

# TOGETHER | TEULU@

TAFF RHYMNEY MINISTRY AREA | ARDAL WEINIDOGAETH TÂF RHYMNI

Saint Mabon | Saint John the Baptist | Saint Matthias

On behalf of the family of churches in the ministry area may I take this opportunity to offer you a very warm welcome. A special welcome if you're joining with us for the first time; or joining with us online. We are an inclusive community; whatever your faith, or none, it's really good to have you join with us today:

Reader John Fenton

## TODAY

10:00am Service of the Word, St John's, Nelson, CF46 6HA  
6:00pm Evening Prayer | Holy Trinity, Ystrad Mynach

### The Collect of the Day

Almighty God, you have created the heavens and the earth and made us in your own image: teach us to discern your hand in all your works and your likeness in all your children; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who with you and the Holy Spirit reigns supreme over all things, now and for ever. **AMEN**

### The Readings of the Day

Proverbs 8. 1, 22-31; Colossians 1. 15-20; John 1. 1-14

### The Psalm | Psalm 104. 26-37

**R/. Bless the Lord, O my soul.**

### The Gospel Acclamation and Responses

**Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

Speak Lord, your servant is listening.

You have the words of eternal life.

**R/. Glory be to you, O Lord! Glory be to you, O Lord!**

**R/. Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ! Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ!**

**Amen! We lift our hearts and voices to you; as we sing:**

**Amen! So shall it be, for ever Amen!**

# THE WEEK AHEAD

Monday | feria  
5<sup>th</sup> February 2024

Tuesday | feria  
6<sup>th</sup> February 2024

10:30am Warm spaces at St John's

Wednesday | feria Green  
7<sup>th</sup> February 2024

11:00am Holy Eucharist at St Matthias  
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Thursday | feria Green  
8<sup>th</sup> February 2024

6:30pm Holy Eucharist at St Mabon's

Friday | S Teilo; Religious & Bishop White  
9<sup>th</sup> February 2024

10:30am Holy Eucharist at St John's  
11:00am Warm spaces at St John's

St Mabon's Church, Llanfabon is open daily between 8.30am and 7.30pm

A collection plate may be passed around at each service; however you may like to make your gift by using your mobile phone and sending a text:

TEXT 2 GIVE: Text TTBL followed by a space, followed by the amount of your gift in numbers to 70085 to support the life of the Church.

CHEQUES: payable to The Parish of Treharris Trelewis Bedlinog & Llanfabon.

Sunday the 11<sup>th</sup> of February 2024 | + The Sunday before Lent

10:00am Parish Eucharist at St Matthias, Treharris, CF46 5RB

6:00pm United Evening Prayer at Holy Trinity, Ystrad Mynach, CF82 7DR

## NOTICES AND INFORMATION

**COMMUNITY LUCKY 4's** If you would like to play this week's draw tickets are available at the back of the church. Thank you to all our regular players; supporting the mission and outreach projects hosted by St John's, Nelson.

**FLOWERS IN CHURCH** donations towards the flower fund is always welcome. If you would like to donate please speak to Audrey or Wynne.

**TAFF BARGOED FOODBANK** the usual list of items is always welcome to ensure we can continue to support local people in need. UHT milk & juice; squash, tea, coffee & sugar; jam; tinned fruit, meat, fish & veg.

**CHARITY PUB QUIZ** hosted by the Nelson Inn every Sunday; supporting the mission and outreach of St John's; everyone welcome for a 7:30pm start.

**MINISTRY AREA SUPPORT ROLES** is God calling you to support the Ministry Area Council in an administration role or in a finance role. Contact Fr Stuart for an informal chat if you think this could be something for you.

**PARKING AT LLANFABON** following the closure of the Llanfabon Inn we have been asked to respect privacy by not using the car-park. Please use the wider part of the road at the turning towards Llechwen Hall. We are grateful to Pat and Gary for allowing us to use the car-park over many years, and we wish them both a very happy retirement.

**RSPCA CHARITY COLLECTION** if you have any broken or unwanted jewellery, including watches please speak with Christine Mann at St Matthias.

# WHERE WE ARE | SUNDAY BY SUNDAY | 10:00am

Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> February 2024 | + The Sunday before Lent  
10:00am | United Parish Eucharist | St Matthias, Treharris, CF46 5RB

## **Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> February 2024 | + Ash Wednesday**

11:00am | United Parish Eucharist | St Matthias, Treharris, CF46 5RB  
7:00pm | United Parish Eucharist | St Cattwg's, Gelliger, CF82 7FW

Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> February 2024 | + Lent I  
10:00am | United Parish Eucharist | St Mabon's, Llanfabon, CF46 6PG

Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> February 2024 | + Lent II  
10:00am | United Parish Eucharist | St John's, Nelson, CF46 6HA

Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> March 2024 | + Lent III  
10:00am | United Parish Eucharist | St Matthias, Treharris, CF46 5RB

Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> March 2024 | + Lent IV  
10:00am | Service of the Word | St Mabon's, Llanfabon, CF46 6PG

Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> March 2024 | + Lent V  
10:00am | United Parish Eucharist | St John's, Nelson, CF46 6HA

## **TAFF BARGOED FOODBANK | NELSON & TREHARRIS**

During January Taff Bargoed Foodbank responded to

**189** (475 adults/children)  
requests from local people in crisis:

**3.3 tonnes** of essential items have been distributed (food | toiletries)

'Working together to tackle food poverty, digital poverty, fuel poverty and period poverty'

Taff Bargoed Foodbank - With your help we are making a real difference!

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