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This week's l	Masses and intentions:			
Saturday	4.30 p.m.	St. Felix	People of the Parish.	Sts. Peter & Paul
	6 p.m.	St. Alban's	Mr. M. McCarthy, R.I.P.	
Sunday	11 a.m. St Alban's		Birthday Intention)	
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Monday	9.30 a.m.	St. Alban's	Holy Souls	
Tuesday	7 p.m.	St. Alban's	-	
Wednesday	-	No Mass Toda	IV	
Thursday	9.30 a.m.	St. Felix	Jack Stinchcombe	St. Thomas, Apostle
Friday	9.30 a.m.	St. Alban's		· · ·
Next week's Masses and Intentions				
Saturday	4.30 p.m.	St. Felix	People of the Parish. 1	4 th Sunday of Ordinary Time
	6 p.m.	St. Alban's	David Gane, R.I.P	
Sunday	11 a.m.	St Alban's	Mary Calway's Intention	
Counters:	This week; L. A.	Whiting	Next week; D. Gane & N	Л. Vidler
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Meetings this week: Preparation for Baptism: Thursday at 7 p.m. in the Presbytery (1st of 2)

E-Mail:

<u>Preparation for the Sacrament of Baptism</u>: The next meetings will be on this Thursdays and next Thursday at 7 p.m.in the Presbytery. If you wish your child to be baptised, please contact Canon Paul to express your interest.

<u>Adoration</u>: There will be Adoration (and Solemn Benediction when possible) at 4 pm. On the last Sunday of each Month, starting today in St. Alban's

Rosary will be said before Sunday Masses beginning this weekend. Starting twenty-five minutes before Mass

Holy Communion at home: If you are sick or housebound or know of anybody who would like to receive Holy Communion at home, please contact Canon Paul so that arrangements can be made.

<u>SPUC Annual Sponsored Walk</u> will take place in Roath Park on 6th of July. There will be sponsor forms at the back of the church. If any parishioner would like to do the walk please talk to Lorraine Howells.

Eastern Valley Foodbank: The collection of food will be at all Masses this weekend in both St. Alban's and St. Felix communities, but if you feel that would rather give a cash donation then this can be put in an envelope marked for this purpose and placed in the offertory basket.

Ecumenical and Interreligious Pilgrimage This Summer

Join this year's Ecumenical and Interreligious Pilgrimage, hosted jointly by the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Cardiff-Menevia and the Church in Wales Diocese of Llandaff. The pilgrimage begins at 1:30pm on Thursday, 3 July 2025 at St Padarn's Institute with reflections from Archbishop Mark and Bishop Mary Stallard (Bishop of Llandaff), followed by a walk to St Teilo's Well and Llandaff Cathedral before crossing the River Taff to Bute Park and on to St David's Cathedral for a liturgy of prayer and reaffirmation of Baptism, with refreshments to follow, concluding around 5pm. A wonderful opportunity for different faith traditions to journey together, bearing witness to God's love.

To book your place, head over to here: https://tinyurl.com/3k3exdvb

MARCH FOR LIFE UK - 6TH SEPTEMBER

March for Life UK is a major event taking place on Saturday 6th September in London. Thousands of people will join together, united in a show of unity for the value of life from conception and standing up for all those who have been impacted by abortion. If you are interested in taking part, two coaches will be travelling up to London on the day. For further information on the coach leaving from St Dyfrig's, **Treforest** contact Howard

at <u>Howard.bayliss@templebaptist.org.uk</u>; for information about the coach leaving St Alban's, **Cardiff** and picking up from **Newport**, contact Clare on 07983 522 851

The Catholic Post: copies of this month's papers (April) are at the back of the Church. A donation of £1 is suggested and place it in the Church donations slot in the wall box in the porch of St. Albans or in the basked provided at St. Felix.

Our Lady & St Michael Abergavenny

There will be a song recital by Anne Wilkins, Unexpected Star of Michael McIntyre's Big Show, on Saturday 5th July at 1pm. This will be followed by refreshments in Our Lady & St Michael's Presbytery

Fr. Peter McClaren is the Roman Catholic Chaplin of the Grange Hospital. If you or a family member are in the Grange and would like to receive the sacrament of Eucharist and/or Confession please contact him on 07561 469 343