Collections for Last Sunday

Parish	Gift Aid	Loose	Levy	Total	At		
	-		-		Mass		
Immaculate					55		
Conception	£149.10	£133.35	£104.47	£386.92	45		
All Saints	£217.00	£81.65	£109.69	£408.34	72		
St. John's	£73.00	£14.50	£10.50	£98.00	<u>12</u>		
				£893.26	<u>184</u>		

Grateful thanks to everyone for all your contributions and support.

Parish Notices

Immaculate Conception On Friday 31st May at 6:00pm there will be a Rosary Procession, followed by Bring and Share in the Conservatory.

Immaculate Conception next lunch will be on 3rd June.

On Monday 10th June Immaculate Conception will have a film night.

All Saints APF boxes need to emptied. Please empty your boxes, place the money in an envelope, and hand it to Mary Taylor or into the Sacristy. Thank you.

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Sixth Sunday of Easter 26th May 2019 Year C Mass Book P273

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Saturday (vigil)	5:30pm	Immaculate Conception	Michael Cliggett RIP David O'Connor & Sheehy Family Peter Williams RIP Pauline O'Halloran RIP
	9:00am	Immaculate Conception	
Sixth Sunday of Easter	10:30am	All Saints	MIchael McCarthy RIP Mary Lana Lynch Marco Carini RIP
	5:30pm	St. John's	David Cushen RIP
Mon 27th	10:00am	St. John's	
Tue 28th	6:30pm	Immaculate Conception	
Wed 29th	9:30am	All Saints	Adoration / Brian McCarthy RIP
Thurs - Ascension of The Lord	6:30pm	Immaculate Conception	
Fri 31st	7:00am	Immaculate	Mass. Thanksgiving & Special Intention of a family
	6:00pm	Conception	Rosary Procession
Sat 1st June	10:00am	All Saints	
Saturday (vigil)	5:30pm	Immaculate Conception	
Seventh Sunday of	9:00am	Immaculate Conception	
Easter	10:30am	All Saints	
	5:30pm	St. John's	

VIGIL LAMPS

All Saints: Our Lady Forgotten Souls
All Saints: Sacred Heart Private Intention

Immaculate Conception: Our Lady Thank you to Our Lady

Immaculate Conception: Sacred Heart The Pope, Cardinals & Nuncios

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (CONFESSION)

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

A reflection on today's Gospel (John 14: 23 – 29)

Making a home is a big opportunity of love for a husband and wife and a family. They try to make it their own: pictures and memorabilia here and there that make a home out of a house. It doesn't have to be perfect. They want others to be able to feel at home in their home also.

The same with Jesus. In our hearts and the depths of our personality he makes a home for himself and the Father. He asks for a loving and welcoming heart, not a place that is perfect, tidy and clean. To make a home is a work of love. Jesus' making of a home in us comes through our growth and development in love. The loving marriage, the loving friendship, the heart that cares for others, the family that is open to faith and love – these are what makes Jesus feel at home.

This may be a strange way of looking on God. We think of God in the power of nature and almost the maker of history. God seems to reject this allpowerful view of himself and make himself simple, humble and accessible in the home of our hearts.

Home is a place of help. We look for each other and the home of contentment is where each cares for the other.

St Ignatius used say each day, 'Who can I help today?'. Maybe we can make that part of the music of our homes. This is God helping through you, and it is God finding us and each other in love.

Rest in Peace

Please pray for the Happy Repose of the soul of John Godfrey who died at Ebbw Vale Hospital.

John's Funeral will take place on Monday 3rd June at 11am. Please keep John and his family in your prayers. RIP



Please pray for the Parishioners of our Pastoral Area:

whose anniversary occurs at this time:

Patrick Lynch, Dorothy Briggs, James Harris, Mary Smith, Mary Beale, Glyn Harper, Joe Murphy, Mary Gerrish, Billy Markey, Eddie Bailey, Brian McCarthy, Luigi Dallenegra., Marie Davies, Jennifer Padfield

for the sick and housebound:

St John's: Mary Benjamin (Thomas), Peter Cavendar.

All Saints: Maureen Matthews, John Godfrey, Norma Beecher, Kathleen Bennett, Margaret Williams, Ron Paul, Maureen Hague, Susan Lewis, Joan Neville, Jennifer, Margaret Beecham, Norman Beecham, Pat Taga, Marco Carini, Mary Hillier.

Immaculate Conception: Kath Thomas, Pam Williams, Mavis Garrett, Jeanette Badham, Yvonne Brown, Doris Norris, Kath Williams, Winnie Buckley, Louis Moorhead, Baby Isla, Rovan Jay Powell, Keyon Hughes, Gavin Hughes, Daniel Morgan Bennett

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 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

Prayer to St Michael the Archangel

St. Michael the Archangel. defend us in the day of battle. Be our safeguard against the wickedness and snares of the Devil.

May God rebuke him, we humbly pray and do thou, Prince of the heavenly hosts, by the power of God, cast down to hell Satan, and all wicked spirits, who wander through the world for the ruin of souls. Amen