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Ordinary Time Week 5

9th February 2020

8 th Feb	SATURDAY		6.30 pm	Special Intention Chris and Nick	
9 th Feb	SUNDAY	5 th Sunday of Ordinary Time Racial Justice Sunday	1	Parish family Jack Henesey	
10 th Feb	MONDAY		10.00 am	Mass or Service of Word and Eucharist	
I I th Feb	TUESDAY		10.00 am	Mass or Service of Word and Eucharist	
12 th Feb	WEDNESDAY		10.00 am	Mass or Service of Word and Eucharist	
13 th Feb	THURSDAY		10.00 am	Mass or Service of Word and Eucharist	
I4 th Feb	FRIDAY			Mass or Service of Word and Eucharist Holy Mass-Theresa Higginson anniversary	
15 th Feb	SATURDAY		10.00 am	NO MASS OR SERVICE OF WORD	
15 th Feb	Next Weekend SATURDAY	6 th Sunday of Ordinary Time	6.30 pm	Dr Marioth	
16 th Feb	SUNDAY	,		Parish family MaryAnne Day	

Weekdays: Adoration morning prayer from 9.00am; then Mass at 10.00am Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturday 10.30am and 5.45-6.10pm

	8/9 th February			15/16 th February			
	6.30pm (Vigil)	8:45am	10:45am	6.30pm (Vigil)	8:45am	10:45am	
Readers - Readings	S Davies	T McGlynn	V Casey	D Davies	R Pisarek	M Unsworth	
Readers - Intercessions	M Green	AM Millar	J Braidwood	P Flanagan	Larty Family	J Tunstall	
ЕМНС	C Haimes J Gordon	K Garrod R Pisarek	T Topping J Tunstall A Cropper D Barber	M Roles M Green	K Hughes M Branch	D Pover K Holden G Bsrber C Joseph	
Counters	Dee & Steve Roberts			Phil Challis			
Cleaners	Louise Wood & Fran Byrne			Liz Dolley & Peter Higgins			

REGULAR ACTIVITIES

Mon: SVP in Presbytery; see newsletter for more information.

2nd Thurs of month: SPUC 10:45 am in hall; 3rd Thur of month: CWL 7:30pm in hall Last Sunday's Offering: Envelopes £ Loose Plate £ Standing order £

Thank you for your support!

St Winefrides Primary school: On Friday 31st January reception class enjoyed a visit from Mr and Mrs Brennan who helped the children to learn about looking after God's world. The children were given a power point presentation, experienced various practical activities and went outside to see God's wonderful world. Mr and Mrs Brennan had baked the children heart shaped biscuits which everyone enjoyed! Six beautiful flowers were also planted in the bee garden. Thank you to Mr and Mrs Brennan - the children had a great time.

On Monday Mrs O'Gorman took Year 5 to Neston High school where they were introduced to the Anne Frank exhibition. Several Year 9 students acted as guides, presenting talks and delivering activities to the children about the background of the Holocaust and the Second World War. It was very informative and the children enjoyed their visit.

Deacon Jim... We are looking to find a parishioner who would like to take on the challenge of health and safety for the church and become a volunteer Health and Safety Rep. If you have had some experience in this area, perhaps from a previous role you have held and would like to help out, probably for half a day a month, then please let either myself or Jayne in the office know. Julie Tinsley is the Health and Safety Officer employed by the diocese and she is always on hand for help and advice. Thank you.

HYMNS – The hymn numbers for 10.45am mass are 301, 821, 348 and 398.

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

EMHC/Readers Rota: A new rota for February to May is now available online and also on the noticeboards. Please note this rota includes all newly commissioned EMHC and Readers. If you are not listed at your preferred Mass, please email the parish office.

Little Church: If you would like to volunteer to help with Little Church, then please speak to a leader on Sunday morning or let Jayne in the office know. Thank you.

SVP - If you missed the Christmas 2019 sale you can catch our next sale, this weekend **8/9**th **February** after all Masses in our church hall.

