



**St Alban's Parish Newsletter**  
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18th to 25th September 2011

**25th Sunday of Ordinary Time**

Mass Intentions	
<b>Sat 17th Sept</b> 12.00 to 1.00 pm  6.00pm	<b>St Robert Bellarmine, Bishop &amp; Doctor</b> Confessions  Finn Family
<b>Sun 18th Sept</b>  10.00 am  3.00 pm	<b>25th Sunday of Ordinary Time HOME MISSION SUNDAY</b> John & Domenico Baptism - Joel James Jenson
<b>Mon 19th Sept</b>  6.00 to 7.00 pm 7.00 pm	<b>St Januarius, Bishop &amp; Martyr</b> Adoration DM Finn Family
<b>Tues 20th Sept</b>  9.30 am  1.15 pm	<b>Memorial: Ss Andrew Kim Taegon &amp; Companions, Martyrs</b> Mo Franks Funeral Service Gordon Malcolm Grainger
<b>Weds 21st Sept</b>  7.00 pm	<b>Feast: St Matthew, Apostle &amp; Evangelist</b> Ada Parsons
<b>Thurs 22nd Sept</b>  9.15 am	Requiem Mass Maureen Alma Jones
<b>Fri 23rd Sept</b>  9.15 am 6.00pm—7.00pm 7.00pm	<b>Memorial: St Pius of Pietrelcina (Padre Pio), Priest</b>  School Welcome Mass Adoration Thomas
<b>Sat 24th Sept</b>  12.00—1.00 pm 6.00 pm	Confessions Mrs Crottie
<b>Sun 25th Sept</b>  10.00 am 3.00 pm	Fr Tom's Father Baptism Zenaie Family and Kalid Lewis

Dates for your Diaries	
When	Where
Sunday 18th Sept at 12 noon	Lunch in the Hall
Wednesday 21st Sept at 11am	Jubilee Mass at St Peters
Friday 23rd September 6.30pm to 8.30pm	Open Evening at Techniquest
Saturday 1st Oct at 7pm	Bingo and Italian Buffet
Sunday 2nd Oct at 11am	Bishop's Mass at St Peters
Friday 7th October	Harvest Fast Day
Sunday 9th October at 10am	School Harvest Mass
Tues 15th November at 6.30 pm	Parish Council Meeting

**DIVINE MERCY CHAPEL**

The renovations have started on the Divine Mercy Chapel and we want it to look the best in the UK.  
As always your donations would be greatly received .

**BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP**

"Befriending the bereaved"

If you want to share the loss of your loved on or get help, please do not hesitate to contact the Bereavement Team

For Contact:

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**RCIA**

We will be starting an RCIA programme for anyone who wants to explore their faith in the Catholic Church. Please speak to Fr Tom and enrol for the programme which will commence at the end of September

### Church Offerings 10th / 11th September 2011

Offertory Collection: £542.28 of which £298.60 Gift Aided  
Second Collection: £134.39

Thank you for your continued support and generosity

### PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK :

Fr. Christopher Smith, Paul (Pablo) Ryan, Colwyn Price, Ethan Chichester, Bethany Thomas, Ethan Woodberry, Gareth Woodberry, Gerard Goodall, Catherine Phillips, Martin Bond, Liane Williams, Tara Ann Price, Rose Price, Yvonne Murray, John Rich, Robert Taylor, Christopher Bailey, Gail Maria Teresa Page, Lesley Barnett, Stewart Reed, John Simpson, Bernard Toft, Maureen Williams, Philip Jones, David Amaechi, Bob Edwards, Graham Colley, Robert Russ, Gillian Powell, Evan Cuddy-Jenkins, Spiro Lia.

### Anniversaries 18th September to 25th September 2011

Joan Tumelty, William John McDonald, Nora Catherine Hardy, Mary Helen Gibbon, Winifred Margaret Connelly, Frances Maud Preece, Theresa Anna Boyd, Peter James Finn, Francis Bernard Gooding, James O'Shea and William John Price.

### REST IN PEACE

Please remember in your prayers the family and friends of Gordon Malcolm Grainger and Maureen Alma Jones.

Gordon's Funeral Service will be at 1.15 pm on Tuesday 20th September .

Maureen's Requiem Mass will be at 9.15 am on Thursday 22nd September.

### 29th SPUC PILGRIMAGE TO PENRHYS On SATURDAY 8TH OCTOBER

The Rosary will be prayed at the Shrine at 4.15pm and food will be served at the nearby Arts Centre at 5pm.

Coach:	Leaves St Joseph's, Penarth	2.30 pm
	Shop on Avondale Rd, Grangetown	2.45 pm
	St Peters, Cardiff	3.00 pm

Book with Diane Jones Tel No: 029 20711195  
(If no answer try Brendan Cleary on Tel No: 029 20457348)

**Please note that seats in the coach cannot be guaranteed unless seats are booked.**

### WALKING PILGRIMAGE: Porth to Penryhs

(about 3 miles—very steep)  
Starts at the steps where the

Treorchy and Ferndale Rd join, at about 3.45pm.

You can catch the coach or use your own transport to get to the steps.

### 200 Club—August Draw

1st Prize	£50.00	No 170	R McConkey
2nd Prize	£25.00	No 156	Phyllis Clarke
3rd Prize	£15.00	No 8	Rosita Parsons

### SVP APPEAL - HELP THE HOMELESS

Your SVP has been asked to help the homeless at the Huggard Centre. As part of our Anniversary in the month of September, we are collecting toiletries, i.e. toothpaste, towels, shower gel and male / female underwear etc.

You will find boxes at the back of the church to leave your items in.

We thank you in anticipation of your generosity.  
God Bless You All

### Reconciliation, First Holy Communion and Confirmation

Please enrol the names of your children for  
Reconciliation,  
First Holy Communion and Confirmation,  
which will take place in the month of June 2012.

Forms available from Theresa Vega and Maggie Suller

### CAFOD HARVEST FAST DAY 2011

This year's Cafod Harvest Fast Day  
will take place on  
**7th October.**

Envelopes will be available at the back of church.

### Journey to the Light Tour Sept – Dec 2011

Gerry Coates has arranged a series of concerts over 30 FREE concerts this autumn to support CAFOD and other Charities.

There will be a free Catholic Art Exhibition which includes paintings from members of the Society of Catholic Artists and the British Association of Iconographers.

<http://hquhroadshow.co.uk/Aylesford.aspx>.

Gerry will also be talking about the exciting developments for Heart Gives Unto Hearts Catholic Internet Radio and how people can get involved. Gerry will be visiting Wales on the following dates:-

Saturday 15th October, St Peters Church - St Peters Street after evening Mass in Church

Sunday 16th Oct Sacred Heart Centre, School Road Morriston, Swansea at 7.45 pm.

For more info please go to the following web links

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