



ST WINEFRIDE'S RC CHURCH

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Sunday 19th October 2025 – Sunday 26th October 2025

Mass Readings: Sunday Year C, Weekday Cycle Year 1

Sunday 19 Oct	Saturday Vigil Mass for Sunday	6.00 pm	Stanley, Agnes & Marie Jones
	TWENTY NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	8.45 am	Parish family
	Family Mass	10.30 am	Roy Corbett (recently deceased) RIP
	Day of Special Prayer for World Mission		
Monday	St Peter of Alcantara	9.30am	Phil Challis (RIP)
Tuesday	Ferial	9.30 am	Tina Clegg (RIP)
Wednesday	St John Paul II	9.30 am	Moira Griffiths-Parr (RIP)
Thursday	Ferial	Requiem Mass	10.00 am Roy Clifford Corbett (RIP)
Friday	Ferial	9.30 am	Clair Piccola (b'day anniv) RIP
Saturday	Ferial	9.30 am	Julia & Kyle Corcoran (Thanksgiving)
Sunday 26 Oct	Saturday Vigil Mass for Sunday	6.00 pm	Jack Turner (RIP)
	THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	8.45 am	Parish family
	Family Mass	10.30 am	Phil Challis (RIP)

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.

Prayer for the month of collaboration between different religious traditions

We join with Pope Leo in prayer for his intention this month. Let us pray that believers in different religious traditions might work together to defend and promote peace, justice, and human fraternity.

SUNDAY	18/19 th October			25/26 th October		
	6pm	8.45am	10.30am	6pm	8.45am	10.30am
Readers	K Ankers	AM Millar	P Hemington	D Loughe	Clark family	C Kingsland
Welcomers	6pm B Roles		8.45am A & D Docherty		10.30am R Stacey	
EMHC	6pm Deacon Mike		8.45am T McGlynn		10.30am A Williams	

LITTLE CHURCH: Children’s liturgy will take place during the family Mass at 10.30am.

WEEKDAYS	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Readers	A Cropper	A Volunteer	G Barber	Corbett family	A Volunteer	G Barber

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, 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, Michael Sheridan, Martin Penfold, Bill Penfold, Val Higgins, Clem Haimes

Anniversaries of our departed (20th Oct – 26th Oct)

John Davies, Myles Byrne, Jessie Jones, Eileen Morgan, David Morgan, Jacqueline Peers (20/10) Fr Percival Bailey, Margaret Myers, Bishop Brian Michael Noble (21/10) Norman Bicketstaff (22/10) Fr Louis St John, Thomas Joseph McKeown, Sean McKeown, Sheila May Burrell (23/10) Dermott Higgins, Terence Hughes, Margaret Elizabeth Davies (24/10) Henry Owen, Neville Myers (25/10) Fr Oswald Calderbank, Kevin Morris (26/10)

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.

First Holy Communion: This Sunday invite children in year 3 and above who wish to receive their First Holy Communion to a welcome Mass and first meeting. The meeting will take place in church after the family Mass. It will last around 1 hour.

Daily Mass times: *Fr Tom writes* - Many thanks to all those who gave helpful feedback on the proposed changes to the daily Mass times. Many useful points were made and I was particularly grateful to those who offered support and understanding of how these changes will assist me in carrying out my other duties. Having considered all responses, we will from 3rd November adopt the new daily Mass times as follows: Monday, Wednesday & Thursday 9am, Tuesday & Friday 7pm, Saturday 12 Noon.

From Pope Leo’s first official document *Dilexi te* “I have loved you”: *God is merciful love, and his plan of love, which unfolds and is fulfilled in history, is above all his descent and coming among us to free us from slavery, fear, sin and the power of death. Addressing their human condition with a merciful gaze and a heart full of love, he turned to his creatures and thus took care of their poverty. Precisely in order to share the limitations and fragility of our human nature, he himself became poor and was born in the flesh like us. We came to know him in the smallness of a child laid in a manger and in the extreme humiliation of the cross, where he shared our radical poverty, which is death. It is easy to understand, then, why we can also speak theologically of a preferential option on the part of God for the poor [...] This “preference” never indicates exclusivity or discrimination towards other groups, which would be impossible for God. It is meant to emphasize God’s actions, which are moved by compassion toward the poverty and weakness of all humanity. Wanting to inaugurate a kingdom of justice, fraternity and solidarity, God has a special place in his heart for those who are discriminated against and oppressed, and he asks us, his Church, to make a decisive and radical choice in favour of the weakest.*

Funerals: A requiem Mass for Roy Clifford Corbett will be on **Thursday 23rd October 2025 at 10.00am** followed by burial in the churchyard. Please keep Roy’s sons Garvan, Ronan, Myles and Daragh and their family in your prayers.

On **Thursday 30th October 2025 at 10.00 am** there will be a requiem Mass for Philip (Phil) Challis followed by interment at Landican South Crematorium at 11.30am. Please keep his wife Peggy and their children and grandchildren in your prayers.

World Mission Sunday: Parishes worldwide celebrate World Mission Sunday. By supporting Missio – the Pope’s charity for world mission we stand united as God’s global family, in prayer, solidarity and action. Please pray for the Missionaries and give what you can to this vital collection. To donate, use the Missio envelopes which are in the porch, call 020 7821 9755 or visit missio.org.uk. There will be a retiring collection after all the weekend Masses.

Date for our diaries: Mass of induction - St Winefride's Day will be celebrated this year on **Tuesday 4th November**. We will make this Parish Feast Day the occasion for Fr Tom's induction as Parish Priest at a 7pm evening Mass. Please do come!

Talk for the 1700th Anniversary of the Nicene Creed: *Fr Tom writes* – Thanks so much to those who gave feedback to say that they would be interested in hearing the talk that I gave recently at the Christian Heritage Centre, Stonyhurst. Responding to that encouragement, I will give that talk again in the Parish Hall after the evening Mass on Tuesday 18th November.

Piety stall: Please have a look at the selection of cards that are for sale on the table at the back of church.

St Winefride’s School Newsletter: Copy on the noticeboard or at www.stwinefrides.cheshire.sch.uk/page/newsletters/1423

Knot just knitting: This group will meet again on **Friday 31st October**. 1.30 – 4pm in the church hall. All welcome.

Bereavement Group: The next meeting will be on **Wednesday 5th November** from 1pm – 3pm 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 grounds tidy.

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

CAFOD Family Fast Day Appeal – So far with your generosity we have raised £581. If you still have your envelope, then just place in the offertory collection this weekend. Thank you.

Offertory Collections: Thank you, as ever, for the generous support.

Food Bank: Urgent items as at 16 Oct; tinned meat, potatoes, coffee, instant mash, squash. **They have plenty of;** cereal & pasta.

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