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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 :

Fr Lindsay Ford | Associate Priest

10:00 am The Parish Eucharist | St John's, Nelson

6:00 pm The Office : Evensong | Holy Trinity, Ystrad Mynach

The Collect of the Day

Almighty God, through your only-begotten Son Jesus Christ you have overcome death and opened to us the gate of everlasting life : grant that, as by your grace going before us you put into our minds good desires, so by your continual help we may bring them to good effect; through Jesus Christ our risen Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **AMEN**

The Readings of the Day

Acts 7.55-60; 1 Peter 2.2-10; John 14.1-14

The Psalm | Psalm 31.1-5

R/. I trust in you, O Lord, for you are my God.

The Gospel Acclamation and Responses

Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Speak, Lord for your servant is listening. You have the words of eternal life. **Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

R/. Glory be to you, O Lord!

R/. 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 : Easter Feria

4th May 2026

Tuesday : S Asaph; Bishop

5th May 2026

8:30 am The Office : Morning Prayer at St John's, Nelson

9:00 am Ministry team meets at St John's, Nelson

10:30 am Welcome spaces at St John's, Nelson

Wednesday : Easter Feria

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6th May 2026

11:00 am The Holy Eucharist at St Matthias, Treharris

11:30 am Welcome spaces at St Matthias, Treharris

Thursday : Easter Feria

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7th May 2026

6:30 pm The Holy Eucharist at St Mabon's, Llanfabon

Friday : S Julian of Norwich; Spiritual Writer

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8th May 2026

10:30 am The Holy Eucharist at St John's, Nelson

11:00 am Welcome spaces at St John's, Nelson

Saturday : Easter Feria

9th May 2026

St Mabon's Church, Llanfabon is open every day between 8:30 am and 7:30 pm

All the churches within the Taff Rhymney Ministry Area are committed to the safety and wellbeing of everyone; especially children, young people and vulnerable adults.

If you have any safeguarding concerns, please do not hesitate to contact the local safeguarding representative or clergy :

You can also contact the Diocesan Safeguarding Officer on 07301 041 937

JOIN WITH US NEXT SUNDAY

Sunday the 10th of May 2026

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+ The Sixth Sunday of Easter

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

6:00 pm The Office : Evensong | 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.

TAFF BARGOED FOODBANK if you would like to make a one-off or regular gift to support the foodbank, please use one of the small gift-envelopes or donate online using the following details: Taff Bargoed Foodbank Sort: 08-92-99 A/c: 697200445. Supporting local people at a time of crisis.

CEMETERIES & CHURCH GROUNDS APPEAL the grass-cutting season is fast approaching; if you would like to make a donation to this year's planned maintenance please speak to Vicky or Pam.

GIVING TO SUPPORT THE WORK OF THIS CHURCH a collection plate may be passed around at each service; however, you may like to gift either by scanning the QR code on the back page; or 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 this church.

CHEQUES PAYABLE TO: The Parish of Treharris Trelewis Bedlinog & Llanfabon

To watch a service online, enter the following link into your device:
<https://www.youtube.com/@anglicanchurchtaffbargoed1299>

JOIN WITH US : SUNDAYS @ 10:00 am

Sunday 10th May 2026 | + The Sixth Sunday of Easter
10:00 am | Parish Eucharist | St Matthias, Treharris, CF46 5RB

Sunday 17th May 2026 | + The Seventh Sunday of Easter
10:00 am | Parish Eucharist | St Mabon's, Llanfabon, CF46 6PG

Sunday 24th May 2026 | + The Day of Pentecost
10:00 am | Parish Eucharist | St John's, Nelson, CF46 6HA

Sunday 31st May 2026 | + The Most Holy Trinity
10:00 am | Parish Eucharist | St Matthias, Treharris, CF46 5RB

Sunday 7th June 2026 | + The First Sunday after Trinity
10:00 am | Parish Eucharist | St Mabon's, Llanfabon, CF46 6PG

Sunday 14th June 2026 | + The Second Sunday after Trinity
10:00 am | Parish Eucharist | St John's, Nelson, CF46 6HA

TAFF BARGOED FOODBANK | NELSON & TREHARRIS

During April Taff Bargoed Foodbank responded to :

34

(80 adults/children)

requests from local people in crisis:

797 Kg's

of essential items have been distributed (food | toiletries)

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

HOLY TRINITY, YSTRAD MYNACH : ST JOHN, NELSON : ST MABON, LLANFABON : ST CATWG, GELLIGAER
ST MARGARET, GILFACH : ST GWLADYS, BARGOED : ST TYFAELOG, PONTLOTTYN : ST AIDEN, BUTE TOWN : Ss MARY & ANDREW, FOCHRIW

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