



St Edward's Church in the Parish of Roath



The Epiphany of Our Lord

Weekly Newsletter No.2223

Sunday, 6th January, 2019

11.00 am Sung Eucharist & Sermon. Celebrant & Preacher: *Canon Stewart Lisk*.
Hymns: **79, 595, 80**, Anthem: **Three Kings of Orient (Gardner)**, 77.
Settings: *Thomas Mass (David Thorne)*.

7.00 pm Choral Evensong. Introit: **Arise, Shine (Elvey)**. Officiant: *Canon Stewart Lisk*.
Psalms 98, 100. Hymns: **74**, Anthem: **The Three Kings (Cornelius)**, 75.
Magnificat & Nunc Dimittis: *Stainer in A*. Readings: **Baruch 4,36 - 5,9. John 2, 1-11**.

In the world-wide Church we pray today for the **Anglican Church in Aotearoa, New Zealand and Polynesia, and Primates Philip Richardson, Don Tamihere and Fereimi Cama** and in the Ecumenical Prayer Cycle we pray for **Iran, Iraq and Syria**. We pray for **peace in the world**, and for all **migrants and refugees** fleeing places of war and persecution. We pray for the **Ukrainian Orthodox Church and the Russian Orthodox Church**, split by political differences. In this diocese we pray for the **Parish of Llanharan with Peterston-super-Montem, Brynna and Rev Barbara Wood**. We pray for the sick and those who care for them, especially **Tricia & Glyn Osman, Julie Romanelli, Bill Berry, John Matthias, Ron Rowles, Doreen Balley, Miriam Burnell, Alan Morgan, Joan & Ivor Gough, Suzanne Parry and Jane Vincent**. We pray for the repose of the souls of the departed, especially **William Way, Eva Shepherd, Mary Stark and Maisie Webb**, whose anniversaries occur at this time.

THIS WEEK

Mon	6.00pm	Evening Prayer. <i>St Edward's</i> .
7th	6.00pm	Parish Surgery. <i>Roath Church House</i> .
	7.00pm	Orchestra Practice. <i>St Edward's</i> .
	7.00pm	Jazz Workshop. <i>Schoolroom</i> .
	7.30pm	Knitting & Crochet. <i>Roath Church House</i> .
Tues	2.00pm	Forget Me Not Café. <i>Schoolroom</i> .
8th	6.00pm	Evening Prayer. <i>St Edward's</i> .
	7.15pm	Ladies Circle AGM. <i>Church House</i> .
Wed	9.30am	Holy Eucharist. <i>St Margaret's</i> .
9th	10.15am	Holy Eucharist. <i>St Edward's</i> .
	12.30pm	Lunch Club. <i>Roath Church House</i> .
	7.00pm	Clarinet Choir rehearsal. <i>St Edward's</i> .
	7.25pm	Recorded Music Society. <i>Schoolroom</i> .
	7.30pm	St Anne's Orchestra. <i>St Margaret's</i> .
Thur	1.00pm	Penylan Singers. <i>St Edward's</i> .
10th	6.30pm	Junior Choir Practice. <i>St Edward's</i> .
	7.15pm	Evening Prayer. <i>St Edward's</i> .
	7.30pm	Choir Practice. <i>St Edward's</i> .
	7.30pm	Choir Practice. <i>St Margaret's</i> .
	7.45pm	Local History Society. <i>St Andrew's URC</i> .

Sat 12th 9.00am Morning Prayer. *St Edward's*.

Next Sunday is the **Baptism of Christ**. The **Holy Eucharist** will be celebrated in *St Margaret's* at 8am and 9.30am, and at *St Edward's* at 11am, with **Sung Evensong** at *St Margaret's* at 6pm and **Choral Evensong** at *St Edward's* at 7pm. Eucharist readings: Isaiah 43: 1-7; Acts 8: 14-17; Luke 3: 15-17, 21, 22.

WEEKLY ENVELOPES. If you would like envelopes to make your weekly collection please speak to Sue Mansell, who distributes envelopes on behalf of our Treasurer, Geoff Smith. Tax-payers can Gift Aid, meaning the church can claim an extra 25p for every £1 you give. Gift Aid forms are also available.

