



ST PETER'S PARISH NEWSLETTER

Served by the Rosminians

31st MAY 2026

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY (YEAR A)



The Holy Spirit produced the following extraordinary effects on the Apostles:

- (1) A most profound knowledge of things divine;
- (2) An exceptional purity and holiness of life;
- (3) Great strength in suffering for the sake of justice;
- (4) The gifts of the Spirit to the highest degree.

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.

"For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life. For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved through him." (John 3:16-17)



Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity

In the Nicene Creed we pray: "...I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father... I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified..." The formulation of the Trinitarian relationship in the Creed reveals the profound depth of God's nature: God is of one essence, yet three distinct Persons. Each Person is involved in an eternal, loving relationship with the others.

If these definitions of God seem beyond your grasp, you are correct. They are. Even if you were to spend years studying the best theology on the Trinity, you would still only be able to comprehend a slight image of Who God is. The best way to grow in a deeper understanding of God and all of reality is through the deepest forms of contemplative prayer. Contemplative prayer is not something you can simply turn on. It is an infused prayer that only God can bestow as He invites you to enter into His divine presence. Contemplative prayer begins with a profound purification process by which all sin is purged from one's life, as well as all attachment to sin, and then all conceptual knowledge of God is eliminated so that the mind can gaze upon God through infused knowledge. As you strive to deepen your own prayer life, offer your praise to God the best you can. Profess your unwavering belief in the Creed, despite not fully understanding it.

Most importantly, open your heart to God, Who is Love, and love Him in return with every power of your soul. By doing so, you will be on the slow and steady road to a mystical union of love with the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

God our Father,
 who by sending into the world
 the Word of truth and
 the Spirit of sanctification
 made known to the human race
 your wondrous mystery, grant us,
 we pray, that in professing
 the true faith,
 we may acknowledge the Trinity
 of eternal glory and adore your
 Unity, powerful in majesty.
 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.

Mass and Liturgies

Newsletter Items: stpeterscardiff@gmail.com Registered Charity No: 242380	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
Parish Team Fr Chris Fuse Fr Shinto Kumminiyil Fr Benny Dennis Deacon Mike Randell Tel: 02920 483 394	Monday 1st June	St Justin	10.00am	GE Tochukwu Paschal Iberuche For all Teachers
	Tuesday 2nd June	St Marcellinus St Peter	10.00am	GE Fr Chris Fuse Erol Blake RIP
Safeguarding Representative Meryl Hoffer 029 2048 1061 (Safeguarding issues only)	Wednesday 3rd June	St Charles Lwanga & Companions St Kevin	10.00am	Eleanor Houlihan (Anniv) For Persecuted Christians
	Thursday 4th June	Weekday in Ordinary Time	10.00am	GE Fr Pius Jones & Fr Barry For the Sick & Housebound
St Peter's Primary School Headteacher: Gareth Rein Email: stpetersprm@cardiff.gov.uk	Friday 5th June	St Boniface First Friday	10.00am	Rosemary Morgan (Anniv) For Lapsed Catholics
	Saturday 6th June	St Norbert The Body and Blood of Our Lord [Corpus Christi] (Solemnity)	5.30pm	GE Nazir & Dilshad Jamal For World Peace
	Sunday 7th June	The Body and Blood of Our Lord [Corpus Christi] (Solemnity)	9.30am	GE Charles Diffey All Parishioners Children receiving First Holy Communion
			11.30am	Spiro & Teresa Cassar For those who are searching for God



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.



Parish Picnic

A warm welcome is offered to all parishioners, families and friends to join us for a Parish picnic on Sunday 7th June 12:30pm - 3pm, in St Peter's parish hall next to the Church. This is a free event so please bring a plate of food to share and anything you'd like to drink. There will be tea and coffee and soft drinks. We would like to celebrate the international diversity of our Parish community. We would love to see national costumes and food that represent your culture. We are short of tables and chairs in the hall so if you have picnic paraphalia! Please bring it to use. We will have face painting and if you have traditional games that you would like to share PLEASE feel free to do so.



