



## 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 7 <sup>th</sup> January	<b>Vigil</b>	6:30pm	Newcastle Emlyn	Pro Populo
Sunday 8 <sup>th</sup> January	<b>The Epiphany of the Lord</b>	10:30am	Cardigan	Pro Populo
Monday 9 <sup>th</sup> January	<i>The Baptism of The Lord</i>	9:30am	Cardigan	Private Intention (Innocencia)
Tuesday 10 <sup>th</sup> January			NO MASS	
Wednesday 11 <sup>th</sup> January		6:30pm	Cardigan	Trish Norris RIP (Trevor Rainbird)
Thursday 12 <sup>th</sup> January		10:00am	Newcastle Emlyn	John Walsh RIP (Gerry & John France)
Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> January		6:30pm	Cardigan	Amalia Rainbird RIP (Trevor)
Saturday 14 <sup>th</sup> January	<b>Vigil</b>	10:30am 6:30pm	Cardigan Newcastle Emlyn	Enzo Mellina RIP (Mrs E Callegari) Pro Populo
Sunday 15 <sup>th</sup> January	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>	10:30am	Cardigan	Pro Populo



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

Cardigan:

Saturday: After morning Mass

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 -1<sup>st</sup> January £256.43; Newcastle Emlyn 31<sup>st</sup> December £154.38. Thank you for your kindness!

**If you are visiting Cardigan and Newcastle Emlyn:** a very warm welcome to you all! Especially if you are here to visit family and friends – welcome home! May your stay be filled with grace and joy.

**Crib offerings this year:** Will be split between Missio in Kenya, giving free school meals to children, and our Diocesan Refugee trust. God reward your generosity.

**Blessing your home on the feast of the Epiphany:** is an ancient tradition to ask God's blessing on your home for the coming year. It is usually done by the senior member of the family, and if there are children in the home, it is always a good way of involving them in praying together, and asking God to bless the family. Please take some chalk and an instruction sheet from the back of the Church, and consider marking your home together as a family and praying together. May you enjoy peace, health and many graces together over the coming year!

**The Christmas Season Comes to an end:** with the feast of The Baptism of The Lord (Monday). Our Nativity scenes and celebrations have shown the face of the Christ Child to the world, now it is our task to show that light and hope in the world through living our Faith and being the people we are called to be by living our Christian vocation.

**If you can lend a hand after Mass today to pack up the Nativity scenes and decorations in the Church, your help would be very gratefully received – Thank you in advance.**

**My Grateful Thanks:** for your very generous cards, gifts, Christmas offerings and well wishes at Christmas. Your kindness is humbling, and I am truly grateful to serve as your priest. Please be assured of my sincere gratitude and my daily prayers for you all.

**Straw from the crib:** it is a tradition in many Catholic countries to take blessed straw from the crib, and to either put it in the crib at home, or give it to friends or relatives, so that they may place it in their cribs. Although a very simple action, it lets others know that you have thought of them, and more importantly remembered them in your prayers. Please pray for your loved ones, and let them know they have been prayed for. You may even like to take them some straw, especially if they have not been able to join you at Church.

**Please save your stamps:** and bring them in for collection at the back of the Church, so that they can be sent to raise funds for Charities helping the blind.

**Second Collection:** 14<sup>th</sup>/15<sup>th</sup> January – care of the Sick and retired Clergy of the Diocese. If you are a tax payer, please take an envelope and fill in the Gift Aid Declaration on the back, so we can claim money back from the Government at no extra cost to your kind generosity.

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



**Nadolig Llawen**

**a Blwyddyn**

**Newydd dda**

**Merry Christmas**

**And a Happy**

**New Year**

To you all from Fr Phillip,  
and Sr Angela.  
God bless you and reward  
your kindness and  
friendship!  
You are in our prayers.

