

The Parish of Radyr Newsletter

18th October – The Nineteenth Sunday after Trinity

HEADLINES

Covid Guidelines. Please note that government regulations require **all over 11 congregation members to wear a face covering at all church services** within the building at all times. **Everyone must also follow the 2-metre distancing rule, particularly when leaving church.** Please download the **NHS track and trace app** and scan the QR code on entry to our buildings to let the app know you were there. (Signing in is also required – sorry.) **But please turn off your phone once you are in church.**

Giving. Many thanks to all who give regularly to the Parish. We know that times are tough for some people but, be assured, all money donated is used carefully. Things are getting slightly better as we have been able to open our halls to some selected bookings. Nevertheless, your support is still essential to the financial health of the Parish. Next week, 25th October, we will be having our **Annual Parish Gift Day** and Vicki has sent out a special letter. Please speak to Vicki or the Churchwardens if you have not seen it. We ask you to be as generous as you can in response.

Our All Souls Commemoration of the Departed service will be at 5pm on 1st November. If you will be attending the service and wish your loved one's name to be included please email or phone the Churchwardens, either [Margaret Smart](mailto:Margaret.Smart@parishofradyr.org) (029 2084 2516) or [Cheryl Evans](mailto:Cheryl.Evans@parishofradyr.org) (07917 440955).

The Vestry Meeting (the Parish AGM) will be at **7pm on Wednesday, 11th November, via Zoom.** Notices about the agenda are now in the porches of both churches and a copy of the agenda and the PCC nomination forms are attached to this week's mailing. If you would like to be nominated for the PCC and can't get to church at the moment then please print the form and ask someone else to nominate you. Forms can then be [sent in via email](#) or left with Vicki or a Churchwarden. We know that a Zoom meeting is not ideal but this is the only way we can hold the meeting before the statutory cut-off date of the end of November.

Christ Church Boiler. We very much regret that there has been a slight delay and the boiler **will not be operational until Monday.**

Bumps a Daisy will be restarting in the New Schoolrooms on 4th November. More volunteers are required. If you think you might be able to help, please get in touch with Belinda (contact details below).

Remembrance Sunday, 8th November, will be observed differently this year due to the pandemic. Vicki and Rev'd Judith Holliman will conduct a short service at the War Memorial in Heol Isaf which will be streamed live. Please do not attend this service in person. Full details can be found on the [R&M Community Website](#). The service will be followed by a slightly modified Eucharist in Christ Church.

Cardiff Foodbank: As previously reported, the Foodbank is asking for donations to their new van appeal. If you would like to contribute, please visit <https://localgiving.org/appeal/Harvest2020/>, their Local Giving page. This appeal will run until the end of 2020.

Nevertheless, if you would still like to make food donations, the collection bags remain at the back of church. Items currently requested are: Rice Pudding (tinned), Sweet Treats (chocolate/sweets) and Long Life Fruit Juice

SERVICES & EVENTS *(Please arrive early for services to allow time for hand sanitisation etc.)*

Sun 18 th	8.00am	Holy Eucharist	Christ Church
	9.15am	Holy Eucharist	St John's
	11.00am	Holy Eucharist	Christ Church
	6.00pm	Evening Prayer	Christ Church

Tues 20 th	10.00am	Coffee & conversation (and a chat about next Sunday's reading/s) via Zoom (We shall be looking at Leviticus 19:1-2, 15-18, 1 Thessalonians 2:1-8 & Matthew 22:34-46)	
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Wed 21 st	9.30am	Holy Eucharist	Christ Church
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Thurs 22 nd	11.00am	Holy Eucharist	St John's**
	6.00pm	Choir practice	via Zoom

Sun 25 th	8.00am	Holy Eucharist	Christ Church
	9.15am	Holy Eucharist	St John's
	11.00am	Holy Eucharist	Christ Church
	6.00pm	Holy Eucharist	Christ Church

Zoom joining instructions (for Coffee & conversation and the Vestry Meeting):

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2148431624?pwd=VURKZHIER25tTHhtREpMM1VxOU1OUT09>

Meeting ID: 214 843 1624 Passcode: Radyr2019

For information here is forward notice of the next Book Club meetings.

**Tues 24th Nov 10.00am Book Club “The Family Upstairs” by Lisa Jewell
(possibly via Zoom, or elsewhere)**

**Tues 12th Jan 10.00am Book Club “The Museum of Broken Promises” by Elizabeth Buchan
(possibly via Zoom, or elsewhere)**

****Midweek Coffee.** Please note that we have been given permission for those attending services on Wednesdays/Thursdays to bring their own refreshments (coffee/tea, etc) and drinking utensils and stay for a natter! Come and join in the conversation.

Garden Waste. Nothing to do with church, but we know people like being kept informed of these matters. Cardiff Council have just announced that garden waste (green bin) collections will continue fortnightly through October but there will then be **no collections in November, December or February**. There will be one collection in January for real Christmas trees and any other green waste – on a date to be advised. Fortnightly collections will then restart in March. **Monday, 19th October will be the last green bin collection until January.**

To Make Online Donations to the Parish

Account name: Radyr PCC Sort Code: 53:70:30 Account Number 09202846

If you would like something included in next week’s Newsletter, please contact Vicki Burrows (2084 2417), one of the Churchwardens, or send the copy to hawkinsnick@msn.com .

Please also send information/photos for the Parish Website to RadyrParishWebsite@gmail.com

Rev’d Vicki Burrows, 07515 965781, vicki.burrows@me.com

Rev’d Belinda Huxtable, 02920 567956, curateofradyr@gmail.com

Please call or email the clergy team at any time.

(Their day off is usually Friday but may be called at any time in extremis).

Don’t forget the clocks go back an hour next Sunday.

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