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#### LITURGICAL CALENDAR OF THE WEEK

Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> January – Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> January 2024

Mass Readings: Sunday Year B, Weekday Cycle Year 2

	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Dorothy Strawson (health)
Sunday 7 <sup>th</sup> Jan	THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD	8.45 am	Shelagh Andrew (RIP)
	Family Mass	10.30 am	Parish family
Monday	THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD	9.30am	Fr Gerry Courell (RIP)
Tuesday	Ferial	9.30 am	Pauline Gainsborough (RIP)
Wednesday	Ferial	9.30 am	For a young person (health)
Thursday	Ferial	9.30 am	Dougals (Neal) Smith (RIP)
Thursday	Funeral Service	12.15 pm	Douglas (Neal) Smith (RIP)
Friday	Ferial	9.30 am	Briege Folan (RIP)
Saturday	Blessed Virgin Mary on Saturday	9.30am	David Eva (health)
	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Philomena Fletcher (RIP)
Sunday 14 <sup>th</sup> Jan	SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	8.45 am	Parish family
	DAY OF PRAYER FOR WORLD PEACE Family Mass	10.30 am	Marceline Hewitt (anniv 11/1) RIP

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SUNDAY	6/7 <sup>th</sup> January 2024			13/14 <sup>th</sup> January 2024		
SUNDAT	6pm	8.45am	10.30 am	6pm	8.45am	10.30am
Readers	J Shakespeare	Clark family	JD, HJ & MA	I Robinson	T McGlynn	L Hannaway
Welcomers	s 6 pm M Branch/P Higgins		8.45 am A & D Docherty		10.30 am P Challis	
WEEKDAYS	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Readers	M Corcoran	C Haimes	J Tunstall	A Cropper	C Haimes	M J Povey

#### 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,

Creator of fleaverrain 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, Rosemary Southwell, Pat Cummins, Win Bayley, Joe Hemington, Maurice McAsey, Judy Howard, Fr Paul O'Grady, Maureen Adams, Sr Suzan George, Eva Bennion, Paul Wallace, Dorothy Strawson, Ronnie Phelan, Maureen Knox, Joseph Kennedy, Gerald Sanderson, Mary Gilbert, Michael Rowlands, Ruth Pisarek, Frances Flooks, Betty Watson, Kay Minto, Susan Trowell, Margaret Maw, Josie Rowland, David Eva, Peter Roca, Stephanie Archibald, Moira Griffiths Parr, Margaret Gould, Louise Dixon, Ann Kelly, Joan Burkmar, Laura Growney-Stone, Stephen Bretland, Joanne Fellows.

Please inform Fr Francis or office of any changes.

#### Anniversaries of our departed (8th January – 14th January)

Canon Maurice Stone, Fr John McDonald, Richard Park, Elizabeth Gaffney, Ken Bayley, Mary Anne Day, Mick Lyonette (8/1) Fr Ralph Velarde, Monica Jungbluth, Elizabeth Proudfoot, Arthur Farrell (9/1) Barbara Caffrey, Ada Knox, Margaret Daintree (10/1) Mary Anne Raybone, Aine Radford, Marceline Hewitt (11/1) Rebecca Quick, Harold Thelwell, Samuel (Sammy) Meadows, Michael Almond (12/1) Valerie Margaret Law, Alma Ryan (13/1) Evelyn Knight, Odilla Beardsworth (14/1)

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**Epiphany 7 January 2024:** This weekend for the feast of the Magi and to celebrate our diversity we will be having the readings and psalm said in different languages. Jayne Dixon will be saying the first and second reading and Helen Jones the psalm. Three different languages. The bidding prayers will stay in English. You can follow the readings in English on the newsletter as normal.

**Tree decorations:** After the family Mass this Sunday the Christmas decorations will be taken down, both in church and the hall. If anyone is able to stay and help then please just remain in church after Mass.

Little church: Please remember Children's liturgy during the Family Mass at 10.30am.

**Christmas Cards:** There are a number of Christmas cards that have been left for parishioners, they are now in the back porch in a basket. Please do have a look and collect it for you.

**Volunteer Christmas Gifts:** If you have not yet collected your gifts, the church hall will be open after each Mass this weekend. Do call in and take a gift and please tick off your name on the list. Quite a few people are still to collect a gift.

**Recently deceased:** Please pray for the repose of the soul of Rhonda Evelyn Jacques who died on Christmas Day. Rhonda was 64 and lived in Willaston. Please remember her brother Tony and family in your prayers. Also remember in your prayers Philomena Fletcher who died earlier this week. Philomena was sister to Tony Topping. Can we also pray for the family of Majella Wool and her three children in Ireland. Her husband Jamie (cousin of Margaret Spencer) passed away suddenly at the age of 45 on Boxing Day. Jamie was a keen footballer and about to take part in a charity match when he died.

**Funeral Service:** Please pray for Douglas (Neal) Smith who died on the 12<sup>th</sup> December at Liverpool Heart & Chest hospital. Please remember his wife Leonora and daughters Joanne and Gemma. The funeral service is this Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> January followed by committal at Blacon at 2pm.

**Our Lady's Lamp:** This lamp may be lit for your intentions and will burn by Our Lady's Chapel for seven days. If you wish to have it lit, then please contact Fr Francis or the office. This week Our Lady's Lamp will be lit for the David Eva.

Parish Social and Community Meeting: The next meeting is due to take place on Wednesday, 10<sup>th</sup> January in the church hall. All parishioners are welcome to attend.

**Art Club:** The next session is on **Monday 15**th **January** in the church hall. **1 – 3pm**. All very welcome.

**Reflection:** Tony Topping's new reflection "Gaudette" is now available on the website and there are a few copies in the porch.

**Piety stall:** Thank you for your support with the purchasing of Christmas cards and goods during Advent. Please remember stocks of general cards are still available at the back of church. Please put your money in the box. Thank you.

Offertory Collections: Thank you for your generous support as usual.

**Lost property:** There are a large amount of lost property items now that have been collected over the year, please do take a look in the draw in the porch when you next come to Mass. Thank you.

**Tea/Coffee:** The parish hall will be back open this weekend for **refreshments after the 10.30am Masses.** What gives us life and energy as a Parish is when we come together spiritually and socially.

**Foodbank:** Most urgent items needed as at 4 January 2023 UHT juice, instant mash, meat pastes cream crackers, tinned meats and meat meals. Other items needed are small jars of instant coffee, tinned fruit, tinned meals, tinned veg and pasta sauces. You can also donate non food items, deodorants, shampoo/conditioner, shower gels etc.

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Sunday 14th January – Sunday 21st January 2024

Mass Readings: Sunday Year B, Weekday Cycle Year 2

	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Philomena Fletcher (RIP)
Sunday 14 <sup>th</sup> Jan	SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	8.45 am	Parish family
	DAY OF PRAYER FOR WORLD PEACE Family Mass	10.30 am	Marceline Hewitt (anniv 11/1) RIP
Monday	Ferial	9.30am	Margo Mainey (RIP)
Tuesday	Ferial	9.30 am	Doreen Adams (RIP)
Wednesday	St Anthony	9.30 am	Kieran Halligan (RIP)
Thursday	Ferial	9.30 am	Cecilia Kehoe (RIP)
Thursday	The Octave of Prayer for Christian Unity (18 <sup>th</sup> - 25 <sup>th</sup> )		
Friday	Ferial	9.30 am	Phil Fitzpatrick (RIP)
Saturday	Blessed Virgin Mary on Saturday	9.30am	Sick and Housebound
	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Patricia Dooley – anniv 27/1 (RIP)
Sunday 21st Jan	THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	8.45 am	Granny Pat (RIP)
	Sunday of the Word of God Family Mass	10.30 am	Parish family

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SUNDAT	6pm	8.45am	10.30 am	6pm	8.45am	10.30am	
Readers	I Robinson	T McGlynn	L Hannaway	P Flanagan	M Corcoran	P Hemington	
Welcomers	6 pm P Higgins		8.45 am A & D Docherty		10.30 am P Challis		
WEEKDAYS	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	
Readers	A Volunteer	A Cropper	J Tunstall	P Hemington	C Haimes	M J Povey	

#### 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, Rosemary Southwell, Pat Cummins, Win Bayley, Joe Hemington, Maurice McAsey, Judy Howard, Fr Paul O'Grady, Maureen Adams, Sr Suzan George, Eva Bennion, Paul Wallace, Dorothy Strawson, Ronnie Phelan, Maureen Knox, Joseph Kennedy, Gerald Sanderson, Mary Gilbert, Michael Rowlands, Ruth Pisarek, Frances Flooks, Betty Watson, Kay Minto, Susan Trowell, Margaret Maw, Josie Rowland, David Eva, Peter Roca, Stephanie Archibald, Moira Griffiths Parr, Margaret Gould, Louise Dixon, Ann Kelly, Joan Burkmar, Laura Growney-Stone, Stephen Bretland, Joanne Fellows. Canon Phil Moor VG. *Please inform Fr Francis of any changes*.

#### Anniversaries of our departed (15th January – 21st January)

Elizabeth Foley, Michael Francis Halley, Esme Rose Weir (15/1) Valerie Margaret Law, Fr Thomas FEE (16/1) Sheila Stephens, Magdalen Ounsworth (18/1), Fr John Stanislaus Wilkinson, Fr Henry M Leay, Joan Schofield, Margaret Penfold (19/1) Marie Trotman (20/1) Fr Peter Pears, Henry Joseph Hewitt, John Henry Scofield, Valerie Wood (21/1)

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The Year of Prayer 2024 and the Jubilee Year 2025: As you know Pope Francis has announced that Church will celebrate a Jubilee Year in 2025, with the theme of "Pilgrims of Hope" and 2024 has been designated a Year of prayer. Jubilee Year is a special year of grace. It is a time of pilgrimage, prayer, repentance and acts of mercy, based on the Old Testament tradition of a Jubilee year of rest and worship, forgiveness and renewal. Let us make this year of preparation for the jubilee be an occasion for our spiritual enrichment focusing on both individual prayer and community prayer, and deepening our interior union with Christ and journeying together as Pilgrims of Hope.

**Christian Unity Service:** The octave of prayer for Christian Unity begins on Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> and ends on Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> January. This year Christian Unity Service will take place at Little Neston Methodist Church on Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> January at 6:30PM. All very welcome to attend.

**Little church:** Please remember Children's liturgy during the Family Mass at 10.30am. We thank all parents for their encouragement and support.

**Recently deceased:** On the 21<sup>st</sup> December Teresa Wallace's niece Arlene died. Arlene was married to Gavin for 17 years, she has a daughter Isobel and had battled cancer for just over 2 years. She will be deeply missed by everyone who knew her. Remember the family in your prayers. Also remember in your prayers Ben Unsworth whose best friend at University Adam Scott has just recently passed away. Adam was only 21. Please pray for the repose of the soul of Joan Clements who lived in the parish and died on the 7<sup>th</sup> January, and keep her family in your prayers.

**Funeral Service:** Please pray for the repose of the soul of Rhonda Evelyn Jacques who died on Christmas Day. Please remember her brother Tony, sister in-law Diane and their children Imogen and Sebastian in your prayers. Rhonda's funeral will be held on Friday 26<sup>th</sup> January at 11.30am followed by cremation at Landican.

**Sick and housebound:** We continue to remember in our prayers all those who are sick at this time in our parish and those who have requested the prayers of our parish community for their dear ones, especially for Canon Phil Moor VG who is seriously ill and needs our prayers. We are privileged to bring everyone to Jesus in our prayers and the healing presence of the Lord can make a difference in their lives beyond our imagination.

**Our Lady's Lamp:** This lamp may be lit for your intentions and will burn by Our Lady's Chapel for seven days. If you wish to have it lit, then please contact Fr Francis or the office. This week Our Lady's Lamp will be lit for Canon Phil Moor.

Lourdes Hospitality Meeting: The next meeting will take place at St Columba's Church on 20<sup>th</sup> January at 2pm.

**Parish Winter Warmer:** Have you got the January Blues, then come and be cheered up at our Parish Winter Warmer Coffee Morning on Saturday 20th January 10am till 12 30pm. Lots to eat and drink including Gaelic Coffee, also bring and buy and raffle. All very welcome. Money raised will be used to purchase garden furniture for the patio area.

Art Club: The next session is on Monday 15th January in the church hall. 1 – 3pm. All very welcome.

SPUC: The next meeting will be Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> January at 2.30pm in the church hall. All welcome.

NDCT: Prayer breakfast information for 2024 is now on the noticeboard.

Bereavement Group: The group will start again on Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> January, 1-3pm. Please do come along, all welcome.

**Piety stall:** Please remember stocks of general cards are still available at the back of church. There are also a couple of diocesan yearbooks if anyone would like to purchase one. Cost £6.00. Please put your money in the red box for any piety items.

**Priests' Retirement Fund:** Next weekend, **20/21**<sup>st</sup> **January** the annual Collection for the Retired Priests' Fund will be held. With your help, we can build up the Fund to help meet the future needs of our sick and retired priests.

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Sunday 21st January – Sunday 28th January 2024

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	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Patricia Dooley – anniv 27/1 (RIP)
Sunday 21st Jan	THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	8.45 am	Granny Pat (RIP)
	Sunday of the Word of God Family Mass	10.30 am	Parish family
Monday	Ferial	9.30am	Arlene Kearney (RIP)
Tuesday	Ferial	9.30 am	Joyce McAsey (RIP)
Wednesday	St Francis de Sales	9.30 am	Jamie Wool (RIP)
Thursday	THE CONVERSION OF ST PAUL	9.30 am	Rhonda Evelyn Jacques (RIP)
Friday	Ss Timothy & Titus	9.30 am	Isabelle & Joseph Loughe (RIP)
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Saturday	Blessed Virgin Mary on Saturday	9.30am	Jean Houghton (90 <sup>th</sup> birthday anniv) RIP
	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Mary Agnes & Laurence Binns (RIP)
Sunday 28 <sup>th</sup> Jan	FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	8.45 am	Parish family
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you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us;

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**Sunday of the Word of God:** The Third Sunday of Ordinary Time is the 'Sunday of the Word of God' – a day, instituted by Pope Francis in 2019 on the Feast of Saint Jerome, the man who translated most of the Bible into Latin, and who famously said: Ignorance of Scripture is ignorance of Christ". By naming a specific Sunday to commemorate the 'unbreakable bond between the Sacred Scripture and the Eucharist,' the Pope seeks to remind us that the Word of God is 'performative' and enables us to proclaim its unfathomable riches before the world. "Devoting a specific Sunday of the liturgical year to the word of God can enable the Church to experience anew how the risen Lord opens up for us the treasury of his word and enables us to proclaim its unfathomable riches before the world." - From the Apostolic letter 'Aperuit Illis' of Pope Francis.

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Bereavement Group: The group will start again on Wednesday 24th January, 1-3pm. Please do come along, all welcome.

Cheshire West & Chester: Neston Library are having a Health & Wellbeing week 22-28th January, see noticeboard for info.

**Parish records:** If you are new to the parish or perhaps have moved or changed your contact details in the last year or two, then please contact Jayne in the parish office to give your new or updated details. Thank you.

Catholic Pic: The January edition has arrived. Copies in the porch. Please do take a copy.

