

The December Diary

Sunday Eucharist 9.30 am

2nd December 1st Sunday of Advent
9th December 2nd Sunday of Advent
16th December 3rd Sunday of Advent
23rd December 4th Sunday of Advent
30th December no service in St Mary's
(11.00 am service in the Cathedral)

Midweek Eucharist

Every Tuesday at 11.00 am (no sermon)
No service 25th December & 1st January

Contemplative Prayer Group

Every Tuesday at 4.25 pm

Forthcoming Events

Cards for Good Causes, until 15th December
5th December Mother's Union Christmas Lunch
8th December Tea at Three 3.00 pm
9th December Sunday Lunch 1.00 pm
16th December 9 Lessons & Carols 6.15 pm
(Ministry area service at St David's Llanfaes)
24th December Midnight Mass 11.00 pm

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The Parish Church of St Mary the Virgin, Brecon



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Mother's Union

The Mothers' Union are holding their Christmas lunch on Wednesday 5th December. There will be a Eucharist service at 12.00 pm in the Cathedral followed by the lunch at Pilgrims.

Sunday Lunch

The next lunch will be on Sunday 9th December 1.00pm at The Clarence Inn. Please let Liz Benning know if you will be coming or not by Wednesday 5th December either by text on 07936373730 or by email lizabenning@gmail.com

Flower Fund & Rota

Mair would welcome donations for the Christmas flowers at St Mary's as her flower fund is getting low. We know that she will delight us all with her arrangements to beautify the church at Christmas.

She will shortly be arranging the flower rota for next year and would be pleased to have volunteers to donate and arrange flowers for a two week period. If you prefer to give her donations for the flowers she will be happy to arrange them. Please let her have your names as soon as possible.

Candle Sponsorship

In November the candles were sponsored for the whole month by Joan Preece and Liz Benning.

If you wish to sponsor a candle please contact Liz Benning.

Tea at Three

This will be held in St Mary's on Saturday 8th December. All are welcome.

Cards for Good Causes

The Cards for Good Causes shop will be in the north aisle until Saturday 15th December. It will be open from 10.00am until 4.00pm Monday to Saturday.

Brecon Food Bank

The items which are particularly needed at present are Dog food (of all kinds) fruit juice, custard, sponge puddings, sweet snacks/chocolates and dried milk.

Please ensure that all items are well in date.

Ministry Area Service

Judy is organising a ministry area service of Nine Lessons and Carols to be held in St David's Llanfaes on Sunday 16th December at 6.15 pm This is a good opportunity for us to get together, the first for some time. Do support it.

School Concert

Yscol y Bannau will be holding their Christmas concert in St Mary's on 13th December at 6.30.

Time Out Christmas Celebration

Time Out will be celebrating Jesus' birthday with a party at their 11.00 am service on 16th December.

*Fr Steven and the PCC send
Christmas greetings to all at St Mary's.*