

COLLECTIONS 6th/7th JUNE

<i>Parish</i>	<i>Gift Aid</i>	<i>Loose</i>	<i>Levy**</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Attendance</i>
Immaculate Conception	£186.00	£ 71.62	£ 79.42	£337.04	112
All Saints	£210.00	£123.00	£ 136.93	£469.93	130
St. John	£156.00	£ 12.96	£ 21.15	£190.11	35
				£997.08	277

Thank you for your contributions and generosity.

Archdiocesan Annual Levy for the Financial Year 1st April 2015 to 31st March 2016: Immaculate Conception: **£6214.00**, St. John: **£3348.00**, All Saints: **£6676.00** based on Curia assessment of 23.6% and Clergy Welfare assessment of 10.1% charge on Offertory income

FUNDRAISING

The **Coffee Evening** held at Rhymney raised **£110** for Parish Fund; many thanks to those who supported.

All Saints Development Fund: total donations received, to date, towards decorating the Church amounts to **£750.00**. Thank you for your generosity.

All Saints monthly draw winner: No.134 Marco Carini

FAITH FORMATION

Know & Share: Thursday 18th June at 6:30pm in the Lounge at All Saints.

PARISH NOTICES

All Saints APF Red Boxes: Please bring your contribution in an envelope with your Name and Amount raised and give to Mary Taylor or hand into the sacristy, thank you!

ST. JOSEPH'S SCHOOL NEWS

Fete/Sports Day: Friday 19th June. Sports start at 12:30 followed by the Fete. Everyone welcome to join us. If anyone wishes to donate toiletries, bottles, cakes, we would be very grateful.

APPRECIATION

Our sincerest gratitude to all who contributed and worked tirelessly to organize a successful Corpus Christi Procession and Buffet/Barbecue last Sunday at Ebbw Vale. Remain in God's love and care!

Also to all who attended the evening of **Gardening and Cleaning** at St. John's on Thursday 11th June we say a very BIG THANK YOU for the good work done.

May God richly bless you all!



Pastoral Area of Immaculate Conception, Tredegar

All Saints, Ebbw Vale and St John's, Rhymney

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11th Week of Ordinary Time (B) *(Mass Book p95)* Missal (1) **14 June 2015**

Saturday 13th June <i>Vigil</i>	5:30pm	Immaculate Conception	Vivien Snow Sp. Int. Ivy & Melvyn Davies Thanksgiving – A Sheehy
Sunday 14th June <i>11th Sunday of Ordinary Time</i>	9:00am	Immaculate Conception	Margaret Driscoll RIP
	10:30am	All Saints	Jack, Mary & John O'Leary RIP
	5:30pm	St John's	Havard Jones RIP
Monday 15th June	9:45am	St John's	Requiem Mass: Pat Stephens
Tuesday 16th June	7:00pm	Immaculate Conception	Holy Souls
Wednesday 17th June	10:00am	All Saints	Andea Roffi RIP
Thursday 18th June	10:00am	All Saints School	Holy Souls
Friday 19th June	11:00am	Immaculate Conception	Margaret Driscoll RIP
Saturday 20th June <i>Vigil</i>	10:00am	All Saints	Eileen Carew RIP 1 st Anniv
	5:30pm	Immaculate Conception	Vivien Snow Sp. Int. Billy & Margaret Zeraschi RIP
Sunday 21st June <i>12th Sunday of Ordinary Time</i>	9:00am	Immaculate Conception	Tony Clark & Bernard Jones Anniv Stephen Aherne
	10:30am	All Saints	George Gough RIP
	5:30pm	St John's	Pat Stephens RIP

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

St John's: Monday 10:30am until 11:00am
Immaculate Conception: Friday 12 noon until 3:00pm
All Saints: Daily from 10:00am until 6:00pm

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (CONFESSION)

St John's: Monday after Mass; Sunday 5:00pm
Immaculate Conception: Tuesday 6:30pm; Saturday 5:00pm
All Saints: Wednesday & Saturday after Mass

	<u>VIGIL LAMPS</u>	
All Saints:	<i>Our Lady</i>	Fr Edmund's Intentions
	<i>St. Joseph</i>	In Thanksgiving (KC)
Immaculate Conception:	<i>Our Lady</i>	Biddy Reardon
	<i>Sacred Heart</i>	Josephine Bezzina RIP

