

## Celebrate Conference - 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 planned and led by trained leaders), Mass/Reconciliation/Adoration.

Held this year at Mary Immaculate High School, Wenvoe, Cardiff CF5 5QZ on Saturday 21st to Sunday 22nd April 2018. For more information please visit the website:

[www.celebrateconference.org/wales](http://www.celebrateconference.org/wales) or contact Michael Coyle on 01952 417223, email:

[wales@celebrateconference.org](mailto:wales@celebrateconference.org)

### Book online

Complete and submit your booking online. You will then receive confirmation of its submission, followed by a subsequent email giving you payment instructions

### Cost

- £40 - Adults (18+)
- £20- Further education students and over 65s
- £10 - Children (3-17 yrs)
- FREE - Crèche- Under 3\*
- £90 - Family (2 adults and up to 4 children)

\*Under 3s must be accompanied at all time.

**Note:** All under 18s must have a designated adult present throughout the weekend. Your fee includes a hot evening meal on Saturday. Tea and coffee will be available at break and lunch times on Saturday and Sunday.

## Touchstone Talks

All talks take place on Sundays at 3pm in St David's Catholic College, Ty Gwyn Road, Cardiff, CF23 5JB

### 29th April

Christianity and Conflict: How current affairs bear on self-understanding.

### 20th May

How Prayer Gets Answered: God's Knowledge of Our Needs and Desires.

Admission to all talks is free, although there will be a retiring collection.

For more information please call (029) 2043 1842 or email: [Institute@tics.org.uk](mailto:Institute@tics.org.uk)



## Vocations

There will be a holy hour for Vocations on Saturday 21st April 11am - 12 noon.

**PACs Chair Person** Holy Family Neville Rookes  
St. Mary's Sally Power  
Parish Safeguarding Reps Patricia McCormac  
Ellerie Hennessy

### Primary Headteachers:

Holy Family Louise Mills Tel: 20565354  
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St. David's 6th Form College Principal, Mark Leighfield, Tel: 20461920

# Holy Family & St Mary of the Angels

15th-22nd April 2018 3rd Sunday of Easter Year B

## 3rd Sunday of Easter

Mass pages	Prayer over the Gifts	750
Collect 739	Preface	43
1st Readings 743	Communion Prayer	750
2nd Reading 744		
Gospel 745		

### First Reading (Acts of Apostles 3:13-15, 17-19)

In the name of Jesus the Nazarene, Peter heals the disabled man who used to sit begging at the Beautiful Gate of the Temple. Peter uses the healing to teach the people that it's through Jesus - the one they rejected - that this man now walks.

### Second Reading (St. John 1:1-5)

Followers of Christ are called to love by keeping his commandments and obeying his words. But should they fail, they have Christ (here referred to as our advocate with the Father), the sacrifice that takes our sins away. He didn't die on the cross for you to bear the burden of your sins!

### Gospel Reading (Luke 24:35-48)

Two of the disciples have had an encounter with Jesus while walking to Emmaus. Back with the others, they are full of the experience and are still talking about it when Jesus strides into their lives again.

This risen Jesus is not a ghost or a spirit but a real person with flesh and bones. He is a real person who walked the road to Emmaus - from now on a stranger on the road might be Christ! He even eats fish. What's more, he is the same Jesus who suffered and died on the cross - 'he showed them his hands and his feet' - his disciples are not being fooled.

### The Priory 67 Talbot St. Canton, Cardiff

Mgr. Canon John Maguire

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## Holy Family Masses

### 3rd Sunday of Easter

Vigil Mass 6pm Ann Murray  
11.00 Karen Ash

Thursday 9.30 Joan Corcoran

### 4th Sunday of Easter

Vigil Mass 6pm Private intention  
11.00 Myra Webber

Confessions available before each Mass.

## St Mary's Masses

### 3rd Sunday of Easter

10.00 Frances & Stan Trigg  
12.00 People of the Parish  
6.00 Harrington/Thompson Families

### Monday

9.30 Michael Maher

### Tuesday

9.30 Sr Mary Francis  
12.15 Karen McCormack (birthday)

### Wednesday

9.30 John Patrick Screen  
12.15 Margaret Callaghan

### Thursday

12.15 Peggy Dooley

### Friday St Martin B & M

9.30 Steve Brennan  
12.15 Catherine Watkins

### Saturday

12.15 Eddie Beaverstock

### 4th Sunday of Easter

10.00 Edward Harding  
12.00 George McGuinness  
6.00 Joseph Hennelly

Confessions: Saturday 9.30 - 10am and 11.30am - 12.00



All parishioners, newcomers and visitors are very welcome to visit St Mary's Parish Hall for a cup of tea or coffee after 10am Mass today.

## News and activities from Holy Family Parish



**SCRAP** Over £400 was raised by the Lenten Lunches. A fantastic achievement! This was given to the Apostleship of the Sea, who gave a most interesting presentation about their work.

**Tea and coffee** Please join us after 11am Mass on Sunday 22nd April to help celebrate yet another special birthday!

**SVP news** The SVP will also be holding a Coffee Morning after 11am Mass on Sunday 29th April. **Reminder:** there will be a collection in May of good quality clothing and bric à bric to stock the local SVP shops.

**Red Mill Hill Mission Boxes** Would you please count and bag the contents with name and amount and return to Phil Smith or Chris Davey after Mass.

**Church cleaning** - Group B w/b 16th April

## Help with cleaning the church urgently needed!

**What's involved?** Dusting, polishing and hoovering the church (not the hall). There is no heavy work involved.

**How long does it take?** Only one hour every 4 weeks to keep our beautiful church clean.

**When is the cleaning done?** At a time to suit you! During the day, at teatime after work or on a Saturday, depending on your circumstances.

