



ST PETER'S PARISH NEWSLETTER

Served by the Rosminians

4th OCTOBER 2026



27th Sunday in Ordinary Time (YEAR A)



St Paul teaches that the natural life of man, evolved from Adam, would not have been so corrupt and in such strong conflict against the Spirit of Christ if it were not for the power of evil of the angels of darkness, who entered human nature and the material world when our first parents ate of the forbidden fruit.

There was a master of a house who planted a vineyard... and went into another country. When the season for fruit drew near, he sent his servants to the tenants to get his fruit. And the tenants took his servants and beat one, killed another, and stoned another... Finally he sent his son to them,... And they took him and threw him out of the vineyard and killed him. When therefore the owner of the vineyard comes, what will he do to those tenants?' (Matthew 21:33-35,37,39-40)



Almighty ever-living God,
who in the abundance
of your kindness surpass
the merits and the desires
of those who entreat you,
pour out your mercy upon us
to pardon what conscience dreads
and to give what prayer
does not dare to ask.
Through our Lord Jesus Christ,
your Son, who lives and reigns with
you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
God, for ever and ever.
Amen.

Holy Rosary

will be held in
Our Lady's Garden
at St Peter's

every Sunday
in October

at 10:45am

Week 1 (4 October)

The Joyful Mysteries
For World Peace & world leaders

Week 2 (11 October)

The Luminous Mysteries
For the conversion of sinners &
those who searching for God

Week 3 (18 October)

The Sorrowful Mysteries
For the most forgotten Holy Souls &
our deceased family members

Week 4 (25 October)

The Glorious Mysteries
For the universal Church, Priests & Religious

All are welcome to join the full Holy Rosary
in the October month of the Rosary!

LIVE Stream Mass
5.30pm Saturday
9.30am and
11.30am Sundays

On our website
www.stpeterscardiff.org.uk
And on MyParishApp

10.00am Weekday Mass
follows with Adoration.
Confession after Masses
on Weekday
& before Vigil Mass.

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Mass and Liturgies

Sunday 4 th October	27th Sunday in Ordinary Time	9.30am	GE Lauren Diffey Joe Carpanini (Anniv)
		11.30am	Colin Coakley (Anniv) Gregoria Barrio
Monday 5 th October	St Maria Faustina Kowalska	10.00am	GE Fr Philip Scanlon Seamus Maguire
Tuesday 6 th October	St Bruno	10.00am	Alix Mellon Giovannina Sperando (Anniv)
Wednesday 7 th October	Our Lady of the Rosary	10.00am	GE Sharon Diffey All Parishioners
Thursday 8 th October	Weekday in Ordinary Time	10.00am	Michael & Theresa Collins RIP World Peace
Friday 9 th October	St John Henry Newman	10.00am	GE Tochukwu Paschal Iberuche Catholic Church's Educational Mission
Saturday 10 th October	St Paulinus of York 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time	5.30pm	GE Raju, Lakshmi & Bindu For Prisoners & their families
Sunday 11 th October	28th Sunday in Ordinary Time	9.30am	Nabhan Zaghtiti (Anniv) Patricia Murphy RIP
		11.30am	Denis Moriarty Sr GE Cath Daly

Eucharistic Adoration

from Monday to Friday
after 10am Weekday Mass
until 11.30am.

Every Friday there is
Rosary for Life
11am - 11.30am.

St Peter's Church Parking Restrictions

The Council confirm that the new restrictions are not currently active – as the zone is still being delivered. Their contractors are anticipated to be on-site until approximately the end of November. The Council will be sending out a letter closer to the time to all properties advising of a “go-live” date for the zone when enforcement will begin, and will put something on social media. This will be done in advance to provide people with enough time to obtain the relevant permits, and will contain more information on how to obtain permits.

Until the new restrictions are in place the current restrictions apply –
weekdays 'two hours free parking' –
Sunday no restrictions in parking areas.

Archdiocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes 2027 18 - 24 July 2027

Applications are now open!

For further information, please visit:

www.welshnationalpilgrimage.com

Or email: welshnationalpilgrimage@gmail.com

National Pilgrim Virgin Statue of Our Ss Francisco & Jacinta

Visit St David's Cathedral, Cardiff

10 – 11 October 2026

See Church porch poster for timetable

New SPUC Cardiff & District Branch

will be launch on 8th October at 7.30 pm
at the Cardiff Oratory CF24 2NX.

For more details contact:

SPUC Cardiff Branch Chairman Joe Biddulph

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or SPUC Development Officer Julie Vivienne

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There are still Red Boxes outstanding.
Please leave them in the Church shop or
phone your promoter as soon as possible.
Many thanks.

Justice and Peace Group

Next meeting at the presbytery
on Tuesday 6th October at 7pm.
New members are always welcome.

We are grateful for your support.
To donate to your parish.

