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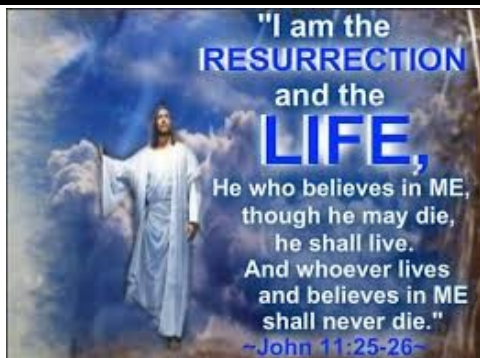
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2nd April 2017, 5th Sunday of Lent

Saturday	6.30pm	CF Sebastian
Sunday	8.30am	People of the Parish
	10.30am	Irene (Rene) Evans

9th April 2017, Palm Sunday Of The Passion Of The Lord

Saturday	6.30pm	Andrew Olney
Sunday	8.30am	People of the Parish
	10.30am	Cyril Marsh

Parish Hall Events 2017

Monday	1.00pm	Parent & Toddler
Thursday	9.30am	Slimming World

Please pray for all the sick and elderly members of the Parish, their families, carers, and all their families.

Sanctuary Lamp: Laurie Lowry

Weekday Masses Mon 3rd April 2017- Sat 8th April 2017

Monday Weekday, 5th Week of Lent	9.00am	Louise Good
Tuesday Weekday, 5th Week of Lent	9.00am Adoration 9.30am- 8:00pm	Dorothy Graham
Wednesday Weekday, 5th Week of Lent	9.00am	Joseph Dimond
Thursday Weekday, 5th Week of Lent	7.30am	Betty Dodds
Friday Weekday, 4th Week of Lent	9.00am 7.00pm	Verling & Hurley Families Stations of the Cross
Saturday Weekday, 6th Week of Lent	9.00am 10-11am	Christopher Webb Confession *

Sacramental Events

Baptism Preparation -

On 5th and 12th April 2017 at 7pm in the Presbytery

First Holy Communion-

Para Liturgy: Eucharist, 5th April Parents/Guardian and Sponsor meeting in the Parish hall at 5:20pm

Confirmation-

Para Liturgy: Eucharist, **Thursday 6th April**— Parents/Guardians, sponsors and Candidates meeting in Parish hall at 7pm

RCIA—

Rite for Christian Initiation for Adults— Para Liturgy Thursday 6th April, 7pm in the Parish Hall

Cleaners and Counters

Church Cleaners— Eva & Co.

Counters This week **A** next week **B**

St Helen's Infant and Nursery
St Helen's Junior
St Richard Gwyn

Mrs Kathy Giernalczyk (Acting Head)
Mrs Michelle Clawson (Acting Head)
Mr Stephen Grech (Head Teacher)

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+Please Pray

For the repose of the souls of **Ann Margaret Evans** and **Thomas (Tom) Venton** who died recently.

Funeral Arrangements

Ann Margaret Evans - funeral service at Barry Crematorium on Thursday 6th April 2017 at 2pm

Thomas (Tom) Venton—Details to follow

Dates for you Diary

+Palm Sunday— 9th April

Reminder: The blessing of the Palms for the 10:30am Mass will take place in the Parish Hall.

Palms will also be blessed at 6:30pm Mass on Saturday and at the 8:30am Mass on Sunday.

+Holy Week 2017

Reminder for your diary— Sacred Triduum

Wednesday 12th April, 11:30am Mass of the Chrism at St David's Cathedral, Cardiff.

Holy Thursday -13th April 7pm

Good Friday-14th April 3pm

Easter Vigil- 15th April 8pm

+ SACRED TRIDUUM 2017

In order to ensure that the Offertory Processions during the Sacred Triduum are conducted in a dignified manner, All those participating in these processions are asked to assemble in the Hall at **least 20 minutes** before Mass is due to commence.

This also applies to those taking part in the Solemn Entry Procession on Holy Thursday. Guidance will be provided as to the order in which the gifts which you are presenting are to be carried to the Altar etc. You will also be told at what stage of the Mass you should come to the Hall to collect your gifts for presentation.

Even if you have participated in any of these processions in the past, please be in the Hall as requested so that your presence can be confirmed.

Thank you.

+Ladies Circle

Meeting on Wednesday 5th April. Rosary at 1.30pm, Meeting 2.00pm in the Parish Hall. Bring and Buy sale with proceeds for the Lenten Diocesan Charity appeal—Syrian Family refugee project.

We are taking names for lunch at Bryn Owain on Wednesday 19th April, Please see Rose or Ann to book. There is a bus to take us. Thank You.

+Parish Council Meeting

Tuesday 4th April, 7pm in the Presbytery

+Gift Aid Envelopes

Gift Aid envelopes available in Parish Hall this Weekend. Thank you

+Monthly Family Prayer

Last Friday of the month, Next date is Friday 28th April in The Lady Chapel at 2.00pm

+Stations of the Cross Procession, through Cardiff City Centre

Saturday 8th April 2017; 10:45am Start (After 10am Mass) St David's Cathedral.

For more information please go to website

+Association for the Propagation of the Faith

It is Red Box opening time- Richard Cann, local treasurer, will be at all Masses on the weekend of 15th-16th April to receive the funds collected. Anyone with a box that has not been emptied in the last 12 months or if you usually bring your box to the church, Please bring them with you at anytime before 23rd April 2017.

Thank you for all your continuing support. If you are able to sign a gift aid form they are available at the back of church.

+Risen - follow the epic story of the Resurrection through the eyes of a non-believer.

This Easter, join us in the Cornerstone to witness the manhunt that changed the course of human history forever. The film showing is completely free including snacks and fizzy drinks – an enjoyable occasion for all the family. Rated PG-13. Friday April 21st 2017
First showing 2:30pm | Second showing 7pm

+Celebrate

Celebrate Wales is a fantastic weekend for the whole family to grow in faith, with inspiring talks, worship, workshops, drama from Rise Theatre, and an opportunity to find inspiration and encounter God. The event runs 9am - 9pm Saturday 29 April and 9am - 4pm Sunday 30 April at St David's College. Please book early especially if you are bringing children - children's streams run activities for all age groups from 3 - 18 but fill up quickly. (Celebrate is managed by Catholic Charismatic Renewal). On-line booking is now open at www.celebrateconference.org/wales.

+40 Day's for Life

St Mary Street, Cardiff, opposite Elgin House, outside Howell's/Ladbroke's, facing the abortion facility across the street. There are only 8 Days left until 9th April (Palm Sunday). Volunteers are still needed. If you are able to assist by offering one hour of your time between 11.00a.m. & 4.00p.m. please do so.

For further information Contact Janet Thomas on jelthomas@btinternet.com or 07901713077. Pray for an end to abortion and also pray especially for help for women who may be going into the building to seek an abortion.