Parish Piety Stall

The piety stall will be open each Sunday at 10am Mass for the selling of cards for various occasions, cards, rosaries etc. Please support us when you are buying cards for Baptism, First Holy Communion and Confirmation cards and gifts.

Mass Intentions

It is an ancient tradition to have a Mass celebrated for our deceased relatives or friends, for someone who is sick, or in gratitude for help received. It is usual in requesting such a Mass to give a small stipend (donation); this goes directly for the support of the priest who celebrates the requested Mass. If you wish to have a Mass dedicated please write (1) name of intention and (2) date required on a slip of paper, put your stipend into an envelope and hand it into the Priory. We will try to facilitate the date required but priority must be given to funerals and weddings. Thank you for your help.

Night-Shelter Training

Night-shelter Training on Wednesday 22nd February at 6pm in St. Mary's Hall for Holy Family and St. Mary's parishioners. The night shelter will open in the Hall on 1st March. Thanks to all for their marvellous response.

St Mary's Primary School - Vacancy

St Mary's Primary School are recruiting for a Headteacher. Closing date for applications 17th March. Please see noticeboards for further details.

PARKING IN ST DAVID'S

The new procedure for Car Parking at St. David's Hospital is as follows:-

- (1) Parking must be confined to the area allocated to patient visitors
- (2) The car registration number must be accurately put into the wall tablet at the Hospital's Main Reception Desk within ten minutes of driving onto the Hospital site.
- (3) You have 2 hours free parking from the time of entry onto the site, after which a penalty charge will be issued.

SVP National Raffle

Tickets will be on sale next Sunday 26th February. Many thanks for your continued generosity.

Diary of Events			
Date	Time		Venue
26th February	7pm	St David's Night Social	St Mary's Parish Hall
28th February		Feast of St. David	
1st March		Ash Wednesday	
8th March	7pm	Baptism Preparation (1st session)	St Mary's Priory
15th March	7pm	Baptism Preparation (2nd session)	St Mary's Priory
17th March		St. Patrick's Dance night	St Mary's Parish Hall
9th April		Palm Sunday	
16th April		Easter Sunday	
Confirmation	Saturday	May 6th for both parishes in	Holy Family Church at 6pm
The Celebration of First Communion in St. Mary's Church on Sunday 21st May at 2pm			

The Celebration of First Communion in Holy Family Church on Saturday 10th June at 11 am

Holy Family & St Mary of the Angels

Keyston Rd, Fairwater CF5 3NP

Kings Rd, Canton CF11 9BX

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First Reading (Leviticus 19:1-2,17-18)

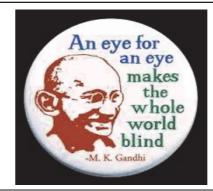
Through Moses, God urges his chosen people to be holy as God is holy. The people must not bear hatred for one another. The must love their neighbour as they love themselves.

Second Reading (1 Corinthians 3:16-23)

St. Paul reminds the fractious Christian community at Corinth that they are God's temple and that the Spirit of God is living among them and their unity as Christians is rooted in Christ. Only in him do we discover our true dignity as children of God; this is also true of others. Sadly, however, too often we allow personalities and human frailty to come between Christ and ourselves.

Gospel Reading (Matthew 5:38-48)

The Gospel is hard if we are to live in the real world. We are expected to accept and endure humiliations and defeats with no reaction. This can mean appearing weak., ineffectual and irrelevant. But maybe when this happens the gospel shines brightest of all.





All parishioners, newcomers and visitors are very welcome to visit St Mary's Parish Hall for a cup of tea or coffee after 10am Mass today.

Parish Team: Mgr Canon John Maguire, Fr. Andy Bord & Deacon Professor Maurice Scanlon.

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Holy Family Masses

Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Vigil Mass

6pm 11.00

Thursday

9.30 Special Intention (Clare)

Friday

11.15 Requiem Mass for Alice Davies

Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Vigil Mass

6pm

11.00

Confessions available before each Mass.

St Mary's Masses

Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

10.00 Sam Cross

12.00 People of the Parish

6.00 Michael Maher

Monday (Feria)

09.30 Yvonne Best

Tuesday (St Peter Damian, Bishop & Martyr) 10.00 Tony and Peggy Molloy

Wednesday (Chair of St. Peter)

10.00 Special intention

Thursday (St. Polycarp. Bishop & Martyr)

12.15 Peace in our World

Friday (Feria)

09.30 Alison Brunt

Saturday (Votive Memorial of Our Lady)

12.15 Carys Lucy Probert

Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

10.00 Bernard Free

12.00 Betty Walsh (97th Birthday) 6.00 Thomas Family

Confessions:Saturdays 9.30 - 10am and 11.30am - 12.00

Recently died

Your prayers are asked for the following who died recently:

Alice Davies Requiem Mass in Holy Family Church Friday 24th February at 11.15am.

Veronica McCarthy nee Jones, former member of St. Mary's parish. The funeral will be at St Albans Church, Cardiff at 11.15am on Thursday 23rd Feb.

Kenneth Hopkins father of Geraldine Hopkins. We offer their families our sincerest sympathy. May they rest in peace.

