

Collections for Last Sunday

Parish	Gift Aid	Loose	Levy	Total	At Mass
Immaculate Conception	£123.00	£106.24	£76.69	£305.93	50 42
All Saints	£212.00	£152.72	£125.31	£490.03	90
St. John's	£111.00	£46.00	£32.00	£189.00	39
				<u>£984.96</u>	<u>221</u>

Grateful thanks to everyone for all your contributions and support.

This weekend there will be a **retiring collection** as you leave the Church in aid of **Racial Justice Sunday**.

Parish News

Catechism class starts this week in four centres: Bishop Hedley; St Josephs & All Saints schools. Also the Reverend Sisters (Missionaries of Charity) will be in All Saints church every Saturday from 10:45 to 11:30am.

***Immaculate Conception:** Monday lunch raised £155. Our next lunch is on 2nd March. Many thanks to those who give their support. On Wed 12 Feb we have a film night starting at 6.30: cost £3.

***All Saints: Counters.** If you are unable to cover your rota, please make arrangements for someone to cover for you. Thank you.

***Day for Eucharistic Ministers,** at Llantarnam Abbey on Sat 7th March. Arrival at 10am for 10.30am. Please give your names to Fr Richard ASAP.

***Lenten Retreat** will be on Sat 7th March in St John's Church from 10am-12 noon. This will be a joint gathering of our three churches together with Father Edmund and Maesteg and Aberkenfig parishioners.

We will be having the **Sacrament of Confirmation** this year. All who are interested please give your names to Father Richard on 07535 808016.

Infant Baptism. There are forms available for Infant Baptism. Interested parents please contact Father Richard on 07535 808016.

Confirmation Friday 17th July at 6:30pm in Immaculate Conception.

†**Walk with Me** - Lenten booklets are on sale in the church porch for £1.00.

† **Archdiocesan Year Book 2020** - A few copies are still available at £3.00.



Pastoral Area of Immaculate Conception, Tredegar

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A new email address for our three churches: Tredegar@rcadc.org

5th Sunday of Ordinary Time

Mass Book P133

9th Feb 2020

Saturday vigil	5:30pm	Immaculate Conception	Bridget O'Connell & family Molly Baines RIP Monica Yandle (wellbeing)
5th Sunday of Ordinary Time	9:00am	Immaculate Conception	Rosamond Jean Davies RIP John Yandle RIP
	10:30am	All Saints	Michael McCarthy RIP Horace McCarthy RIP Good health of body & soul - Matthew, Annie, Abel & Michael
	5:30pm	St John's	Patricia O'Connor (Ireland) RIP
Mon 10th	10:30am	St John's	
Tue 11th	6:30pm	Immaculate Conception	
Wed 12th	9:30am 10:00am	All Saints	<i>Adoration</i> David Scrivens RIP
Thurs 13th	-	-	
Fri 14th	10:00am	All Saints	Funeral of David Adams RIP
	6:30pm	Immaculate Conception	Intention of the Baxter family. Special thanks for Protection. AFCM mission
Sat 15th Feb	10:00am	All Saints	Thanksgiving for Healing -Ann Evans AFCM mission
Saturday vigil	5:30pm	Immaculate Conception	David O'Connor & Riley family
6th Sunday of Ordinary Time	9:00am	Immaculate Conception	
	10:30am	All Saints	Richard, Bridget & John Buckley RIP
	5:30pm	St John's	

Our new email address is: Tredegar@rcadc.org

To contact, or send a message to, any of our churches please use this email address.

CHURCH LAMPS

All Saints: *Our Lady* Wellbeing of All within our Pastoral area
All Saints: *Sacred Heart* All our deceased relatives and friends
All Saints: *St Joseph* The aged, the Sick and housebound
Imm Conception: *Our Lady* The clergy, Religious & Seminarians
Imm Conception: *Sacred Heart* The Pope, Cardinals & Nuncios

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

A Reflection on today's Gospel – Matthew 5: 13-16

Riches, power and control are valued highly in our world. But Jesus draws on little things to teach deeper values.

Salt preserves food. In the hands of a skilled cook it adds flavour to food. But its work is hidden. As salt of the earth we can be effective in bringing more taste to life for others.

Light does not change a room: it enables us to see what is in it. It helps us appreciate what is good and beautiful, just as it facilitates avoiding pitfalls.

We are children of the light: our lives are illumined by Jesus, the light of the world. This light helps us to see the hidden hope of glory that is in us. So we can rejoice even in the darkness of the world.



Please pray for the Happy Repose of the soul of David Adams.
 David's funeral Service will take place on Friday at 10am.
 Please keep David, Maureen and the boys in your prayers. RIP

† *Please pray for the Parishioners of our Pastoral Area:*

whose anniversary occurs at this time:

Mary Anne Fenton, Jack O'Leary, Horace McCarthy, Gwilym Davies, Edna O'Keefe, Michael Lynch, Shirley Skelly.. Brian John Morris, Charles Joseph Sheehy, Mary Veronica Lewis, Mary Thomas.

for the sick and housebound:

St John's: Mary Benjamin (Thomas), Peter Cavendar, Maria Roberts, Wyndham Price

All Saints: Maureen Matthews, Norma Beecher, Margaret Williams, Maureen Hague, Susan Lewis, Joan Neville, Jennifer, Margaret Beecham, Norman Beecham, Mary Hillier.

Immaculate Conception: Kath Thomas, Pam Williams, Mavis Garrett, Jeanette Badham, Yvonne Brown, Doris Norris, Kath Williams, Louis Moorhead, Baby Isla, Rowan Jay Powell, Keyon Hughes, Gavin Hughes.

<i>Anima Christi</i>
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

<i>Prayer to St Michael the Archangel</i>
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