

**The Archbishops' prayer
for the Brexit discussions - for us to use daily**

*God of eternal love and power,
Save our Parliamentary Democracy;
Protect the High Court of Parliament
and all its members from partiality and prejudice;
that they may walk humbly the path of
kindness, justice and mercy.*

*Give them wisdom, insight
and a concern for the common good.
The weight of their calling
is too much to bear in their own strength,
Therefore we pray earnestly, Father,
send them help from your Holy Place,
and be their tower of strength.
Lord, graciously hear us. Amen.*

Sunday, 3rd February CANDLEMASS LUNCH
12 for 12.30 3 Course Lunch, All Saints' Hall
Tickets @ £10 now available

Tuesday, 5th February
PLEASE NOTE - change of start time:
14.30 Mothers' Union Meeting, All Saints' Hall
Speaker: Ceri Joseph - Porthcawl Museum

18.00 Christingle at All Saints

Thursday, 7th February
14.00 Bible Study, St John's Schoolroom

19.00 Parish Council, St John's Schoolroom

Saturday, 16th February
10.30 200 Club Draw - St David's Hall, Nottage
Pancakes and hot drinks - £2.50

Wednesday, 20th February
10.30 Mothers' Union Corporate Communion
Coffee Morning at All Saints'

Tuesday, 26th February
14.00 Mothers' Union Prayer Group
All Saints' Lady Chapel - All Welcome

Friday, 1st March DYDD GWYL DEWI
19.00 Sung Mass at St David's
followed by Leek Soup, Welsh cheese,
Welshcakes and wine

Diocesan Lent talks at Margam Abbey
19.00 Thursdays - March 21, 28. April 4 and 11.

**5th Sunday
Before lent**

St. John the Baptist: 08.30, 11.00,
18.00
All Saints': 08.00, 10.00



**The Parish of
Newton Nottage
Porthcawl**



CANDLEMASS

CROESO : WELCOME

3rd February 2019

*In our world
where many people are walking in darkness,
we choose to turn our faces
to the Light of God revealed in Jesus.
As we look back to His Birth
and forward to His Passion,
we pray for grace to trust His promises
and for willingness to work and wait
for the fulfilling of those promises in our lives
and in the world.*

Today's readings are on a special sheet

Malachi 3: 1-5

The coming of a great one—both Judge and Saviour
A messenger will be sent to prepare the way for a great one who will come to purify the people and change their lives so that their lives and their worship will be pleasing to the Lord. He will protect the poor, the oppressed and the marginalised - caring for all who are in need.

Hebrews 2: 14-18

Jesus lived our human life so that He could save us
In this short passage the writer sets out how Jesus, God Himself, shared our human life, experiencing suffering, pain and death, so that, by willingly sacrificing His life, He could atone for the sin of humanity and conquer the power of death.

Luke 2: 22-40

The Light to reveal God's Light to all people
When the child Jesus was brought to the Temple by His mother Mary and Joseph, as required by the Law, aged Simeon and Anna, who ministered there, recognised Jesus as the long-expected one who would save His people. They saw in Him 'the Light' that would reveal God's Light to the Gentiles - to all people, for all time. Jesus grew up in the home of Joseph and Mary until the time for His great work for the world to begin.



The Parish of Newton Nottage, Porthcawl
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Monday *Manche Masemola (1928) Martyr*
12.00 Mass, All Saints'

Tuesday
10.30 Mass, St. John the Baptist

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10.30 Mass, All Saints'

Thursday
10.30 Mass, St. David's

Friday
10.30 Mass, St. John the Baptist

Saturday *Teilo (6th century) Bishop*
09.30 Mass, All Saints'

Readings for Evensong

Candlemass	4th Sunday before Lent
Psalm 42: 43-48	Psalm 3: 4
Exodus 13: 1-16	Jeremiah 26: 1-16
Romans 12: 1-5	Acts 3: 1-10

Gospel Readings for Week 5, Year 1

Monday	Mark 6: 53-56
Tuesday	Mark 7: 1-13
Wednesday	Mark 7: 14-23
Thursday	Mark 7: 24-30
Friday	Mark 7:31-37
Saturday	Mark 8: 1-10

Readings for next Sunday morning:

5th Sunday before Lent

Isaiah 6: 1-8
Psalm 138
1 Corinthians 15: 1-11
Luke 5: 1-11

PARISH OFFICE

*Initial arrangements for Holy Baptism,
calling of banns and Holy Matrimony
are made by appointment -
please email Father Philip at
office@parishofporthcawl.org*

The Parish Priest

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for those who suffer for their faith in Christ
East Vale Lusaka (C. Africa) Tamale & Guinea (W. Africa)

for those who will gather for the Christingle tonight
Cowbridge Lusitanian Church (Portugal) Tanga (Tanzania)

that the light of Christ may shine in our lives
*The Dean and Archdeacons Luwero (Uganda) Tarime(T'zania)
Tasmania (Australia)*

for the Parish Council, meeting this evening
*Rectorial Benefice - Glamorgan Heritage Coast
Lweru (Tanzania) Te Pihopatanga (NZ & Polynesia)*

for our work of mission
*Archdeaconry of Morgannwg Machakos (Kenya) Gujarat
(N. India)*

for the Cathedral
*Deanery of Cynon Valley Madhya Kerala (S. India) Gusau
Nigeria)*

Please pray for those who are sick

Monday

Philip White
Peter Gardner
Julian Mullins
Rian Sully
Matthew Evans
Joan Stockdale
Olive Hayes
Fr Godfrey James
Dillwyn Jones

Tuesday

Joan Whyte
Pauline Carter
June Powell
Rafe McKee
Sue Wilmot
Rae John
Gertrude Brown
May Walmsley
Eileen Broad

Wednesday

Ceri Smith
Andy Hall
Nancy Miles
Alun Jones
Morfydd Cooke
Joyce Bowen
Georgina Hopkin
Barbara Davies
Malcolm Davies

Thursday

Gerald Thomas
Joan Worby
Madge Wallis
Rose McGinley
Jessica Price
John Hoare
Wendy Walsingham
Liz Addicott
Jak Powles
Jeffery Price Bond
Fr David Lloyd
Joyce Denham

Friday

Olwen Wright
Sam Langmead-Thomas
Janet Skiffins
Jess Davies
Thomas Smith
Leo Jones
Jean Harris
Audrey Burtonwood

Saturday

Peter Reynolds
Matthew Sturt
Oscar Humphries
Gary Davies
Stephen Thomas
Gareth Thomas
Lilian Gardner

Please pray for those who have died

Christopher John
Talis Jones
Peter Stradling
Ken Lewis

Sun, 3rd February

Doris Horton
Mary Cosser

Mon, 4th February

Susanna Fisher

Tues, 5th February

Frederic Smith
Lucy Kinnell
Jack Allen
Richard Ray
David Comley
Colin Perriam

Wed, 6th February

Trevor Roderick
James Monks
Matthew Thomas
Glenda Canton
Joy Jones

Thurs, 7th February

Inis Long
Kenneth Facey
Hilary Andrews

Fri, 8th February

Rhoda Ridgeway
Haydn Powell

Sat, 9th February

Rose Ellen Lewis
Marjorie Clatworthy