AN ALTERNATIVE VALENTINE'S OPERA. Walton's *The Bear* will be performed at *St Edward's* on Sat 16 Feb 2019 at 6pm, by Rebecca Chellappah (Mezzosoprano), Brendan Casey (Baritone) and William Stevens (Bass-Baritone) accompanied by Phil Blandford (piano). Tickets £12 (students & seniors £10) on the door.

COFFEE. Please join us in the vestry after the Service this morning for a cup of coffee and a chat, and the **100 Club** draw.

EVENING PRAYER will be said on Monday and Tuesday at 6pm and Thursday at 7.15pm this week. Morning Prayer on Saturday at 9am.

ANTHEMS. The anthem at the Eucharist is "Three Kings of Orient", a Caribbean Carol by Maurice Gardner (1909-2002). The Introit at Evensong is "Arise, Shine" by Sir George Job Elvey (1816-1893), and the anthem is "The Three Kings" by Peter Cornelius (1824-1874).

THE WHITE ALTAR SUPER-FRONTAL has been skillfully restored to its former glory by Beverley. Our most grateful thanks for her time and expertise.

CROESO diocesan magazine is available in church. There is a note in it about our 50 years celebration of *St Edward's* nave with Bishop June.

CARDS SHOWING ST EDWARD'S IN THE SNOW (blank inside) are available from Hannah, price £2 in aid of the building project.

MUSIC & ARTS CENTRE BOOKINGS THIS WEEK:

6 Jan 8pm Opera Mint Wales. 8 Jan 8am. PAT Testing.
8 Jan 6.15pm. Jana Holesworth. Yoga: Mon 9.30 & 10.45am.

ROATH CHURCH HOUSE LUNCH CLUB resumes this week, Wednesday at 12.30pm. If you would like to join us as a diner or know someone who would like a weekly meal with good company please do get in touch. We are also looking for new volunteers. Can you give 4 hours a month or just 2 would be a great help. No experience necessary; reliability is our most important concern. Vicky Brown ☎20-899639.

CHORAL EVENSONG at the Cathedral today, 3.30pm: Sumsion in G. Anthem: There shall a star (Mendelssohn). The Cathedral Consort.

TAKING A CHRISTMAS BREAK. Rock Choir (resume 17 Jan); Creative Writing (18 Jan).

PARISH KNITTING & CROCHET GROUP meets on Monday, 7.30-9.30pm in Room 2, Roath Church House. New members very welcome – assistance given to learners. Contact Gill Day ☎20-495496 or Ann James ✉craftylady5154@gmail.com for details.

FORGET ME NOT CAFÉ. Our Day Club, for people with memory problems and their carers, meets every Tuesday, 2pm-4pm, in the schoolroom. This week is our “Welcome back” session.

LADIES CIRCLE AGM and annual Chinese Auction on Tuesday at 7.15pm in room 2 Roath Church House. Subs for the year are due. Thank you to everyone who gave so generously to our Christmas collections for the homeless.

ST PETER'S PLAYERS present “Aladdin” at St Peter's Hall, Wed-Sat this week at 7pm. Adults £7.50 (conc. £5.50) 07779-088623 or info@stpetersplayers.com

ROATH LOCAL HISTORY SOCIETY meet on Thursday at 7.45pm at St Andrew's URC Church Hall, for a talk by Ted Richards: “Death by poison: An unfortunate end to Welsh sporting legend Norman Biggs”. Annual membership £8; visitors £2.

COME AND SING Brahms' Requiem with Cantemus at Eglwys Dewi Sant on Saturday, 9.30am-3.30pm. Tickets £12 (u-18 £6) from Ticketsource. Price includes hired scores. Registration and coffee from 9.30 for a 10am start. The day will end at 3.30pm. Singers are advised to bring a packed lunch.

CARDIFF FRIENDLY STRINGS sessions have been cancelled until further notice due to family illness.

