



Plwyf a Gysegrfan Genedlaethol Cymru, Mair y Tapyr, Aberteifi

Parish and Shrine of Our Lady of the Taper, Cardigan
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Location, Times and Intentions of Holy Mass for the Coming week

Saturday 7 th December	Vigil	6:30pm	Newcastle Emlyn	Pro Populo
Sunday 8 th December Second Sunday of Advent		10: 30am	*In The Hall* Cardigan	Pro Populo
Monday 9 th December <i>Immaculate Conception</i>		**NO MASS**		
Tuesday 10 th December		**NO MASS**		
Wednesday 11 th December		**NO MASS**		
Thursday 12 th December		10:00am	<u>Cardigan</u>	Bishop Daniel Mullins RIP (Sr Angela)
Friday 13 th December <i>St Lucy</i>		10:00am 7:00pm	Cardigan <u>Newcastle Emlyn</u>	Midge McGee RIP (Margaret Short) Carol Service Newcastle Emlyn
Saturday 14 th December <i>St John of the Cross</i>	Vigil	10:30pm 6:30pm	**In The Hall** Cardigan Newcastle Emlyn	Patrick Moroney good health (Sean Moroney)
Sunday 15 th December Third Sunday of Advent – Gaudete Sunday – Blessing of Crib Figures		10: 30am	*In The Hall* Cardigan	Pro Populo



Confessions

Cardigan: Saturday: By request after Mass
Sunday: Before Mass
Newcastle Emlyn Saturday: 6:00pm-6:25pm



Adoration & Benediction : is cancelled for the present time. Thank you for your co-operation and understanding.

Welcome to all visitors to the National Shrine and to the Parish of Newcastle Emlyn
Croeso – Welcome – Bienvenido – Witamy – Benvenuto

Second Collection: NEXT weekend for the decoration of the Churches over the Christmas season)

The Season of Advent: is a time of preparation to celebrate the coming of Christ. May it be a time of looking ahead to our celebration of the Birth of Christ by sharing and proclaiming our Faith. Please consider as you are writing your Christmas Cards, that they reflect the theme of the Birth of Christ, and spread the hope of faith with your family and friends.

Religious Christmas cards: are available from Sr Angela – Keep Christ in Christmas!!

Blessing of Crib Figures NEXT Weekend: Bring in your Crib Figures next week to be blessed, and may they help bring faith and joy to your homes as we celebrate our Saviours Birth!

Newcastle Emlyn Carol Service: will be on Friday evening at 7:00pm. Please make every effort to come along and invite friends and neighbours to come with you – this could be their only Christian celebration of Christmas during this holy season. If you are able to bring a plate of food to share in the hall afterwards, this would be a wonderful way of welcoming people to our Parish community. Please see Molly or Essie for guidance. Many thanks for your kindness!

The Cardigan Grand Christmas Draw: will take place on Sunday 15th December. **PLEASE RETURN YOUR TICKET STUBS ASAP**, and any unsold books of tickets you may have, so they can be prepared for the draw – Thank you!

There will also be a CAKE Sale!!!! If you can make cake to bring to the sale, it would be very welcome!

Volunteers are needed to fold the raffle ticket stubs: on Saturday 14th in the hall after morning Mass in Cardigan.

Thank you!: to all the kind supporters of the raffle, who have helped by selling and buying tickets, and also the very generous donors of the wonderful prizes! Your generosity is a gift to the whole parish! God bless your kindness!

Red MISSIO Boxes : If you have a collection box, please could you bring it in for counting. In Cardigan – please return your boxes to Ann, and In Newcastle Emlyn – please bring them to Paula. Many thanks for your generosity!_

Please pray for the repose of the Soul of : Canon Eddie Mullins RIP, Who's Requiem Mass will be on Monday 9th December at 11:30am in Fishguard. May he rest in Peace, Amen.

Welcome and thanks: to Fr Michael Hart, who is celebrating Mass in Newcastle Emlyn this Saturday, and Fr Matthew Roche-Saunders, who will Celebrate Mass in Cardigan on Sunday Morning, as Fr Phillip unfortunately has a nasty chest infection.

Unfortunately he will not be available to celebrate Mass at the start of the week – sorry for any inconvenience.

To Hire The Church Halls, Please contact:

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“Suffering is a call to conversion: it reminds us of our frailty and vulnerability”- Pope Francis