


ST WINEFRIDE’S RC CHURCH

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LITURGICAL CALENDAR OF THE WEEK

Sunday 7th September 2025 – Sunday 14th September 2025

Mass Readings: Sunday Year C, Weekday Cycle Year 1

Sunday 7 Sept	Saturday Vigil Mass for Sunday TWENTY THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Family Mass	6.00 pm 8.45 am 10.30 am	Parish family Alex Hughes (death anniv 1 st Sept) RIP Frieda & Bob Rimmer (Intention)
Monday	NATIVITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY	9.30 am	Carol Gambale (RIP)
Tuesday	Ferial	9.30 am	Emily Hernandez & Enrique Esteban (health)
Wednesday	Ferial	9.30 am	Edith O’Sullivan (health)
Thursday	Ferial	9.30 am	Trefor Owen (RIP)
Friday	Ferial	9.30 am	Phil Shaw (b’day anniv) RIP
Saturday	St John Chrysostom	9.30 am	Sick and housebound
Sunday 14 Sept	Saturday Vigil Mass for Sunday TWENTY FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS Family Mass	6.00 pm 8.45 am 10.30 am	William (Bill) Hannaway (b’day anniv) RIP Parish family Cathy Maryland & Adrian Duggan (RIP)

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: Monday to Saturday at 9 am. Morning prayer: Monday to Saturday at 9.00 am

Rosary: Monday to Saturday 10am & 9.45 am on Sunday or join via Zoom at 7pm **passcode 252387114, password: AveMaria.**

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturday: 5.15 pm-5.45 pm and Monday to Friday after 9.30 am Mass on request.

Private Prayer: Monday to Saturday the church will remain open after 9.30 am Mass for private prayer until **5 pm**

Baptism: Please contact parish priest and collect Baptism application form after Mass. **Marriage:** 6 months' notice to be given.

Parish Hall: To hire parish hall for any functions please email parish office. Contact parish priest for use of hall for all other purposes.

SUNDAY	6/7 th September			13/14 th September		
	6pm	8.45am	10.30am	6pm	8.45am	10.30am
Readers	K Ankers	T McGlynn	J Tunstall	D Loughe	AM Millar	A Cropper
Welcomers	6pm M & M Branch & P Higgins		8.45am A & D Docherty		10.30am R Stacey	
WEEKDAYS	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Readers	J Tunstall	M Corcoran	A Cropper	A Volunteer	A Volunteer	A Volunteer

The Gloria

Glory to God in the highest,
and on earth peace to people of good will.
We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you,
we give you thanks for your great glory,
Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father.
Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us;
you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer;
you are seated at the right hand of the Father,
have mercy on us.
For you alone are the Holy One,
you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High,
Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father.

Amen

The Apostles Creed

I believe in God, the Father Almighty,
Creator of heaven and earth,
and in Jesus Christ, his only Son our Lord,
(At the words that follow, up to and including ‘the Virgin Mary’, all bow)
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit
born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died and was buried; he descended into hell;
on the third day he rose again from the dead;
he ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of
God the Father almighty;
from there he will come to judge the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting.


Amen

Please remember in your prayers all those who are sick including: Patricia Davies, Frances Wright, Pat Cummins, Win Bayley, Joe Hemington, Judy Howard, Sr Suzan George SMMI, Eva Bennion, Paul Wallace, Dorothy Strawson, Maureen Knox, Joseph Kennedy, Gerald Sanderson, Fr Paul, Mary Gilbert, Michael Rowlands, Kay Minto, Susan Trowell, Margaret Maw, David Eva, Peter Roca, Stephanie Archibald, Moira Griffiths-Parr, Margaret Gould, Joan Burkmar, Dawn Stevenson, Cormac Davis, 5 year old Dottie, Rachel Branch, Annabelle Narey, Alan Blackwood, Mary, Richard Fowler, Ann Kelly, Ruth Pisarek, Roger Gardener, Pat Leadbetter, Reg Parson, Ann & Paul Flanagan, Stacey Hemington, David Wallace, Laurie Walsh, Yvonne Mckeown, Alan Hughes, Laura Eason, Maureen Morris, Ian Taylor, Person seriously ill, Roy Corbett, Michael Sheridan, Martin Penfold, Bill Penfold, Val Higgins

Anniversaries of our departed (8 September – 14 September)

Fr Cornelius O’Kelly, James Seddon Saunders, Fr Edward McCann, Mary Fogarty, Michael Andrew Newns (8/9) Joseph Clark, Fr Ivor Kind (9/9) Bernard Morgan, Fr James Cox, Fr Denis Bowskill, Catherine Nolan, Catherine Marland (10/9) Fr Joseph Russell, Brenda Williams (11/9) William Sheridan, Fr Francis Gordan, Margaret Isobel Saunders (12/9) Mary Eliza Harris, Alice Postlethwaite (13/9) Peter Griffin, Rt Rev Gerard Tickle, Mary Kathleen (Kath) Munslow (14/9)

The names of the dear ones are taken from the book of remembrance. Please inform parish priest or contact parish office to add to anniversaries or remove from the sick list.



