Collections for Last Sunday

Parish	Gift Aid	Loose	Levy	Total	At
	, and the second		•		Mass
Immaculate					Sat 64
Conception					<u>Sun 52</u>
Conception	£148.50	£121.51	£110.07	£380.08	116
All Saints	£301.00	£99.00	£134.16	£534.16	86
St. John's	£136.00	£13.36	£19.35	£168.71	<u>27</u>
			Total	£1082.95	<u>229</u>

Immaculate Conception Boiler Fund is now £1088.84

Grateful thanks to everyone for your generous offerings.

Notices

Celebrate Wales Conference will take place on 21st-22nd April.

Celebrate Wales is a lively Catholic faith-filled weekend conference for the whole family. We offer Inspiring talks, workshops, children's/youth streams (activities led by trained leaders) and Mass/Reconciliation/Adoration. It will be held at at Mary Immaculate High School, Wenvoe, Cardiff, CF5 5QZ (minutes from J.33 of the M4 For more information visit the website: ww.celebrateconference.org/wales or Michael Coyle on 01952 417223.

Vocations Sunday The Day of Prayer for Vocations to the Priesthood and Consecrated Life this year will be celebrated on Sunday 22nd April 2018. This day flows from the broader culture of vocation, and is when the universal Church asks the Lord to send more labourers to the harvest. The theme for this year is 'It's Your Call'.

Loving Father,

We give you thanks,

because you call us all, to participate in your divine plan for the world; that all people may find their joy and peace in you.

Bless us with a heart open to you, and enable us to **listen** to your Holy Spirit.

Enlighten our minds; that we may discern

the path that we should follow.

Give us courage to **live** out the life you invite us to; following more closely the example of Jesus your Son, who lives and reigns for ever and ever.

Amen



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Third Sunday of Easter Mass Book P262 15th April 2018

Vigil	5:30pm	Immaculate Conception	Mary Ann Weech RIP Daniel & Teresa Carpenter b'day Joan Yandle RIP Murphy & Holland family Brian & Colleen Holland (55 th Wed anniv)	
Third Sunday of	9:00am	Immaculate Conception	Kate Robins RIP P Richardson RIP Bert Carroll RIP	
Easter	10:30am	All Saints	John & Mary Harris RIP May Kelly RIP	
	5:30pm	St. John's	Jack Thomas RIP	
Monday 16th	10:00am	St. John's	Fr. Joseph's Intention	
Tuesday 17th	7:00pm	Immaculate Conception	For the spiritual growth of parishioners	
Wed 18th	10:00am	All Saints	Mary Moseley RIP Joy's Wellbeing	
Thursday 19th	9:30am	St Joseph's School	For the wellbeing of Teachers pupils & parents	
Friday 20th	7:00pm	Immaculate Conception	For the spiritual growth of parishioners	
Saturday 21st	10:00am	All Saints	In Thanksgiving (VM)	
Vigil	5:30pm	Immaculate Conception	Marie Spellman RIP	
	9:00am	Immaculate Conception		
Fourth Sunday of Easter	10:30am	All Saints	Kathleen & Alf McCarthy RIP Terry McCarthy RIP Mary Williams RIP	
	5:30pm	St. John's	Susan Edwards and Doreen Collins	

VIGIL LAMPS

All Saints:
Our Lady
All Saints:
Sacred Heart
Deceased McCarthy Family
Deceased Lynch Family
Deceased Lynch Family
Archbishop Stack

Immaculate Conception: Sacred Heart For the Pastoral area

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

All Saints: Daily from 10:30am until 6:00pm
St. John: Monday 10:00am before Mass
Immaculate Conception: Friday 12 noon until 3:00pm

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (CONFESSION)

All Saints: After Mass on Wednesday / Saturday
St. John's: Before Mass on Sunday and Monday
Immaculate Conception: Before Mass on Saturday and Sunday

GOSPEL REFLECTION Luke 24: 35-48

Even as they hear Jesus' greeting of peace, the disciples are startled and terrified. They are uncertain about what to make of the figure before them and, quite understandably, they mistake Jesus for a ghost. Yet the figure before them is not a ghost; Jesus invites them to experience his resurrected body with their senses, to look and to touch. The figure before them is flesh and bone, still bearing the marks of crucifixion. Although the disciples cannot forget his suffering and death, peace begins to take root in their hearts, as their fears turn to joy and amazement.

As further proof of his identity and of his resurrected body, Jesus eats with his disciples. The disciples have known Jesus best through the meals that he has shared with them. Descriptions of these meals are a defining element of Luke's Gospel. By eating with his disciples after his Resurrection, Jesus recalls all these meals, and most importantly, he recalls the Last Supper.



Please pray for the Parishioners of our Pastoral Area

whose anniversary occurs at this time:

Jeremiah Sullivan, Michael Skelly, Luigi Carini, Michael Hopkins, Theresa O'Connor, Joyce Moran, Honora McCarthy, Bridget Aplin, Bart Hamilton, John Sullivan, Mary Williams.. Maria Kerwin, Gerard O'Connell, John Ernest Roach, Valerie Mary Ecclestone, Johanna Yandle.

for the sick and housebound:

St John's: Mary Benjamin (Thomas), Margaret Jones, Maureen Morgan, Peter Cavendar, Lilian Baker

All Saints: Derek Kerwick, Maria Bevan, Maureen Matthews, John Godfrey, Norma Beecher, Kathleen Bennett, Margaret Williams, Joy Jones

Immaculate Conception: Kath Thomas, Pam Williams, Brian Garrett, Jeanette Badham, Yvonne Brown, Doris Norris, Kath Williams, Winnie Buckley, Louis Moorhead, Baby Isla, Mavis Garrett

Anima Christi

Soul of Christ, sanctify me
Body of Christ, save me
Blood of Christ, inebriate me
Water from the side of Christ, wash me
Passion of Christ, strengthen me
O good Jesus, hear me
Within Thy wounds hide me
Separated from Thee let me never be
From the malicious enemy defend me
In the hour of my death call me
And bid me come unto Thee
That I may praise Thee with Thy saints
Forever and ever Amen