

The Churches of Our Lady of Victories, Cinderford, St Margaret Mary, Coleford,
St Joseph, Lydney & Sacred Heart, Sedbury.

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Solemnity of the Epiphany of the Lord (Year A-2) Sunday 5th January 2020

Mass times for Saturday 4th January

& Sunday 5th January

Lydney Saturday 6 pm

Cinderford Sunday 9 am

Newent Sunday 11 am

Mass times for Saturday 11th January

& Sunday 12th January

Coleford Saturday 6 pm

Cinderford Sunday 9 am

Newent Sunday 11 am

Weekday Services

Tuesday 7th Jan - 9.30 am and 11.15 am Eucharistic Adoration Coleford

Wednesday 8th Jan - 10 am Mass Newent

Thursday 9th Jan - 9.30 am Mass Lydney

Friday 10th Jan - 9am Mass Sedbury and 7 pm Mass Blaisdon

Parish information

PASTORAL LETTER FROM BISHOP DECLAN LANG

Bishop Declan has written a Pastoral Letter for last weekend's Feast of the Holy Family. If you have missed this you can find it at: <https://cliftondiocese.com/bishop/pastoral-letters/>

'SPEAK, LORD, YOUR SERVANT IS LISTENING' (1 Samuel 3:10)

Faith Group sessions will commence on Wednesday 8th January (held every 2nd and 4th Wednesday of the month) in the Church Hall from 7.30pm- 8.30pm with tea and coffee from 7.00pm. We will be exploring the Bible and looking at how God guides us and shows us his loving mercy and purpose for humanity. Everyone welcome.

THANKSGIVING SERVICE FOR MARGARET DEKKERS

The thanksgiving service for Margaret Dekkers is on Saturday the 18th of January at St Joseph's church Lydney at 11am. There is a reception afterwards at the Royal British Legion Lydney, all are welcome.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL - NEXT MEETING

St Vincent de Paul will be holding their next meeting on Wednesday 22nd January at 11.30am in the Church Hall at Coleford. If you would like to find out more about the group or have any suggestions to offer please come and join us.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Every Tuesday morning in St Margaret Mary, Coleford there are two Eucharistic Adoration services at 9.30am and 11.15am, each service lasts 45 minutes and enables you to spend some time with our Lord. Allow yourself to encounter Christ and to be drawn into deeper love and appreciation for the gift of the Eucharist and for the Christ who offers himself for us and for the life of the world. At 10.15 there will be tea/coffee and a bacon bap in the presbytery. Everyone welcome.

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COME AND S.E.E. TALKS

Our Lady of Lourdes, Newent is holding another selection of talks by people of God. These talks have proved inspirational and exciting hearing what God is doing in people of faiths lives. Come and S.E.E. (Spiritual Enlightenment and Encouragement).

Wednesday 8th January 2020, 7.30pm - 9pm with Deacon David Hebbes.

Wednesday 5th February 2020, 7.30 - 9pm with Mike Curtis, Gloucester City Mission.

Wednesday 4th March 2020, 7.30pm - 9pm with Jeannette Trevail, Our Lady of Lourdes.

Diocese information

On Saturday 18th January at St. Brendan's Sixth Form College, Bristol from 10am-3.30pm, David Wells, who is an international speaker and author will guide us in our understanding of what it means to evangelise, catechise and form our people for mission in our parish and in the wider world. (Refreshments from 9.30am). There will be an opportunity for participants to choose from a number of workshop options. Please bring a packed lunch. Everyone welcome.

Responsorial Psalm: All nations shall fall prostrate before you, O Lord.

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia!

Communion Antiphon: We have seen his star in the East, and have come with gifts to adore the Lord.