



ST PETER'S PARISH NEWSLETTER

Served by the Rosminians

24th MAY 2026

PENTECOST SUNDAY (YEAR A)



Does not this word *blessed* contain a prophecy which has been already literally fulfilled? Is it not a fact that, throughout the whole world, the faithful delight in calling Mary, "the Blessed Virgin", rather than by any other endearing title? We, who live twenty centuries after Mary uttered this prophecy, can bear witness to its fulfilment. We ourselves contribute in accomplishing it every day.



And suddenly there came from heaven a sound like a mighty rushing wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. And divided tongues as of fire appeared to them and rested on each one of them. And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit... (Acts 2:2-4)

O God, who by the mystery of today's great feast sanctify your whole Church in every people and nation, pour out, we pray, the gifts of the Holy Spirit across the face of the earth and, with the divine grace that was at work when the Gospel was first proclaimed, fill now once more the hearts of believers. 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.

The Seven Gifts of the Holy Spirit



WISDOM: helps us to understand the inner life of the Trinity more clearly.

UNDERSTANDING: helps us to enlighten our mind with the light of divine truth.

COUNSEL: helps us to choose the surest way of pleasing God and gaining Heaven.

FORTITUDE: adds the strength we need to do all that we are called to do in love with unwavering commitment.

KNOWLEDGE: helps us make practical decisions in accord with God's will.

PIETY: helps us to see the great dignity and beauty of God and enables us to have a deep reverence for Him and for all of His people.

FEAR OF THE LORD: helps us to see how our actions help or hinder our relationship with God, helping to motivate us to avoid all that harms this relationship and choose all that strengthens it.

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 24th May	Pentecost Sunday (Solemnity)	9.30am	All Parishioners Margaret Lester (Anniv) Kay Donovan (Anniv)
		11.30am	Mary Pantin (Anniv) Ethel Ibe Azih
Monday 25th May	Mary, Mother of the Church St Bede the Venerable St Mary Magdalene of Pazzi St Gregory VII	10.00am	Geraldine Taylor (Anniv) Francesca Maria Fernandes
Tuesday 26th May	St Philip Neri	10.00am	Caterina Tambone (Anniv) Theresa Riley RIP
Wednesday 27th May	St Augustine of Canterbury	10.00am	Thomas & Muriel Sullivan Kathleen Huq (Anniv)
Thursday 28th May	Our Lord Jesus Christ, The Eternal High Priest	10.00am	James & Ellen Pea William Slocombe
Friday 29th May	St Paul VI	10.00am	GE Raju, Lakshmi & Bindu Increase in Faith in our Parish
Saturday 30th May	St Joan of Arc The Most Holy Trinity (Solemnity)	5.30pm	Robert Nicholson (Anniv) Margaret De Souza RIP
Sunday 31st May	The Most Holy Trinity (Solemnity)	9.30am	GE Helena Cole Doreen Dermody (Anniv)
		11.30am	All Parishioners Increase our love to God
		3.00pm	Spanish Mass



Pentecost

Bidding Prayers - Pentecost Sunday

Today the bidding prayers will be said in the many different languages of the Parish Community.

Nationalities in the Parish

We have 33 nationalities in our Parish. Let us give thanks to God that from every part of the world, He invites and gathers us together to join His one big family - the Holy Catholic Church.

The Our Father

Please say in your own language if you wish.

Justice and Peace Group

The next meeting of the group will be on **Tuesday 26th May at 7pm** in the Presbytery.

Divine Mercy Prayer Group

Next meeting is on **Thursday 28th May at 2.30pm** in St David's Chapel Entrance via Bedford Street.



They will be praying Chaplet of Divine Mercy and Consecration prayers to Divine Mercy.