A thank you note from Fr Francis: It was my privilege to serve as the interim Parochial Administrator of the most incredible St Winefrides Parish Family for the last four years. I specifically thank Bishop Mark Davies who gave me the opportunity.

I had the most loving and caring parishioners and it is with humble gratitude that I express once again my appreciation of each of you. I am very grateful of all your expressions of love and friendship and generous support in my ministry and will remain ever grateful to each one of you at St Winefrides Neston. I ask you to keep me and the parishioners of St Georges Whitchurch in your prayers and I assure you of our prayers for you all.

Leaving collection: A big thank you to everyone for your kind donations. We collected a total of £1147 which was given to Fr Francis after the family Mass on Sunday and cards from the parish were also given to Fr Francis at each of the weekend Masses.

Little Church: Children’s liturgy will resume this weekend during the family Mass at 10.30am. We thank all parents for their encouragement and support. For safeguarding can we ask that a volunteer from the parish join the session in the hall when only one catechist is running the session. Thank you.

Our Lady’s Lamp: This lamp will be lit for your intentions and will burn by Our Lady’s Chapel for seven days. Please put any donations in the candle box. This week Our Lady’s lamp will be lit for the holy souls.

Piety stall: Please have a look at the selection of cards that are for sale on the table at the back of church. The new order of cards has arrived and are now on display at the back of church. Do take a look.

The Assisted Suicide Bill: This will be debated in the House of Lords on the 12th September. We are asking you to please take the time to write to anyone in the House of Lords. To enable you to do this we have copies of the briefing on the Bill and a Pamphlet on "How to Write to the House of Lords" which you will find on the tables in both porches, please take the copies home. You will also find a list of members of the house of Lords, please, feel free to take a note of any member or members you like (you could take a picture on your phone) PLEASE DO NOTE REMOVE THE LIST OF MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE OF LORDS. We also have copies of a briefing on clause 191 of the crime and policing bill which if passed would allow abortion on demand any time up to birth. You could also add your objections to this clause to any letter you write,

Jubilee Events: Jubilee for Catechists with Bishop Mark Davies, the Dominican Sisters of St Joseph and Natalie Orefice, Diocesan Director of Evangelisation and Catechesis. On Saturday 15th November at St Joseph's Eucharistic Shrine, Tatton St, Stockport SK1 1EJ. Book a free place here: <https://bit.ly/Jubilee-for-Catechists>

Marriage Preparation: There are courses in February & March 2026. Each course runs two consecutive Saturdays 9.30am - 4.30pm. The nearest to us is Chester on 7 & 14th February. Cost £70. Details on the noticeboard and a couple of leaflets to take.

Shrewsbury Lourdes Hospitality: The Hospitality AGM will take place on Sunday 21st September at 2pm in the Parish Centre at St Hugh and St John Manchester Road, West Timperley, WA14 5NB . All hospitality members are invited to attend.

Missio: The autumn edition of Missio today are in the porch. Do take a copy. World Mission Sunday is the 19th October and we will be asking for you to return the red boxes ready for counting at the end of September.

Church Keyboard: We're having a new keyboard delivered this week. The old keyboard will be disposed of at the same time unless anyone wants it. If you are interested in taking it, please contact Jayne in the parish office.

Knot just Knitters: This group will meet again on Friday, 19th September. 1.30 – 4pm in the church hall. All welcome.

Parish Grounds and Gardens: Every Friday from 1.30 till 3.30pm. Come and help the volunteers to keep the parish gardens & grounds tidy. More volunteers are needed, if you can help on a Friday or at another time, please contact the office.

Tea/Coffee: The parish hall is open for refreshments after the 10.30am Mass.

Offertory Collections: Thank you for your generous support.

Food Bank: Urgent items as at 4 September 2025; UHT juice, instant pasta, tinned meat, tinned veg and custard.

Shrewsbury Diocese is a registered charity 234025

Livestream/webcam is used in this church: See the privacy notice on the porch noticeboard.