phone with a request.

Mary's Meals

Mary's Meals are offering cards sponsoring a child's food for one year for £15.90 to give as Christmas gifts or simply to donate to. At the moment, the Government are doubling all donations till January 31st, so buying sponsorship for one child automatically becomes two - a lovely way of helping this charity to feed children in the poorest areas of the world. Do have a look at their website

Premananda

Following a very difficult time in India, I am pleased to report that the Orphanage in India is doing well with a lot of safeguards in place for the youngsters there. They have returned to schools and colleges and life is back to some sort of normality.

It has been very difficult to get money through to the Orphanage during this period but I'm pleased to report that we have managed to do so now. Because of these problems I did not ask people who pay annually for their sponsorship money earlier, but now I am in a position to be able to forward it so I would be grateful if people could send their money to me or pay it in directly to the Premananda back account.

Please make cheques payable to 'Premananda Orphanage Centre Appeal'.

If you are unsure how to do this or need the account details, please phone or message me on 07773 649460

Thank you so much for your continued support of the Orphanage. It really is appreciated. God Bless you all.

Food Banks

The Council are doing the work of most of the Food Banks for the present moment. The work will return to the Food Banks at a future date - *not yet known*.

The Food Bank that we supply in Pontllanfraith have closed until this happens.

However, some Foodbanks in Risca remain open and are leafleting for donations. Please be generous if these requests come your way. Thank you!

Fund Raising Quiz & Raffle!

Thank you to everyone who took part in our on-line quiz on Tuesday evening. It was a fun night and we had a good turn out.

The raffle was drawn during the course of the evening and a list of the prize winners can be found below and on-line under the newsletter.

Prize Winners

First Prize: £100.00 – Vera Simmonds

Second Prize: £50.00 – Maria Gatti

10 Prizes of: £10.00

Mario & Meryl Rossi

Chris James

Cathy Compton

Helen Smith

Chris Gillette

Ken & Clare Randell

Mary Shattock

Bernard & Kay Stevens

Kath Smitt

Rob & Liz James

Thank you to everyone who supported the raffle.

Diaries and Calendars!

We have some Church Art calendars and some hard and soft backed diaries for 2021 available.

Go to the 'Repository Goods' tab online to see them and order through the Parish email - newbridge@rcadc.org.

We can then arrange payment and collection.

The Year Book is also available!

The Year of Mark

As we come into Advent, so the Year of the Word ends and our Year of Mark begins.

We have stopped our weekday sessions on Prayer and Verbum Domini until the week after the Epiphany.

Verbum Domini

Copies are available at £3.95. Recommended reading for Readers and those involved in Ministries in the Parish.

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.

Would you like to 'Gift Aid' your offering? Ask for a Gift Aid form in the email, please state which church you

Thought for the week.

The more a man knows, the more he forgives.