



## St Winefride's RC Church

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

Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> June 2021

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

|   |                |  |   |
|---|----------------|--|---|
| 12 June                                       | Saturday 6 pm  | Beth Taylor (health)                                   | <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 Kevin Prince who will celebrate Mass with us this weekend.</b></p> |
| 13 June                                       | Sunday 9.30 am | Noreen Morgan (health)                                 |   |
| 13 June                                       | Sunday 11 am   | Joseph Gould (Anniv 5th June)                          |   |
| 13 June                                       | Sunday Noon    | Amelia Emma, Alice Joan & Everlyn Kathleen Swift-Cuddy |   |
| * Please note baptism is by invitation only * |                |  |   |
| 19 June                                       | Saturday 6 pm  | Geoff Russell (health)                                 |   |
| 20 June                                       | Sunday 9.30 am | Christine Russell (health)                             |   |
| 20 June                                       | Sunday 11 am   | Leo F Brenninkmeyer                                    |   |
| DAY OF SPECIAL PRAYER FOR LIFE                |                |  |   |
| 26 June                                       | Saturday 6pm   | John Monaghan  |   |
| 27 June                                       | Sunday 9.30 am | B & A Topping  |   |
| 27 June                                       | Sunday 11 am   | Paula Tunstall   |   |

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

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| <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: <u>AveMaria</u></p> |  |
| <p><b>Bible study Wednesday</b></p> <p>At 7.30 pm</p>          | <p>This <b>Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> June at 7.30pm</b>. We will discuss the first reading and gospel for the following <b>Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> June 2021</b>.<br/><b>Job 3: 1. 8-11; Psalm 106; Mark 4: 35-41</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>  |  |

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



In today's gospel Jesus portrays the mystery of God's reign, that is, the mystery of God's power being displayed in his ministry. In the first parable a rather unconcerned farmer just scatters the seed, resumes a restful life, and the seed sprouts and grows; how, he doesn't know. The farmer only returns for the harvest. What is Jesus trying to say? To those of his followers who expected the kingdom to blossom forth immediately he may be cautioning that God's times are not human times. To others who wanted to hurry the arrival of the kingdom by violent or extraordinary means, the parable says that God's reign has a power of its own. To both groups the message is to be ready for the harvest. A time will come to act and we must stand ready.

The second parable says God's reigning is like a mustard seed, which is the smallest of all seeds, but which springs up and grows into a large shrub, so that the birds of the air can shelter in its shade. It can take over a garden, providing a haven for even unwanted birds. Small beginnings may have startling results and bring hope and wholeness to many.

Please welcome back Fr Kevin to St Winefride's who is celebrating Mass with us this weekend whilst Fr Philip is away on a retreat.

There will not be a newsletter issued next weekend. Mass intentions up to the end of June are detailed on this newsletter. Please note contact numbers for both Deacon Mike and Deacon Jim are at the top of the page. If anything urgent or important needs to be mentioned an e-mail message will be sent out next weekend. Thank you.

**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)



Congratulations to Joan Braidwood who celebrates her 90<sup>th</sup> birthday this Friday June 11<sup>th</sup>.

For those of you who don't know Joan Braidwood, Joan along with a number of other parishioners have looked after the flowers on the altar for many years only stopping at the beginning of last year.

**HAVE A FANTASTIC BIRTHDAY JOAN,  
BEST WISHES, FROM ALL AT  
ST WINEFRIDE'S CHURCH**



**Deacon Jim writes.....**Carolyn and I are glad to announce a new baby grandson. Lucas Theodore was born last Saturday, 5th June to Chris and Carla and baby brother to Gabriel weighed a healthy 7½lbs.



**MASS INTENTIONS STILL TO BE SAID FOR;**

**Margaret & John Clewes**  
**James Lewis** (RIP 9 June 2021)  
**Imelda Healey** (health)

**Jane Jeacock** (Anniv 2<sup>nd</sup> July),  
**Alan Jones**  
**Mary Kilbane**



**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>12<sup>th</sup> June</b> | <b>13<sup>th</sup> June</b> | <b>13<sup>th</sup> June</b> |
| READERS | M Branch                    | T McGlynn                   | J Tunstall                  |
|         | <b>19<sup>th</sup> June</b> | <b>20<sup>th</sup> June</b> | <b>20<sup>th</sup> June</b> |
| READERS | I Robinson                  | Clark family                | A Cropper                   |
|         | <b>26<sup>th</sup> June</b> | <b>27<sup>th</sup> June</b> | <b>27<sup>th</sup> June</b> |
| READERS | C Haines                    | AM Millar                   | M Unsworth                  |
|         | <b>3<sup>rd</sup> July</b>  | <b>4<sup>th</sup> July</b>  | <b>4<sup>th</sup> July</b>  |
| READERS | K Ankers                    | Joseph family               | J Adonis                    |



### Christian Aid News - June 2021

Many thanks from the Neston Christian Aid Group to all our wonderful supporters who donated towards our fund raising activities during Christian Aid Week.

We are delighted to announce that, thanks to your generosity, the sum raised in Neston and District was **£5045.53 !!**

Our area includes Neston, Little Neston, Ness, Burton, Willaston and Parkgate, the total includes envelope collections from the churches of our area; a Gift day run by the U.R.C and a Bucket Collection at Gordale.

We are grateful for the publicity given by A.M.A. and the local media, as there were also donations from the wider community given through our 'Tap Simple' on-line facility.

There are many who will benefit from the projects that Christian Aid undertakes with the money raised – including assistance in climate emergencies; and in Kenya in 2021 a reliable source of water from the earth dams which will be able to be constructed now. On behalf of all these people the Neston Committee thank you very much.

