

CATHOLIC PARISH OF ST JOSEPH'S, PORT TALBOT & ST PHILIP EVANS, CWMAVON

A PARISH OF THE ARCHDIOCESE OF CARDIFF-MENEVIA - CHARITY NUMBER 1177272



Parish Priest: Very Rev. Canon Barry English

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7TH JUNE - THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF OUR LORD (CORPUS CHRISTI)

PARISH NOTICES

CONGRATULATIONS!

A hearty congratulations to all our children who are receiving Holy Communion for the first time at the 10am Mass. May the Lord bless you on this next stage of your journey with Him. All are welcome to come celebrate with our children and their families in the hall after Mass.

SATURDAY DEVOTIONS - VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We are looking for volunteers to lead the Rosary during Adoration on Saturday mornings. To sign up add your name to the list in the porch. Many thanks for help lead this important devotion to our Blessed Mother.

CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION

All are invited to join St Joseph's Comp in a Corpus Christi Procession around the school grounds. This will take place on Friday, 12th June to begin at 11.30am. Please arrive in good time if you wish to join us so the school can "sign you in". As the procession is outside, it will not go ahead if it is raining! Do come and join us if you are able.

SACRED HEART OF JESUS

Friday, 12th June is the feast of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus. Abstinence from meat is not required. There are also some red candles available for sale in the Piety Store at a cost of £3. These will be lit and placed at the Sacred Heart altar on Friday. If you wish these to burn at the altar of the Sacred Heart please bring them to the sacristy so that a priest can place them safely. Many thanks.

THE LEGION OF MARY

The Legion currently meets **every Wednesday at 6pm** in the hall. All most welcome. We are also evaluating which day might best allow people to join. So if you'd like to come but can't do a Wednesday please do be in touch anyway either by speaking to a priest or with John Kennedy on 07789934702 or itsjfk@yahoo.co.uk.

NEW STOCK AT THE PIETY STALL

We stocks are range of cards (birthdays, get well, sympathy etc) as well as First Holy Communion and Confirmation gifts. We also have a stock of red candles - do have a look!

NB: EARLIER MASS TIME ON WEDNESDAY

We have had to move the Mass to 8am on Wednesday as Frs Tim McGrath, Cyril Thadathil & Michael Doyle will be installed as Canons of the Cathedral Chapter during Mass at 11am at St David's Cathedral in Cardiff. Please keep these new Canons in your prayers as they take on this new role. We pray also for Canon John Griffiths who assumes the role of Provost of the Cathedral Chapter.

LITURGIES THIS WEEK
(ALL LITURGIES AT ST JOSEPH'S UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED)

Saturday 6th June

5:00pm (Cwmavon)	Vigil Mass: People of the Parish
6:00pm (St Joseph's)	Vigil Mass: Canon Jason Jones RIP

Sunday 7th June

THE MOST HOLY BODY & BLOOD OF CHRIST (CORPUS CHRISTI)

8:30am	Holy Mass: John & Cecilia O'Leary/ Rachel Ejimofor
10:00am	Holy Mass: People of the Parish

Monday 8th June

No MASS TODAY

Tuesday 9th June

10:00am	Holy Mass: Michael & Veronica Morris
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Wednesday 10th June

8.00am	Holy Mass: Private Intention
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Thursday 11th June

St Barnabas, Apostle

10:00am	Holy Mass: Joan Stitson
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Friday 12th June

THE MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS

10:00am	Holy Mass: Maureen Trahar
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Saturday 13th June

The Immaculate Heart of Mary

11:00am-12:00pm(St Joseph's)	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament with the opportunity for Confession
4:45pm - 5:00pm (Cwmavon)	Confessions
5:00pm (Cwmavon)	Vigil Mass: Jim & Jean Evans
6:00pm (St Joseph's)	Vigil Mass: Glenis & Tony Evans/ Jack & Phyllis Donovan

Sunday 14th June

11TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

8:30am	Holy Mass: Richard Griffiths
10:00am	Holy Mass: People of the Parish

REGULAR EVENTS IN THE HALL

Mondays: 10:00am - Craft and Sewing Group

Tuesdays: 6:30pm - Growing in Faith

Wednesdays: 6:00pm - The Legion of Mary

Wednesday & Sundays: Coffee morning following the morning Mass.