You may like to use the
CASHLESS machine in the porch.
Or use Paypal.com
Or by Bank Transfer, Cheque or
Standing Order

Account: Archdiocese of Cardiff,
St Peter's Cardiff

Sort Code: 20-18-23

Account number: 03743969

Please take a leaflet from the table.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROUS
DONATION

IF YOU ARE A TAX PAYER, PLEASE GIFT AID

THE SICK: Lyndon Arlotte, Kathleen Alm, Christian Babu, Daniel Camilleri, Pat Carpanini, Susan Cason, Reg Cotter, John Criddle, Lisa Davies, Martin Gower, Anthony Griffiths, John Lewis, Romana Reiter, Jean Roberts, Baby Spencer, Joy Varghese, Eapen Verges.

ANNIVERSARIES

Joe Carpanini, Colin Coakley, Giovannina Sperando, Nabhan Zaghtiti.

RECENTLY DECEASED

Patricia Brown, Beverly Carpanini, Dermot Dunleavy, Vera Edwards, Patricia Greening, James Kearns, Patricia (Diane) Morecombe.



CHILDREN'S LITURGY EVERY SUNDAY

At the 9.30am Mass

All children are welcome
to join us in St David's Chapel

CAFOD Family Harvest Fast Day Appeal

Use the CAFOD envelopes in Church porch,
donate via Dona station in Church porch,
online at cafod.org.uk/envelope
or call 0303 303 3030
Please give generously



Bell Tower Fundraising - Autumn Fayre Saturday 10th October 11am-3pm

St Peter's Hall (behind Church)
Free Entry. All are welcome.

We need donations of the following:

Raffle prizes; Bottles (alcohol, soft drinks);
new/nearly new Toys; Jewellery.

Please leave them in the Church porch

before Friday 9th October.

On Friday 9th October, the Hall will be open
from 10.30am to 12noon, and 4pm to 7pm
when you can directly bring in your donations
and set up your stalls.

Home-made Cakes to the Hall from 10am on
the 10th October.

Thank you for your support.

ORGAN MUSIC FOR THE BELL TOWER

There will be two organ recitals taking place
between now and Christmas:

15th October – Huw Morgan

12th November – Tim Lynes

Recitals start at 7.00pm and there will be a
retiring collection in aid of the Bell Tower.

Please come and support the music,
the organists, and your Parish.

Bell Tower Fundraising Cardiff Museum Visit

Sunday 18th October at 11am

Meet Angelo & colleague at the Museum
The tour will take about 2 hours.

Tickets £10.00 (Please pay on booking)
available this weekend from Church porch.
Only 15 places available so sign up quickly.



Bell Tower Fundraising

£103.00 Parish Picnic Raffle

£1418.99 Tabletop Sale

£501.90 Guess the Amount

£157.00 Organ Recital

£3080.00 Private Donations (x4)

£110.00 Collection Box (G-Aid)

£463.15 Collection Box

St Peter's Parish value
your every effort,
whether it is big or small,
in helping with
the Bell Tower fundraising.

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God's Love for You

Holy Family's Humility & Meekness (1)

'Love...does not boast, it is not proud.' (1Cor 13:4) So where did we see these within the Holy Family? If you look at their lives carefully, you will see meek and humble shone everywhere. Let's start with Mary. During the Annunciation, we learned that Mary's reply to Angel Gabriel when she accept the role of becoming the Mother of the Son of God was: "Behold the handmaid of the Lord; be it unto me according to thy word." She showed her humbleness by calling herself a handmaid, and that was said before giving her 'yes' to God, which showed her love for humility. Later, when Elizabeth greeted her as the 'mother of my Lord', Mary said in her Magnificat: "For he hath looked upon the low estate of his handmaid" (Lk 1:48). As if to reply to her cousin that is all because the Almighty God had blessed His lowly handmaid. Mary did not become arrogant simply because she got raised to the Mother of God status, instead she served her pregnant cousin humbly and supported her in her time of need. In fact, Mary did not announce that she bore the Son of God to anyone in order to enjoy honour and praises, she kept silent about this great Mystery that happened within her. It is only through Divine revelation that people like Elizabeth, Joseph, Simeon, the shepherds etc. knew about it afterwards. Mary did not use her privilege of being Jesus' mother either. As we can see in the wedding of Cana, Mary did not use the status of a mother to order Jesus or made Jesus to obey her. She simply said: "They have no wine." As if to gently 'remind' him, then trusting that He will do something with His Power to fulfil her wish. In another place, we also read: 'While he was yet speaking to the multitudes, behold, his mother and his brothers stood outside, seeking to speak to him.' (Matt 12:46) Mary wanted to speak to her Son, but her humbleness did not want herself to be given the priority and disturb His Mission, neither her meekness allowed her to push through the crowd, so she waited patiently outside to be seen, like a lowly handmaid.

The Catholic Church in a 'change of era': why Popes Francis and Leo are calling for synodality

A talk given by Austin Ivereigh
at the University Catholic Chaplaincy
22nd October 2026 at 7.30pm

"Called to Love"

Come and find out more at the Caritas
archdiocesan event at St. Mary's Church,
Bridgend, on Saturday 10th October,
9.30am – 3.30pm. Registration essential.

For more info and how to register,
see poster at Church porch
or email caritas@cardiffmenevia.org.



Wednesdays
1.30pm - 4pm

Community Hall,
Bedford Street

Do Stay for
Tea & Coffee

After 9:30am &
11:30am Mass

Sunday @
St David's Chapel