PARISH OF OUR LADY AND ST DAVID CWMBRAN

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15th June 2025 Tenth Week in Ordinary Time

Saturday:	9.40am	Our Lady's	Morning Prayer
Immaculate Heart of	10.00am		Holy Mass: Birthday Ints Rosemir
Mary	1.00pm		Wedding of Pawel and Edwina
	8.00pm	Facebook Live	Holy Rosary: The Joyful Mysteries
Sunday:	4.15pm	St David's	Sacrament of Reconciliation until 4.45pm
The Most Holy Trinity	5.00pm		Holy Mass: The People of the Parish
(Solemnity)	8.00pm	Facebook Live	Holy Rosary: The Joyful Mysteries
	9.30am	Our Lady's	Holy Mass: + James & Emily O'Brien (CO'B)
			After Mass tea and coffee in St Anne's room
	11.15am	St David's	Holy Mass: Ints Mary Miller (SDCL)
	8.00pm	Facebook Live	Holy Rosary: The Glorious Mysteries
Monday: St Richard	9.10am	Our Lady's	Morning Prayer
of Chichester	9.30am		Holy Mass: + Beryl & Mark James (JJ)
	8.00pm	Facebook Live	Holy Rosary: The Joyful Mysteries
Tuesday:	9.20am		Morning Prayer
	9.45am		Holy Mass: + Mary & Charles Carringan (EW)
	10.15am		Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until 11.15am
	8.00pm	Facebook Live	Holy Rosary: The Sorrowful Mysteries
Wednesday	8.00pm	Facebook Live	Holy Rosary: The Glorious Mysteries
Thursday: St	9.30am	St David's	Holy Mass: + Bill & Margaret Gale (LR)
Romuald	7.30pm	Our Lady's	Parish Prayer Group meets in St Anne's Room
	8.00pm	Facebook Live	Holy Rosary: The Luminous Mysteries
Friday: St Alban, St	10.30am	Our Lady's	Holy Mass: + Rose & Jack Clifford (MW)
Julius & St Aaron	8.00pm	Facebook Live	Holy Rosary: The Sorrowful Mysteries
Saturday: St Aloysius	9.40am	Our Lady's	Morning Prayer
Gonzaga	10.00am		Holy Mass: Ints Punithaseeli Puvanavani
	10.30am		Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until 11.15am
	10.30am		Sacrament of Reconciliation until 11.15am
Saturday/Sunday:	4.15pm	St David's	Sacrament of Reconciliation until 4.45pm
Corpus Christi	5.00pm		Holy Mass: The People of the Parish
	8.00pm	Facebook Live	Holy Rosary: The Joyful Mysteries
	9.30am	Our Lady's	Holy Mass: + Pat Price (CO'B)
			After Mass tea and coffee in St Anne's room
	11.15am	St David's	Holy Mass: The People of the Parish
	8.00pm	Facebook Live	Holy Rosary: The Glorious Mysteries

Building Collection

Due to the increase cost of maintaining the Parish buildings there will be a second collection on the last Sunday of every month beginning Sunday 29th June 2025. Thank you all for your continued support.



Just to make everyone aware the Sanctuary is always being live

streamed.

<u>The Sacristy:</u> The Sacristy is a place for preparation and prayer. With this in mind Father will be unavailable to meet with anyone 10 minutes before Mass as he takes the required time to prepare himself.

Parish Sick

We pray for the sick and housebound of our parish and for those who care for them and for those who have asked for our prayers, especially: Keri Williams, Mrs Kopec, Ann Pitchforth, Tina Cordani, Iverna Ward, Chris Mulcahy, Fr Kevin Paine and Caroline Paine, Imelda Smith, Malcolm Williams, Terry Mahoney, Ray Mills, Michael Barry, Diane Pearce, Rose James, Paul Taylor, Doreen Whatley, Phyllis Whatley, Robert Hayton, Jim Sheehy, John Jordan, Christine O'Shea, Teddy, Lois Terry, Josie Mahoney, Lily Farr, Veronica Williams, Monica James, Charlie Davies, Brian Moon, Ann Cahill, Janet Gleeson, Katie Whitehouse, Elaine Woolfall, Betty Small, Pauline and Michael Loughlin, Louise Fitzgerald, Andrew Morgan.

