

St Winefride's RC Church

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5th Sunday of Easter

19 May 2019

18 May	SATURDAY	5 th Sunday of Easter	6.30pm	Peter Morgan
19 May	SUNDAY		8.45 am 10.45 am	Nick Smith Fr Chris Parish family
20 May	MONDAY	St Bernardine of Siena	10.00 am	Chris Waite (health)
21 May	TUESDAY	The dedication of the cathedral	10.00 am	Ethel Anne Woodburn
22 May	WEDNESDAY	St Rita of Cascia	10.00 am	Mass or service of Word and Eucharist
23 May	THURSDAY	IN SCHOOL	9.10 am	First Holy Communion Mass - school
24 May	FRIDAY	Our Lady Help of Christians	10.00 am	May Procession
25 May	SATURDAY	St Bede the Venerable	10.00 am	Fr Gerry Courell
25 May	Next Weekend SATURDAY	6 th Sunday of Easter	6.30 pm	Anastasia Corbett
26 May	SUNDAY		8.45 am 10.45 pm	Kathryn Kerr MaryAnn Day (health)

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

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

	18 May / 19 May			25 May / 26 May		
	6.30pm (Vigil)	8:45am	10:45am	6.30pm (Vigil)	8:45am	10:45am
Readers – Readings	C Haimes	Larty Family	Joseph Family	S Davies	Clark Family	M Slater
Readers - Intercessions	A Flanagan	R Pisarek	T Topping	M Green	AM Millar	Jones Family
EMHC	M Branch M Green	M Davies K Hughes	M Slater J Tunstall A Cropper D Pover	D Davies F Byrne	T McGlynn R Pisarek	D Pover K Holden A Cropper T Topping
Counters	Phil Challis and Tony Wright			Fran and Brian Byrne		
Cleaners	A.M McLean, C Kay, S Allister			Brian and Veronica Casey		

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: Thank you for your support!

News from St Winefride's Catholic Primary School:

Last Sunday saw Joseph Bull, Albert Montealegre Jr, Liezel Eugenio, Sienna Nicole Vincent, Max Leadbetter, Emily Fox, James Hampshaw and Ellis Stephenson make their First Holy Communion and everyone at St Winefride's Primary School would like to offer congratulations to them and to all the children making their First Holy Communion this weekend.

Fr Paul writes: It has been a very full week in the life of the parish. I find that when I get to Wednesday the weekend follows very quickly. On Sunday at our 10.45am Mass we will be celebrating, with the second group of children, who are to receive Holy Communion for the first time;

Christian Radford, Eleanor Donellan, Suzie Hannaway, Grace Tudor, Emily Lewis and Kayleigh Leach. This, as last week, gives us the opportunity to thank the Lord for his gift of His Body and Blood. Please pray for their families that they will continue 'in remembrance of the Lord Jesus' this act of His every abiding Love.

On **Thursday at 9.10 am** our youngsters will have a celebration of Mass in our Primary School. If your child does not attend this school, they are most welcome to come.

On **Friday morning at 10.00 am in church**, our school children will be reflecting upon **Mary, the Mother of the Lord**. They will crown Her and walk in procession to the Grotto of Our Lady of Lourdes. There will be an opportunity for all to receive Holy Communion. You are all most welcome to come and pray with and for the children of our parish. You will not be required to join the procession! There will be light refreshments in the Hall after the service as our children return to school. Pray to for our school who will start their half term break on Friday. We also pray for the Balm of the Holy Spirit for years 11 and year 13 in our High Schools as they take their Public Exams.

Parish Pilgrimage to Ireland will depart from church next Sunday at 5.45 AM!!!!

With my prayers for you and your families. **Fr Paul**

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

Sacrament of Confirmation 2019: This year it will be held on **Wednesday 19th June at Holy Family Church, Pensby**. Classes have now started. 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 now available online. A big thank you to those people who have come forward and volunteered to help. If you would like still like to volunteer, then please do let me know. Many hands make light work as they say.

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.

Ordination – On the **6th July at Shrewsbury Cathedral**, **Jim Kay** will be ordained a Deacon. We will be organising a coach from Neston to take people to Shrewsbury. The cost will be £12 and will include a buffet after the ordination. There will be time for you to also look around Shrewsbury. If you are interested in coming, then please let us know. I list will be put on the noticeboard next weekend. The coach will leave church at 10.00am returning around 6.30 pm.

SVP: There will be a second collection next weekend, 25th/26th May. The SVP thank you for your continued support.

CWL: The CWL are hold their National Coffee Event on Thursday 30th May. All welcome to come. Please bring a friend (and your knitting). Time 1.30 - 4pm.

CAFOD – We have received two letters from CAFOD thanking us for the money we raised from the Family Fast Day in March and a second for the Cyclone Idai Appeal. Both letters are on the noticeboard.

CCRS: The next module; Christian Morality, for the Catholic Certificate of Religious Studies continues 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.

Theatre Night Wed 12th June: SVP Holiday Home: The Bebington Dramatic Society (BDS) will be performing "Outside Edge" by Richard Harris Comedy on Wednesday 12th June, 19:30 at the Gladstone Theatre, Port Sunlight. All proceeds raised go towards the upkeep of the SVP Holiday Home; this is an amazing opportunity to send families on holiday who otherwise would not get one. Tickets are £9 and will be available after mass or by contacting Mark Branch (336 4287).

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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