Parish Picnic

A warm invitation is offered to all parishioners to join us for a Parish Picnic on **Sunday 7 June from 12.15pm – 3pm**. It will take place in the **parish hall** next to the church and to celebrate the international diversity of our parish community we invite you to wear national costume and bring a dish that represents your cultural heritage. As it's a picnic, we also ask that you bring your own chairs (there aren't many in the hall at the moment!) and, if possible, maybe even a table. If cannot bring a chair, please let one of the priests or Deacon Mike know so we can source some extra. Children are very welcome and if you have any traditional games that you would like to share with others, please feel free to do so.

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**

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Please take a leaflet from the table.

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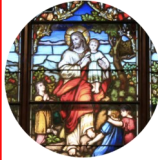
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ANNIVERSARIES

Doreen Dermody, Kay Donovan, Kathleen Huq, Margaret Lester, Robert Nicholson, Mary Pantin, Caterina Tambone, Geraldine Taylor.

RECENTLY DECEASED

Fr Jason Jones, Leena Abesekera, Christopher Corsi, Edward Kavanagh.



CHILDREN'S LITURGY EVERY SUNDAY

At the 9.30am Mass

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

Family resources for the Feast of Pentecost

(1) Pentecost family activity pack

(www.celebratetrust.org/shop/pentecost-family-pack-celebratehome-9cz46-zre64-7pzzz)

An online resource full of links to fun activities, prayer suggestions, books and movies.

(2) Find the Flame

(www.celebratetrust.org/celebrate-prayer-resources)

A quick, fun game for families to put a flame jigsaw together, with extension activities such as learning a prayer to the Holy Spirit and reflecting on scripture together (part of our CELEBRATE Prayer Resources)

Holy Rosary in May

will be held in Our Lady's Garden at St Peter's **every Sunday in May at 10.45am**

All are welcome to join!

One of the Stations of the Cross in the retreat garden.

Here at Ngong, Nairobi, I am offering a short course on Rosminian spirituality to 23 of our students.

This is an international house though our African students are the majority.

Please pray for them on this day of the Holy Spirit, in their journey to the priesthood.

Fr Chris



Parish Fundraising



The Parish is facing two repairs. The flat roof over the long corridor has water penetration to the retaining wall capping stones. The tall chimney of the old boiler is blamed for some water penetration and must be removed.

The second repair follows a report of water penetration of the tower. The rain entry threatens electric contacts of the bells. Again work on the capping stones and the lead covering which will call for scaffolding to the top.

Project pictures and information will be displayed in the entrance of the Church shortly.

The weekly collection is not covering our outgoing costs, as we all know in paying our utility bills. We hope to have various fundraising projects to assist this essential work.

If you have any ideas for fundraising please share on the list at the back of Church. Any contributions will be gratefully welcome

Fr Chris & Finance Committee



Eucharistic Adoration

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

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

Corpus Christi Procession Sunday 7th June

The Procession will start at **3:00pm from Nazareth House (please arrive by 2:30pm)**, moving along

Colum Road and Park Place, past the Museum and City Hall, head down Park Place and along Queen Street before finishing at St David's Cathedral. Refreshments will be available afterwards.



Are You Being Called to the Priesthood?

Archbishop Mark is inviting all unmarried men who feel drawn to explore this possibility to join him for **Evening Prayer at St David's Cathedral, Cardiff, on Sunday 31 May at 3.30pm**. Afterwards, there will be a chance to meet with the Archbishop and other men who are discerning a call. To register, email Fr Matt Roche-Saunders, at: vocations@cardiffmenevia.org

Summer Camp

Unplug • Rest • Explore

5-9 August 2026 | Age: Year 9s to Year 13s

St David's Bunk Barns, Pembrokeshire

£300, Travel & Meals included



To journey with us, scan QR or email youth@cardiffmenevia.org



Deadline for registration & payment is June 8th

Community Cuppa!

Wednesdays 1.30pm - 4pm

Community Hall, Bedford Street

Entertainment, cakes and beverages!

Do Stay for Tea & Coffee

After 9:30am & 11:30am Mass

Sunday

@ St David's Chapel