<u>Requiescant in Pace</u> - Of your charity please pray for the repose of the soul of Veronica Jones, and all those who have died recently. May they rest in peace. Amen.

Bus details for Brother Illtyd's Ordination

We have arranged a minibus for those who requested transport for Liam's big day. Murrays minibus will collect on Friday 27th June from St David's at 5.30pm and then over to Our Lady's for collection at 5.45pm. We will be collected from Cardiff around 9.30pm and dropped back to each Church. The cost will be £15 per person.

Pentecost at the Parkway: Thank You

I would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone for their commitment to making last weekend's Pentecost celebration at the Parkway Hotel a huge success.

As we gathered together as one family in faith, we were able to recognise the profound strength in our unity of faith and diversity of mission. As we looked around the room, we got a real sense that we are those living stones which make up the Body of Christ. As I mentioned in my homily last week, "our strength comes from our togetherness; we are strong when our gifts come together [...] and used to form a beautiful harmony".

I would like to personally thank everyone who had a part to play in making last weekend's celebration possible, for the amazing way in which our gifts and our talents were used for the building up of our parish community. I found it a very special and a very moving day.

God bless, Fr Daniel Stanton

Parish Prayer

Come Holy Spirit, fill our hearts with wisdom, love and courage, make us more like Christ in our works and actions.

Bless the work of your Church. Renew us all in the desire to make Christ known and loved in the world today. Bless the work of our Parish. Guide all that we do so that our church is a place of mercy and service for all who are seeking you.

Deepen our love for the Presence of Christ in the Eucharist and guide us in prayer and action as we journey towards Discipleship to become the Church you are calling us to be. We ask this through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen

Parish Diary

<u>Tuesday 24th June:</u> Tuesday Club at 1.30pm. The guest speaker is Clare Drewett talking about the life of Betsi Cadwaladr.

<u>Friday 27th June:</u> Brother Illtyd' s ordination at St Alban's Church, Cardiff

<u>Saturday 28th June:</u> First Holy Communion for Our Lady's and St David's Children 2.00pm

<u>Tuesday, 1st July</u>: Annual Parish Mass for the Sick, with the Anointing of the Sick, at St. David's, beginning 11:00am.

<u>Thursday 3rd July:</u> Bereavement Café in St Non's Room at 10.15am.

Sunday 13th July: Fr Illtyd visiting to celebrate Mass

Brother Illtyd's Priestly Ordination

Brother Illtyd, our own Liam, will be ordained to the Sacred Priesthood on **Friday 27**th **June 2025** at **7.00pm** at St. Alban's Church, Splott, Cardiff (Cardiff Oratory-in-Formation). Thank you to everyone who has signed up to go and support him. We will be joined by pupils from St. Alban's High School, where Br. Illtyd attended.

For those who are unable to go and would like to participate in the Mass: this will be livestreamed through the Oratory YouTube channel. I will make the link available closer to the time.

I have invited Br. Illtyd to come and celebrate Mass for us, where we can celebrate with him as a parish community, and thank God for his generous 'yes'. This will be on Sunday 13th July. We will have a collection for Br. Illtyd which we will present to him during the celebrations after his first Mass.

Envelopes are available in both Our Lady's and St David's Church entrance. Please place them in the poly pocket provided.

Please keep vocations to the Priesthood, the Diaconate, and the Religious life in your prayers.

SVP National Raffle

The SVP are selling raffle tickets at weekend masses. They are £1 per ticket or £5 for a book. There is £7,500 in prizes to be won nationally. Our parish SVP will receive 50% of the ticket sales in this parish. As always, we thank you for all your support and generosity.