Lynne Vaughan (Secretary, Neston Christian Aid Group)



About Spider Project: Spider Project operates a Crisis Café in Chester which offers support 365 days a year from 10am until midnight. Through Spider Project's dynamic Creative Recovery approach, the aim of the service is to divert people away from Accident and Emergency (A&E) and other traditional crisis services available in Cheshire West and Chester.

We are recruiting response workers to the team, and welcome applications from people with experience in a wide range of related fields. Full, part-time and variable hours contracts considered. Hours: 37.5 per week. Pay: £20-24,000 p.a. For job description/person specification, visit Spider Project's website. Apply via Indeed.com – deadline extended to 21/06/21 Information provided to us from food bank.



**Foodbank collections have been revised and will now be every fortnight. Food bank are back **Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> June.****


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).**



Day for Life is the day in the Church's year dedicated to raising awareness about the meaning and value of human life at every stage and in every condition. The Church teaches that life is to be nurtured from conception to natural death. This year's *Day for Life* is celebrated on **20 June** in England and Wales.

**Next weekend** there will be a second collection for *Day for Life*. At the end of Mass this weekend, there will be **purple envelopes** to take home should you wish and return next weekend, 19<sup>th</sup>/20<sup>th</sup> for the collection. In addition to the newsletter, there is a **Day for Life** poster attachment for you to read which gives you more information.



**“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 May was £206.25.

**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-donator/page/StWinefrideNeston2218>

**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 about a tiny little seed. But when it is planted it grows into a big bush with branches big enough for all the birds to come and sit in. Let's think a bit more about what Jesus was trying to say with this story.

**Opening prayer:** Loving God, you show us that the littlest actions can have huge results, and that the smallest of people can do great things. Inspire us to play our part in making the world a fairer place for everyone. Amen.

*Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time*  
*Gospel: Mark 4:26-34*

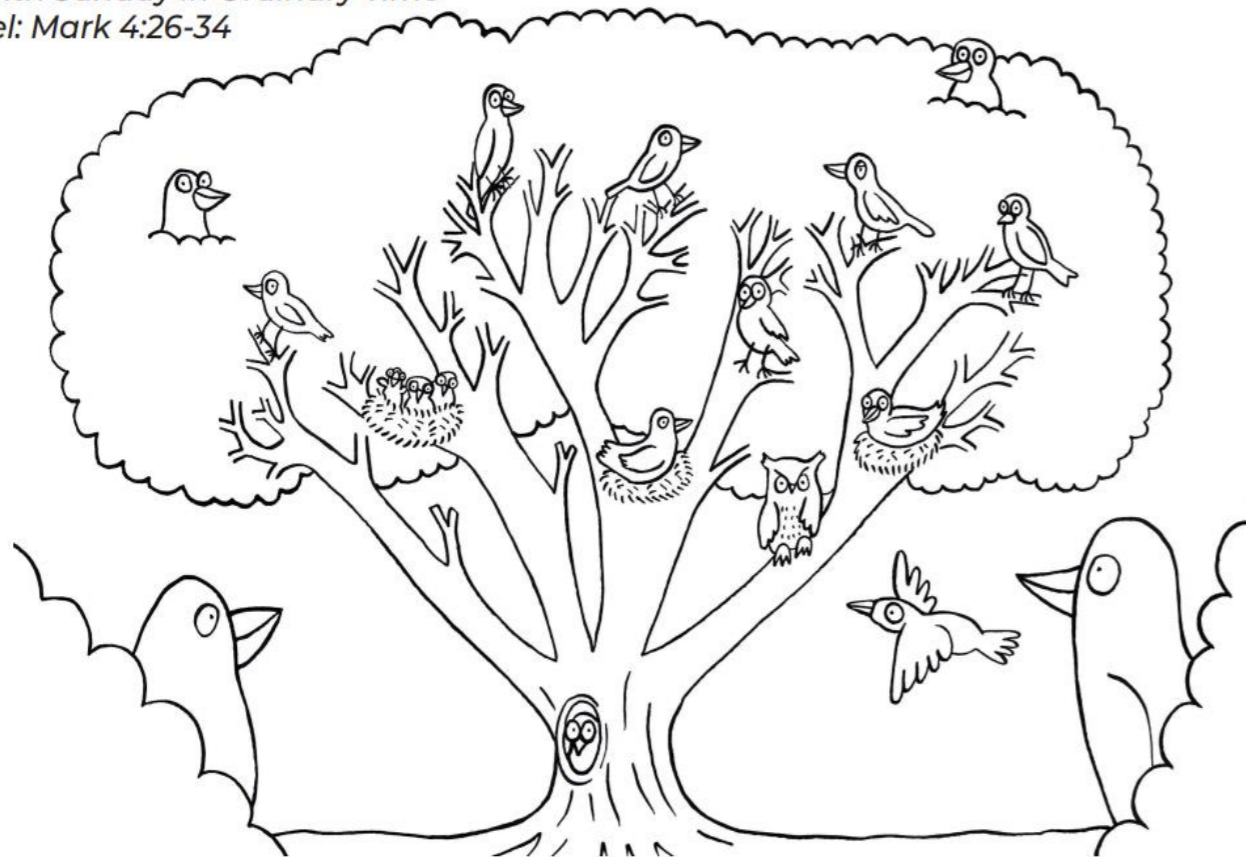


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Find more activities and prayers at [cafod.org.uk/families](http://cafod.org.uk/families)

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