**Neston Town Council:** On Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> February there is a meeting to discuss the 2024 Neston Christmas Light Switch. Venue is Neston Town Hall at 10am. Please see noticeboard for more information.

**Piety stall:** Please remember stocks of general cards are still available at the back of church. New stock has arrived and will be on display shortly. Please put your money in the red box.

**Priests' Retirement Fund:** This weekend **20/21**<sup>st</sup> **January** the annual Collection for the Retired Priests' Fund will be held. With your help, we can build up the Fund to help meet the future needs of our sick and retired priests. If you wish to Gift Aid your donation, please make your donation Online. To donate Online please go to <a href="https://www.dioceseofshrewsbury.org/retired-priests-fund">www.dioceseofshrewsbury.org/retired-priests-fund</a>. An electronic version of a leaflet about the Fund is available at <a href="https://www.dioceseofshrewsbury.org/retired-priests-fund">www.dioceseofshrewsbury.org/retired-priests-fund</a> and this also explains how you can donate to the Fund by Standing Order or Cheque (please make cheques payable to Retired Priests' Fund).

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**Foodbank:** Most urgent items needed as at 11 January 2024 UHT juice, instant mash, meat pastes cream crackers, tinned meats and meat meals. The Foodbank poster on the noticeboard refers to what we donated to the Neston foodbank at Christmas which was 102 kg and it helped 8 families which was a fantastic response.

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Monday	Ferial	9.30am	Carol Saunders (birthday anniv 21/1) RIP
Tuesday	Ferial	9.30 am	Teresa Fairgrieve (health)
Wednesday	St John Bosco	9.30 am	Special intention (A Cropper)
Thursday	Ferial	9.30 am	Adam Scott (RIP)
Thursday	Requiem Mass	11.30 am	Joan Clements (RIP)
Friday	THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD	9.30 am	Michael Booley (RIP)
Saturday	St Werburgh	9.30am	Patricia Dooley (RIP)
	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Parish family
Sunday 4 <sup>th</sup> Feb	FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	8.45 am	Olwyn Davies (health)
	Family Mass	10.30 am	Joanne Fellows (health)
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SUNDAY	27/28 <sup>th</sup> January 2024			3/4 <sup>th</sup> February 2024		
JUNDAT	6pm	8.45am	10.30 am	6pm	8.45am	10.30am
Readers	C Haimes	AM Millar	W Fryer	K Ankers	Clark family	J Tunstall
Welcomers	6 pm P Higgins		8.45 am A & D Docherty		10.30 am A Volunteer	
WEEKDAYS	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Readers	M Corcoran	J Tunstall	M Corcoran	M Unsworth	C Haimes	M J Povey

The Apostles Creed

Mary', all bow)

I believe in God, the Father Almighty,

who was conceived by the Holy Spirit

he ascended into heaven, and is seated

and in Jesus Christ, his only Son our Lord,

(At the words that follow, up to and including 'the Virgin

born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate,

on the third day he rose again from the dead;

at the right hand of God the Father almighty;

was crucified, died and was buried; he descended into hell;

from there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church,

the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,

Creator of heaven and earth,

## 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

including: Patricia Davies, Frances Wright, Rosemary Southwell, Pat Cummins, Win Bayley, Joe Hemington, Maurice McAsey, Judy Howard, Fr Paul, Maureen Adams, Sr Suzan George, Eva Bennion, Paul Wallace, Dorothy Strawson, Ronnie Phelan, Maureen Knox, Joseph Kennedy, Gerald Sanderson, Mary Gilbert, Michael Rowlands, Ruth Pisarek, Frances Flooks, Betty Watson, Kay Minto, Susan Trowell, Margaret Maw, Josie Rowland, David Eva, Peter Roca, Stephanie Archibald, Moira Griffiths Parr, Margaret Gould, Louise Dixon, Ann Kelly, Joan Burkmar, Laura Growney-Stone, Stephen Bretland, Joanne Fellows, Canon Phil Moor VG, Adrian Duggan, Jack Turner. Please inform us of any changes.

Please remember in your prayers all those who are sick

#### Anniversaries of our departed (29<sup>th</sup> January – 4<sup>th</sup> February)

Mildred Brogden, Michael McDowell, Theresa Duncon (29/1) Alma Teresa Donnelly, James Wilson, Fr John Thompson, Monica Little (30/1) Jenny White, Catherine Georgeiou, Josephine Margery Price Christopher, Cynthia Anne Wainwright (1/2) Ellen Morris nee Donnelly, John Healy, Michael Farrelly (2/2) Thomas Andrew Jones, Philip Anthony Saunders, Bryan Donnelly, Canon John F McHugh, Frank Sidney James (3/2) James McNance, Jeffrey Stone, Janet Elizabeth McKeown (4/2)

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First Holy Communion: The children received the Sacrament of Reconciliation in Advent together with their families will be starting their preparation for their First Holy Communion after 10.30am Mass this Sunday. The focus of the session will be how we can live our lives closer to Jesus by using the Beatitudes as our guide. May we remind the families preparing for the first Holy Communion that the participation in the Eucharistic celebration on Sundays is an essential part of a child's preparation for the First Holy Communion.

Little church: Please remember Children's liturgy during the Family Mass at 10.30am. We thank all parents for their encouragement and support.

Retreat: Fr Francis will be on annual retreat from Monday 5<sup>th</sup> to Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> February. Celebration of the Word and Communion will be at 9.30am in place of Mass.

Funeral Service: Please pray for the repose of the soul of Joan Clements who died on the 7th January. Please remember her children Su and Steve and granddaughter Ava in your prayers. Joan's requiem mass will be held on Thursday 1st February followed by cremation at Blacon at 1.20pm.

RCIA: Are you interested in learning more about Catholic faith? The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) allows anyone, regardless of age and faith background, to become a full member of the Catholic Church, getting to know better and deepening one's personal relationship with the Lord, whilst celebrating the Sacraments of Initiation – Baptism, confirmation and Eucharist. For more information please contact Fr Francis or the parish office.

Hour of Prayer: On Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> February is the first Friday Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus at Our Lady & St John, Heswall, at 2.30-3.30pm. All welcome.

Our Lady's Lamp: This lamp may be lit for your intentions and will burn by Our Lady's Chapel for seven days. If you wish to have it lit, then please contact Fr Francis or the office. This week Our Lady's Lamp will be lit for Laura Growney-Stone.

Parish Winter Warmer: Our Winter Warmer Coffee morning last Saturday was a great success. Many thanks to all who helped, gave donations, brought bring and buy and raffle prizes and to all who came and supported us. We raised a marvellous £425 which will go towards buying outdoor furniture for the new patio area. Plus a generous £150 was also offered by a parishioner.

Bereavement Group: The group have decided that it would be best to hold the meeting on the first Wednesday of the month and this will start from February. The next meeting is **Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> February**, 1 – 3pm. Then 6<sup>th</sup> March and 3<sup>rd</sup> April.

**SPUC:** The Youth and Student conference will this year take place on the weekend of the 23<sup>rd</sup> to 25<sup>th</sup> February 2024. It is open to young people from the ages of 16 to 35. If you would like to go or you know someone in your family who might like to attend, our group can sponsor them. Please, contact Margaret Unsworth on 077552188031 or 336 2050 for more information.

St Patrick's Day Celebration: Date for your diary. On Sunday 17th March there will be a parish social evening in the church hall. Approx 7.00-10.30pm Live music and light refreshments. If you would like to attend the cost will be £5.00 per person, tickets will be on sale soon. Money raised will also be used for the patio furniture.

Piety stall: There are stocks of general cards available at the back of church. Please put your money in the red box.

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Priests' Retirement Fund: Thank you for kind generosity as usual a total of £451.00 was raised last weekend inc late donation.

Offertory Collections: Thank you for your generous support.

Tea/Coffee: The parish hall is open for refreshments after the 10.30am Masses. What gives us life and energy as a Parish is when we come together spiritually and socially.

Foodbank: Most urgent items needed as at 25 January 2024 UHT juice, instant mash, meat pastes cream crackers, tinned meats and meat meals, tinned tomatoes, tinned or instant custard, tinned fruit and small jars of coffee.

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#### LITURGICAL CALENDAR OF THE WEEK

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	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Parish family
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Sullday 4" Feb	Family Mass	10.30 am	Joanne Fellows (health)
	Baptism	12.00 Noon	Robert Graham-Brown
Monday	Celebration of Word and Communion	9.30am	EMHC – Michael Corcoran
Tuesday	Celebration of Word and Communion	9.30am	EMHC – Katharine Powell
Wednesday	Celebration of Word and Communion	9.30am	EHHC – Agnes Cropper
Thursday	Celebration of Word and Communion	9.30am	EMHC – Joe Tunstall
Friday	Ferial	9.30am	Gladys & Tony Moreton (RIP)
Saturday	St Scholastica	9.30am	Uncle Ken Humphries (RIP)
	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Sr Anthony Wilson SND (RIP)
Sunday 11 <sup>th</sup> Feb	SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	8.45 am	Arlene Kearney (RIP)
	WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR THE SICK Family Mass	10.30 am	Parish family
	Baptism	12.00 noon	Olivia & Thomas Coslett

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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**

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Creator of heaven and earth,

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(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;

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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** 

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**Teressa Higginson:** On Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> February on the anniversary of Teressa's death, the pilgrams from Liverpool would normally be here for prayers and Mass. Unfortunately, due to illness and other commitments an organised visit will not happen. However, there will be a special Mass at 11.30am and there will be an opportunity for prayer in the afternoon. Church will be open as usual during the day and so anyone is most welcome to come and pray and visit her grave. The parish hall will also be available to use especially for those coming from a distance away.

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**Parish Social and Committee Meeting:** The next meeting is due to take place this **Wednesday, 7th February** in the church hall at 7pm. All parishioners welcome to attend.

**St Patrick's Day Celebration:** Sunday **17th March** in the parish hall from 7pm. Live music and light refreshments. Tickets are £5 each, on sale after 10.30am Mass or can be reserved via Jayne in the parish office - numbers are limited!

**Diocesan Choir Festival:** "Sing a New Song" You are invited to go along and sing as part of the diocesan choir. Learn music in the day and leading the singing for Mass at 5pm Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> February. More information is on the noticeboard.

**Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes 2024:** Brochures/booking forms are now available and a copy of the costs etc are on the noticeboard or visit <a href="www.shrewsburypilgrimage.co.uk">www.shrewsburypilgrimage.co.uk</a>. If you are aged 16 – 22 please email youth@dioceseofshrewsbury.org for an application form to join the youth section of our pilgrimage. This year our pilgrimage by air is from 26 July – 1 August, by coach 25 July to 2 August and for our young people 24 July to 2 August.

**Churchyard gardening**: Next Friday afternoon, **9**<sup>th</sup> **Feb**, weather permitting Barbara will be here to start a general tidy up in the graveyard. Any volunteers most welcome and the sessions will continue once again Friday afternoons 1.30pm – 3.30pm

**Reflection:** "Awareness" is the new reflection from Tony Topping. This will be online and there are some copies in the porch.

Cleaners: A new rota will be compiled shortly. However, if anyone is able to help a team for an hour or so, once every 4 weeks, then please contact Jayne in the office. If you are new to the parish it is a good way to meet new friends. Thank you.

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Mass Readings: Sunday Year B, Weekday Cycle Year 2

	Saturo	day Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Sr Anthony Wilson SND (RIP)
Sunday 11 <sup>th</sup> Feb	SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME		8.45 am	Arlene Kearney (RIP)
Sulluay II Feb	WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR THE SICK	<b>Family Mass</b>	10.30 am	Parish family
		Baptism	12.00 Noon	Olivia & Thomas Coslett
Monday	Ferial		9.30am	Jean Stevenson (RIP)
Tuesday	Ferial		9.30am	Hilda Davidson (RIP)
Modnosday	ASH WEDNESDAY	Morning Mass	9.30am	Margaret Veronica Povey (96th b/anniv) RIP
Wednesday	DAY OF FASTING AND ABSTINENCE	<b>Evening Mass</b>	7.00pm	Fr Gerry Courell (b/anniv) RIP
Thursday	Thursday after Ash Wednesday		9.30am	Gladys, Tony, Gerrard & Kevin Moreton (RIP)
Thursday	Mass in honour of Teresa Higginson		11.30 am	The Cause of Teresa Higginson
Friday	Friday after Ash Wednesday		9.30am	William Fletcher Povey (RIP)
Saturday	Saturday after Ash Wednesday		9.30am	Ellen Saunders (death anniv) RIP
	Satur	day Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Parish family
Sunday 18 <sup>th</sup> Feb	FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT		8.45 am	Pauline Clark (RIP)
		Family Mass	10.30 am	Ian Ilott (B/day anniv Feb) RIP

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SUNDAY	6pm	8.45am	10.30 am	6pm	8.45am	10.30am
Readers	M Branch	T McGlynn	A Cropper	J Shakespeare	M Corcoran	M Slater
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#### Anniversaries of our departed (12th February – 18th February)

Sheila Mary Turner (12/2) Fr Edward Carroll, Gerry McGrath (13/2) Robert Corbett, Fr Ernest Daly, Wilfrid Cecil Foley, Fr Ivan Burke, Fr Terry More, Christopher David O'Donovan, William Owen, Agnes Story (14/2) Tom Mullen, Helen Flooks, Peter Thomas (15/2) Laurence Lovelady, Anne Elizabeth Haimes, William Fletcher Povey (16/2) Elsie Macdonald, Robert (Alan) Jones (17/2)

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Fr Francis: With Ash Wednesday we begin the holy season of Lent that last for 40 days, a period to prepare ourselves spiritually for the solemnity of Easter. As we know there are so many important things calling our time and attention at this time and the result could be that the spiritual side of Easter hardly gets attention. Pope Francis invites us to dedicate this year as the Year of Prayer in preparation for the Jubilee Year 2025. Let us make this coming Lent a time for giving priority to prayer, opening our hearts and minds to Christ, allowing His light to shine in our lives and show us what we need to change in response to his love for us

**Teressa Higginson:** On Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> February, there will be a special Mass here at 11.30am in honour of Servant of God Teresa Higginson on her death anniversary and prayers at her graveside. Church will be open as usual during the day so you are welcome to come and pray and visit her grave. The parish hall will be available to use especially for those coming from a distance.

**Stations of the Cross:** During this Lent Stations of the Cross will take place on Fridays after 9.30am Mass. There will be a sign-up sheet in the porch for those who would like to lead this on a Friday. There will be a Lenten prayer Service on Wednesdays at 7pm organised by various groups. Deacon Mike will lead the service on Wednesday 21st February and the Music group on the 28th.

**Little church:** Please remember Children's liturgy during the Family Mass at 10.30am. We thank all parents for their encouragement and support.

Confirmation Mass: The confirmation Mass for children of our Local Missionary Area of Heswall, Pensby and Neston will take place on Wednesday 19th June 2024 at 7pm at St Winefride's Church, Neston and will be presided by Bishop Mark. The introductory session for both parents and candidates will take place on Saturday 23rd March at 7pm after the Vigil Mass of Palm Sunday. Children from Year 8 are eligible for confirmation and we request all parents in our parish to encourage and support your child who has not been confirmed to contact the parish priest or parish office to enrol your child onto this confirmation programme by 10th March. Preparation classes will begin after Easter and will be held during term time.

