

# NEWSLETTER

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## Harvest Festival

Today we thank God for the wonder of his Creation and the ways in which the needs of the world are provided out of His Love for us. We give thanks for those who work that we may eat and we remember those in need across the world, especially those who suffer famine and starvation.

### Collect of the Day

Eternal God, you crown the year with your goodness and you give us the fruits of the earth in their season: grant that we may use them to your glory, for the relief of those in need and for our own well-being; 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.



**St Catherine's:** 10.30 am All Age Eucharist; 12.30pm Baptism

**Today's Hymns:** 566, 133, 900, 719

**St John's:** 8.00 am Holy Eucharist; 9.00 am Sung Eucharist

**Today's Hymns:** 133, 236, 719

**St Luke's:** 10:30 am Sung Mass; 6.00 pm Benediction

**Today's Hymns:** 133, 249, 719

**Psalm response:** Those who sowed with tears will reap with songs of joy.

**Gospel Acclamation:** Alleluia x4

### Psalm 126

- 1 When the Lord restoreth the / fortunes \* of / Zion: then shall we be like unto / them • that re-/new their / strength.
- 2 Then shall our mouth be / filled with / laughter: and our / tongue with / shouts of / joy.
- 3 Then will they say a-/mong the / nations: "The / Lord hath • done / great things / for them.'
- 4 Yea the Lord will do / great things / for us: where-/of we / shall be / glad.
- 5 Restore our / fortunes • O / Lord: like as when streams refresh the / deserts / of the / south,
- 6 They that / sow in / tears: shall / reap with / cries of / joy.
- †7 He that goeth forth weeping, \* and taketh the / seed / with him: shall come again with gladness, as he / bringeth / home his / sheaves.

**Next week's readings:** Amos 5: 6-7, 10-15; Psalm 90: 12-17; Hebrews 4: 12-16; Mark 10: 17-31

**Newsletter:** for any items to be included in this newsletter please email Sue Jones ([office@beneficeofcanton.org.uk](mailto:office@beneficeofcanton.org.uk)) Deadline is 12 noon on Fridays. For an email copy of the newsletter please contact Sheila at [mgsmkelly1@gmail.com](mailto:mgsmkelly1@gmail.com).

**'Get to know our new Team Vicar'** today 4pm-6pm: I'd love to extend a welcome to all of the Sunday School/Club teachers and leaders to the Vicarage this afternoon to get to know you all over tea & cake. I've had lots of conversations with people in the last month but I'd love to get us all together (to help me put names to faces!) Please be aware I will not be able to send out personal invitations or emails as I do not have access to a Sunday School/Club database as yet so if you know of anyone who should be invited please can you let them know! Looking forward to seeing you all later, Revd Emma

**A message from the Kidney Research shop on Cowbridge Road:** we desperately need volunteers to help in our shop. We offer spacious working conditions with a friendly team and endless cups of tea/coffee and biscuits! Anyone with a couple of hours a week to spare and who is interested in supporting the local community would enjoy spending time in our shop. We are also looking for stock

donations and, in the case of large household items, such as sofas, white goods, dining tables etc, we can offer a FREE collection service. Contact 02920 485595 for more information.

### St Catherine's Notes:

**Hall Bookings:** Please note a change of email contact for booking St Catherine's Hall. Bev can be contacted on [hall.stcatherines@beneficeofcanton.org.uk](mailto:hall.stcatherines@beneficeofcanton.org.uk) The previous gmail address is no longer active.

**Eve of All Saints Celebration. Wednesday 31 October 5.45pm - 10.00pm:** You can expect a bonfire, apple bobbing, doughnut reaching, soul cakes, good food, licensed bar, disco = loads of fun. Tickets at £7.50, £4.00 concessions, children under 5 - free, will be on sale in all three churches next Sunday. Book early to avoid disappointment

**Tree Improvement Project:** Work will commence end of October/early November on the eight remaining trees that need attention. The project's steering group have been invited to a Coop "Join in Live" event at the **Principality Stadium** on Saturday 20 October. We shall be able to inform a wider audience about the work of the Benefice and meet other local causes which the Coop have supported during 2018

**Choir:** there will be no choir practice on 11<sup>th</sup> October.

**Christmas Fair. Saturday 24 November. 2.00pm - 5.00pm:** More details to follow. Make a note in you diary.

**Envelopes:** A new supply of the yellow envelopes that some of the congregation put their collection money in will be issued soon. If you would like to join the envelope scheme please talk to Nic or either of the churchwardens. Also, if you are a tax payer and have not signed up for Gift Aid, Nic or either of the churchwardens can also explain what is involved. If you are already in the envelope scheme please collect the box with your name on from the middle of the church

**Midweek service: Wednesday 11.00 am**

### St John's Notes:

**Ty Bronna:** We are collecting washing powder throughout October. Please leave in the box in church.

**Advance notice:** Christmas Tree festival: Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> – Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> December. More details to follow.

**St John's Sunday School** meets on the 1st, 3rd and 4th Sunday of the month at 9am;

14th Oct Messy church; 21st Oct Sunday School; 28th Oct No Sunday School; 4th Nov No Sunday School; 11th Nov Messy Church;

18th Nov Sunday school; 25th Nov Sunday School; 2nd Dec Sunday School; 9th Dec Messy Church; 16th Dec Sunday School;

23rd Dec - 7th Jan No Sunday School

**Midweek Service: Thursday 10.30 am**

### St Luke's Notes:

**Afternoon Tea:** join us on Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> November for Afternoon Tea, from 3 – 5pm in St Luke's Hall. Tickets on sale from Lynda and Margaret

**Midweek Mass: Tuesday 10.00 am; Friday 6.00 pm; Saturday 10.30 am**

### Recently Departed:

### Diocesan and Anglican Prayer Cycle

Oct 7th	NINETEEN SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY St. Nicholas w Bonvilston & St. George-super-Ely: Canon Martyn Davies (R)	<i>The Episcopal Church</i>
Oct 8th	Pontyclun & Talygarn w Llanharry: Susan Rees (PinC)	<i>Ijesa North East - (Nigeria)</i>
Oct 9th	Rectorial Benefice of Cowbridge: Stephen Adams (R)	<i>Ibadan Nigeria</i>
Oct 10 <sup>th</sup>	All Officers of the Diocese of Llandaff.	<i>Ijumu - (Nigeria)</i>
Oct 11 <sup>th</sup>	Rectorial Benefice of The Glamorgan Heritage Coast: Canon Edwin Counsell (R)	<i>Ikara - (Nigeria)</i>
Oct 12 <sup>th</sup>	<u>ARCHDEACONRY OF MORGANNWG</u> Archdeacon: Ven. Christopher Smith	<i>Ikeduru - Ikka – (Nigeria)</i>
Oct 13 <sup>th</sup>	<u>DEANERY OF CYNON VALLEY:</u> Area Dean: Michael Jones	<i>Ikwerre - (Nigeria)</i>

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