



# St Winefride's RC Church

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## Ordinary Time XV

15 July 2018

14 July	SATURDAY	15 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time	6.30 pm	Jennifer and Marioth 40th Wedding Anniversary
15 July	SUNDAY		8.45 am 10.45 am	Bishop Mark Davies Parish Family
16 July	MONDAY	Our Lady of Mount Carmel	10.00 am	Special intention - Paul
17 July	TUESDAY		10.00 am	Funeral Mass for Yvonne Morgan
18 July	WEDNESDAY		10.00 am	Mass or Service of Word and Eucharist
19 July	THURSDAY		10.00 am	Joan Balshaw
20 July	FRIDAY	St Apollinaris	10.00 am	Special Intention
21 July	SATURDAY	St Lawrence of Brindisi	10.00 am	Maureen Gibbs
21 July	Next Weekend SATURDAY	16 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time	6.30 pm	Gill Bolland
22 July	SUNDAY		8.45 am 10.45 am	Parish Family Alf Alecock

**Weekdays:** Adoration from 9.00am; Morning Prayer 9:40am; Rosary following 10.00am Mass  
**Sacrament of Reconciliation:** Saturday 10.30am and 5.45-6.10pm

	14 July / 15 July			21 July / 22 July		
	6.30pm (Vigil)	8:45am	10:45am	6.30pm (Vigil)	8:45am	10:45am
<b>Readers - Readings</b>	K Powell	R Pisarek	M Unsworth	K Ankers	Am Millar	M Slater
<b>Readers - Intercessions</b>	D Davies	Clark Family	V Casey	P Flanagan	T McGlynn	J Tunstall
<b>EMHC</b>	J Gordon M Green	T McGlynn R Pisarek	M Slater J Tunstall A Cropper D Barber	F Byrne C Haines	K Garrod K Hughes	D Pover K Holden G Barber T Topping
<b>Counters</b>	Andrea Williams & Wyn Penfold			Dee and Steve Roberts		
<b>Cleaners</b>	L Dee, A Williams & D Roberts			Louise Wilkinson, Celia Kirshen		

### REGULAR ACTIVITIES

**Wed:** SVP 7pm in presbytery; Choir 7-8pm; **Thur:** Communion Visits; **Sun:** YSVP 10am in hall  
**2<sup>nd</sup> Tues of month:** SPUC 7:30pm in hall; **Last Tues of month:** Lunch Club; **3<sup>rd</sup> Thur of month:** CWL 7.30pm in hall  
**Last Sunday's Offering:** Thanks for your support!

### News from St Winefride's Primary School:

This week the children at St Winefride's have enjoyed their sports days. Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 competed on Monday, Years 3-6 competed on Wednesday. The beautiful weather enabled both days to go ahead as planned, which is not always the case with the British Summer!

St Winefride's Primary School is looking for volunteers to read with children next academic year. Volunteer readers come into school on the same day and time each week, either in a morning or afternoon, to allow teachers to plan for the additional help. This assistance is extremely valuable to the staff and makes a huge difference to the children. If anyone is interested, please could they contact the school office in the first instance on 0151 338 2468. Volunteers would need to undergo a DBS check. Thank you.

Fr Paul writes.

The days and weeks seem to fly away. It is just over a week before our children break up for their summer holidays. I do hope that this good weather will last for their holidays but may be a little cooler! We are living in very uncertain times. The issue of Brexit is dominating our news. There seems to be a polarisation in Westminster, EEC and between North and South of our country. Let us not forget that many people are suffering with a lack of support re home care for the elderly. The reliance on the 'Food Bank' for many of our parishioners who need this support, several of them are suffering with the delay in receiving child care and the cut in allowance benefits. Several of our parishioners are working with no reassurance of work. Many of our parish are on 0 hours contracts. Yet in the darkness of these times we have seen community at its best. In particular the 12 boys and their coach who have been brought safely. Let our prayer be to the Holy Spirit who can make all things new.

With my prayers,

Fr Paul

### PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

**EMHC/Readers:** A new rota for July - September is now available online.

**Newsletter Holiday:** Please note that the publishing of our parish newsletter will break for August until early September. Many thanks to our team of newsletter editors for their commitment.

**Piety Stall:** Open after each Sunday Mass in the church hall. Cards are also available in the back porch.

**Cake sale:** After 10.45 mass July 22 in aid of Jade Hardy-Perry's mission trip to Uganda. Cake donation gratefully received please support this worthy cause.

**Our Mission Together:** I have been asked that if you have not been able to send your pledge form to the Diocese can you please do so. You can also hand them to Deacon Michael or myself. Many thanks for your support.

**LPA pilgrimage:** The three parishes in our LPA (St Winefride's, Holy Family and OLSJ) propose a day trip visit to Harvington Hall, near Kidderminster, which contains a number of priest holes from the Reformation (see www.harvingtonhall.com). The trip is planned for the week commencing September 17 and will cost £10-£15 depending on numbers. This will cover entrance to the Hall and Afternoon Tea. The cost of the coach will be subsidised by the three parishes. The trip will only run if we get sufficient numbers so please indicate your interest as soon as possible to: Jean Jenkins (HF) 648-0988; Derek Pover (St W's) 336-8426; Bernard Larkin (OLSJ) 342-5517

### National Eucharistic Pilgrimage and Congress,

**Adoremus:** 7-9 September. Bookings to hear the inspirational Bishop Robert Barron (www.wordonfire.org) from the Archdiocese of Los Angeles on Saturday (08/9) and for the 9:30am Pilgrimage Mass on Sunday (09/9) will be taken until Tuesday 31 July. Please book and pay for your Congress tickets through your parish. Sunday Mass tickets can be booked online at www.jumpdp.com/adoremus2018. Tickets and delegate packs will be posted to delegates in mid-August. All details: www.dioceseofshrewsbury.org

**Second Collection:** This weekend there will be a voluntary collection for the work of the Apostleship of the Sea. More information can be found in the church porches.

**Parish Pilgrimage/Holiday:** Some members of the parish have asked about the possibility of a Pilgrimage/holiday in May 2019. I've done a little homework and put this suggestion before you...

**CORK MAY 2019:** Sunday 26 - Friday 31 May staying in the luxurious Maritime Hotel in Bantry. Cost is £499pp [SGL Supp £108.50; optional travel insurance £32] with deposit of £75 to be paid by end of August [cheque payable to St Winefride's] All trips/tips included in the cost. Mass every day; trips to Kinsale, Cobh, Cork City and Ring of Kerry. Places are limited. Any questions see Fr Paul.

See Fr Paul for Booking Form and pick up an itinerary or if you have any questions see him after Mass