Pray for the Sick

Holy Family: Mary Bodman, Joan Corcoran, Vivian Miller Marjorie O'Gorman, Elizabeth Magee, Brian Webster, John Gallagher, Kay & Paul Parris, Jessie Mullett, Anne Murray Henry & Tony Fernandez, Valentine and Martin.

St. Mary's: Kathleen Daley, John & Marian Lamb, Catherine Kemp, Con Sullivan, Teresa Francis, Tom Hopkins, Dave Burns, Jonathan Gomez, Paul Williams, James Church, Kevin Barry, Peggy Dooley, Betty Smith, Ivan Sadka, Gwyn Thomas, Margaret Griffiths, Anthony Jackson, Freda Burns, Joanne Coakley, Gareth Browning, Karan Donovan, Sheila Summers. Bets Sullivan and Maria Gomez.

Parish Collections

Many thanks for your generosity.

St Marys Holy Family £407.87 £194.72 Gift Aid: £798.44 £361.12 Loose:

Foodbank Collection

Collections of food are as follows:-

Holy Family - weekend of 4/5th March St Mary's - 18th February.

News and activities from Holy Family Parish



Tea and biscuits in the hall after 11am Mass this Sunday. Help will be needed on the dayto serve drinks and clear up afterwards. Please spare an

hour to help celebrate Fr Andy's special birthday.

Mass intentions Please note that there are Masses being said in Holy Family without any specific intention. Having a Mass said is a wonderful way to remember a loved one or to support a friend or family member who is ill or going through other difficulties. Just fill in an envelope from the back of church and hand it to the priest.

Holy Family Parish trip to see Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dream Coat in the Millennium Centre on 12th May. All 25 tickets have now been sold and will be available soon. Any money owed is to be paid to Tina Gallagher 07871177462 or email tina.gallagher@adultlearning.wales

Women's Day of Prayer at Holy Family

Women's Day of Prayer will be held at Holy Family on Friday 3rd March at 2.30pm. There will be a service followed by tea and cakes. Volunteers are needed to help us host this lovely event. If you are able to help serve teas and / or bring a cake, please sign up at the back of church. (There will also be a service at Canton Uniting Church, Cowbridge Rd on the same day).

Confirmation

The Sacrament of Confirmation will be celebrated on Saturday 6th May 2017 at 6pm in Holy Family Church

The first weekly session will begin on Tuesday 7th March in St. Mary's Priory from 6.15 to 7.15 and will continue on 14th; 21st; 28th March and 4th April followed by the Easter break until Tuesday 28th April with final rehearsal on 2nd May.

There will be a Mass of enrolment on Sunday 19th March at 6pm;; and on 30th April there will be a time to reflect followed by the Mass of Election at 6pm.. All Candidates must attend Session and Sunday Mass

Application Forms that are still to come must be returned to St. Mary's Priory immediately. Thank you.

St David's Night Social



This year's St David's Night Social will take place in St Mary's Parish Hall on Sunday 26th February at 7.30pm. Tickets £6 on sale after all Sunday Masses. Includes entertain-

ment and refreshments. Please make a note in your diary and bring a friend or two with you.



St Patrick's Dance Night



Friday 17th March 8-11pm Irish Night with Sean Dunne in St Mary's Parish Hall Tickets £6 Elizabeth Coakley: 02920 394900

Wanted - First Aiders

Are you a trained first aider? Would you be willing to assist in the event of an accident occurring during the Mass? If you are willing and able to assist in this way, we would be grateful if you could please add your name to the list at the back of the church, located on the Health & Safety notice board.

Journey of Faith

For those interested in knowing more about the Catholic Church. The Journey of Faith, Thursday at 7.30pm in the Priory, 67 Talbot St, CF11 9BX.

News and activities from St. Mary's Parish



Children's Liturgy for Primary School children takes place during the 10am Sunday Mass. Children's Liturgy adapts the Liturgy of the Word to suit the ages of the children involved.

Bible Study Group will meet during Lent beginning on Ash Wednesday 1st March 2-3pm and all following Tuesdays (7th, 14th etc). Using Denis McBride's latest publication 'Stations of the Cross' then and now.

200 Club February Draw 1st £100 No.83 Sean Maher. 2nd £30 No.52 Terri Roblin. 3rd £20 No.15 Ivan Sadka.

Baptism Preparations

Baptism Preparation for parents requesting Baptism for their children. First session Wednesday 8th March. Second session on Wednesday **15th March** both at **7pm in the Priory**. Parents who have not undergone the preparation course must do so if they wish to have their child baptised. If you have already done the course but wish to have another child baptised you must make an appointment with one of the priests.

Defibrillator: there will a training session on how to operate the Defibrillator on Monday 13th March from 6-8pm. Volunteers from each of the Sunday Masses are required to help in this operation. If you are interested, please email: stmarysmusicgroupcardiff@gmail.com

Yearbook and Directory

Centenary books are on sale at £3 each.

YOUR PARISH NEEDS YOU!

If you would like to become more actively involved in the parish, there are lots of opportunities available to you. Please pick up a flyer from the back of church and see the many groups currently active in the parish and looking to recruit new members. And if none of those appeals to you, then perhaps you have an idea for a new group which could help to grow the parish, provide support and attract others to participate in the life of the church in a more proactive way. Extra Ministers of the Eucharist are required for each Mass in St. Mary's, let one of the priests know of your wishes.