From the CATECHISM of the CATHOLIC CHURCH

“God is the sovereign master of his plan. But to carry it out he also makes use of his creatures’ co-operation. This use is not a sign of weakness, but rather a token of almighty God’s greatness and goodness. For God grants his creatures not only their existence , but also the dignity of acting on their own, of being causes and principles for each other, and thus of co-operating in the accomplishment of his plans.” (CCC, 306)

GOSPEL REFLECTION *from a Parishioner*
Holy Gospel of Mark 3: 20-35

Jesus asserted his authority to cast out demons as a clear demonstration of the reign of God's power is clearly at work in the exorcisms which Jesus performed and they gave evidence that God's kingdom had come.

What kind of spiritual danger or harm should we avoid at all costs? Satan, who is our foe and arch-enemy of God, is stronger than us. Unless we are clothed in God's strength we cannot understand Satan with our own human strength.

What does Satan wish to take from us? - our faith and confidence in God and our allegiance to follow God's law. Satan is a rebel and a liar. Satan can only have a power or dominion over us if we listen to his lies and succumb to his will which is contrary to the will of God.

We are either for Jesus or against him. There are two kingdoms in opposition to one another - the kingdom of God's light and truth, and the kingdom of darkness and deception under the rule of Satan.

If we want to live in true freedom from the power of sin and Satan, then our "house" - our mind and heart and whatever we allow to control our appetites and desires - must be occupied and ruled by Jesus Christ where he is enthroned as Lord and Savior. Do you know the peace and security of a life submitted to God and to his word?

Please pray for the parishioners of our Pastoral Area, especially:

‡ **THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND:**

Jeanette Badham, Michael Buckley, Elise Burgess, Denise Burrows, Yvonne Brown, Grant Caniff, Doris Chappell, Molly Cini, Jim Clarke, James Cullen, Maria Davies, Maria Death, Hilda Dollin, Brian Garrett, John Godfrey, Michael Gough, Margaret Griffiths, Margaret Hancock, Sally Harris, Kate Hooper, Keyon Hughes, Peggy Hutton, Nicola James, Gary Jones, Celia Jones, Leslie Jones, Mandy Jones, Yvonne Jones, Steve Joyce, Nina Kokkali, Mabel Kelly, Maria Kerwin, Margaret Lawrence, Colin Lee, Pat & Tom Markey, Eileen Michael, Louis Moorhead, Damian Morgan, Maureen Morgan, Mary Morris, Kieran Moseley, Mary Moseley, Des Murphy, Shirley Murphy, Adam Newbury, Brian Norman, Audrey Norris, Cathy O’Leary, Ruth Phillips, Jean Plummer, Bill Pritchard, Owen Pritchard, Christopher Rich, Eileen Richards, Paul Riley, Samuel Roach, Maureen Roberts, Norman Roberts, Ivor Rolfe, Paul Roper, Charles Sheehy, Millie Sullivan, Mary Thomas, Nell Turner, Alison Utting, Grant Walshe, Rachel Watkins, Neville Whitcombe, Joan Williams, Kathleen Williams, Pam Williams, Nora Worthington, Helen Yabsley, Veronica Yandle, Tony Zeraschi, Rita Brady, Debra Richards, Maxine

‡ **THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARY OCCURS AT THIS TIME:**

Tony Markey, Colin Beecham, Valerie Jones, Andrea Roffi, Bina Secca, Laura Rossiter, Grace Bullen, Lawrence Crawley, Tony Rossiter, Mary Lee, Clare Louisa Browning, Valerie May Vaughan, Sarah Graham, Maureen Jones, William Morris, Sydney Arthur Boulton.

‡ **ETERNAL REST**

**LET US PRAY FOR THE REPOSE OF THE SOUL OF
 PAT STEPHENS** who passed away recently.

Her body will be brought to **St. John’s** on Sunday at 5pm and her **Requiem Mass** will take place on Monday 15th June at 9.45am
MAY SHE REST IN PEACE AND RISE IN GLORY.

Please keep her family in your prayers.