

Collections for Sunday 5th January

Parish	Gift Aid	Loose	Levy	Total	Attendance
Immaculate Conception	£241.60	£78.55	£84.62	£404.77	116
All Saints	£226.00	£167.87	£112.27	£506.14	120
St. John's	£196.00	£34.50	£40.53	<u>£271.03</u>	<u>56</u>
			Total	<u>£1148.86</u>	<u>292</u>

* The audited accounts for Immaculate Conception and St John's are posted on their respective Parish Notice boards for your perusal.

Parish Notices

* Our next **Parish Meeting** will be on Wednesday 15th January 2014 at 6:00pm in St. John's Hall, Rhymney. All Representatives and Volunteers are very welcome.
The agenda is to Evaluate Programmes and Activities of the past year and to plan for the year 2014.

* **School Reunion.** Any former pupils interested in attending a reunion for Pat Meadows, former teacher of All Saints, who taught there for a number of years (mainly 1962-1966) to be held at All Saints Hall on Friday 31st January from 7:30pm. For further details contact Kath Kirkby on 305084.



Pastoral Area of Immaculate Conception, Tredegar, All Saints, Ebbw Vale and St John's, Rhymney

Parish Priest: **Fr. Edmund Neizer** Tel: **01495 717162**

The Presbytery, Scwrfa Road, Dukestown, Tredegar NP22 4AT

The Baptism of the Lord Year A 12th January 2014

The Baptism of the Lord (Vigil)	5:30pm	St John's	Jeremiah & Ceridwen Buckley & family
	9:00am	Immaculate Conception	Davie & Sylvie Vaughan, Ivy & Mecca Davis
	10:30am	All Saints	Paul Crawley RIP Edwin Scrivens RIP
	5:30pm	Immaculate Conception	Ray Morgan
Monday 13th Jan	10:00am	St John's	Peter Radford RIP
Tuesday 14th	7:00pm	Immaculate Conception	Frank Desmond Robert Ferrari
Wednesday 15th	10:00am	All Saints	Robert's & Dwyer Families RIP
Thursday 16th	10:00am	All Saints School	
	1:00pm	All Saints	Requiem: John McGuire
Friday 17th	6:00pm	Immaculate Conception	Frank Desmond RIP
Saturday 18th	10:00am	All Saints	John O'Leary RIP
2nd Sunday of Ordinary time (Vigil)	5:30pm	St John's	
	9:00am	Immaculate Conception	Rachel & Tom Cobb Sp. Intention
	10:30am	All Saints	Cliggett Family RIP Graham Megraw RIP
	5:30pm	Immaculate Conception	

Confessions:

St John's: Monday after mass, Saturday 4:30pm - 5:00pm
 Immaculate Conception: Tuesday 6:30-7pm; Friday 5:30pm
 All Saints: Wed after mass; Saturday after mass
 There will also be Confessions by arrangement

Vigil Lamps

All Saints:	Our Lady	Nell Hopkins RIP
All Saints:	Sacred Heart	Bill Worthington RIP
All Saints:	St Joseph	The Parish
All Saints:	St Anne	Worthington Family
Immaculate Conception:	Our Lady	Jeanette Badham
Immaculate Conception:	Sacred Heart	Rachael & Tom Cobb

From the Parish Priest

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

May the grace and peace of Our Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

“The baptism of Jesus is on his part the acceptance and inauguration of his mission as God’s suffering Servant. He allows himself to be numbered among sinners; he is already ‘the lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world.’ Already he is anticipating the ‘baptism’ of his bloody death. Already he is coming to ‘fulfil all righteousness,’ that is, he is submitting himself entirely to his Father’s will: out of love he consents to this baptism of death for the remission of our sins. The Father’s voice responds to the Son’s acceptance, proclaiming his entire delight in his Son. The Spirit whom Jesus possessed in fullness from his conception comes to ‘rest on him.’ Jesus will be the source of the Spirit for all mankind. At his baptism ‘the heavens where opened’ – the heavens that Adam’s sin had closed – and the waters were sanctified by the descent of Jesus and the Spirit, a prelude to the new creation.”(CCC, 536)

Beloved, by our baptism we are buried with Christ. As we go down with him we are raised with him and glorified, by Grace, to participate in the life of God, as ‘adopted sons’ calling God our Father in union with the Only begotten Son, through the Holy Spirit.

Stay Blessed and remain in God’s Love and care!

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Eternal Rest

✠ Please pray for the repose of the soul of John McGuire who died on 4th January 2014 at Nevill Hall Hospital. His Requiem is on Thursday 16th January 2014, 1:00pm at All Saints Church. Our sincere sympathies and prayers go to the family.

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Anniversaries

Please remember in your prayers all those whose anniversaries occur at this time:

William McCarthy, Thomas Lynch, Philomena Hopkins, Elizabeth Delaney, Gavin Burge, Anne Marie Empey, Patrick McCarthy, Elsie McCarthy, Francis Desmond, Danny Desmond, Ruby Mitchell

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Sick of the parishes

Also please remember the sick in your daily prayer:

Jeanette Badham, Michael Buckley, Elise Burgess, Denise Burrows, Yvonne Brown, Grant Caniff, Doris Chappell, Jim Clarke, Maria Davies, Maria Death, Hilda Dollin, Brian Garrett, Margaret Griffiths, Lina Guidice, Margaret Hancock, Sally Harris, Brenda Hayden, Mary Hillier, Ken Holmes, Kate Hooper, Graham Hughes, Keyon Hughes, Peggy Hutton, Nicola James, Gary Jones, Celia Jones, Leslie Jones, Nigel Jones, Yvonne Jones, Steve Joyce, Mabel Kelly, Maria Kerwin, Colin Lee, Margaret Leesk, Doris Lloyd, Eithnes McCardle, John McGuire, Pat & Tom Markey, Eileen Michael, Louis Moorhead, Damian Morgan, Maureen Morgan, Mary Morris, Mary Moseley, Adam Newbury, Brian Norman, Audrey Norris, Cathy O’Leary,. Jean Plummer, Bill Pritchard, Christopher Rich, Paul Riley, Samuel Roach, Ivor Rolfe, Paul Roper, Dennis Sullivan, Mary Thomas, Nell Turner, Alison Utting, Grant Walshe, Rachel Watkins, Neville Whitcombe, Joan Williams, Kathleen Williams, Pam Williams, Nora Worthington, Helen Yabsley, Tony Zeraschi.
Margaret Lawrence John Godfrey

If you know of a name on this list that needs to be added or removed please pass a note to Father.
