

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

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Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary time (Year B-2) Sunday 28th October 2018

Mass times for Saturday 27th October

& Sunday 28th October

Coleford Saturday 6pm

Cinderford Sunday 9am

Newent Sunday 11am

Mass times for Saturday 3rd November

& Sunday 4th November

Lydney Saturday 6pm

Cinderford Sunday 9am

Newent Sunday 11am

Weekday Masses & Services

Tuesday No Mass

Tuesday 9.30am & 11.15am Coleford - Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesday 10am Newent, 7.30pm Newent – All Saints

Thursday 9am Cinderford – All Saints, 7.30pm Lydney – All Saints

Friday 9am Sedbury – All Souls, 7pm Blaisdon – All Souls

Parish information

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Every Tuesday morning at St Margaret Mary's Church in Coleford there will be two Eucharistic Adoration services. The first service starts at 9.30am until 10.15am. The second service starts at 11.15am until 12 noon. Between 10.15am and 11.15am there will be tea/coffee and a bacon bap in the Church Hall to which everyone is welcome. For info please see poster on parish notice boards.

ALL SAINTS and ALL SOULS

Thursday 1st November is Solemnity of All Saints, a Holyday of Obligation. There will be Weekday Masses for All Saints on Wednesday 31st October at 7.30pm in Newent and Thursday at 9.00am in Cinderford and 7.30pm at Lydney. Friday 2nd November is All Souls Day, there will be Masses at 9.00am in Sedbury and 7.00pm in Blaisdon, in the Village Hall.

O.L.O.V. TEAS & CAKE

There will be Teas, Coffees and Cake Sale this Sunday, 28th October after Mass in Our Lady's. All donations of cakes will be gratefully received. All are welcome.

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

There will be Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament in Our Lady's on Friday, 2nd November at 3.00pm. All are welcome.

ST JOSEPH'S CAR PARKING

We now have permission to use the Community Centre car park as overflow for Mass when we have the Saturday evening Mass in Lydney. The Community Centre is across the road from the church and there is a side pedestrian gate directly in front of the church drive. This may be more convenient for parishioners and others attending Mass if you so wish.

RAYBURN AVAILABLE

Oil fired Nouvelle Rayburn free to a good home. Must be able to collect, please contact the Parish Office for further information.

Diocese information

YOUTH GATHERING

Young people aged 12-25 are invited to come to our Diocesan Youth Gathering on Saturday 24th November at St Brendan's College, Broomhill Road, Bristol. BS45RQ. The day begins at 11am and finishes at 4pm. There will be a celebration of St Oscar Romero & the Synod, great speakers, music and activities, including the launch of our new Diocesan Youth Forum. The day will finish with Mass & commissioning of young people. Under 18's must have a parental consent form, available to download from www.cliftondiocese.com Refreshments are provided, please bring a packed lunch. To book your parish group or individual place, email: youth@cliftondiocese.com

LAUNCH OF THE YEAR OF PRAYER

Bishop Declan is inviting our Diocesan community to come together ahead of the launch of the 'Year of Prayer'.

On Saturday 10th November there is a gathering at St Brendan's College, Brislington, (10.15am to 3pm) with David Wells who will help us reflect upon Encounter the Lord. The day at St Brendan's is set to prepare us for the coming Year of Prayer (beginning the first Sunday of Advent) and introduce us to the resources that will be available to us from the end of November. All are welcome. Participants will need to bring a packed lunch for this day. Please let Fr. Barnabas know if you would like to attend.

On Tuesday 27th November at 7pm in our Cathedral, Bishop Declan invites our parishes and communities to join him at a celebration of Evening Prayer during which he will present to each parish the resources for the Year of Prayer starting the following weekend. All are welcome. Please let Fr. Barnabas know if you would like to attend.

Responsorial Psalm: What marvels the Lord worked for us! Indeed we were glad.

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia!

Communion Antiphon: We will ring out our joy at your saving help and exult in the name of our God.