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**Neston Civic Service:** This will be held on **Sunday 11th February at 2.30pm** in St Mary and St Helen's Parish Church, Neston. Come and meet our local Mayors and Counsellors and the Lord Mayor of Chester as we gather to pray for our local communities and all those who run them. There will be refreshments after the Service.

Art Club: The next session is this Monday,  $12^{th}$  February. 1-3pm in the church hall. All very welcome.

**Churchyard gardening**: The volunteer gardening group will continue once again on Friday afternoons between 1.30pm – 3.30pm. Do come along and help keep the churchyard tidy.

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Catholic Pic: The February edition of this magazine has arrived and some copies are in the porch. Please do take a copy.

World Leprosy Day: Thank you as usual for a fantastic response to this appeal. £402.00 was raised.

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Tuesday	Ferial	9.30am	Grant Adonis (health)
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Wednesday		7.00 pm	Lenten prayer service
Thursday	Chair of St Peter	9.30am	Maureen & Tony Bainbridge (RIP)
Friday	St Polycarp Family Fast Day	9.30am	Mary Henesey (health)
riluay	Day of prayer for the needy and hungry of the world		After Mass - Stations of the cross
Saturday	Ferial	9.30am	Sue Trowell (health)
	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	William (Bill) Hannaway (9th Death anniv)
Sunday 25 <sup>th</sup> Feb	SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT	8.45 am	Parish family
	Family Mass	10.30 am	Tom Phillip (RIP)
	Baptism	12.00 Noon	Oliva Rose Connolly

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SUND AV	17/18 <sup>th</sup> February 2024			24/25 <sup>th</sup> February 2024		
SUNDAY 6pm		8.45am	10.30 am	6pm	8.45am	10.30am
Readers	J Shakespeare	M Corcoran	M Slater	I Robinson	AM Millar	H Jones
Welcomers	ners 6 pm P Higgins		8.45 am A & D Docherty		10.30 am A Volunteer	
WEEKDAYS	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Readers	K Powell	A Cropper	M Povey	M Corcoran	C Haimes	J Tunstall

### **Penitential Act**

I confess to almighty God
and to you, my brothers and sisters,
that I have greatly sinned,
in my thoughts and in my words,
in what I have done
and in what I have failed to do,
(striking breast)
through my fault, through my fault, through my most
grievous fault;
therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin,
all the Angels and Saints,
and you, my brothers and sisters,
to pray for me to the Lord our God.

## 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, Rosemary Southwell, Pat Cummins, Win Bayley, Joe Hemington, Maurice McAsey, Judy Howard, Fr Paul, Maureen Adams, Sr Suzan George, Eva Bennion, Paul Wallace, Dorothy Strawson, Ronnie Phelan, Maureen Knox, Joseph Kennedy, Gerald Sanderson, Mary Gilbert, Michael Rowlands, Ruth Pisarek, Frances Flooks, Betty Watson, Kay Minto, Susan Trowell, Margaret Maw, Josie Rowland, David Eva, Peter Roca, Stephanie Archibald, Moira Griffiths Parr, Margaret Gould, Louise Dixon, Ann Kelly, Joan Burkmar, Laura Growney-Stone, Stephen Bretland, Joanne Fellows, Canon Phil Moor VG, Adrian Duggan, Jack Turner, Dawn Stevenson, Mary Henesy, Wendy & Hannah Glove, Cormac Davis *Please inform us of any changes*.

#### Anniversaries of our departed (19th February – 25th February)

Henry White, Dorothy Robinson (19/2) Catherine Jones, Jim Grace (20/2) Charlotte, Cottingham Davies, John Sherlock, Fr Brendan McDonald (21/2) Ingeborg O'Leary, Maureen Veronica Griffiths (22/2) Walter Cuthbert, Ellenor Narey, Norman Perryman, Maureen Josephine Bainbridge (23/2) John Jones, Gordon Hartley (24/2) Edward James Harris, James Graves, Lily Quilliam (25/2)

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**Pastoral Letter:** This weekend there will be a Lenten pastoral letter from Bishop Mark which will be read at all Masses. Some copies of the letter will be in the porch and a copy will be available to read online.

**Stations of the Cross:** During this Lent Stations of the Cross will take place on Fridays after 9.30am Mass. There will be a sign-up sheet in the porch for those who would like to lead this on a Friday. There will be a Lenten Prayer Service on Wednesdays at 7pm and this week it will be led by Deacon Mike. Next week, 28<sup>th</sup> February it will be led by the Music Group.

World Day of Prayer: This year the service is compiled by Christians from Palestine and will be at Christ Church, Willaston on Friday 1<sup>st</sup> March at 2pm. Join to worship with Christians internationally in the largest ecumenical event in the world. There will be refreshments afterwards. See noticeboard poster for information.

Confirmation Mass: The confirmation Mass for children of our Local Missionary Area of Heswall, Pensby and Neston will take place on Wednesday 19th June 2024 at 7pm at St Winefride's Church, Neston and will be presided by Bishop Mark. The introductory session for both parents and candidates will take place on Saturday 23rd March at 7pm after the Vigil Mass of Palm Sunday. Children from Year 8 are eligible for confirmation and we request all parents in our parish to encourage and support your child who has not been confirmed to contact the parish priest or parish office to enrol your child onto this confirmation programme by 10th March. Preparation classes will begin after Easter and will be held during term time.

**RCIA:** Are you interested in learning more about Catholic faith? The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) allows anyone, regardless of age and faith background, to become a full member of the Catholic Church, getting to know better and deepening one's personal relationship with the Lord, whilst celebrating the Sacraments of Initiation – Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist. For more information please contact Fr Francis or the parish office.

**Our Lady's Lamp:** This lamp may be lit for your intentions and will burn by Our Lady's Chapel for seven days. If you wish to have it lit, then please contact Fr Francis or the office. This week Our Lady's Lamp will be lit for Cormac Davis.

**Readers Worshop:** There will be a Lenten reflection session on **Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> March, 3.00-5.00pm**. Joanne Wallace from the Archdiocese of Liverpool will be leading the practical part of the session. For more information please contact the office.

SPUC: Next meeting Saturday 24th February around 10.00am after morning Mass. All welcome to attend.

**Wistaston Hall:** If you wish to spend a time of prayer or private retreats during this lent or in this year of prayer, in preparation of the Jubilee year the brochures of Oblate Retreat & Spirituality Centre in Crewe are available in the porch or by the piety stall.

**St Patrick's Day Celebration:** Sunday **17th March** in the parish hall from 7pm. Live music and light refreshments. Tickets are £5.00 each, on sale after 10.30am Mass or can be reserved via Jayne in the parish office - numbers are limited!

**Churchyard gardening**: The volunteer gardening group will continue once again on Friday afternoons between 1.30pm – 3.30pm. Do come along and help keep the churchyard tidy.

**Knot Just Knitters** (formerly Knit and Natter) will be meeting on **Friday 23rd February at 1.30pm-4pm** in the church hall. All are welcome to join bring knitting, a craft or just yourselves. Refreshments provided.

Cleaners: A new rota is now available on the website and noticeboards. If you would like to help, then please contact the office.

Piety stall: There are stocks of general cards available at the back of church. Please put your money in the red box.

**CAFOD:** It is Family Fast Day next Friday 23rd February. There will be a retiring collection in church next weekend. Envelopes are available to take home this weekend and return next weekend. Do take one they are in the porches.

Offertory Collections: Weekend of 10/11<sup>th</sup> Feb Loose Plate: £371.20 Envelopes: £83.00 Total £454.20 Plus weekly standing orders which average £455 as at 31<sup>st</sup> January. Thank you for your generous support as usual. Baptism donation £42.00.

**Tea/Coffee:** The parish hall is open for **refreshments after the 10.30am Masses.** What gives us life and energy as a Parish is when we come together spiritually and socially.

**Foodbank:** Most urgent items needed as at **15**<sup>th</sup> **February** are: UHT juice, instant mash, custard, tinned meats and meat meals. In **January 2024 the total weight of the donations** by us was **177.16KG**, this will feed approximately **15 people for 3 to 5 days**.

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## LITURGICAL CALENDAR OF THE WEEK

Sunday 25th February – Sunday 3rd March 2024

Mass Readings: Sunday Year B, Weekday Cycle Year 2

		Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	William (Bill) Hannaway (9th Death anniv)
Sunday 25 <sup>th</sup> Feb	SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT		8.45 am	Parish family
Sulluay 25' Feb		Family Mass	10.30 am	Tom Phillip (RIP)
		Baptism	12 Noon	Oliva Rose Connolly
Monday	Ferial		9.30am	Abie Haimes (health)
Tuesday	Ferial		9.30am	Dorothy Barber (1st anniv) RIP
Wodposday	Ferial		9.30am	Laura Growney-Stone (RIP)
Wednesday			7.00 pm	Lenten prayer service
Thursday	Ferial		9.30am	Theresa Fairgrieve (health)
Friday	ST DAVID		9.30am	Sally and John Hogan (RIP)
Filday	Women's World Day of Prayer			After Mass - Stations of the cross
Saturday	Ferial		9.30am	Thomas Corcoran (death anniv 4/3) RIP
		Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Michael Hart (RIP)
Sunday 3 <sup>rd</sup> Mar	THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT		8.45 am	Parish family
		Family Mass	10.30 am	Glady & Tony Moreton (Thanksgiving) RIP
		Baptism	1.00 pm	Lyra Violet Rose

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: Monday to Saturday at 9 am. Morning prayer: Monday to Saturday at 9.00 am 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 4pm.

SUNDAY	24/25 <sup>th</sup> February 2024			2/3 <sup>rd</sup> March 2024			
SUNDAT	6pm	8.45am	10.30 am	6pm	8.45am	10.30am	
Readers	I Robinson	AM Millar	H Jones	P Flanagan	Clark family	M Unsworth	
Welcomers	6 pm M & M Branch		8.45 am A 8	8.45 am A & D Docherty		10.30 am P Challis	
WEEKDAYS	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	
Readers	K Powell	A Cropper	A Volunteer	M Unswoth	C Haimes	A Volunteer	

## **Penitential Act**

I confess to almighty God and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned, in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done and in what I have failed to do, (striking breast) through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault; therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin, all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.

#### 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 resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen

the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,

including: Patricia Davies, Frances Wright, Rosemary Southwell, Pat Cummins, Win Bayley, Joe Hemington, Maurice McAsey, Judy Howard, Fr Paul, Maureen Adams, Sr Suzan George, Eva Bennion, Paul Wallace, Dorothy Strawson, Ronnie Phelan, Maureen Knox, Joseph Kennedy, Gerald Sanderson, Mary Gilbert, Michael Rowlands, Ruth Pisarek, Frances Flooks, Betty Watson, Kay Minto, Susan Trowell, Margaret Maw, Josie Rowland, David Eva, Peter Roca, Stephanie Archibald, Moira Griffiths Parr, Margaret Gould, Louise Dixon, Ann Kelly, Joan Burkmar, Stephen Bretland, Joanne Fellows, Canon Phil Moor VG, Adrian Duggan, Jack Turner, Dawn Stevenson, Mary Henesy, Wendy & Hannah Glove, Cormac Davis *Please inform us of any changes*.

Please remember in your prayers all those who are sick

#### Anniversaries of our departed (26<sup>th</sup> February – 3<sup>rd</sup> March)

George Willam Jager Davidson (26/2) Leonard John Gornall DFC, Dorothy Barber, Ian Stuart Taylor (27/2) Fr Henry E G Rope, Fr Bernard Lyons, Jack Robinson (1/3) Fr Paul Turner, Annie Weedon, John Webb (2/3) Olive Isherwood, Isabella Josephine (Jo) Freeman (3/3)



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**Confirmation Mass**: The confirmation Mass for children of our Local Missionary Area of Heswall will take place on **Wednesday 19th June 2024 at 7pm** at St Winefride's Church, Neston, presided by Bishop Mark. The introductory session for both parents and candidates will take place on **Saturday 23rd March at 7pm** after the Vigil Mass in the parish hall. Children from Year 8 are eligible for confirmation. We request all parents in our parish to encourage and support your child who has not been confirmed and contact the parish priest or parish office to enrol your child onto this confirmation programme by 10th March. Preparation classes will begin after Easter and will be held during term time.

**Deanery Conference:** Clergy of our deanery will have their meeting in our parish hall on Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> February, from 11am to 1pm. We welcome them to St Winefrides and offer our prayers for a very fruitful meeting.

**Stations of the Cross:** During this Lent Stations of the Cross will take place on Fridays after 9.30am Mass. There will be a sign-up sheet in the porch for those who would like to lead this on a Friday. There will be a Lenten Prayer Service on Wednesdays at 7pm and this week the **Music group will lead a Taize service**. Next week, 6<sup>th</sup> March it will be led by the SPUC group.

**World Day of Prayer:** This year the service is compiled by Christians from Palestine and will be at Christ Church, Willaston on **Friday 1**st **March at 2pm**. Join to worship with Christians internationally in the largest ecumenical event in the world. There will be refreshments afterwards. See noticeboard for information.

**Recently deceased:** Please pray for the repose of the soul of Laura Growney-Stone who died early Tuesday morning. Laura was 82 and had recently moved to Weatherstones. Please remember in your prayers her son James and daughter Jacqueline.

**Our Lady's Lamp:** This lamp may be lit for your intentions and will burn by Our Lady's Chapel for seven days. If you wish to have it lit, then please contact Fr Francis or the office. This week Our Lady's Lamp will be lit for Abie Haimes.

**Readers Worshop:** There will be a Lenten reflection session on **Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> March, 3.00-5.00pm**. Joanne Wallace from the Archdiocese of Liverpool will be leading the practical part of the session. For more information please contact the office.

**Hour of Prayer:** On **Friday 1**st **March** is the first Friday Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus at Our Lady & St John, Heswall, at 2.30-3.30pm. All welcome.

Bereavement Group: The next meeting is Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> March from 1 – 3pm. All welcome to attend.

**Parish Social and Committee Meeting:** At our last meeting in January we reviewed the various activities of Lent and celebration of Christmas and planned for Lent and Easter. Fund raising activities were suggested and agreed. Our next meeting will take place on Wednesday, 6<sup>th</sup> March in the Church hall after Lenten prayer service around 7.30pm. Please consider if you could attend and contribute to spiritual, social and community life of our parish and ensure that our parish community continues to thrive.

Art Club: The Next Art club on is Monday 12th March from 1 - 3pm in the church hall. All welcome. Refreshments available.

**St Patrick's Day Celebration:** Sunday **17th March** in the parish hall from 7pm. Live music and light refreshments. Tickets are £5.00 each, on sale after 10.30am Mass or can be reserved via Jayne in the parish office – only a few tickets now left.

**Churchyard gardening**: The volunteer gardening group will continue once again on Friday afternoons between 1.30pm – 3.30pm. Do come along and help keep the churchyard tidy.

Church cleaning: We are still looking for a few volunteers who can assist the current cleaning teams. Please contact the office.

Piety stall: There are stocks of general cards available at the back of church. Please put your money in the red box.

Lenten Arms Giving: A box for Lenten Arms will be placed in the porch throughout Lent to support Mary's Meals.

