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Hello friend!

Welcome to this weeks News Flash!
Keep up with the goings on in the Ministry Area
Week commencing 17th March, 2024

Listen to last Sunday's Sermon here!

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Events

See what is going on in the Ministry Area on our new Events page - maybe you would like to invite a friend along?

[Events](#)

Fr Rajiv Sidhu

Mary, Bishop of Llandaff is pleased to announce the appointment of a Vicar for Spiritual Formation and Biblical Teaching in the Pontypridd Ministry Area. Fr Rajiv Sidhu of St Mary's, St Faith and St Barnabus, and St Wilfrid's Portsea, in the Diocese of Portsmouth, will be licenced at St Catherine's Church on Sunday, 28 April 2024 at 11am. Please pray for Fr Rajiv, his wife Freya, and children Ranjini and Rajvir.

[Watch Fr Rajiv's welcome video](#)

Lent & Easter Services

There is something for everyone to join in with over the Lent and Easter period.

[Lent & Easter Services](#)

Lent course

We meet every **Tuesday, 11am** at the **Gatto Lounge**. There is no requirement to read the book to join in with the course - so pop along! All are welcome.

[Purchase here](#)

Stations of the Cross

Friday, 22 March 2024, 12 noon at St Catherine's Church, Pontypridd

[Stations of the cross Calendar.](#)

Bubble Church

Want to meet some Puppets? Want to hear stories about Jesus?

Then Bubble Church is for you!

This short, Jesus centric, bubbletastic service is designed especially for families of children 0 to 8 years old!

[Find our more & Register HERE!](#)

Loved Little Ones

Our annual special service of remembrance for our children lost at any stage in pre or post birth will be held at **St Catherine's Church, Pontypridd, on Sunday 17 March 2024 at 5:30pm.**

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[Stations of the cross Calendar.](#)

Annual Vestry Meeting 2024

The Annual Vestry Meeting will be held on Wednesday 17 April 2024 at 7pm, St Catherine's Church, Pontypridd.

Craft and Calm

Discover peace and purpose through creative craft.

14 & 21 March and 11 & 18 April

Holy Grounds Cafe at St Catherine's

12:30 - 2:30

£2 per session

[More information](#)

Faure's Requiem

St Luke's Church Rhydyfelin 24th at March 7pm

Admission £10
Box office 01443 202350

[See our EVENTS page for more](#)

School Outreach

Find out more about Ponty Kids activities this week with our newsletter.

[Ponty Kids Newsletter](#)

Save the Date

Focus is our annual church weekend away – and you're invited!
Save **25th-28th July 2024** for our Jesus centred camping trip!

[Find out more about Focus](#)

Ponty Pantry

We are not a Foodbank!

Ponty Pantry is an environmental scheme aimed at reducing food waste. Fresh food nearing their best before date is donated to St Catherine's Church, Pontypridd for redistribution. We are open to everyone!

Tuesday

Noon - 2pm, Holy Grounds St Cath's Cafe

Sunday

12:15pm Back of St Catherine's Church

[More information on Ponty Pantry](#)

Luke's Soup

For fellowship, soup and prayer, there is no better place to get this than at Luke's Soup. You will be assured of a warm welcome and some delicious home-made soup.

[More Information](#)

Pontypridd Food Bank

Do you need help?

We all need a little help form time to time and Foodbank is here to help you. This service is completely confidential and you personal details are not disclosed to a third party - so don't worry about someone 'finding out'.

Can you give help?

Foodbank runs completely on donations. If you are in a position to do so, please deposit your donations at the local supermarket or at any of our church buildings.

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