First Forgiveness and Holy Communion: If you have a child who is not at St Winefride's school and wants to receive the sacraments of reconciliation and holy communion later this year, then please download a form from the parish website or contact Jayne in the parish office on 721 3035 for more information. The first meeting for parents will be on Monday 2nd March, 6.30pm in the church hall.

SPUC: SPUC Monthly meeting will take place on Thursday 13th February at 10 45am in the Church Hall. All are invited to come and let more about our pro life work and how you can help protect the unborn child.

"Taking Holy Communion to the sick and housebound": Would ministers of Holy Communion able to carry out this important ministry or if you are already doing so, please come to a short training session after morning Mass on Saturday 15th Feb, at 10.30am in the hall. Please reply to Jayne in the office or Deacon Jim. Thank you.

Bible study – 'Year of the Word' Bible study continues after Mass in the hall. The meeting will now be on a Monday from this week, 10th Feb.

CWL: Committee meeting at Angela's house this Thursday 13th February. Section meeting on February 20th February at 7.30pm. At this meeting Angela Klabou will talk about a visit to the Holy Land. Visitors most welcome.

Prayer list: A new list has been started for Jan/Feb and has been put with the prayer book in the lady chapel. If you would like a name adding, just add to the list or e-mail parishoffice@stwinefridesneston.org.uk. A new list will be started in March.

Theresa Higginson: On Friday I4th February this week is the anniversary of Theresa Higginson and a day of private devotion. There will be a mass here at noon in honour of the Sacred Head of Jesus, as the seat of divine wisdom. More details of the event that is held here annually is on the noticeboard.

FCJ Bicentenary Theatre Production – "Faithful Companions": This is a very special year for the FCJ Sisters and for our schools and past pupils. The FCJ Sisters are celebrating two hundred years since the founding of the Society of the Faithful Companions of legue.

As part of these celebrations, an original theatre production on the life of Marie Madeleine and the ongoing FCJ story has been commissioned by the FCJ Sisters and will be performed by Rise Theatre. It promises to be an exceptional performance and celebration of the life of our foundress and of the FCJ family. The play is touring all FCJ Schools in 2020.

The play will be performed for the public on **Tuesday 11th February 2020 at 7pm at Upton Hall School FCJ, Wirral.** We would like to invite you to join us, see the play and celebrate with us. In both venues, the play will be followed by light refreshments and an opportunity to see some of the ongoing work of the FCJ family across the world.

If you would like to attend book your free tickets on Eventbrite: Upton Hall FCJ, Tuesday 11th February 2020 at 7pm - http://bit.ly/FCJ200Upton

Seats are limited, so please book early. If you know friends or family who have a connection with the FCJ sisters, past or present, please do share this information with them.

If you are local to Liverpool or Wirral and are interested in volunteering with the FCJ sisters in Liverpool, or would like to attend the events that they organise, or simply want to keep in touch, please contact Sr Lynne fcJ or Sr MaryAnne fcJ on fcjcentresthughs@gmail.com

Year of the Word Diocesan Spring Talks: Everyone is welcome to come and reflect on the Word of God; no prior study needed. The same talk is given in 3 different areas of the diocese, and our closest is as follows; Wednesday February 19th, St Columba's, Chester 19:00-20:30 (registration 18:30).

Retired Priests Fund: There will be a collection on Sunday 23rd February, envelopes will be given out next weekend, 15th/16th Feb.

Fairtrade Fashion Show: Friday 28th February at 7.30pm – Neston Methodist Hall. Adults £5.00, under 18 £2.50. See noticeboard for more information.

GDPR: The parish of St Winefride's sometimes collects personal information about parishioners. All personal information is collected, processed and stored in accordance with the General Data Protection Regulations. This is retained only as necessary and used by the Parish/Diocese for the benefit of the Parish and for legitimate reasons such as administrative and religious purposes. You can read our full privacy notice at www.dioceseofshrewsbury.org/about-us/privacy-notice.