

The Parish of Radyr Newsletter

17th October – Twentieth Sunday after Trinity

HEADLINES

Wales is at Covid Alert Level Zero and our services have reverted to a normal format. However, as our churches are public buildings, please remember to wear a face covering even during the singing of hymns. The sacrament will now be distributed in one kind (bread) only at the altar rail – but please remain standing.

So, do come and join us in Christ Church at 8am or 11am or St John's at 9.15am For those still unable to get to church for whatever reason, we are now regularly streaming the 11:00 Sunday service on the [Parish's YouTube channel](#).

All Souls Commemoration of the Departed Christ Church, 31st October 4pm. Please note that the **Glow in the darkness Ministry Area Messy Church** has been **cancelled** due to Covid restrictions.

Christ Church Choir is looking for new members. If you have a passion for choral singing in a fun and friendly environment, join us! Choir members attend 11am Eucharist every week and rehearse on Thursdays at 6pm and before the service on a Sunday at 10am. Auditions will be held on **28th October at 6pm**. In the audition you will be asked to sing a piece of your choice (no longer than five minutes) and sight sing a short passage. To arrange an audition, contact Amy Reynolds at amyreynoldspiano@gmail.com.

Advent Course - The Garth Ministry Area. Rev'd. Lindsey Ford will be holding four discussion sessions entitled 'Waiting upon God'. They will be held at Christ Church, Radyr from 10.30am until 12noon on **Tuesdays November 2nd, 9th, 16th and 23rd**. All are welcome. This is not a course, they are stand alone discussions.

Quiet Day, 13th November, Christ Church Radyr - "The waiting place of God". A day of prayer meditation and silence. For more information, to view the programme and to register please contact Belinda.

Refreshments after Sunday services Do stay for a chat after **the 9.15am service at St John's and the 11:00am service at Christ Church**, when we will be serving coffee and tea.

SERVICES & EVENTS

Sun 17 th	8.00am	Holy Eucharist	Christ Church
	9.15am	Holy Eucharist	St John's
	11.00am	Holy Eucharist	Christ Church
	6.00pm	Evening Worship	Christ Church
	7.15pm	Confirmation rehearsal	Christ Church
Tues 19 th	10.00am	Coffee & conversation (and a chat about next Sunday's reading/s) (We shall be looking at Isaiah 55.1-11, 2 Timothy 3.14-4.5, John 5.36b-47) 11A Bryncoed (note different venue). .	
Wed 20 th	9.30am	Holy Eucharist	Christ Church
Thurs 21 st	11.00am	Holy Eucharist	St John's
	6.00pm	Choir practice	Christ Church
	6.30pm	Alpha Course	New Schoolrooms
Sun 24 th	8.00am	Holy Eucharist	Christ Church
	9.15am	Holy Eucharist	St John's
	11.00am	Holy Eucharist	Christ Church
	6.00pm	Confirmation	Christ Church (Please come along and join confirmation candidates from across our Ministry Area. <i>Note that this service will be streamed.</i>)

Coffee and Chat – meets to read and discuss the Lectionary readings for the forthcoming Sunday. Everyone is welcome. This week come along at 10.00am on Tuesday to **11A Bryncoed (note different venue)**. . Email amanda.russelljones@virginmedia.com with any queries.

For information, the next Book Club meeting will be reading **The Colour** by Rose Tremain. No date has been set for the discussion at the moment.

Can you help please? WANTED: Children's clothes Age 0-4 yrs. Mothers' Union would be grateful for donations of good quality second-hand children's clothing for a local Housing Project who support single parents and their children. Donations can be given to Mary Cooksley or Julie Davies. For more details contact Julie on 20842923 or auntiejulie@hotmail.com .

Our Get Ready For Christmas event will be taking place in **five weeks time** on **20th November** from 10-12 Noon. To keep everyone safe, it has been decided that the event will be smaller and shorter this year, and unfortunately, we will not be able to provide the normal refreshments (coffees, teas, hot turkey rolls, mulled wine, etc). On the plus side, our puppeteer friends from the Methodist Church have kindly agreed once again to do a show in Church for the children.

PLEASE CAN YOU HELP to make our event successful?

DONATE

- Preserves, and chocolates for Mothers' Union chocolate tombola
- Books (paperbacks only please).
- Christmas crafts and gifts.
- Screw top bottles of wine for the popular water to wine stall.
- Toys, books and games for the Sunday Club.

BAKElots of cakes!(these must be wrapped please before being brought to be sold).

SELL.....books of raffle tickets which will be available soon. The three main prizes are

- £100 voucher for the Wales Millennium Centre
- A Festive Marks and Spencer hamper
- A meal voucher for Cicchetti

Please contact Rubina if you need anything collecting or for further information – 2084 3442 or rubina.davison@gmail.com.

Operation Xmas Child. It is time to think this special event. The easiest way to contribute personally to the 'Shoebox Collection' is to contribute online .It is very easy! Just tap in www.Packashoeboxonline.org.uk .The step by step process will be explained to you. At the end you donate £20 (£5 of which includes project and transport costs). If, however , you have been knitting during lockdown , you can deliver it to either

Bethany Baptist Church, 126c, Heol Uchaf, Rhiwbina. CF14 6SS or

St. Thomas Church, 104, Pantbach Road. CF14 1UE

National Collection Week is **15th-22nd November**, when the above centres will be open. However, donating online can be done any time.

Thank you again for your support, Anne-Marie Phillips

Cardiff Foodbank's top three items are fruit juice (long life, 1 litre), milk (UHT long/life, 1 litre) and sponge puddings.

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 [Giving Page on our website](#).

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 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

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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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