**CAFOD:** There will be a **retiring collection** in church **this weekend**. Envelopes that were taken home last weekend are to be returned this week. You can still take an envelope this weekend and return next week.

Offertory Collections: Thank you for your generous support.

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Sunday 3rd March - Sunday 10th March 2024

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Tuesday	Ferial	9.30am	Dottie, 5 years old (health)
Modposdov	Ferial	9.30am	Laura Garfitt (health)
Wednesday		7.00 pm	Lenten prayer service
Thursday	Ferial	9.30am	Millicent Corcoran (death anniv) RIP
Friday	Ferial Mass and Stations of the Cross	9.30am	Mary and Jack Kirby (death anniv) RIP
rituay	School Mass	11.00am	Year 1 and Year 5 children
Saturday	Ferial	9.30am	Sick and housebound
	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Rodger Hemington (3 <sup>rd</sup> death anniv) RIP
Sunday 10 <sup>th</sup> March	FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT	8.45 am	Jimmy Adamson (RIP)
	Family Mass	10.30 am	Parish Family

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SUNDAY 6pm		8.45am	10.30 am	6pm	8.45am	10.30am
Readers	P Flanagan	Clark Family	M Unsworth	C Haimes	T McGlynn	L Hannaway
Welcomers	6 pm M&M E	Branch, P Higgins	8.45 am A & D Docherty		10.30 am A volunteer	
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#### Anniversaries of our departed (3<sup>rd</sup> March – 10th March)

Harry Howard, Charles Benson Carron (4/3) John Burrell, John & Eva (Meg) Firth, Ernan Parry, John Francis Firth, Patricia Swann (5/3) Christine Bickerstaff, Sheila Harkins (6/3) Desmond Joseph Kennedy (7/3) Mildred Almond, Mary Philomena Veronica Kirby, Agnes Jones (8/3) David Stringer, Clare Pentall (9/3) Henry May, Mary Apter (10/3)



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**First Holy Communion Preparation:** This weekend catechists, children and their parents will explore the wonderful power of prayer. Our faith and trust in God will grow strong if we listen to God's Word ad pray every day. May we remind the families preparing for the First Holy Communion that the participation in the Eucharist on Sundays is an essential part of a child's preparation for the First Holy Communion in the parish. **Children's liturgy** is back this weekend during family Mass at 10.30 am

**Stations of the Cross:** During this Lent Stations of the Cross will take place on Fridays after 9.30am Mass. There will be a sign-up sheet in the porch for those who would like to lead this on a Friday. There will be a Lenten Prayer Service on Wednesdays at 7pm and this week, 6<sup>th</sup> March it will be led by the **SPUC group** and the following week it will be the turn of The **SVP members**.

**Funeral service:** Please pray for the repose of the soul of Laura Growney-Stone who died last week. Laura's funeral Mass will be on **Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> March at 11.30am followed by burial at Frankby at 1.45pm**. Please remember in your prayers her son James and daughter Jacqueline.

**Our Lady's Lamp:** This lamp may be lit for your intentions and will burn by Our Lady's Chapel for seven days. If you wish to have it lit, then please contact Fr Francis or the office. This week Our Lady's Lamp will be lit for Laura Garfitt.

Readers Workshop: Unfortunately, the Lenten reflection workshop due to take place on the 9<sup>th</sup> March has had to be cancelled. St Winefride's School: Dates of Stay and Pray at St Winefride's school and Mass in school during Lent on are on the noticeboard. Bereavement Group: The next meeting is Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> March from 1.00 – 3.00pm. All welcome to attend.

**Parish Social and Community Meeting:** At our last meeting in January, we reviewed the various activities of Advent and celebration of Christmas and planned for Lent and Easter. Fund raising activities were suggested and agreed. Our next meeting will take place **on Wednesday, 6<sup>th</sup> March** in the church hall after Lenten prayer service around 7.30pm. Please consider if you could attend and contribute to spiritual, social and community life of our parish and ensure that our parish community continues to thrive.

Art Club: The Next Art club on is Monday 11th March from 1 - 3pm in the church hall. All welcome. Refreshments available.

St Patrick's Day Celebration: Sold out!! If you are still to pay, please pass to Louise W at 10.30am Mass or leave with the office.

**Churchyard gardening**: The volunteer gardening group will continue once again on Friday afternoons between 1.30pm – 3.30pm. Do come along and help keep the churchyard tidy.

**Piety stall:** There are stocks of general cards available at the back of church. Please put your money in the red box.

Lenten Arms Giving: A box for Lenten Arms will be placed in the porch throughout Lent to support Mary's Meals.

White Flower Appeal: SPUC are having their WHITE FLOWER APPEAL next weekend 9/10<sup>th</sup> March. This year's appeal calls for the Government to end the pills by post policy and we will be asking you all to please fill in and sign the postcard which we will be handing out as you enter the church for Mass. Please, be as generous as you can to help SPUC defend unborn babies and their mothers.

**CAFOD:** We raised £630.00 last weekend. If you took an envelope last weekend, please return it this weekend. Thank you. **Offertory Collections:** Thank you for your generous support.

**Envelope users:** New envelopes for **2024/25** are by the welcomer's bench. Please collect your box ready to use from **6**<sup>th</sup> **April**. **Tea/Coffee:** The parish hall is open for **refreshments after the 10.30am Masses.** What gives us life and energy as a Parish is when we come together spiritually and socially.

**Neston Community Centre:** We would like to collect Easter eggs/Easter items for the Neston Community Centre, like we did at Christmas. If you are able to donate an Easter egg or perhaps Easter cakes or hot cross buns etc (in good date) then please place in the box labelled NESTON COMMUNITY CENTRE. Thank you.

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Sunday 10th March - Sunday 17th March 2024

Mass Readings: Sunday Year B, Weekday Cycle Year 2

	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Rodger Hemington (3 <sup>rd</sup> death anniv) RIP
Sunday 10 <sup>th</sup> March	FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT	8.45 am	Jimmy Adamson (RIP)
	Family Mass	10.30 am	Parish Family
Monday	Ferial	9.30am	Teresa Keogh (death anniv) RIP
Tuesday	Ferial	9.30am	Terry Saunders (b/day anniv 11/3) RIP
Tuesday	Requiem Mass	11.30am	Laura Growney-Stone (RIP)
Modnosday	Ferial	9.30am	Grant Adonis (health)
Wednesday		7.00 pm	Lenten Prayer Service
Thursday	Ferial	9.30am	Ella O'Neill (RIP)
Friday	Ferial Mass and Stations of the Cross	9.30am	Pat Cummins (birthday)
riluay	School Mass	11.00am	Year 2 and Year 3 children
Saturday	Ferial	9.30am	Liam Roberts (RIP)
	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Janet Dickman (1st anniv) RIP
Sunday 17th March	FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT	8.45 am	Parish family
	Family Mass	10.30 am	Louis O'Sullivan (anniv) RIP
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SUNDAY	9/10 <sup>th</sup> March 2024			16/17 <sup>th</sup> March 2024			
SUNDAT	6pm	8.45am	10.30 am	6pm	8.45am	10.30am	
Readers	C Haimes	T McGlynn	J Tunstall	K Ankers	M Corcoran	P Hemington	
Welcomers	6 pm	P Higgins	8.45 am A & D Docherty		10.30 am M Challis		
WEEKDAYS	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	
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#### 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, Rosemary Southwell, Pat Cummins, Win Bayley, Joe Hemington, Maurice McAsey, Judy Howard, Fr Paul, Maureen Adams, Sr Suzan George, Eva Bennion,

Paul Wallace, Dorothy Strawson, Ronnie Phelan, Maureen Knox, Joseph Kennedy, Gerald Sanderson, Mary Gilbert, Michael Rowlands, Ruth Pisarek, Frances Flooks, Betty Watson, Kay Minto, Susan Trowell, Margaret Maw, Josie Rowland, David Eva, Peter Roca, Stephanie Archibald, Moira Griffiths Parr, Margaret Gould, Louise Dixon, Ann Kelly, Joan Burkmar, Stephen Bretland, Joanne

Fellows, Canon Phil Moor VG, Adrian Duggan, Jack Turner, Dawn Stevenson, Mary Henesy, Wendy & Hannah Glove, Cormac Davis,

5 year old Dottie, Grant Adonis. *Please inform us of any changes.* 

#### Anniversaries of our departed (11th March - 17th March)

R McNance (11/3) Harold Bainbridge, Joan Edith Kay, Rodger Haird Hemington (12/3), David Miller, Delia McGrath, Louis Maurice O'Sullivan, James Davis (13/3) Gracy Cheru Konikare (14/3) Canon Joseph Howe, Violet Sheridan, Sid Adams, Harry Page Netherton, Eugenia Sheila Ellis (15/3) Janet Dickman, Tom Hinde, Thomas Mahone, Mary Virginia Bowes 16/3) Margaret Malone, Burke family of Co Galway, Mary Joan Crisp, Margaret (Peg) McGrath, Brian Edwin Wainwright, Sandra Bursby (17/3)

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**Confirmation Mass**: The introductory session for both parents and candidates will take place on **Saturday 23rd March at 7pm** after the Vigil Mass in the parish hall. Children in Year 8 and above who have not received the sacrament of confirmation, please contact the parish office to enrol onto this confirmation programme **by next Sunday 17**th **March**. The confirmation Mass will be celebrated by Bishop Mark on Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> June at St Winefride's church. We thank the parents for their encouragement.

**Lenten Reconciliation Service**: This service for Our Lady and St John's, Holy Family and St Winefride's will take place on Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> March in **St Winefride's Church, Neston**. It will begin with a Lenten reflection talk by Fr Ramesh, Parish Priest of St Joseph & St Albans Wallasey, at 6.30pm and lead us to the reconciliation service. The Blessed Sacrament will be exposed at 7pm during which Fr Stephen and Fr Ramesh will assist us with individual confessions. As our spiritual preparation for Easter lets makes use of the opportunity to celebrate the sacrament of healing love.

**Lenton Prayer Service:** This week, 13<sup>th</sup> March it will be led by the **SVP members** and next week it will be the turn of the CWL.

**Recently deceased:** Please remember in your prayers Liam Roberts who was 24 and died recently. He was a close friend of Judith Povey's granddaughter Jade. Also remember Ella O'Neill who was 21 and died earlier this week. Niece to Sheila O'Neill.

Funeral: Please pray for the repose of the soul of Laura Growney-Stone who died last month. Laura's requiem Mass is this Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> March at 11.30am followed by burial at Frankby at 1.45pm. There will be tea/coffee in the hall after the Mass.

**Our Lady's Lamp:** This lamp may be lit for your intentions and will burn by Our Lady's Chapel for seven days. If you wish to have it lit, then please contact Fr Francis or the office. This week Our Lady's Lamp will be lit for Grant Adonis.

**Readers for Holy week:** We will need some readers for Holy week along with volunteers for feet washing on Holy Thursday. Sign up sheets will be in the porch this weekend.

**Lent lunch:** This is taking place in St Mary & St Helen Parish Church (approx. 12.30pm) after Stations of the Cross at 12 noon (optional) **on Friday 15th March 2024.** All are welcome from the N&DCT churches. See noticeboard for more information.

CWL Easter Raffle: Raffle tickets will be on sale from next weekend. Volunteers required to sell the tickets. See Maria Slater.

St Winefrides: Easter Hunt taking place on Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March at 10.00am. Se noticeboard for more information.

**Library:** The bookshelf in the hall has been kindly donated by the Bainbridge family along with a large supply of books. We are now also able to display the lovely supply of books we received last year from the Henderson family. Do make use of the books and return when finished. You are most welcome to also donate to the library. Thank you.

**Booklets:** New Mission Today booklets for spring 2024 are here along with the Catholic Pic. Both are in the porch. Do take one. **St Patrick's Social:** Doors open at 7pm, 7.30pm start. Please let Louise Wilkinson or the office know if you require vegetarian refreshments. We will be holding a raffle on the night, so don't forget your money!!

**Churchyard gardening**: The volunteer gardening group will continue once again on Friday afternoons between 1.30pm – 3.30pm. Do come along and help keep the churchyard tidy.

**Piety stall:** There are stocks of general cards available at the back of church. Please put your money in the red box.

Lenten Arms Giving: A box for Lenten Arms will be placed in the porch throughout Lent to support Mary's Meals.

White Flower Appeal: SPUC are having their WHITE FLOWER APPEAL this weekend 9/10<sup>th</sup> March. There is a White Flower Appeal handout which will be given to you this weekend. A retiring collection will be taken to support SPUC. Thanks for your generosity.

CAFOD: Thank you for the extra donations we have received a total amount of £737 has been sent to CAFOD.

**Offertory Collections:** Thank you for your generous support.

Envelope users: New envelopes for 2024/25 are by the welcomers bench. Please collect your box ready to use from 6<sup>th</sup> April.

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**Neston Community Centre:** We would like to collect Easter eggs/Easter items for the Neston Community Centre, like we did at Christmas. If you are able to donate an Easter egg or perhaps Easter cakes or hot cross buns etc (in good date) then please place in the box labelled NESTON COMMUNITY CENTRE. Thank you.

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#### LITURGICAL CALENDAR OF THE WEEK

Sunday 17th March - Sunday 24h March 2024

Mass Readings: Sunday Year B, Weekday Cycle Year 2

	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Janet Dickman (1st anniv) RIP
Sunday 17 <sup>th</sup> March	FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT	8.45 am	Parish family
Sunday 17 March	Family Mass	10.30 am	Louis O'Sullivan (anniv) RIP
	Baptism	12 noon	Jamie Myles Hulton
Monday	Ferial	9.30am	Sandra Bursby (14 <sup>th</sup> anniv) RIP
Tuesday	ST JOSEPH	9.30am	Simon Mason (health)
Tuesday	Lenten Reconciliation Service	6.30pm	Lenten Reflection Talk by Fr Ramesh SSS
Modnosday	Ferial	9.30am	Special intention
Wednesday		7.00 pm	Lenten Prayer Service
Thursday	Ferial	9.30am	Sam & Ida Harford (RIP)
Friday	Ferial Mass and Stations of the Cross	9.30am	Nora & Patrick Wool (anniv) RIP
Friday	School Mass	11.00am	Year 4 and year 6 children
Saturday	Ferial	9.30am	Rachel Branch (health)
	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Brian Byrne (RIP)
Sunday 24th March	PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF OUR LORD	8.45 am	Laura Growney-Stone (RIP)
	Family Mass	10.30 am	Parish family
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SUNDAY	6pm		8.45am		10.30am		
Readers	J Shak	espeare	M. Co	M. Corcoran		emington	
Welcomers	M & M Branch, P Higgins		A & D Docherty		M Challis		
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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

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## Anniversaries of our departed (18th March - 24th March)

Dora Devitt, Nora Murphy, Mary Leonard (18/3) James Wilfred Maguire, Jane Thomas, Peter Lightbound (19/3) Marina Jones (20/3), Veronica Griffin, Ida Harford (21/3) Dominic Hatton (22/3) Bill Smith (23/3) Florence Bridget Bowes, Mary Drennan, Leslie Stuart Gardner, Terry Lyonette, Frances Lyonette (24/3)

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Lenten Prayer Service: This week, 20<sup>th</sup> March it will be led by the CWL. This is the final week of the Prayer service.

