



## St Winefride's RC Church

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14<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time

Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> July 2021

### Mass Intentions for this coming week \*\*

3 July	Saturday 6pm	Margaret & John Clewes	<p><b>Masses are being celebrated each weekend.</b></p> <p><b>Saturday at 6pm</b></p> <p><b>Sunday at 9.30am and 11.00am</b></p> <p><b>Please welcome Fr Philip McGovern who will celebrate Mass with us this weekend</b></p>
4 July	Sunday 9.30 am	James Lewis (RIP 9 June 2021)	
4 July	Sunday 11 am	Imelda Healey (health)	
5 July	Monday		
6 July	Tuesday		
7 July	Wednesday	Alice Eeles 9.00am St Winefride's Then 10.00am Blacon Crematorium	
8 July	Thursday		
9 July	Friday		
10 July	Saturday 6pm	Jane Jeacock	
11 July	Sunday 9.30 am	Alan Jones	
11 July	Sunday 11 am	Mary Kilbane	

The offertory collection will be taken at the end of Mass and not during Mass. Please place any donations, envelopes or loose change in the basket held by the Steward. If you wish to make a donation, please have your money/envelope ready as you leave. Thank you.

### Parishioners who need our Prayers

Please remember in your prayers all those who are sick at home or in hospital, including:

Dorothy Barber	Ted Henesy	Judy Howard
Patricia Davies	Dorothy Robinson	Maureen Grace
Frances Wright	Sheila Burrell	Maureen Adams
Rosemary Southwell	John Swann	Betty Davies
Pat Cummins	Pat Hemington	Barbara Evans
Sarah Alouane	Bill Williams	Eva Bennion
Pat Matthews	Joyce McAsey &	Andy Ablitt
Tony McDevitt	Maurice McAsey	Mary Schofield
Ruth Murray		



**Please continue to remember Fr Paul in your prayers**

Please do get in touch with the parish office via e-mail or phone if you want to add or remove someone from the Prayer list or have a Mass intention. Thank you.

**During Fr Paul's convalescence, pastoral oversight of St Winefride's is given by Canon Stephen Coonan of Our Lady and St John's Heswall – 0151 342 6581**

## TIMETABLE OF ACTIVITIES WITH DEACON JIM AND FRIENDS

<p><b>Daily Rosary</b></p> <p>at 9.00 am apart from Sunday</p>	<p>To join in please download <b>Zoom.us</b> either as an "app" on your phone or tablet or download from the <b>Zoom.us</b> website to your laptop. It is free and simple registration with your email and a password. When you have Zoom then type in or click the link below;</p> <p><a href="https://zoom.us/j/252387114">https://zoom.us/j/252387114</a> password: <b>AveMaria</b></p>	
<p><b>Bible study Wednesday</b></p> <p>At 7.30 pm</p>	<p>This <b>Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> July at 7.30pm</b>. We will discuss the first reading and gospel for the following <b>Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> July 2021</b>. <b>Amos 7: 12-15; Psalm 84; Mark 6: 7-13</b></p> <p>Access as usual on Zoom or 07746743921 for audio only.</p>	
<p><b>Divine Mercy Friday</b></p> <p>3 pm</p>	<p>If you would like to join in with reciting the <b>Divine Mercy Chaplet at 3pm</b> each Friday you are most welcome. Please use the same Zoom login details as for Rosary.</p>	
<p><b>Coffee Morning Saturday</b></p> <p>10 am</p>	<p>Come and join in St Winefride's coffee morning. 10.00am Saturdays at the usual Zoom address or by phone.</p>	<p>coffee break</p>

### Reflection on the Sunday Gospel by Fr Stephen Coonan



Jesus returns to his home-town, is rejected by his relatives and says, "A prophet is only despised in his own country, among his own relations and in his own house." A prophet speaks on behalf of God, as God's messenger and on behalf of those who have no one to speak for them, giving a voice to the voiceless, for example the widow, the orphan, the stranger. A prophet is not a **fore-teller** but a **forth-teller**, who

proclaims with insight the evils that afflict society and can ultimately spell its downfall. Jesus proclaims the nearness of God's reign, urges people to take a second look at their lives and embodies God's mercy by associating with the marginal and suspect people of his day. Jesus' rejection by his family is mentioned by all the gospels. None of his named relatives are among his first disciples. Only John mentions that Jesus' mother is at the cross. Jesus did not fulfil their desire for a nationalistic messiah who would drive out the Roman occupiers but proclaimed instead forgiveness of enemies and acceptance of non-Jews. Because their minds are closed he could work no miracle there.