St Peter's RC Primary School CSI Report

The latest Catholic School Inspectorate Report for St Peter's RC Primary was published on Thursday 21 May, and the school is rated as "Excellent" in every single area, across Catholic Life and Mission, Religious Education and Collective Worship. You can read the report here: www.rcadcschools.org/StPetersRCPrimarySchool401648%2021.05.26.pdf

For Admissions visit: www.stpeters.wales/admissions/ or email the school via admissions@stpeters.wales

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Account: Archdiocese of Cardiff,
St Peter's Cardiff
Sort Code: 20-18-23
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Please take a leaflet from the table.

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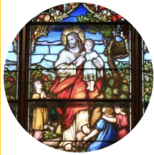
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ANNIVERSARIES

Doreen Dermody, Eleanor Houlihan, Rosemary Morgan.

RECENTLY DECEASED

Canon Jason Jones, Leena Abeyssekera, 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

Some of the children from St Peter's School will be receiving their first Holy Communion next Sunday. Please keep them in your prayers.



CHURCH SHOP Opening Times

Saturday:

Before and after 5.30pm Mass

Sunday:

Before and after 9.30am Mass until 11.30am Mass begins



We have a large selection of beautiful first Holy Communion Gifts & Cards for girls & boys all at reasonable prices.

A lovely memento of this Special Day on the Faith Journey of our young people. The Church of tomorrow. Come in & take a look.

**Fr Chris will be on holiday
from Wednesday 3rd June for 3 weeks.
We wish him a restful time.**

Birmingham Catholic Charismatic Renewal Annual Conference

10th - 14th August 2026

St. John's Hotel, Solihull B91 1AT

For more information and bookings, visit:
www.bccrc.org.uk/index.html

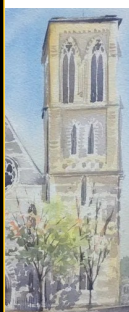
Canon Jason Jones RIP

His Requiem Mass will be on 5th June at 11am at St Joseph's Co-Cathedral, Swansea.



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 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



God's Love for You

The First Revelation to St Margaret Mary Alacoque: 27 Dec 1673

St Margaret Mary was a French Visitation nun. Jesus revealed His Love for mankind through His Sacred Heart and His Sacred Heart devotion to her in several mystical visions between 1673 and 1675.

I was praying before the Blessed Sacrament... He made me repose for a long time upon His Sacred Breast, where He disclosed to me the marvels of His Love and the inexplicable secrets of His Sacred Heart... Then it was that, for the first time, He opened to me His Divine Heart...

Jesus: "My Divine Heart is so inflamed with love for everyone... being unable any longer to contain within itself the flames of its burning Charity. It must spread them abroad by your means, and manifest itself to them (mankind) in order to enrich them with the precious treasures... contain graces of sanctification and salvation necessary to withdraw them from the abyss of perdition. I have chosen you as an abyss of unworthiness and ignorance for the accomplishment of this great design, in order that everything may be done by Me." After this, He asked me for my heart, which I begged Him to take. He did so and placed it in His own Adorable Heart, where He showed it to me as a little atom which was being consumed in this great furnace, and withdrawing it thence as a burning flame in the form of a heart, He restored it to the place whence He had taken it. Jesus: "See, My well-beloved, I give you a precious token of My love, having enclosed within your side a little spark of its glowing flames; that may serve you for a heart and consume you to the last moment of your life; its ardour will never be exhausted... As a proof that the great favour I have done to you is not imagination... although I have closed the wound in your side, the pain will always remain. If before, you have taken only the name of My slave, I now give you that of the beloved disciple of My Sacred Heart."

(Excerpts from St Margaret Mary Alacoque's autobiography)

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



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

