

Village Carols



CANTORION PONTYCLUN LADIES CHOIR

Thursday 18th December 2014 At 7.00 p.m.

St. DAVID'S CHURCH, MISKIN

Followed by Carols around the Christmas Tree & Mince Pies in The Miskin Arms

Retiring collection in aid of



Candlelit Advent Service

Sunday 30th November 6pm St. David's Church Miskin

Join us as we commence our season of preparation for Christmas with a candlelit service of music & readings



Pancreatic Cancer Research at Velindre Hospital

Remembrance Service

Sunday 14th December 3pm St. David's Church Miskin



For those who have lost a loved one and would like to give thanks for their life or to spend time quietly remembering them.

If you have children and would like to bring them to church, each of our churches regularly has a family type service for all ages with parts geared to younger children.



Family Service is always on the first Sunday of the month at 11am

Llantrisant Parish Church

Has a Sunday School which meets during the 11am service in term time. On the fourth Sunday we have All Age Worship, when the Sunday School join us for the whole service.

St. Michael's Beddau

Our child friendly service, Fun Church, is on the first Wednesday of the month from 4.30pm-5.30pm with stories, action songs, crafts and refreshments

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Llantrisant Parish Wishes You a Happy And Blessed Christmas



This newsletter contains details of all the services and activities that will be taking place in Llantrisant Parish over the Christmas period.

> The Parish has three churches.

St. Michael's Beddau. **Llantrisant Parish Church** and St. David's Miskin. Do come and join us as we celebrate the birth of Jesus

************ Christmas Tree Festival December 5th-7th Llantrisant Church

Friday 5th December at 8.00pm Carol Concert with The (Richard Williams) Gentlemen Songsters

Saturday 6th December Church Open 9.30am-6.00pm

Sunday 7th December Parish Communion 10.00am. Church Open 12noon-5.00pm Advent Songs of Praise 7.30pm

Visit Santa's Grotto, listen to School Children singing, Refreshments, cards, crafts and gifts on sale in The Parish Hall

> Admission: Adults £2.50 Children free, Grotto £2.50 Proceeds towards supporting Dementia

> > www.christmastreefestival.org.uk





Dear Folks,

This letter and leaflet is just a means of **Wishing you all a Merry Christmas** and informing you of some of the services and events which will be happening in Llantrisant Parish over Christmas and in the coming months.

Christmas is a great time of year especially when we can celebrate it with family and friends and I think a really important part of those celebrations is passing on the good news about Jesus Christ which begins with the Christmas Story. Across the parish we have a whole host of services you can dip into, some quite traditional like the Midnight Communion services but others like the Christingle Service and the Christmas Eve Crib service which is aimed at those with children and is wonderful but manic and not for those looking for a quiet afternoon out. We've also got our Annual Remembrance Service, which is there for those wanting to remember a loved one who has died. That service is not a traditional Christmas service but we hold it at this time of year because it's a time when we remember and often really miss those loved ones. You'll find that service poignant but hopefully you'll also go away uplifted. There's so much more going on during December so have a good read of this leaflet and you can also visit our parish website for more details. Everyone is welcome to join us. Many of our services are All Age or geared towards those with children but if you're not sure which service or event would suit you best please email.

I pray that the next few weeks as you prepare for Christmas are really blessed and not stressed and that when Christmas arrives you'll be able to enjoy the celebration of the birth of Jesus in a really meaningful way.

Every Blessing



Vicar Viv



arish Christmas Services

SUNDAY 21ST DECEMBER

6.00pm

Parish Service of Carols and Readings at Llantrisant Church



CHRISTMAS EVE

WEDNESDAY 24TH DECEMBER

3.00pm

Crib Service at Llantrisant Church 9.30pm

Christmas Communion at St Michael's Beddau 11.30pm

Christmas Communion at Llantrisant Church
11.30pm

Christmas Communion at St. David's Miskin

CHRISTMAS DAY THURSDAY 25TH DECEMBER



9.00am

Christmas Communion at Llantrisant Church
10.30am

All Age Christmas Communion at Llantrisant Church