**Our Lady's Lamp:** This lamp may be lit for your intentions and will burn by Our Lady's Chapel for seven days. If you wish to have it lit, then please contact Fr Francis or the office. This week Our Lady's Lamp will be lit for Fran Byrne.

**Readers and EMHC for Holy week:** We will need some readers and EMHC for Holy Week along with volunteers for feet washing on Holy Thursday. Sign-up sheets are now in the porch!

**Easter Raffle:** Raffle tickets will be on sale from this weekend at all Masses. Volunteers required to sell the tickets, see Maria Slater or contact the office for more information. Money raised will be used for the patio furniture. Thank you.

**Ofsted Report:** At the beginning of February St Winefride's school had an Ofsted inspection and they are pleased to share both the report and the positive feedback received by the inspector in the covering letter from the headteacher. Both report and letter are available on the notice board or can be found at <a href="https://www.stwinefrides.cheshire.sch.uk/serve-file/24893408">https://www.stwinefrides.cheshire.sch.uk/serve-file/24893408</a>

**St Winefrides:** Easter Hunt taking place on Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March at 10.00am. See noticeboard for more information.

**Reflection:** The new reflection from Tony Topping is "Saint Joseph". It will be online and there are a few copies in the porch.

**Trees:** A couple of trees will be removed this week and new trees are going to be planted later in the year to replace those removed, including those trees removed last year at the advice of the local council.

**St Patrick's Social:** Doors open at 7pm, 7.30pm start. Please let Louise Wilkinson or the office know if you require vegetarian refreshments. We will be holding a raffle on the night, so don't forget your money!!

Knot just knitters: Next session Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March at 1.30pm - 4pm in the church hall. All are welcome. Refreshments provided. Churchyard Gardening: The volunteer gardening group will continue once again on Friday afternoons between 1.30pm –

**Piety Stall:** There are stocks of general cards available at the back of church. Some new cards have arrived including Easter cards. Please do take a look. Please put your money in the red box.

Lenten Arms Giving: A box for Lenten Arms will be placed in the porch throughout Lent to support Mary's Meals. Thank you.

White Flower Appeal: Many thanks to you all for supporting our appeal last weekend and for the postcards filled out. If you missed last weekend there is still time to fill out a post card and put into the box in the porch. A total of £366 has been raised.

Offertory Collections: Thank you for your generous support.

3.30pm. Do come along and help keep the churchyard tidy.

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Sulluay 24 IvialCil	Family Mass	10.30 am	Parish family
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Monday	Monday of the Holy Week	9.30am	John Dearly (intention)
Tuesday	Tuesday of the Holy Week	9.30am	Alan Clare (2 <sup>nd</sup> Anniv) RIP
Tuesday	Children's Reconciliation Service	10.45am	St Winefride's School
Wednesday	Wednesday of the Holy Week	9.30am	Joseph & Lilian Rabbitt (Intention)
HOLY THURSDAY	Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper	7.00 pm	Eucharistic Ministers
GOOD FRIDAY	Stations of the Cross	10.30am	
GOOD FRIDAT	The Celebration of the Lord's Passion	3.00pm	
<b>HOLY SATURDAY</b>	Easter Vigil Mass	7.00pm	Pat, Joe & Tom Ellis (anniv) RIP
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SUNDAY	6pm		8.45am		10.30am	
Doodors	L Hannaway Hannaway family/ M Branch		M Corcoran		Deacon Mike	
Readers			T McGlynn/ AM Millar		M Slater/ H Jones	
Welcomers	M & M Branch, P Higgins		A Volunteer		M Challis	
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Readers	K Powell	A Cropper	C Haimes			

### **EASTER TRIDUUM**

# Holy Thursday 28th March

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Mary Cuthbert, Margaret Catherine Moore, Beatrice Barker, Patrick Brian Byrne (25/3) Billy Parry, Matthaus Goldie McIver, Fr George Barrett, Margaret (Peggy) Belcher, Alan Clare (26/3) Hannah Shaw Davies, Margaret Howley, Winifred Owen (27/3) Biddy Davies, Joan Downey (28/3) William Postlethwaite, Mary Donnelly (29/3) Gerard Elcock, Colette & Tom McGrath (30/3) Mgr Bernard Bell, Raymond Young, Edward Phillips, John Holden, Christopher Smith (31/3) The names of the dear ones are taken from the book of remembrance. If you wish to add any names in the book of remembrance, please contact Fr Francis or Parish office.

**Fr Francis:** Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion marks the beginning of the Holy Week and the celebration of the central mysteries of our divine faith as we walk with Jesus through his last week of earthly life through his passion, death, and resurrection. May our participation in the various Holy Week services help us to be united with him spiritually as we are repeatedly reminded of what God has done and is continuing to do for us.

**Confirmation Preparation**: The introductory session for both parents and candidates will take place this **Saturday 23rd March at 7pm** after the Vigil Mass in the parish hall. Children in Year 8 and above who have not yet received the sacrament of confirmation, please contact the parish office to enrol onto this confirmation programme.

St Winefride's School: On Wednesday 27th March school children will join us for Mass and Stations of the Cross for children.

**Chrism Mass:** This year the Mass at which the Holy Oils for the Sacraments used in the parishes across the diocese are blessed and priests renew their priestly vows, will be celebrated in Birkenhead at Saint Michael & All Angels Woodchurch, on Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> March at 7pm.

**Holy Thursday:** After the Mass of the Lord's Supper the Eucharist is taken in procession to the altar of repose and there is an hour of watching and adoration which will continue until 9pm. All are welcome to spend as little or as much time as you can.

**Readers and EMHC for Holy week:** See separate sheet sent via email. The information is also available on the noticeboard detailing readers and EMHC that are volunteering during Holy week.

Washing of the feet: We still need volunteers for the Washing of Feet on Holy Thursday. Please sign up or let the office know.

**EMHC:** Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion (EMHC) will renew their service commitment on Holy Thursday during the Mass of the Lord's Supper. If you would like to join the parish Eucharistic Ministers team, please contact parish office.

**Our Lady's Lamp:** This lamp may be lit for your intentions and will burn by Our Lady's Chapel for seven days. If you wish to have it lit, then please contact Fr Francis or the office. This week Our Lady's Lamp will be lit for Rachel Branch.

**Easter Raffle:** Raffle tickets will be on sale this weekend at 10.30am Mass or direct from Maria Slater or contact the office for more information. Money raised will be used for the patio furniture. Thank you.

**St Patrick's Social**: Many thanks to all who attended and those who helped. A special thank you to Ciaron and Sarah for fantastic catering, and Rob for his sound and lighting expertise. It was a most enjoyable parish social occasion and we raised £340 for the parish garden furniture fund. Photos from the evening will be on the website noticeboards.

**For Holy Places:** On Good Friday, the Catholic church throughout the world, takes up a collection to support the work of the Franciscans who have the unique responsibility to take care of the Holy Places as well as Christians in Holy Land.

Bereavement Group: The next meeting is Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> April from 1-3pm. All welcome to attend.

Knot just knitters: Due to Easter and other commitments the next session will now be Friday 12th April.

**Churchyard Gardening**: The volunteer gardening group will continue once again on Friday afternoons between 1.30pm – 3.30pm. Do come along and help keep the churchyard tidy.

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

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Sunday 31st March	EASTER SUNDAY Dawn Mass	6.30am	Parish family
Suriday 51" Iviaicii	Morning Mass	8.45 am	Paul Shakespeare (4 <sup>th</sup> anniv) RIP
	Family Mass	10.30 am	Michael Halley (death anniv) RIP
Monday	Monday of the Easter Octave	9.30am	Thanksgiving (parish)
Tuesday	Tuesday of the Easter Octave	9.30am	TS (health)
Wednesday	Wednesday of the Easter Octave	9.30am	Fr Gerry Courell (RIP)
Thursday	Thursday of the Easter Octave	9.30am	Marie Jones (death anniv)
Friday	Friday of the Easter Octave	9.30am	Hilda Davidson (RIP)
Saturday	Saturday of the Easter Octave	9.30 am	Sick and housebound
	Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Laura Growney-Stone (RIP)
Sunday 7 <sup>th</sup> April	SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER	8.45 am	Parish family
	Family Mass	10.30 am	Heidi and Phil (intention)

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SUNDAY	30/31 <sup>st</sup> March 2024								
SUNDAT	7pm			6.30am	8.45a	ım		10.30am	
Readers	R1 & R3 Clark	family,	M Corcoran and		J Shakes	J Shakespeare		A Hudak	
Reduers	R2 C Kirshen, R4	n, R4 C Haimes M J Corcoran T McGly		ynn A Cro		A Cropper			
Welcomers	L Wil	kinson	inson A & D Docherty			A Vo	lunteer		
WEEKDAYS	Monday	Tuesday		Wednesday	Thursday	Friday		Saturday	
Readers	A Volunteer	J Tunstall		A Volunteer	A Cropper	C Haime	es	A Volunteer	

## 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, Rosemary Southwell, Pat Cummins, Win Bayley, Joe Hemington, Maurice McAsey, Judy Howard, Fr Paul, Maureen Adams, Sr Suzan George, Eva Bennion, Paul Wallace, Dorothy Strawson, Ronnie Phelan, Maureen Knox, Joseph Kennedy, Gerald Sanderson, Mary Gilbert, Michael Rowlands, Ruth Pisarek, Frances Flooks, Betty Watson, Kay Minto, Susan Trowell, Margaret Maw, Josie Rowland, David Eva, Peter Roca, Stephanie Archibald, Moira Griffiths-Parr, Margaret Gould, Louise Dixon, Ann Kelly, Joan Burkmar, Stephen Bretland, Canon Phil Moor VG, Adrian Duggan, Jack Turner, Dawn Stevenson, Mary Henesy, Wendy & Hannah Glove, Cormac Davis, 5 year old Dottie,

Grant Adonis, Rachel Branch *Please inform us of any changes.* 

## Anniversaries of our departed (1 April - 7 April)

Priscilla Connelly, Fr Michael Lloyd, Deacon George Crespin, Win Gordon, Michael Warhan (1/4) Edward Howe, Sidney Crisp, Pope John Paul II, Maureen Hothersall, Freda Mary Greer, Anthony Hewitt (2/4) Gertrude Clark, Elsie Chubb, Sam Chubb, Peter Hughes (3/4), Fr Thomas Osbyrne, Joseph Ellis, Jean Mary MacDonald, Marie Jones (4/4) John Edward Richardson, David Gouldson, Aiden Postlethwaite, Joan Perkins, Linda McDonnell (5/4) Margaret Ann Barry, Peter Carragher, Thomas Sargent, Veronica M Carragher, Jane Haimes, John O'Brien (6/4) Cecilia McKinley, Pauline Clare Cassidy (7/4) *The names of the dear ones are taken from the book of remembrance. Contact the office to add or remove.* 

**Confirmation**: We thank all children and parents who joined the introductory meeting of Confirmation preparation last weekend. There are 6 preparatory sessions which will take place in the parish hall on Sundays at 7pm during term time. The first session starting on Sunday 21<sup>th</sup> April. Children in Year 8 and above who have not yet received the Sacrament of Confirmation, please contact the parish office to enrol and to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation on the 19<sup>th</sup> June.

**Easter Raffle:** The raffle will take place this weekend after 10.30am Mass in the church hall. There will be still time to buy tickets if you have not already done after Mass, before the raffle. Money raised will be used for the patio furniture. Thank you.

**Our Lady's Lamp:** This lamp may be lit for your intentions and will burn by Our Lady's Chapel for seven days. If you wish to have it lit, then please contact Fr Francis or the office. This week Our Lady's Lamp will be lit for sick and housebound.

**St Winefride's School:** Congratulations to Mrs Davies and the Staff following St Winefrides achieving Outstanding at their recent Catholic Schools inspection. On the noticeboard is the letter sent by the inspectors which highlighted the inspiring school leaders the school have, the warm welcome everyone receives and the impeccable behaviour of the children and the care they show for each other. We thank Mrs Davies, Mrs Bannister and all the staff, parents and children for their support in making St Winefrides such a wonderful school. Mark Branch – Chair of Governors.

Bereavement Group: The next meeting is Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> April from 1 – 3pm. All welcome to attend.

**Hour of Prayer:** On **Friday 5**<sup>th</sup> **April** is the first Friday Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus at Our Lady & St John, Heswall, at 2.30-3.30pm. All welcome.

Knot just knitters: Due to Easter the next session will now be Friday 12<sup>th</sup> April. 1.30-4pm. Church hall. All very welcome.

**Churchyard Gardening**: The volunteer gardening group will not be on this week as it is Good Friday. It will resume as normal next Friday 5<sup>th</sup> April. 1.30pm – 3.30pm. Do come along and help keep the churchyard tidy.

**Piety Stall:** There are stocks of general cards available at the back of church. Some new cards have arrived including Easter cards. Please do take a look. Please put your money in the red box.

**Lenten Arms Giving:** A box for Lenten Arms will be placed in the porch throughout Lent to support Mary's Meals. Thank you.

Offertory Collections: Thank you for your generous support.

**Envelope Users:** New offertory envelopes for 2024/25 are by the welcomers bench. If you could try and collect them this weekend or sometime during the week. They are ready to use from weekend of the 6/7<sup>th</sup> April. Thank you.

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

**Food Bank:** Most urgent items needed as at **28**<sup>th</sup> **March** are: UHT juice, instant mash, tinned fruit, tinned meats and meat meals. Same items needed as detailed on West Cheshire Food bank website. They have plenty of beans and tea.

Fr Francis, Deacon Mike and Mrs Jayne Shakespeare
Wish our Parishioners, our loved ones and our visitors to St Winefrides
A Very Happy Easter



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#### LITURGICAL CALENDAR OF THE WEEK

Sunday 7th April – Sunday 14th April 2024

Mass Readings: Sunday Year B, Weekday Cycle Year 2

	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Laura Growney-Stone (RIP)
Sunday 7 April	SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER	8.45 am	Parish family
	Divine Mercy Sunday Family Mass	10.30 am	Heidi and Phil (intention)
Monday	THE ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD	9.30am	Jean Royal (RIP)
Tuesday	Ferial	9.30am	Special intention
Wednesday	Ferial	9.30am	Fr Anthony Cogliolo (health)
Thursday	St Stanislaus	9.30am	Laura Growney-Stone (RIP)
Friday	Ferial	9.30am	Dr Richard Wood (death anniv) RIP
Saturday	Ferial	9.30 am	Joseph Povey (health)
	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Rachel Branch (health)
Sunday 14 April	THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER	8.45 am	Nell Smith (RIP)
	Family Mass	10.30 am	Parish family

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SUNDAY	6pm	8.45am	10.30am	6pm	8.45am	10.30am
Readers	K Ankers	AM Millar	W Fryer	M Branch	Clark family	J Tunstall
Welcomers	PH	iggins	A volunteer		A Volunteer	
WEEKDAYS	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Readers	A Volunteer	A Volunteer	J Tunstall	A Cropper	C Haimes	M Povey

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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

Marv', all bow)

who was conceived by the Holy Spirit

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on the third day he rose again from the dead;

he ascended into heaven, and is seated

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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

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## Please remember in your prayers all those who are sick including: Anni

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### Anniversaries of our departed (8 April - 14 April)

Joseph James Loughe, Canon Alfred McNally, Fr Kevin Daley, Sheila Ann Shields, Gilbert Foster (8/4) Joseph Whyte (9/4) Marie Patricia Matthews, Fr Wilfrid Kelly, Arthur Sharp, Fr Paul F Sidoli, John Roberts, Ethel Melhado (10/4) Patricia Mary Raybone, Antoinette Kelly, Michael Anthony Dalton, Maureen Jones, Maureen Aland (11/4) Fr John T Daley, Bee Greenwood (12/4) Fr Andrew J Campbell (13/4) William Deaney, Isabella Jones, John Spoto, "Marie" Martha Thelwell (14/4)

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**Congratulations:** Anne Williams was received into full communion of the Catholic Church at the Easter Vigil celebration after a year of preparation. Congratulations and prayerful wishes to Anne on her continued faith journey.