**Who can do it?** Ms, Mrs and Mr Mop are all equally welcome!



We **desperately** need a new generation of cleaners to step up to the plate and help out. Please ring Pat Davey on 029 20214882 if you can spare one hour a month from your busy life.

## Sunday Collections

Many thanks for your generosity

St Marys	Holy Family
Gift Aid: £151.50	Gift Aid: £465.10
Loose: £819.92	Loose: £342.10

## Pray for the Sick

**Holy Family:** Pdraig Murphy, Michael Gallagher, Edward Brown, Gary Sutton, Kay & Paul Parris, Mary Bodman, Bernard Perry, Henry & Tony Fernandez, Brian Webster, Collette Griffin, Vivian Miller, Anne Murray, Vincent MacCormac, Valentine, Martin.

**St. Mary's:** Madison Lane, Will Johnson, Cecily Hughes, Jean Hayman, Laurence Tobin, Nadasiri Ifada, Heugette Skinner, Jean Allen, Elisa O'Doherty, Cath Kemp, John & Marian Lamb, Jonathan Gomez, Teresa Francis, Tom Hopkins, James Church, Bets Sullivan, Betty Smith, Ivan Sadka, Margaret Griffiths, Anthony Jackson, Freda Burns, Joanne Coakley, Karan Donovan, Maria Gomez.

## Plasdwr development public meeting

Members of the team from Plasdwr will be hosting a community drop in session at **Holy Family School Hall on Thursday 26th April 2018 from 3pm to 7pm**. Please come along to this **public event** to meet members of the team and ask any questions you have about the Plasdwr development. If you are unable to make this session, future events will be held in Llandaff, Pentyrch, Radyr and St Fagans. Please sign up to the e bulletin below to be kept informed. <http://plasdwr.co.uk/contact/>

## Mass Intentions

It is an ancient tradition to have a Mass celebrated for our deceased relatives or friends, for someone who is sick, or in gratitude for help received. It is usual in requesting such a Mass to give a small stipend (donation); this goes directly for the support of the priest who celebrates the requested Mass. If you wish to have a Mass dedicated please write 1) name of intention (2) date required on a slip of paper, put your stipend into an envelope and hand it into the Priory. We will try to facilitate the date required but priority must be given to funerals and weddings. Thank you for your help.

## Exporting Faith - Welsh Emigrants take their Chapels to the New World

With Bill Jones, Emeritus Professor in Modern Welsh History, Cardiff University.

Wednesday 9th May 7pm at City United Reformed Church, Windsor Place, Cardiff.

Advanced tickets £5 available from the Churches Together Bookshop, Windsor Place

## Baptism Preparation

**Baptism Preparation** for parents requesting Baptism for their children. First session on Wednesday 18th April, second session on Wednesday 25th April both at 7.00pm in the Priory. Both sessions must be attended.

## First Holy Communion 2018



**First Holy Communion Meetings for parents of Children making their First Communion this year.**

**Holy Family** Tuesday 24th April 6.30  
**St Mary's** Wednesday 25th April 6.30

Please note that both meetings will be held in the respective schools.

**First Holy Communion** will take place in St Mary's on Sunday 20th May at 2pm.

**First Holy Communion** will take place in Holy Family on Saturday 9th June at 10.30am.

## First Holy Communion 2019

I wish to ask parents to put forward the name of their child in Year 2 or above for preparation for the sacraments of First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion in 2019. Please fill in the application form at the back of the church and return it to St Mary's Priory, 67 Talbot St, Cardiff CF11 9BX

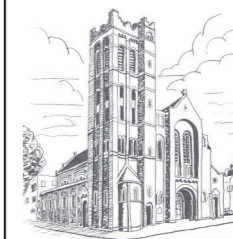


## Confirmation



**The Sacrament of Confirmation** will be celebrated on Saturday 12th May in St. Mary's church at 6pm  
**Next session** will resume on Tuesday 17th April in the Priory at 6.15pm. 'Time to Reflect' on Sunday 30th April at 3pm in the Parish Hall, followed by Mass.

## News and activities from St. Mary's Parish



**Children's Liturgy** for Primary School children takes place during the 10am Sunday Mass. Children's Liturgy adapts the Liturgy of the Word to suit the ages of the children involved.



This year the Wives Group plus SVP members are trying a new format. The celebration will be an Afternoon Tea Party

this Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> April starting at 3pm. Everyone should have received their tickets soon. Please 'phone 20562508 if you haven't had your invitation or if you have any queries.

## Congratulations

We wish to congratulate **Hannah Louise Rowley and Michael Andrew Harrison** who were married at St Mary's Church last week: We wish them every happiness and blessing in their married life.

## OUR LADY IN THE BIBLE

What role does Our Lady play in our salvation? Why does she have such a special and unique place in the Catholic church? And how do we explain to our non-Catholic friends and family why we revere Mary?

On Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> April Alan de Ste Croix will take us on a tour of Mary's role in sacred scripture and give us a greater understanding of why we, as Catholics, hold her in such reverence. We will meet in St David's Priory, St David's Place, Swansea, SA1 3NG at 10am until 3pm. Tea, coffee and biscuits are provided but please bring your own packed lunch.

For more information visit [catholic-bible-school.org/south-wales-events](http://catholic-bible-school.org/south-wales-events) or email [catholic-bibleschooluk@gmail.com](mailto:catholic-bibleschooluk@gmail.com)