**LIVE STREAMING OF SERVICES include:**

St Winefride's Parish Church - [www.stwinefridesneston.org.uk](http://www.stwinefridesneston.org.uk)

- Walsingham: [walsingham.org.uk](http://walsingham.org.uk)
- St. Anthony's, Wythenshawe: [churchservices.tv/stanthonyswythenshawe](http://churchservices.tv/stanthonyswythenshawe)
- CAFOD Children's Liturgy: [cafod.org.uk/Education/Children-s-liturgy](http://cafod.org.uk/Education/Children-s-liturgy)
- Shrewsbury Cathedral: [dioceseofshrewsbury.org](http://dioceseofshrewsbury.org)

<https://www.churchservices.tv/shrewsburycathedral>

All times and details of other services available search Church Services TV on Google [ChurchServices.tv](http://ChurchServices.tv) live mass and services from Churches in the UK and Ireland

You can also access what the pope has to say each day be heading to

<https://www.vaticannews.va/en.html>



Please do let me know any news you may have, with most of us working from home and not meeting up, any news is lovely to hear. A birthday, anniversary, new member to the family, baby or pet!!

If you know someone who does not have access to the internet and would like a copy of the newsletter, then please contact me on the parish office e-mail. I am working from home, but will be popping into the office each Friday to print items etc. Posted newsletters, will arrive a little later.

Ways to Stay in Touch with Parish News – Visit the parish website for information and live stream.

[www.stwinefridesneston.org.uk](http://www.stwinefridesneston.org.uk)

[parishoffice@stwinefridesneston.org.uk](mailto:parishoffice@stwinefridesneston.org.uk)



Foodbank collections have been revised and will now be every fortnight. Food bank are back **Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> July.**

If you would like to make a donation to the foodbank, please leave any items in the boxes under the table as you come into church. Thank you.

Most needed items are as follows; Instant noodles, instant pasta, sweets, chocolate, cup of soup, instant mash, jams and spreads, (i.e peanut butter and chocolate spread).



**READERS**

If you are unable to make a date, then just e-mail the parish office in advance. Thank you. Jayne – Parish Secretary

	Saturday 6pm (vigil)	Sunday 9.30 am *	Sunday 11.00 am
	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> July</b>	<b>4<sup>th</sup> July</b>	<b>4<sup>th</sup> July</b>
READERS	K Ankers	AM Millar	J Adonis
	<b>10<sup>th</sup> July</b>	<b>11<sup>th</sup> July</b>	<b>11<sup>th</sup> July</b>
READERS	P & A Flanagan	T McGlynn	M Unsworth
	<b>17<sup>th</sup> July</b>	<b>18<sup>th</sup> July</b>	<b>18<sup>th</sup> July</b>
READERS	M Branch	Clark family	A Cropper
	<b>24<sup>th</sup> July</b>	<b>25<sup>th</sup> July</b>	<b>25<sup>th</sup> July</b>
READERS	I Robinson	Joseph family	J Tunstall

\* Please note some changes have been made to readers and dates for 9.30am Mass.



**Please remember in your prayers .....**

Please pray for the response of the soul of Alice Eeles who died on the 22<sup>nd</sup> June. Alice and her late husband Trefor (who died in 2003) were popular visitors at the Brewers Arms and were often seen walking along Leighton Road. Alice and Trefor generally sat in church near where confession too place. They both were fundraisers and SPUC committee members. Please remember their four children in your prayers. Both Alice and Trefor will now be reunited, may they rest in peace. Alice's funeral is this Wednesday, 9.00am at St Winefride's, followed by a cremation at Blacon.

During the week the funerals of Kathleen Stevenson and Theresa "Sandra" Brennand took place. Please remember them all in your prayers.

Alice Eeles (& husband Trefor)



Kathleen Patricia Stevenson



Theresa "Sandra" Brennand





### **SAVE NESTON'S POST OFFICE**

Sadly the current operators of Neston Post Office can no longer afford to keep it open and it will be closing in early July.