**Easter Raffle:** The raffle was a great success and a total of £229.00 was raised. The winner was Jayne Dixon ticket no 211. Thank you to all those who bought tickets.

**Our Lady's Lamp:** This lamp may be lit for your intentions and will burn by Our Lady's Chapel for seven days. If you wish to have it lit, then please contact Fr Francis or the office. This week Our Lady's Lamp will be lit for Grant Adonis.

**SPUC:** A SPUC Spring Coffee Morning will be held in our Church Hall on **Saturday 20th April from 10am - 12 30pm,** Tea/Coffee Cake, bring and buy and raffle. We will also be having a visitor, Terry Graham SPUC's Northern Development officer is coming from the North East to meet us all. All are very welcome.

**Knot just knitters:** The next session will be Friday 12<sup>th</sup> April in the church hall. 1.30-4pm. All very welcome.

Art Club: The next session will take place on Monday 15th April in the church hall. 1pm-3pm, all very welcome to come along.

**Churchyard Gardening**: The volunteer gardening group will meet whether permitting Friday afternoons between 1.30pm – 3.30pm. Do come along and help keep the churchyard tidy, extra volunteers always welcome.

**Piety Stall:** There are stocks of Mass cards and cards for various occasion available at the back of church. Please do take a look. Please put your money in the red box.

EMHC: A new rota is currently being prepared and will be ready in the next couple of weeks

Lenten Arms Giving: During Lent we raised £175.00 for Mary Meals. Thank you for your generosity.

Holy places: Thank you for your kind generosity at the service on Good Friday, £264.50 was raised for the Holy Places.

**Offertory Collections:** Thank you for your generous support.

**Envelope Users:** New offertory envelopes for **2024/25** are by the welcomers bench. There are just a couple of boxes left to collect. They are ready to use from this weekend **6/7**<sup>th</sup> **April**. We also have two spare numbers should anyone want a box.

**Lost property:** There are a considerable number of lost property items in the draws in the front porch. Hats, gloves, umbrella's etc. We will clear the draw in a few weeks time, so do take a look if you think you may have left something behind.

Catholic Pic: The April issue of the magazine have now arrived and copies are in the porch. Do take one home.

**Tea/Coffee:** The parish hall is open for **refreshments after the 10.30am Masses.** What gives us life and energy as a Parish is when we come together spiritually and socially.

**Food Bank:** Most urgent items needed as at **3**<sup>rd</sup> **April** are: UHT juice and UHT milk, instant mash, tinned fruit, tinned meats and meat meals. Also needed are tins of fruit, tins of tomatoes and veg and jams and spreads. They have plenty of beans and tea.

**Neston Food bank:** A big thank you to everyone who donated eggs or Easter items to the Neston food bank. The Community Centre would like to send their thanks for your kind generosity. The late eggs left Saturday evening, have also been handed in.

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Sunday 14th April – Sunday 21st April 2024

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		Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Rachel Branch (health)
Sunday 14 April	THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER		8.45 am	Nell Smith (RIP)
		Family Mass	10.30 am	Parish family
Monday	Ferial		9.30am	Ronnie Phelan (belated b'day wishes 31/3)
Tuesday	Ferial		9.30am	Peter Southwell (RIP)
Wednesday	Ferial		9.30am	Holli and Joe (Intention)
Thursday	Ferial		9.30am	Christine Russell (special intention)
Friday	Ferial		9.30am	Jane Haimes (RIP)
Saturday	Ferial		9.30 am	Anthony Kelly (RIP)
		Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Kath Haywood (90th Birthday)
Sunday 21 April	FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER		8.45 am	Parish family
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SUNDAY	13/14 <sup>th</sup> April 2024			20/21 <sup>st</sup> April		
	6pm	8.45am	10.30am	6pm	8.45am	10.30am
Readers	M Branch	Clark family	J Tunstall	C Kirshen	T McGlynn	A Cropper
Welcomers	<b>6pm</b> M & M B	ranch / P Higgins	8.45am A volunteer		10.30am P Challis	
WEEKDAYS	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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Amen

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#### Anniversaries of our departed (15 April – 21 April)

Ron Jones, Thomas George Davison (15/4) John Francis (Jack) McGrath, Ivy Richardson, Michael James (Jim) Byrne, Trevor Heyward, Peter John Southwell (16/4) Sahra Jane Thomas (17/4) Catherine Flood, Vincent Jevons, Donald Miller (18/4) Rita Wilson, Vera Heaton (19/4) Shelagh Robertson, Cecilia Sharo McKeown (20/4) William Murray, Wallace Family - Wexford (21/4)

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**Recently deceased:** Please pray for the repose of the soul of Frances (Fran) Flooks who died last Sunday at Safe Harbour Nursing Home aged 81. Please remember in your prayers her family, Siobhan, Louise, Alistair and the late Helen Flooks and grandchildren, Thomas, Alfie, Rosa and Fionnuala. Requiem Mass for Fran Flooks will be celebrated on the 25<sup>th</sup> April at 11.30am

**Our Lady's Lamp:** This lamp may be lit for your intentions and will burn by Our Lady's Chapel for seven days. If you wish to have it lit, then please contact Fr Francis or the office. This week Our Lady's Lamp will be lit for the sick and housebound.

**Reflection:** "I believe in God" is the new reflection from Tony. It is available on our website and a few copies are in the porch.

**SPUC:** A SPUC Spring Coffee Morning will be held in our Church Hall next **Saturday 20th April from 10am - 12 30pm,** Tea/Coffee Cake, bring and buy and raffle. We will also be having a visitor, Terry Graham SPUC's Northern Development officer is coming from the North East to meet us all. All are very welcome.

**Neston Earth Festival:** This will take place next **Sunday 21st April, Noon - 4pm at Neston Community Youth Centre**. Conservation and local action for the environment. Plant animal and eco stalls, recycled crafts and activities, local producer food and gift stalls, tree trail and live music. **FREE ENTRY. All very welcome.** 

Art Club: The next session will take place on Monday 15th April in the church hall. 1pm-3pm, all very welcome to come along.

CWL: The next meeting will be on Thursday 18th April at 7pm in the church hall. New members most welcome.

**SPUC:** The next meeting is after Mass and rosary on Friday 19<sup>th</sup> April, approx. 10.30am in the church hall. All welcome.

Knot just knitters: The next session will be Friday 26th April in the church hall. 1.30-4pm. All very welcome.

**Churchyard Gardening**: The volunteer gardening group will meet whether permitting Friday afternoons between 1.30pm – 3.30pm. Do come along and help keep the churchyard tidy, extra volunteers always welcome.

**Piety Stall:** There are stocks of Mass cards and cards for various occasion available at the back of church. Please do take a look. Please put your money in the red box.

**Cleaning church:** We are very much in need of an additional cleaner to join a group, due to two of the group not being available. Please contact Jayne in the office if you can spare an hour every 4 weeks, it would be greatly appreciated. Thank you.

EMHC: A new rota is currently being prepared and will be ready in the next couple of weeks.

**Patio furniture:** The total we have now raised for this is £1144 which is great and furniture will be purchased in due course. Also a big thank you to the Mrs Postlethwaite for the lovely green table and chairs that are in place on the patio.

Offertory Collection: Thank you for your generous support.

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Sunday 21st April – Sunday 28th April 2024

Mass Readings: Sunday Year B, Weekday Cycle Year 2

		Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00pm	Kath Haywood (90 <sup>th</sup> Birthday)
Sunday 21 April	FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER		8.45am	Parish family
	Day of prayer for Vocations	Family Mass	10.30am	Frances Flooks (RIP)
Monday	Ferial		9.30am	Kevin Creighton (RIP)
Tuesday	ST GEORGE		9.30am	Special Intention
Wednesday	Ferial		9.30am	Fr Paul Vechoor (RIP)
Thursday	ST MARK		9.30am	Mary and Ben (intention)
Titursuay		Requiem Mass	11.30am	Frances (Fran) Flooks (RIP)
Friday	Ferial		9.30am	Kevin Jones (health)
Saturday	Ferial		9.30am	Sick and housebound
		Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00pm	Maureen & Ron Jones (death anniv 4 <sup>th</sup> )
Sunday 28 April	FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER		8.45am	John Griffin (RIP)
		Family Mass	10.30am	Parish family

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CHNDAY		20/21 <sup>st</sup> April			27/28th April	
SUNDAY	6pm	8.45am	10.30am	6pm	8.45am	10.30am
Readers	C Kirshen	T McGlynn	A Cropper	J Shakespeare	M Corcoran	M Slater
Welcomers	rs 6pm M & M Branch / P Higgins 8.45am A & I		D Docherty <b>10.30am</b> P Challis			
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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,

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who was conceived by the Holy Spirit

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at the right hand of God the Father almighty;

from there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

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#### Amen

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## Anniversaries of our departed (22 April – 28 April)

John Casson (22/4) Fr Peter Gerrard, Fr John Gannon, Margaret Louisa Waring, Isabella Sherlock, Douglas Johnstone, Bill Scarratt, Gerry Cummins (23/4) Patrick Egan, Vincent Marmion, John Henry (Harry) Smith (24/4) William Rochford, John Richardson (25/4) Fr Michael Barry, Sandra Sally (27/4) Thomas Smith, Martin Clark, Joseph Sheridan, Mr Cheung (28/4)

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**First Holy Communion:** The next preparation meeting is this Sunday after 10.30am Mass and the catechists will be helping the parents to support their children grow in their love and appreciation for the Eucharist. We invite all children preparing for their First Holy Communion to consider becoming an Altar Server and it is an important ministry in our celebration of the Eucharist on Sunday. Catechists will be sharing with children the importance of this ministry. We specially thank all parents for their support and encouragement.

Confirmation: The second preparation session is this Sunday, 21st April at 6pm in the church hall.

Bilingual Mass for members of the Chinese community is to be celebrated by Bishop Mark on Sunday 28th April at St Hugh's & St John's, Timperley. During the Mass, which will be concelebrated with Father Bruno Lepeu who is chaplain to the Chinese community. The Bishop will welcome members of the Chinese community who have been baptised or received into full communion with the Catholic Church in 2024. If you would like to attend, contact the parish office for a booking form.

**Diocesan Mass for the Celebration of Marriage 8th June 2024:** The annual Marriage Mass will take place on **Saturday June 8**<sup>th</sup> at 12 noon, Saint Columba's Church Plas Newton Lane, Chester CH2 1SA, and will be followed by a reception in the Parish Hall. Couples who are celebrating significant wedding anniversaries this year, 25, 30, 40 etc or newly married couples are warmly invited to attend. If you would like to attend, please contact the parish office to reserve your place.

**Funeral Service:** Please pray for the repose of the soul of Frances (Fran) Flooks who died on the 7<sup>th</sup> April at Safe Harbour Nursing Home aged 81. Please remember in your prayers her family, Siobhan, Louise, Alistair, the late Helen Flooks and her grandchildren Thomas, Alfie, Rosa and Fionnuala. The Requiem Mass for Fran Flooks will be celebrated on Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> April at 11.30am followed by burial in the graveyard.

**Our Lady's Lamp:** This lamp may be lit for your intentions and will burn by Our Lady's Chapel for seven days. If you wish to have it lit, then please contact Fr Francis or the office. This week Our Lady's Lamp will be lit for Kevin Jones.

**Vacancy:** The Diocese is seeking to recruit a Director of Schools and applications are now open. Details of the role and the application process can be found at https://www.tes.com/jobs/vacancy/director-of-schools-birkenhead-2040730

**Knot just knitters:** The next session will be next **Friday 26**<sup>th</sup> **April** in the church hall. 1.30-4pm. Come along and get crafty! **Bereavement Group:** The next meeting will be on **Wednesday 1**<sup>st</sup> **May** in the church hall, 1 – 3pm. All very welcome.

Parish Social and Community Meeting: The next meeting is due to take place on Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> May in the church hall at 7pm. All parishioners welcome to attend.

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**Piety Stall:** There are stocks of Mass cards and cards for various occasion available at the back of church. Please do take a look. Please put your money in the red box.

**Cleaning church:** We are very much in need of an additional cleaner to join a group, due to two of the group not being available. Please contact Jayne in the office if you can spare an hour every 4 weeks, it would be greatly appreciated. Thank you.

**EMHC:** A new weekend rota is now available online and also on the noticeboard together with the weekday rota.

Lepra: A certificate for the £402 we raised and update on what money in 2023 was spent on is on the noticeboard.

Offertory Collections: Thank you for your generous support.

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Sunday 28th April - Sunday 5th May 2024

Mass Readings: Sunday Year B, Weekday Cycle Year 2

		Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Maureen & Ron Jones (4th death anniv)
Sunday 28 April	FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER		8.45 am	John Griffin (RIP)
		Family Mass	10.30 am	Parish family
Monday	ST CATHERINE OF SIENA		9.30am	Docherty family (health)
Tuesday	Ferial		9.30am	Ron & Maureen Jones (RIP)
Wednesday	Ferial		9.30am	Eileen Noonan (1st anniv 29th/4) RIP
Thursday	St Athanasius		9.30am	Frances Flooks (RIP)
Friday	Ss PHILIP & JAMES		9.30am	Daniel Healy (RIP)
Saturday	THE ENGLISH MARTYRS		9.30 am	Sick and housebound
		Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Parish family
Sunday 5 May	SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER		8.45 am	Frances Flooks (RIP)
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Readers	J Shakespeare	M Corcoran	M Slater	C Haimes	AM Millar	H Jones
Welcomers	mers 6pm M & M Branch / P Higgins 8.45am A & E		D Docherty <b>10.30am</b> A Volunteer			
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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

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Carmel Sumner, Elizabeth McIver, Marita Gerrard, Elsa Margaret McLelland, Eileen Noonan (29/4) Norah Power, Pauline Ann McNulty (30/4) Monica Ellis (1/5), Ray Evans, Anastasia Corbett (2/5) Edward Aloysius Webb, Nellie Stringer, Fr Eugene Pinnington, Margareta Muslaini Chandra, Josie Tunstall (3/5) John Monaghan, Sandie Marie Davies (4/5) William Howley, John Joseph Waring, Anthony Paul Daintree (5/5)

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The Month of Mary: We shall make the month of May a Marian month by praying the favourite prayer of Mary, the Holy Rosary. You are most welcome to join the rosary on weekdays after morning Mass and Sundays at 9.45am in church or via Zoom at 7pm.

Confirmation: The third preparation session is this Sunday, 28th April at 6pm in the church hall.

