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The Parish of Treharris Trelewis Bedlinog & Llanfabon

WHERE FAITH MATTERS | LLE MAE FFYDD YN CYFRIF

On behalf of the parish family of churches, may I take this opportunity to offer you a very warm welcome. If you're joining with us for the first time, then it's really good you have found us as part of the Church in these communities. Be assured that there are no strangers amongst us; only friends who haven't yet met, so a very warm welcome in these times:

Father Gareth Coombes | Parish Priest

TODAY

10:30am Parish Eucharist
4:30pm Evening Prayer

All services will be broadcast 'Live' on the parish Facebook page

The Collect of the Day

Gracious God, who by the leading of a star manifested your only Son to the peoples of the earth: mercifully grant that we, who know you now by faith, may at last behold your glory face to face; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **AMEN**

The Readings

Isaiah 60. 1-6; Ephesians 3. 1-12; Matthew 2. 1-12

The Psalm | Psalm 72

R/. Lord, every nation on earth, every nation on earth will adore you.

The Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! - Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

We saw his star at it's rising
and have come to do him homage.

Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

THE WEEK AHEAD

Monday 4th January 2021

Christmas Feria

Tuesday 5th January 2021

Christmas Feria

Wednesday 6th January 2021

Christmas Feria

11:00am Office of Morning Prayer

1:15pm Private Funeral: Margaret Starkey +RIP

8:00pm Office of Night Prayer

Thursday 7th January 2021

Christmas Feria

10:30am Office of Morning Prayer

8:00pm Office of Night Prayer

Friday 8th January 2021

Christmas Feria

11:00am Private Funeral: John Swift +RIP

Saturday 9th January 2021

Christmas Feria

All services are currently being live streamed through the parish Facebook page; it is not possible to attend church at this time.

JOIN US ONLINE NEXT SUNDAY

Services for Sunday 10th January 2021 | + The Baptism of the Lord

10:30am Parish Eucharist

4:30pm Evening Prayer

All services are currently being streamed online during 'Tier 4 restrictions'

NOTICES & INFORMATION

NELSON RFC | COMMUNITY LUCKY 4's no winners last week; winning numbers 5 9 11 13; to play today's draw contact Fr Gareth and play online via PayPal or Bank Transfer; £1 to play; just choose 4 numbers for a chance to win this week's prize fund which is sitting at £6,100. Helping to support the mission and ministry of St. John's Church, Nelson.

TAFF BARGOED FOODBANK thank you to all those who have donated items over Christmas. The hub has been very busy up to Christmas Eve supporting local people in crisis. We are now beginning to restock with usual everyday items and currently short of the following; Jam, Peanut Butter, Tinned Fruit, Tinned Carrots and Potatoes, Sugar, Custard, Instant Mash, Men's & Ladies Deodorant. Items can be dropped at St. John's Church Hall most mornings up to 12:00pm. If you, or someone you know needs help in these difficult times please do let us know; in confidence.

THANK YOU from Fr Gareth, Emma and Tom to all those who have sent Christmas greetings, gifts and wishes to them at the Vicarage.

TEIR 4 RESTRICTIONS: STAY AT HOME

In order to keep everyone as safe as possible it has been decided that we should move to being Church at home, once again. Currently, the whole of the CF46 area is being advised to stay at home. Therefore, all services in church, apart from funeral services will now be online. For those who are not online, please pass on the local dial-in number, which is 01443 606 260 to listen to a recording of the most recent service which will be available.

If you need any support during this time, please contact us on:

01443 450 832 or 01443 410 280

We can help with prescription collection/delivery, shopping or an emergency food/essentials parcel.

It might have been just someone else's story,
Some chosen people get a special king.
We leave them to their own peculiar glory,
We don't belong, it doesn't mean a thing.
But when these three arrive they bring us with them,
Gentiles like us, their wisdom might be ours;
A steady step that finds an inner rhythm,
A pilgrim's eye that sees beyond the stars.
They did not know his name but still they sought him,
They came from elsewhere but still they found;
In temples they found those who sold and bought him,
But in the filthy stable, hallowed ground.
Their courage gives our questing hearts a voice
To seek, to find, to worship, to rejoice.

USEFUL CONTACTS

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