



**Plwyf a Gysegrfan Genedlaethol Cymru, Mair y Tapyr, Aberteifi**

Parish and Shrine of our Lady of the Taper, Cardigan  
**Mair Frenhines Tangnefedd, Castell Newydd Emlyn**

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**Location, Times and Intentions of Holy Mass for the Coming week**

Saturday 3 <sup>rd</sup> December <b>Vigil</b>	6:30pm	Newcastle Emlyn	Pro Populo
Sunday 4 <sup>th</sup> December <b>Second Sunday of Advent</b>	10:30am	Cardigan	Pro Populo
Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> December		NO MASS	
Tuesday 6 <sup>th</sup> December		NO MASS	
Wednesday 7 <sup>th</sup> December		NO MASS	
Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup> December		NO MASS	
Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> December	6:30pm	Cardigan	Thanksgiving for Edwin Bijoy's 8 <sup>th</sup> Birthday (Bijoy John)
Saturday 10 <sup>th</sup> December <i>Our Lady</i> <b>Vigil</b>	10:30am 6:30pm	Cardigan Newcastle Emlyn	Trish Norris RIP (Clare Mitchell) Pro Populo
Sunday 11 <sup>th</sup> December <b>Second Sunday of Advent</b>	10:30am	Cardigan	Pro Populo



**Confessions** at advertised times, and by arrangement

Cardigan: Saturday: 11:00am-11:30am  
Sunday: 10:00am-10:25am  
Newcastle Emlyn Saturday: 6:00pm-6:25pm



**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**

**25** minutes before weekday Mass  
Adoration and Benediction after Mass on Saturday Morning in Cardigan

**Recent collections:** Cardigan 27/11 £238.90; & Newcastle Emlyn To be announced Thank you.

**The Season of Advent:** is a time of preparation to celebrate the coming of Christ. May it be a time of joyful expectation and looking ahead. To help us in our preparation, there are additional services, as well as a Parish Penitential Service (with visiting priests). Please make this an important part of your Advent preparations.

**Advent Walk with me books:** are very helpful with daily meditations for the season of Advent. Copies are available at the back of the Church for just £1 each. Please help yourselves.

**Second Collection:** next weekend for the decoration of the Churches over the Christmas season.

**The Elephant in the room:** is the name of the event being run by the Scanda Vale Hospice in Saron on the weekend of 2<sup>nd</sup>-4<sup>th</sup> December. The event is full of different activities, discussions and a play about death and the process of end of life, however it is done in a way that includes laughter as well as tears to explore a challenging topic. The hospice will be open to show how it benefits so many people who use its services. Please see the information in the porch if you would like to attend – a warm welcome is extended to all.

**Red Boxes:** If you have a Missio Red Box and you are in Cardigan Parish, please would you return them to Ann Busby for counting, as the returns are due before the 18<sup>th</sup> of December. Thank you for supporting the work of the Missions.

**Grand Christmas Draw:** The Raffle Tickets for the Cardigan Christmas Draw are still available. PLEASE help to sell as many as you can. The draw will take place in the hall after Mass on Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> December.

**Christmas Fayre:** Many thanks to all who helped build up our community with fun and excitement on the two days, and also all who contributed in any way – A good time was had by all, and we raised the fantastic sum of £800. God reward your kindness and generosity!

**FAT FIGHTERS:** Heartfelt thanks for your support, encouragement and sponsorship to raise money for the National Shrine, your generosity has been outstanding!! The total raised to date is **£2,100**. DA IAWN !!!!! Please pay any outstanding sponsorship money to the respective Fat Fighter. Thank you.

**Post of Diocesan Director of education:** The job has been re-advertised, and applications are now being taken. Please see notice board for further information.

**Important dates for your Diary:**

Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> December - Newcastle Emlyn Penitential Service – 5:30-6:15pm

Cardigan Penitential Service – 7:00pm



Friday 16<sup>th</sup> December - Newcastle Emlyn Carol Service – 7:00pm

**To hire the Hall in Cardigan Please contact:** David Chambers on (01239) 858 815 or [davidchambersthechef@gmail.com](mailto:davidchambersthechef@gmail.com)