Recently Deceased: Please remember in your prayers John Griffin, son of the late Vera and George Griffin, who died at home in Malta on Saturday 13th April. He was a parishioner here in St Winefride's many years ago. He leaves behind two brothers Paul and Dave, two sisters Chris and Sue and two sisters-in-law Anne and Elizabeth. Please keep his dear ones in our prayers. There will be a Mass for him and burial of ashes in the family grave in the near future.

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Parish Hall: On Thursday the hall will be used by the council for the local elections. The parish hall is available for hire, contact the office for more details.

Cemetery: Work on making a concrete plinth to place the headstones in the extended area of our cemetery will begin very soon. Please remember to contact parish office before you order a new headstone or modify your existing grave.

Shrewsbury Cathedral: There are various leaflets in the porch from the cathedral from the summer series of afternoon music recitals, pilgrimage tours or becoming "A Friend of Shrewsbury Cathedral". Do take a look.

SPUC: The SPUC Coffee morning last Saturday was a great success and we raised a superb £455 for our Pro life work. Many thanks to all who helped in anyway but a special mention to the ladies who made the scones and cakes, they were fabulous.

Bereavement Group: The next meeting will be this Wednesday 1st May in the church hall, 1 – 3pm. All very welcome.

Parish Social and Community Meeting: The next meeting is due to take place on Wednesday 1st May in the church hall at 7pm. All parishioners welcome to attend.

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Readers rota: A new rota starting from June 2024 will be compiled next month. If you would like to be reader and included on the new rota, then please speak to Fr Francis or contact Jayne in the office. Thank you.

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Sunday 5th May - Sunday 12th May 2024

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Sulluay 5 Iviay	Family Mass	10.30 am	John Griffin (RIP)
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Monday	Ferial	9.30am	Peter Foley (health)
Tuesday	Ferial	9.30am	Hilda Davidson (RIP)
Wednesday	Ferial	9.30am	Sandie Davies (1 <sup>st</sup> anniv) RIP
Thursday	THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD	9.30am	William Postlethwaite (RIP)
Titursuay	Holy day of obligation	7.00pm	Peter Walsh (RIP)
Friday	Ferial	9.30am	Jane Parker (RIP)
Filuay	Interment of ashes in the graveyard	10.00am	Jane Parker (RIP)
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#### Anniversaries of our departed (6 May – 12 May)

Ivor Roberts, George Sowden, Estella White, Alan McBride, Esther Lambert (6/5) Fred Knight, Rt Rev Joseph Gray (7/5) John Southwell, Marie Whyte (8/5) David Phillips, Reg Gilbert, Brian Johnson, James Gordon, Jacqueline Williams (9/5) May Corbett, Fr Thomas Morton (10/5) Margaret Morgan, Terry Bartley, John Sherry (11/5) Eileen O'Callaghan, Fred Dutton, Margaret Eileen Miller (12/5)

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**Pastoral Letter:** This weekend there is a Pastoral Letter from Bishop Mark *On the Month of Mary* to be read at all Masses, which continues the Holy Father's theme of prayer in anticipation of the Jubilee Year 2025. A copy of the letter will be on the website and hard copies are available in the porch.

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**The Ascension of the Lord:** Thursday is a Holyday of Obligation and there will be Mass at both 9.30am and 7pm.

Confirmation: The next session will be Sunday 12th May at 6pm in the parish hall. There is no session this weekend.

**Little Church:** Please remember Children's liturgy during the Family Mass at 10.30am. We thank all parents for their encouragement and support.

**Missio:** Bishop Mark will celebrate the Shrewsbury Diocesan Mass for Missio on **Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> June** at Saint Michael & All Angels Church, Woodchurch at 11.00 am. An invitation for Red Box holders and supporters is on the notice board. The total Red Box donations figure for 2023, in the Diocese of Shrewsbury was a remarkable £127,801 to support global mission of the Church.

**Rosary for Peace:** Aid to Church in need UK are asking all Catholic primary schools to pray the Rosary for peace this May and pledge their decades on 'Aid to the Church in Need, The Maisy Milk Rosary for Peace' joining the CAN schools' national campaign of prayer. For more information please visit https://acnuk.org/resource/the-maisy-milk-rosaryfor-peace/

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**Christian Aid Week:** Coffee morning at Gladstone Village Hall, Burton on **Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> May at 10.00**. Poster on noticeboard. Christian Aid week is 12-18<sup>th</sup> May and a service will be held at Neston Methodist Church, Park Street, Neston, Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> May at 6.30pm. If you would like a part in the service, please contact Pastor Len Sloan by phone 336-7501 or 07939 851580

**SVP Charity night:** The Importance of Being Earnest at Gladstone Theatre on Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> June at 7.30pm. See noticeboard for more details. Tickets available from Mark Branch on 07780 225995 or from Mary White, Peggy Challis or Peter Higgins.

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	World Communications Day Family Mass	10.30 am	Parish family
Monday	Our Lady of Fatima	9.30am	Jerry Savelle (RIP)
Tuesday	ST MATTHIAS	9.30am	Joe & Emma (intention)
Wednesday	Celebration of Word and Communion	9.30am	EMHC – Joe Tunstall
Thursday	Ferial	9.30am	Mary Theresa Waters (RIP)
Friday	Ferial	9.30am	Special Intention
Saturday	Ferial	9.30 am	Mosignor Chris Lightbound (2 <sup>nd</sup> anniv) RIP
	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Fr Gerry Courell (RIP)
Sunday 19 May	PENTECOST SUNDAY	8.45 am	Parish family
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Nicholas Smith, Alfred White (13/5) John Hatton, Bill Davies (14/5, Patrick Joseph/PJ Davis, Mary Robinson, Fr Fred Robinson (15/5) Agnes Turner, Mary (Sr Anne) Docherty, Fr John V Murphy (16/5) Petain Snell, Gladys Miller, James Roebuck, Joe Cassidy, Sim Jones (17/5) David Rowlands, Mosignor Christopher Lightbound (18/5) William Finn, Ian Ilott, Deacon John Brady, Fr Gerry Courell (19/5)

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**The Month of Mary:** We shall make the month of May a Marian month by praying the favourite prayer of Mary, the Holy Rosary. You are most welcome to join the rosary on weekdays after morning Mass and Sundays at 9.45am in church or via Zoom at 7pm.

Confirmation: The next session is this Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> May at 6pm in the parish hall.

**Little Church:** Please remember Children's liturgy during the Family Mass at 10.30am. We thank all parents for their encouragement and support.

**Recently Deceased:** Please pray for the repose of the soul of Mary Theresa Waters who died on Thursday. Mary was 98 and living in Ireland. Please remember her sister Veronica Cooney and family in your prayers. Please also pray for John Griffin, son of the late Vera and George Griffin and his siblings especially Chris McGuiness. John was a parishioner here in St Winefride's many years ago. There will be a Mass for John on Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> May at 12 noon and the interment of ashes in the family grave.

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Reflection: "Time" is the new reflection from Tony. Do take a moment to read it. It is online and a few copies are in the porch.

Christian Aid Week: From 12<sup>th</sup> - 18<sup>th</sup> May and a service will be held this Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> May, 6.30pm at Neston Methodist Church, Park Street, Neston. If you would like a part in the service, please contact Pastor Len Sloan by phone 336 7501 or 07939 851580. If you would like to make a donation to Christian Aid a box for Christian Aid is in the porch during Christian Aid Week. Also there is a Coffee morning at Gladstone Village Hall, Burton next Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> May at 10.00. Poster on noticeboard.

**CWL:** Section meeting this Thursday in the church hall at 7pm, with a cookery demonstration. Any parishioner welcome.

**Knot just knitters:** The next session will be next **Friday 24**<sup>th</sup> **May** in the church hall. 1.30-4pm. Come along and get crafty! **Catholic Pic:** The May edition has arrived, do take a copy. There are a few in the porch.

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CAFOD'S SUDAN CRISIS APPEAL: Thank you for your kind generosity as usual. £427 was raised last weekend.

Offertory Collections: Thank you for your generous support.

**Tea/Coffee:** The parish hall is open for **refreshments after the 10.30am Masses.** What gives us life and energy as a Parish is when we come together spiritually and socially.

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Sunday 19th May - Sunday 26th May 2024

Mass Readings: Sunday Year B, Weekday Cycle Year 2

	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Fr Gerry Courell (RIP)
Sunday 19 May	PENTECOST SUNDAY	8.45 am	Parish family
	Day of prayer for the Church Family Mass	10.30 am	Thomas George Davison (b'day ann 12/5)
Monday	Mary, Mother of the Church	9.30am	Linda Russell (health)
Tuesday	THE DEDICATION OF THE CATHEDRAL	9.30am	Holy Souls
Wednesday	Ferial	9.30am	Fr Anthony Cogliolo (health)
Thursday	OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, THE EXTERNAL HIGH PRIEST	9.30am	Pamela Forshaw (RIP)
Friday	OUR LADY HELP OF CHRISTIANS	9.30am	Ann Fairgrieve (health)
Saturday	St Bede the Venerable	9.30 am	Paul Edwards (RIP)
	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Parish family
Sunday 26 May	THE MOST HOLY TRINITY	8.45 am	Kenneth Bursby (3 <sup>rd</sup> anniv – 23/5) RIP
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SUNDAY	6pm	8.45am	10.30am	6pm	8.45am	10.30am
Readers	C Kirshen	M Corcoran	L Hannaway	M Branch	T McGlynn	L Hannaway
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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;

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Fr Francis Yates (20/5) Johanna Southwell, Molly Smith, Irene Pover (21/5) Myles Byrne, Fr Benedict Fenlon (22/5) James Gerard Donnelly, Mary Percy, Kenneth Bursby (23/5) Joseph Tunstall, George Edward Smith (24/5) Fr George Evans, Herman Onstein, George Hennessy, Christina Rose Davies (Tina) (25/5) Agnes Griffiths, Bernard McGuinness (26/5), Emma Christina Hughes, Celia Hickey (27/5)

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**First Holy Communion:** This Sunday the children who will be preparing for the Sacrament of the Eucharist will be exploring ways in which Jesus calls us to follow him. They will understand that Jesus asks us to share his love with others as they begin a new way of living. The families and parish community are looking forward to the children receiving their First Holy Communion in June. The First Holy Communion Mass will be at 10.30 am on Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> June, with a thanksgiving Mass on Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> June.

**May Procession**: May crowing will take place on Friday on the Solemnity of Our Lady Help of Christians. The crowing of Our Lady will be at the start of the Mass with children's procession of flowers led by St Winefride's school. The whole school will join for the May procession and Mass. Parishioners are most welcome to bring flowers with them to Mass and join the procession.

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Sunday 26th May - Sunday 2nd June 2024

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	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Parish family
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Sulluay 20 Iviay	Family Mass	10.30 am	Irene Pover (1st anniv)
	Baptism	12 noon	Betsy Mae Kit Robinson
Monday	ST AUGUSTINE OF CANTERBURY	9.30am	Teresa Higginson (b/day anniv) RIP
Tuesday	Ferial	9.30am	Hilda Dobson (RIP)
Wednesday	Ferial	9.30am	Pauline Gainsborough (RIP)
Thursday	Ferial	9.30am	Fr Gerry Courell (12 <sup>th</sup> anniv - 19/5) RIP
Titursuay	Requiem Mass	12 Noon	John Griffin (RIP)
Friday	THE VISITATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY	9.30am	Frank Jones (death anniv) RIP
Saturday	St Justin	9.30 am	John James O'Mahony (b'day anniv)
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Amen

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May Procession: It was fabulous to see the May procession organised by St Winefride's school on the solemnity of Our Lady Help of Christians the principal patron of our diocese. We thank Mrs Davies, head teacher, Mrs Bannister, deputy head and the teaching staff for organising this. The children should be congratulated on how beautiful the procession was with all the flowers and crowning of Our Lady. You will find all the wonderful flowers displayed at Our Lady's Chapel, a big thank you to the parents and children for bringing the flowers and to Ruth Stacey and Peggy Challis for creating the lovely display.

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**Teresa Higginson:** Date for your diary, **Friday 14th June**. Mass at 12 noon in honour of Theresa Higginson and her devotion to the Sacred Head. All are welcome to attend. The hall will be open for tea and coffee. See poster on noticeboard for further info.

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Bereavement Group: The next session is Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> June, 1-3pm. All very welcome to attend.

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**Hour of Prayer:** Friday 7<sup>th</sup> June is the first Friday Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus at Our Lady & St John Church, Heswall, at 2.30 - 3.30pm. All welcome.

Art Club: The next session is on Monday 10th June in the church hall. 1 – 3pm. All very welcome

Churchyard Gardening: The volunteer gardening group will also be here on a Wednesday morning, 10.00 – 12 Noon starting 5<sup>th</sup> June. This day may suit other parishioners who can come along and help. Weather permitting Friday afternoons also still on between 1.30pm – 3.30pm. Do come along and help keep the churchyard tidy, extra volunteers always welcome.

**NDCT:** The Big Breakfast at Neston Methodist church is **Saturday 1**st **June at 9.00am**. More information on the noticeboard.

**Neston Singers:** Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> June, Neston Singers present "Who will by my sweet red roses"? See noticeboard for more info.

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**CAFOD:** From CAFOD a guide to the general election: https://cafod.org.uk/campaign/uk-general-election-2024-a-guide-for-catholic-voters

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	Family Mass	10.30 am	Ian Ilott (17 <sup>th</sup> anniv) RIP
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Tuesday	Ferial	9.30am	Geoff Russell (health)
Wednesday	St Boniface	9.30am	GCSSE/A LEVEL students
Thursday	Ferial	9.30am	Canon Briscoe & all D Day Veterans
Friday	THE MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS	9.30am	John Davenport (RIP)
Saturday	The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary	9.30 am	Sick and housebound
	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Margaret Ellis (RIP)
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#### Anniversaries of our departed (3 June – 9 June)

Tommy McGlynn, Pope John XXIII, James Connelly, Mary Helena Marmion, Francis (Jnr) Devitt, Philip Jelley (3/6) Mary (May) Kenolty, Lynda Smith (4/6) Catherine (Kitty) Jelley, Naomi Theresa Bowes, Deborah Flanagan, Joan Ann Marks (5/6) Fr John Bramley, William Boyle, Alice Smith, Dan Miller, Freda Kennedy, Esther Lambert (6/6) Mildred Turner, Paul Arrowsmith (7/6) Norah Barclay, Mary Jones (8/6) Canon Joseph Quinn, Mary Walsh McGlynn, Anne Gambon, Rose Anna Byrne (9/6)

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Bereavement Group: The next session is Wednesday 5th June, 1-3pm. All very welcome to attend.

SPUC: The next meeting is next Friday the 7th June approx 10 30 am after Mass and the Rosary. All very welcome.

Knot just knitters: The next session will be next Friday 7<sup>th</sup> June in the church hall. 1.30 - 4pm. Come along and get crafty!

**Hour of Prayer**: Friday 7<sup>th</sup> June is the first Friday Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus at Our Lady & St John Church, Heswall, at 2.30 - 3.30pm. All welcome.

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**Mouthpeace:** The summer Mouthpeace is now available and there is a copy on the noticeboard. Do take a look it is full of things happening during June and July. Plus gives details of several environmental events happening.

N&DCT: The updated Prayer Breakfast Dates are on the noticeboard. New start time is now 9am (arrive before).

