

St Winefride's RC Church

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3rd Sunday of Easter

4 May 2019

4 May	SATURDAY		6.30 pm	Lilian Rabitt
5 May	SUNDAY	3 rd Sunday of Easter	8.45 am 10.45 am	Parish family Joan Kay
6 May	MONDAY B/H		11.00 am	Fr Gerry Courell
7 May	TUESDAY		10.00 am	Anthony Hewitt
8 May	WEDNESDAY		10.00 am	Mass or Service of word and Eucharist
9 May	THURSDAY	Funeral Mass	10.00 am	Martha (Marie) Thelwell
10 May	FRIDAY		10.00 am	Roger Harris
11 May	SATURDAY		10.00 am	Anastasia Corbett
11 May	Next Weekend SATURDAY	4 th Sunday of Easter	6.30 pm	Parish family
12 May	SUNDAY		8.45 am 10.45 am	Fred Dutton Bernard Jones

Weekdays: Adoration morning prayer from 9.00am; then Mass at 10.00am

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturday 10.30am and 5.45-6.10pm

	4 May / 5 May			11 May / 12 May		
	6.30pm (Vigil)	8.45am	10.45am	6.30pm (Vigil)	8.45am	10.45am
Readers – Readings	K Powell	Larty Family	M Unsworth	F Byrne	AM Millar	M Slater
Readers - Intercessions	A Flanagan	Clark Family	V Casey	M Green	T McGlynn	J Tunstall
EMHC	D Davies F Byrne	T McGlynn R Pisarek	M Slater J Tunstall A Cropper D Barber	M Green C Haimes	K Garrod K Hughes	D Pover K Holden T Topping M Slater
Counters	Dee and Steve Roberts			Paulo Lisboa and Rick Settle		
Cleaners	L Dee, A Williams, D Roberts			C Kirshen, J Larty		

REGULAR ACTIVITIES

Mon: SVP 7pm in Presbytery; **Thur:** Communion Visits; **Sun:** YSVP 10am in hall

2nd Thurs of month: SPUC 10.45 am in hall; **3rd Thur of month:** CWL 7.30pm in hall

Last Sunday's Offering: Envelopes £157.50; Loose Plate £379.17; Standing order £519; Thank you for your support!

WHITE FLOWER APPEAL: This weekend. Please will you help us to stop the decriminalisation of abortion by filling in the postcard that was given to you as you entered church. there will also be a voluntary collection after all masses for our Society and our Pro Life Work.

SPUC AGM: Our SPUC Group are holding their **AGM next Tuesday 7th May at 7:30pm** in our Church Hall.

We are thrilled to say our guest speaker is SPUC Scotland's new young youth officer who is going to talk about young people in the pro-life movement. All are invited to attend especially our youth of the parish.

SPUC: Monthly meeting next Thursday 9th May 10:45 AM in the church Hall. after Mass and our Pro Life Prayers. All welcome.

Fr Paul writes: At our 10.45 am Mass today we welcome our children and families. The parents of our young people will be leading us in our readings and in our prayers for our Sunday liturgy. Next weekend and the following weekend there will be seven of our young people who receive Eucharist for the first time. Please keep them and their families in your prayers and that their celebration will be a reminder of the very day in which you received the Lord in the Eucharist for the first time. Be assured of my prayers over the coming week.

Can I ask you to also remember in your prayers the family of Marie Thelwell whose funeral is this Thursday at 10.00am. Also the families of both Roger Harris whose funeral is the 16th May and Pauline McNulty who died earlier this week. Pauline's funeral will be on Tuesday 28th May at 11.30am.

Fr Paul

EMHC/Readers' Rota: A new copy of the rota (April to July) is now online and on the noticeboard.

CWL: Committee meeting this **Thursday May 9th** in the church hall at 7:30pm.

Soup and Sandwiches will start again in September. If you would like to help, then please let Fran or Brian Bryne know. A big thank you to all those parishioners and friends who have supported the event during the year and in particular over lent and to those parishioners who have made it happen.

Sacrament of Confirmation 2019: This year it will be held on **Wednesday 19th June at Holy Family church, Pensby.**

Classes have now started and the next class is on Sunday 12th May. If you are **Year 8** or above and interested in exploring your faith and finding out about the Sacrament of Confirmation, then please give your details to Fr Paul.

Cleaning Rota: A new cleaning rota is currently being prepared. In order to continue with a one in six rota **we need some more volunteers.** If you can spare **an hour or so every 6 weeks** on a day that suits you, then please contact Jayne Shakespeare, parish secretary, either by the parish office e-mail address or telephone 721 3035, Monday, Thursday or Friday 9.30 – 1.30pm.

Little church: A new rota is now available online and on both noticeboards. Copies have also been left in the sacristy.

Foodbank: Can you help with items for the Foodbank? e.g. Tinned fruit, meat, long life milk, cereals. tea, coffee as examples. Thank You.

Bank Holiday Monday: Please note that mass on Monday 6th May will be at 11am.

Jim Kay: Jim is currently on his way to the shrine of **St James in Santiago de Compostela** and he has sent this picture showing the fantastic response he received with his request for petitions. He received over 50 petitions which he has taken with him on his journey.



DIOCESAN EVENTS

CCRS: The next module; Christian Morality, for the Catholic Certificate of Religious Studies begins on **Saturday 11th May** at Our Lady's, Ellesmere Port, CH65 8BY 10:00 – 3:30pm (9:30am for tea and coffee) with the second on **Saturday 8th June.** You may start the course (comprising 8 modules) at the beginning of any module – registration forms and details are on the website at www.dioceseofshrewsbury.org/education/ccrs.

A non-certificate option is also available (no essays!) Particularly aimed at Teachers, Catechists and those who wish to learn more about the Catholic Faith.

Conference on Holiness and the Mission of the Laity. OPEN TO ALL. Saturday, May 18, Hale Barns. 9:30 for 10:00, ends 3:30pm (Mass in the School Hall, 10:00). Please bring packed lunch. No charge, contributions welcome. Registration by phone 0151 652 9855, or simply online at: www.dioceseofshrewsbury.org/catholic-faith/the-new-evangelisation/registration

The Northern Catholic Conference will be held at Liverpool Hope University on 7th, 8th and 9th June 2019. For further information contact Denise on telephone number 07543800812 or via e-mail at northern catholic@outlook.com.

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