It is a disgrace that a town of Neston's size will be without a Post Office so this petition, started by MP Justin Madders calls on the Post Office to put in sufficient support to enable it to remain open until new operators can be found. Please click on the link below to sign it.

<http://chnng.it/PCSdxhBNZv>



This **Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> July** 18 children will make their First Holy Communion at a service at St Winefride's church at 10.00am. Due to covid restrictions it will only be the agreed number of guests attending for each child but you are welcome **to watch the children via live stream.**

**CAN WE ASK FOR YOU TO REMEMBER ALL THE CHILDREN IN YOUR PRAYERS.**

The children have been asked if they will attend Mass over the weekend in their special holy communion outfit. Hopefully, we will have some pictures of the day for you to see next week.



Thank you for your kind generosity for the "Day for Life" collection. An amazing **£645.00** was raised. Fantastic response.

The amount collected for Peter's pence should be available next weekend.

## **Doin' it 4 Dan**

**World Record & Water Aid Fund Raiser**



**Doin' it 4 Dan** is a World Record attempt in memory of Heswall OLSJ parishioner, Dan Miller who sadly passed away in June last year, aged 43.

**In the late 70's, early 80's Dan along with his 4 brothers also attended St Winefride's primary school before they moved to Heswall. I am sure many will remember the Miller family.**

**28 of Dan's teammates and friends from Hoylake Rugby Club** will be taking on the mammoth challenge of breaking the World Record for the longest touch rugby game, which currently stands at 30 hours 3 minutes and 11 seconds. All have been hugely affected by this tragic loss and want to raise money for WaterAid, a charity Dan greatly supported.

The World Record attempt will take place on **Friday 16th July 2021**, at Hoylake Rugby Club, starting at 8am. To donate to this great cause please visit Dan's Just Giving page here:

<https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/wateraid4dan>



On Monday 19<sup>th</sup> July at 7.30pm, there will be a Mass at St Werburgh's, Chester and the parishioners of St Winefride's are invited to attend. The Mass is to commemorate the martyrdom of St John Plessington. It is 2 years since the service was held at Deacon Jim and Carolyn's home in Puddington. If you would like any further information either contact myself in the office or the St Werburgh's website nearer to the date.

<https://www.stwerburghchester.co.uk/>

**Next week is the anniversary of both Mike and Jim becoming a Deacon here at St Winefride's. Mike in 2013 and Jim celebrating his second year. We are a very lucky parish to have two Deacons.**



### “Online giving to the Parish”

For those Parishioners who normally give in the collection at Mass and wish to help the Parish at this time, an online donation page, to allow you to donate to the Parish, has been added to the Parish website. There is a new Online Donation button on the home page of our website. By clicking on it, it will take you to the Online Donation website run by **InvestMyCommunity**.

Currently the average weekly standing payments orders received are £423 and loose plate/offertory envelopes weekly average for June was £275.50.

If you would like to start paying contributions to the church by standing order and possibly gift aid your contributions, then please contact Jayne in the office. Thank you.

As mentioned previously, we are now hoping to start delivering the offertory envelopes that have not yet been collected for this tax year. Do let me know if you DO NOT require your box.

<https://investmycommunity.com/not-logged-donor/page/StWinefrideNeston2218>



This year’s Sea Sunday takes place on the weekend of the 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> July and we will be having a collection here the following weekend, 17<sup>th</sup>/18<sup>th</sup> July. However, there will be Stella Maris envelopes to take home next weekend and return the following week.

**LIVE STREAMING** - Please note that camera images and sound of services are now transmitted on the internet but not recorded. This is to help us share our faith with others who are unable to attend in person. If you have any concerns about the use of live streaming during a service or mass, then please contact the office.

**Children’s Sunday Liturgy Page.** Parents, please feel free to print off the page for your children to colour and complete!



**Welcome:** Today we hear how Jesus was teaching with great wisdom, but the people found it hard to believe in him. Let’s listen and find out why.

**Opening prayer:** God in all things, help us to recognise your Son Jesus in all people – those we know well and those who we will never meet but who are part of our global family. Amen.

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
Gospel: Mark 6:1-6



Find out more about children around the world at [cafod.org.uk/kidzzone](http://cafod.org.uk/kidzzone)

