## **Porthcawl Churches Notices**

Wed 29th Oct Mothers Union —Corporate Communion

(Followed by coffee, raffle and Bric a Brac stall.)

All Saints 11:00 Mass

Wed 29th Oct St John (Hindley Room) 7pm
Bible Study on Luke's Gospel :-Rev Duncan Walker

All Welcome

## **Future Events**

Sun 2nd Nov All Saints Day

Tue 4th Nov All Saints (Hall) 2pm Mothers Union

Carol LLewellyn

"Why don't people speak clearly these Days?"

Wed 5th Nov All Souls 11:00 All Saints

Sat 8th Nov Margam Abbey 3pm

Organ Recital :- Fr Graham Holcombe "Remembrance & Thanksgiving"

Sun 9th Nov for All Saints 08::00 Said Mass

09:00 Sung Mass

10:30 Civic Remembrance Service

Tue 11th Nov All Saints 2pm (Lady Chapel)

**Prayer Group** 

Sat 13th Dec All Saints 2pm CROESO Tea

All Welcome

Please use the **YELLOW BUCKETS** in Church to donate toiletries for the homeless and the **PURPLE BUCKETS** for donations to Foodbank.

If you would like to contribute to the life, work and witness of our Churches, then please use the **Gift Aid envelopes** if donating cash.

Alternatively, you could scan the QR code below if donating electronically or use the card machine located in St John the Baptist Church. If you would like to give regularly, then why not use our **Gift Direct** service. Search online —



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# **Trinity Last**

**Welcome** to our service today. If you are visiting, please make yourselves known to us.

# SERVICES THIS WEEK (Pr25/OT 30i) 26<sup>th</sup> Oct 2025

**SUNDAY** 8.00am – Mass at All Saints Church

8.30am - Mass at St John's Church

9.30am – Sung Mass at St David's Church

10.00am - Sung Mass at All Saints Church

11.15am - Sung Mass at St John's Church

5.00pm – Mass at St David's Church

6.00pm – Evensong at St John's Church

**MONDAY** Rom 8:12-17; Ps 68:1-6,19,20; Lk 13:10-17

**TUESDAY** 10.30am – Mass at St John's Church

Is 28:14-16;Ps 119:89-96;Eph 2:19-22;Jn 15:17-27

Simon & Jude-Apostles

**WEDNESDAY** 11.00am – Mass at All Saints Church

Rom 8:26-30: Ps 13: Lk 13:22-30

THURSDAY 10.30am – Mass at St David's Church

Rom 8:31-39; Ps 30; Lk 13:31-35

**FRIDAY** 10.30am – Mass at St John's Church

Rom 9:1-5;Ps 147:12-20; Lk 14:1-6

<u>SATURDAY</u> Dan 7:1-3,15-18;Ps 149;Eph 1:11-23;Lk 6:20-31

ALL SAINTS

# Please pray this week for:-Those who are sick:

#### S – Iwan Johns

S – Alwyn Hill

S-Sam Langmead-Thomas

S – Sion Thomas

S - Edwina White

M –Betsy Williams

M– Hella Carrol

M- Colleen Hanford M- Bryony Coyne

M- Marilyn Kingdon

T- Carol David

T - Paul Maine

T - Merion Dodd

T – Oscar Humphries

W – Antonia Farrell

W – Andrew Emmet W – Eric Stockdale

W – Jayne Gould

W – Denise de Laroque

T - Jack Cosby

T – Jackie Bateman

T - Dave Bond

T – Sue Bond

T - Andrew Hillier

F— Aston Bevington F— Joan Hughes

F - Philip Dickinson

F – Beryl Pillinger

F –Richard Evans

#### Those who have died:

# Kristina Buffett

S-Pamela Roberts

S-Doreen Clayton

S–Iris Roberts

S-Margaret Woodbridge

S-Vivian Harding

S-Nora Bradley

S–Brian Davies

S-Peggy Betteney M-Vivian Thomas

M–Dilys Jones

T–Emanuel Evans
T–David Griffiths

W–Margaret Bold

W-Nancy Philpot

W–Leonard Martin

W–Beryl Hawes

W–Pat Capron

T-Bertha Arthur

T-Norman Macaulay

T–Douglas Forty

T–Geoffrey Rowlands

T-George Wakefield

T-Peggy Farnworth
T-John Griffiths

F-Graham Dann

F–Robert Smithen

F-Elizabeth James

F-Kerry Berridge

S-Sidney Williams

S-Donald Chitty

S–Roger Glover

S-Thelma Durley S-Elsie Murdoch

S–Elford Jones

# **Trinity Last (C)**

#### Collect

Blessed Lord, who caused all holy scriptures to be written for our learning: help us so to hear them, to read, mark, learn and inwardly digest them that, through patience and the comfort of your holy word, we may embrace and for ever hold fast the hope of everlasting life, which you have given us in our Saviour Jesus Christ, who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Amen.

# A reading from the book of Ecclesiasticus 35:12-17

Give to the Most High as he has given to you, and as generously as you can afford. For the Lord is the one who repays, and he will repay you sevenfold.

Do not offer him a bribe, for he will not accept it; and do not rely on a dishonest sacrifice; for the Lord is the judge, and with him there is no partiality. He will not show partiality to the poor; but he will listen to the prayer of one who is wronged. He will not ignore the supplication of the orphan, or the widow when she pours out her complaint.

This is the word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.** 

#### Psalm 84



How dear to me is your dwelling,
O Lord of hosts!
My soul has a desire and longing
for the courts of the Lord;
my heart and my flesh rejoice in the living God.

The sparrow has found her a house and the swallow a nest where she may lay her young: Happy are they who dwell in your house: they will always be praising you.

Those who go through the desolate valley will find it a place of springs, for the early rains have covered it with pools of water.

They will climb from height to height, and the god of Gods will reveal himself in Zion.

### A reading from St Paul's 2nd letter to Timothy 4:6-8,16-18

I am already being poured out as a libation, and the time of my departure has come. I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. From now on there is reserved for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will give to me on that day, and not only to me but also to all who have longed for his appearing.

At my first defence no one came to my support, but all deserted me. May it not be counted against them! But the Lord stood by me and gave me strength, so that through me the message might be fully proclaimed and all the Gentiles might hear it. So I was rescued from the lion's mouth. The Lord will rescue me from every evil attack and save me for his heavenly kingdom. To him be the glory for ever and ever. Amen.

This is the word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.** 



Blessed are you, Father,
Lord of heaven and earth,
for revealing the mysteries of your kingdom
to mere children
Alleluia! Alleluia!

# Listen to the Gospel of Christ according to St Luke 18:9-14

Jesus told this parable to some who trusted in themselves that they were righteous and regarded others with contempt: 'Two men went up to the temple to pray, one a Pharisee and the other a tax-collector. The Pharisee, standing by himself, was praying thus, "God, I thank you that I am not like other people: thieves, rogues, adulterers, or even like this tax-collector. I fast twice a week; I give a tenth of all my income." But the tax-collector, standing far off, would not even look up to heaven, but was beating his breast and saying, "God, be merciful to me, a sinner!" I tell you, this man went down to his home justified rather than the other; for all who exalt themselves will be humbled, but all who humble themselves will be exalted.'