The Parish of Radyr Newsletter

11th April – The Second Sunday of Easter

HEADLINES

We are all saddened at the death of Prince Philip. We received the following message from the Diocesan office:

Bishop June Osborne expressed sadness on hearing the news of the death of Prince Philip, Duke of Edinburgh. On behalf of the Diocese of Llandaff, Bishop June offers her sincere condolences to Her Majesty the Queen and will keep members of the Royal Family in her prayers.

Bishop June asks that parishes pray for the Royal Family at this time and give thanks for long public service of the Duke of Edinburgh.

A prayer on the death of HRH the Duke of Edinburgh on behalf of the Diocese of Llandaff

Loving God and heavenly father,

we give you thanks for the life and service of Prince Philip,

for his love of our country and his devotion to duty.

At this time we especially pray for Her Majesty the Queen and for the Royal Family in their loss. As we entrust him now to your love and mercy, strengthen our faith in your eternal kingdom of justice, hope and peace.

Amen.

Sadly, it is not possible in these restricted Covid times to open a local Book of Condolence. All who would like to do express their condolences are asked to do so via the National Book of Condolence which can be accessed via this site: https://www.royal.uk/books-condolence.

Special prayers will be said on Sunday to give thanks for the life of Prince Philip and the tenor bell of Christ Church will be rung on its own, half-muffled, at 12 noon Saturday for about five minutes.

Our churches are generally closed to regular worship. All services (apart from funerals and weddings) are now being conducted purely on-line. However, recognising the spiritual needs of those who have no access to digital technology, we have reintroduced a regular midweek Eucharist at Christ Church on Wednesdays at 9.30am. We will let you know about the reopening of our churches for Sunday worship as soon as possible.

Please make sure you have got the Vestry Meeting on Tuesday 20th April in your diary.

SERVICES & EVENTS

Sun 11 th	10.30am	Sunday Wors	hip (An Agape	Meal - Spiritual	Communion)	via Zoom*

Wed 14th 9.30am Holy Eucharist Christ Church

Thurs 15th **6.00pm** Choir Practice **via Zoom****

Sun 18th 10.30am Sunday Worship (An Agape Meal - Spiritual Communion) via Zoom*

Tues 20th **7.00pm Parish Vestry Meeting via Zoom***Wed 21st **9.30am** Holy Eucharist **Christ Church**

For information, the next Book Club meeting will be reading **The Little Paris Bookshop by Nina George**. No date has been set for the discussion at the moment.

*Zoom joining instructions for Services and Vestry Meeting

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

Meeting ID: 214 843 1624 Passcode: Radyr2019

**Zoom joining instructions for Choir Practice:

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84031682122?pwd=cHZzVFpMaFRKN01sc3lpaVRXa2RIUT09

Meeting ID: 840 3168 2122 Passcode: RadyrChoir

Cardiff Foodbank's top three items are Jars of Coffee, 1 litre Bottles of Squash and Fruit Juice (Long Life).

Puffins Gareth's appeal is still running. (If you did not keep the message, you can read his item again via this link.) The end of his message read: 'If you would like to help us make sure that none of our families go hungry, then gifts of financial support, time, and food would make a real difference. For more information, please email me at *puffins* @stteilos.com or telephone 029 20547180 and ask for Puffins. If you are in a position to give monthly to our work or gift us a one-off donation then the account details are:

BANK: NatWest, **ACCOUNT NAME**: St Teilo's Church in Wales High School Amenities Fund, **SORT CODE**: 52 21 63, **ACCOUNT NUMBER**: 12333077

An item of interest:

The R&M Association are organising an online hustings on Monday 19th April starting at 19.30. This is your opportunity to put the questions that matter to you to those who wish to represent you in the Welsh Parliament ahead of the Senedd elections on 6th May.

Please submit your questions **in advance** to Hustings@radyr.org.uk for the RMA moderator to collate. Then tune in to watch the candidates responses live through the RMA YouTube channel.

Full details of the event, who you can vote for, where to vote and how to register to vote are available on the RMA website - https://radyr.org.uk/hustings

To Make Online Donations to the Parish

Thank you for your continued support of your offerings to the Parish during this pandemic. If you would like to make a monetary contribution or set up a direct debit or bank standing order, please donate using the Bank details below. There is more information on the <u>Giving Page on our website</u>.

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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 hww.newsletter, please contact Vicki Burrows (2084).

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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).

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