PARISH DISCUSSION GROUP meets next Sunday, 7.45-9pm in Roath Church House. Mal will lead us in a discussion on St Augustine of Hippo. All welcome to join us for a cuppa; just listen or join in. More info from Mal Rowson ☎20-633184 or discussiongroup@roath.org.uk

CYTŪN MEETING at St Edward's on Tue 15 Jan at 7.30pm.

CREATIVE WRITING. The next 10 week course is a Short Story and Monologue Creative Writing Class starting Fri 18 Jan, 10.30am - 12.30pm until 29 March. Break for Feb half term. If you are interested, please contact Claire Syder ☎07810-435403 or email ✉clairesyder@yahoo.co.uk

PLYGAIN CAROL SERVICE at St Peter's on Fri 18 Jan at 8pm. This interdenominational, traditional Welsh service is for unaccompanied carols and prayer. Groups who would like to participate please email Christine on plygainstpetersroath@gmail.com

LADIES CIRCLE Epiphany Coffee Morning. Cheques were presented to the 2018 charities: £1161 each to Pedal Power and Crohn's and Colitis UK, and £100 to Roath Church House towards the running costs of the defibrillator machine. The new charities for 2019 are Wales Air Ambulance & S.A.N.D.S (Still Born & Neo-Natal Deaths Charity). The proceeds of the coffee morning, £347, are the first monies raised for our new charities. Thank you to everyone for their support.

COFFEE CONCERTS. The next concert is by Nori Hirano (Violin) and Alison Dite (Piano) on Sat 19 Jan at 11am. Programme: Claude Debussy's Sonata for Violin & Piano; Alfred Schnittke's Suite in the Old Style; Igor Stravinsky's Suite Italienne.

WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY CytŪn United Service at St Edward's on Tue 22 Jan at 7pm.

HOLOCAUST MEMORIAL DAY COMMEMORATION at City Hall on Fri 25 Jan at 11am. Followed by refreshments in the Marble Hall. All welcome.

CARDIFF OPERA have been rehearsing at St Edward's this week. They will present Handel's “Giulio Cesare in Egitto” on Fri 25 Jan at 7pm at Cornerstone, Charles St. Tickets £20 (students/u18 £10) from ticketsource.

COME AND SING CARDIFF invite you to take part in a workshop & performance of Stainer's Crucifixion on Sat 2 Feb, 12.30-6pm at Whitchurch Methodist Church. Details from comeandsingcardiff@gmail.com

CONCERTS BY TOURING CHOIRS at St Edward's. Tue 19 Feb 7.30pm: Senior Youth Choir of St Peter's Community Arts Academy, New York. Sat 13 Apr 11.30am: Conservatoire de Rouen & Spectrum Singers.

FOR YOUR DIARY.

7 Jan. Knitting & Crochet Group. Church House.
13 Jan. Parish Discussion Group.
14 Jan. 7.30pm. St Margaret's Committee.
16 Jan. Paradise Run.
21 Jan. Knitting & Crochet Group. Church House.
5 Feb. 7.30pm. Service of Wholeness & Healing.
10 Feb. Parish Discussion Group.

ST EDWARD'S MUSIC & ARTS CENTRE DIARY.

19 Jan. Coffee Concert: Nori Hirano (violin) & Alison Dite.
19 Jan. 7pm. Constanza Ladies Choir Concert.
10 Feb. 3pm. Piano Recital: Peter Banks.
16 Feb. Coffee Concert: Divertimenti Recorder Ensemble.
16 Feb. Valentine's Opera: Walton's “The Bear”.
19 Feb. Choir of St Peter's, Geneva NY (USA).
23 Feb. 6pm. Giordano Ferla & Emma Cayeux.

GENERAL MUSIC DIARY.

19 Jan. 7.30pm. Haydn's Creation. St John the Evangelist.
25 Jan. 7pm. Cardiff Opera. Cornerstone, Charles St.
30 Jan. 1.05pm. RWCMD Opera students. Beulah URC.
2 Feb. 12.30pm. Sing “Crucifixion”. Whitchurch Methodist.

WELCOME. We extend a warm welcome to all visitors and newcomers. Please make yourself known to one of the sidesmen if you are new with us.

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