Neston Methodist Church: This year they are celebrating 150 years of Christian Workship, see noticeboard for various events.

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**Offertory Collections:** Thank you for your generous support.

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**Food Bank:** Most urgent items needed as at **23<sup>rd</sup> May** are: UHT juice and UHT milk, instant pasta and pasta sauce, tinned meats and tinned fish and meat meals. Other items include instant noodles, tinned fruit and custard. No pasta or tea bags.

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Sunday 9 June	TENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	8.45 am	Parish family
	Family Mass	10.30 am	Mary Jones (27 <sup>th</sup> anniv) RIP
Monday	Ferial	9.30am	Alex Noonan (3 <sup>rd</sup> anniv) RIP
Tuesday	St Barnabus	9.30am	Holy Souls
Wednesday	Ferial	9.30am	Ann Fairgrieve (health/results 13th)
Thursday	St Anthony of Padua	9.30am	Sister Anthony Wilson (SND) RIP
Friday	Ferial	9.30am	Special Intention (health)
Friday	Mass for Servant of God Teresa Higginson	12 Noon	For the Cause of Teresa Higginson
Saturday	First Holy Communion	10.30 am	First Holy Communion children/family
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Readers	S Davies	Clark family	J Tunstall	L Hannaway	M Corcoran	A Cropper
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you are seated at the right hand of the Father,

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For you alone are the Holy One,

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An Evening with Dr Bill Keimig: Dr Bill Shares his insights and experiences of parish renewal and leading RCIA on Monday 24th June at 7.30pm in the Parish Hall, Holy Angels Church, Altrincham WA15 0HG. Info from Natalie Orefice on 07730 526826. Please sign up at <a href="https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/evening-with-dr-bill-keimig-tickets-902343853757">https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/evening-with-dr-bill-keimig-tickets-902343853757</a>.

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Manday	Ferial	9.30am	Anthony Mould (RIP)	
Monday	Interment of ashes in the graveyard	10.00am	Anthony Mould (RIP)	
Tuesday	Ferial	9.30am	Joyce Stananought (RIP)	
Modnosday	Ferial	9.30am	Gladys Moreton (4 <sup>th</sup> anniv, 13/6) RIP	
Wednesday		7.00pm	Confirmation Candidates and Families	
Thursday	Ferial	9.30am	Marcella (Marcie) Incarico (RIP)	
Friday	St Aloysius Gonzaga	9.30am	Hilary Barton (RIP)	
Saturday	SS JOHN FISHER & THOMAS MORE	9.30 am	Special Intention (Health)	
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Readers	L Hannaway	M Corcoran	A Cropper	J Shakespeare	T McGlynn	M Slater
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**Little Church:** This has now finished for the summer and will restart in September. A special thanks to Sara-Graham-Brown, Alison Hudak and helpers for facilitating this each week.

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Wednesday	Ferial	9.30am	Bro Angelo Pullokaran SSP (RIP)
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Friday	St Irenaeus	9.30am	Special Intention (Health)
Saturday	Blessed Virgin Mary on Saturday	9.30 am	Brian Byrne (b/day anniv 30/6) RIP
	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Fr Russell Cooke (1st Anniv) RIP
Sunday 30 June	THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	8.45 am	Parish family
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#### Anniversaries of our departed (24 June – 30 June)

Tom White (24/6), John Young (25/6) Fr Edward Doyle, Josephine McDonald, Christopher Frederick Haimes (26/6) Clare Sheridan, Mary Ellen Finneran, Pauline Clare Tunstall, Robert (Bob) Watson (27/6) Agnes Jones, Danielle Louise Thomas (28/6) Eileen Jelley, Margaret Aindon, Peter J Jelley, Christopher Anthony Henderson, Irene Margaret Baines (29/6) Rhonda Mooney, Joseph Gallimore, Edward Glynne, Fr Russell Cooke (30/6)

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**Confirmation:** On Wednesday Bishop Mark celebrated the Mass of confirmation for which there were 20 candidates in total from the parishes of St Winefride's, Our Lady & St John and Holy Family. Congratulations to all the candidates and we thank Bishop Mark for making the Mass of Confirmation special for both candidates and their families.

Little Church: This has now finished for the summer and will restart in September.

**The New Lectionary:** which includes the Scripture readings for Mass and Sacraments will be mandatory for use from Advent 2024. The four volumes Lectionary will use the English Standard Version Catholic Edition of the Bible and the Abbey Psalter and will be used in England, Scotland & Wales. The cost of volumes set is £695 and the book of the Gospel is £275. If anyone would like to sponsor this in memory of a loved one, please contact the office. Names of your loved one will be written in the book.

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**NEW DAWN PILGRIMAGE 2024:** This year's New Dawn Pilgrimage will take place from 5<sup>th</sup>-9<sup>th</sup> August at the National Shrine and Basilica of Our Lady of Walsingham. Further information can be found on the noticeboard and website at www.newdawn.org.uk

**LOURDES:** There are still a few seats still available on the plane for the pilgrimage 26 July to 1 August. If you are interested in going, then booking forms are available at <a href="https://www.shrewsburypilgrimgae.co.uk">www.shrewsburypilgrimgae.co.uk</a> or call the pilgrimage office on 07970943940.

**SPUC:** A General Election has been called for the 4th July. The threat of abortion being decriminalised was averted when this election was called, but these extreme proposals are sure to return. The next parliament will also see a big push to legalise assisted suicide. It is therefore vital we elect MP's who will oppose these threats to life. There are leaflets in the porch for you to take away. For more info on candidates and their intentions, please go to <a href="https://www.spuc.org.uk/generalelection-2024.">https://www.spuc.org.uk/generalelection-2024.</a>

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**Peters Pence:** Peter's pence annual retiring collection will be next weekend, on the solemnity of saints Peter and Paul. It provides essential support for the Holy See's activities and helps Pope Francis to assist the victims of wars, oppression and natural disasters around the world.

Day for Life: Last weekend, you kindly gave £218.50 for the Day for Life retiring collection.

Offertory Collections: Thank you for your generous support.

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**Food Bank:** Urgent items needed as at **20**<sup>th</sup> June: UHT juice, instant mash, custard, rice pudding, long life juice & vegetarian tinned meals. Foodbank confirmed we have given 104.5kg of food in April and May which is enough to feed 9 people for 3 days.

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Sunday 30 June 2024 - Sunday 7 July 2024

Mass Readings: Sunday Year B, Weekday Cycle Year 2

	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Fr Russell Cooke (1st Anniv) RIP
Sunday 30 June	Saints PETER & PAUL	8.45 am	Parish family
	Family Mass	10.30 am	John Nicholson (RIP)
Monday	Ferial	9.30am	Tom Elliot (RIP)
Tuesday	Ferial	9.30am	Ruth Pisarek (health)
Wednesday	ST THOMAS	9.30am	Holy Souls
Thursday	Ferial	9.30am	Angus McBain (RIP)
Friday	Ferial	9.30am	Carol Saunders (5 <sup>th</sup> anniv) RIP
Caturday	Blessed Virgin Mary on Saturday	9.30 am	Sick and housebound
Saturday	Baptism	10.45am	Clemmie Rose & Indi Lilly Camello
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Readers	C Kirshen	M Corcoran	H Jones	K Ankers	Clark family	M Unsworth
Welcomers	rs <b>6pm</b> P Higgins		8.45am A & D Docherty		10.30am P Challis	
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O God, almighty Father.

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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,

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you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High,

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#### Anniversaries of our departed (1 July – 7 July)

Joan (Sr Dolores) Nolan, Theresa Davies, Mary Foster (1/7) Harry Jones, Lafferty Family, Co. Donegal, Marie Davies, Leslie Thomas Cooke (2/7) Margaret Sheridan, Carol Ann Preston, Arthur Hawkins (3/7) Helena Kiesler, Carol Elizabeth Saunders, Chris Skeen (5/7) Eric Belcher, Joan Irene Balshaw (6/7) Elsie Johnstone, Yvonne Priscilla Morgan (7/7)

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**The New Lectionary**: A parishioner has kindly offered to sponsor the Lectionary and Book of the Gospel in memory of Vincent Sarson. Vincent Sarson was headteacher at St Winefride's primary school from 1975 until around 1997.

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**Shrewsbury Lourdes Hospitality:** The next meeting is at St Mary's Caritas Centre, Delamere St, Crewe, CW1 2JX on Sat 13 July at 3pm. All members of the Hospitality are welcome to attend. Please pass details to any interested member. Register your attendance and make any apologies to <a href="mailto:secretary@teamshrewsbury.co.uk">secretary@teamshrewsbury.co.uk</a>

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**Knot just knitters:** The next session is next **Friday 5**<sup>th</sup> **July** in the church hall. 1.30 - 4pm. Come along and get crafty!

Hour of Prayer: Friday 5th July is the first Friday Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus at Our Lady & St John, Heswall at 2.30pm.

**Art club:** The next session is on **Monday 8th July** between 1 and 3pm. All very welcome.

**Parish Social and Community Meeting**: The next meeting is due to take place on Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> July in the parish hall at 7pm. All parishioners welcome to attend.

**Neston Village Fair:** This is Saturday July 6th and **Churches Together** will be having a tent at the fair. Volunteers are needed to look after the tent and the times are as follows: **12-45pm to 1-45pm, 1-45pm to 2-45pm, 2-45pm to 3-45pm, 2-45 to 4-30pm** The fair starts at 1 pm and finishes at 4-30 pm. If you are able to help, then please contact Ed Hilditch at elhilditch@aol.com by **Wednesday 3rd July**. Also, if you are free to put up the tent at 6pm on Friday 5<sup>th</sup> then speak to Mark Branch.

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	Family Mass	10.30 am	Judy Howard (B/day anniversary)
Monday	Ferial	9.30am	Cropper family (intention)
Tuesday	Ferial	9.30am	Phil Taylor (RIP)
Wednesday	Ferial	9.30am	Fr Jim (90 <sup>th</sup> birthday) thanksgiving
Thursday	ST BENEDICT (Day of special prayer for Europe)	9.30am	Ted Ludlow (RIP)
Friday	Ferial	9.30am	Mary & Jack Kirby (Mary b'day anniv) RIP
Saturday	Blessed Virgin Mary on Saturday	9.30 am	Special Intention (health)
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Canon Maurice Abbott, Sylvia Leonard (8/7) Sister Therese Topping, James Michael McCabe, Mary Ann Farrelly (9/7) Elsie Seagrove, Canon Robert Fallon, Peggy Hosker, Philip Jelly, Peter Jelley (10/7), Josie Davies, Stephen Paul Byrne (11/7) Fr James Gaskell, Theresa Buchanan, Frank O'Leary, Pat Clarke (12/7) William Isherwood, Janet Griffiths (13/7) Mabel Mosses, Raymond Clarke, Francis (Ted) Thomas (14/7)

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**Reflection:** The new reflection from Tony Topping is 'Utilitarianism'. There are copies in the porch and it is also online.

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Walsingham Pilgrimage in Reparation & Prayer for the Sanctity of Life: On Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> August 2024 led by RT Rev Dr David Oakley commencing at 12 noon, will be a pilgrim Mass in the Chapel of Reconciliation. See noticeboard for more information.

**Lourdes with Across Jumbulance:** The Chester Across Group are going to Lourdes by Jumbulance from Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> to Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> August. For more information, please contact Tony Murphy on 07881 656 794 or email <a href="mailto:tonymurphyefc2002@yahoo.com">tonymurphyefc2002@yahoo.com</a>

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Catholic Pic: The new magazine for July has arrived. There is a small supply in the porch, do take a copy.

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**Stella Maris:** Seafarers and fishers play a vital role in all of our lives, but they often work in difficult, hazardous conditions. Sea Sunday is **Sunday 14th July**. It is when the Church prays for all those who live and work at sea. Stella Maris is the ship-visiting network and the official maritime charity of the Catholic Church. There will be a retiring collection next weekend to support their work. Gift aid envelopes are available to take this weekend if you are able to gift aid your donation. You can also donate by visiting www.stellamaris.org.uk/donate, or by texting 'SEA' to 70460 to donate £5.

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Annual Accounts: Our annual accounts for 2023/2024 have now been finalised and currently average running costs, just to open the church each month are £3,494 (2023 - £3,259) Our annual spend amounted to £41,926 which included £35,985 of fixed costs and £5,940 variable costs (Gas, Electricity and Water). One of the ways which makes a difference is to gift aid your current contribution if you don't already. For every £1 given 25p is received. If you would like to know more about how to gift aid or to perhaps start a monthly standing order if you are currently donate via loose plate, then please contact Jayne in the office.

Peter's Pence: Thank you as usual for your kind generosity the total amount raised was £263.00

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## Anniversaries of our departed (15 July – 21 July)

Robert Wilson, May Tunstall (15/7) Mollie Mollen, Nell Sumner (16/7) William Maule, Wilfrid Pover, Claudia Sheridan (17/7) Fr Joseph O'Donnell, Marjorie Higgins, Winifred Jellicoe (18/7) Fr Colm Grogan, Marie Young (19/7) Douglas Strawson, Fr Michael Wentworth (20/7) Sylvia Wooldridge (21/7)

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**Adoremus - National Eucharistic Pilgrimage and Congress** will take place on Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> September at St Mary's seminary, Oscott. There are a limited number of tickets and **all attendees**, **including clergy, must arrive by coach**. The Diocese have paid for the tickets and ask for a donation towards the cost of the coach. Pick up points yet to be confirmed. Please contact the office as soon as possible or speak to Fr Francis if you would like to attend. Poster on the noticeboard with more details.

**Father Anthony Cogliolo RIP:** Please remember in your prayers Fr Anthony who died peacefully at Woodend Care Home, Altrincham. Please also keep his dear ones in your prayers. Father Anthony's mortal remains will be received into Sacred Heart & Saint Teresa, Wilmslow on Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> July with a Vigil Mass at 7.00pm. The Requiem Mass will be on Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> at 12.00 noon, followed by interment in Frankby Cemetery, Wirral.

**Stella Maris:** Seafarers and fishers play a vital role in all of our lives, but they often work in difficult, hazardous conditions. Sea Sunday is this **Sunday 14th July**. It is when the Church prays for all those who live and work at sea. Stella Maris is the ship-visiting network and the official maritime charity of the Catholic Church. There will be a retiring collection this weekend to support their work. Gift aid envelopes taken last week can be handed in this week and there are still some in the porch if you are able to gift aid your donation. You can also donate by visiting www.stellamaris.org.uk/donate, or by texting 'SEA' to 70460 to donate £5.

**Lourdes with Across Jumbulance:** The Chester Across Group are going to Lourdes by Jumbulance from Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> to Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> August. They are looking for two helpers and there is a place for someone who is sick or disabled. For more information, please contact Tony Murphy on 07881 656 794 or email tonymurphyefc2002@yahoo.com

**Called to the Priesthood:** If you would like to explore God's call for your life and discern your vocation to the Diocesan Priesthood, please email the diocesan vocations director, Fr Tony McGrath, at <a href="mailto:vocationsdirector@dioceseofshrewsbury.org">vocationsdirector@dioceseofshrewsbury.org</a>

**Our Lady's Lamp:** This lamp may be lit for your intentions and will burn by Our Lady's Chapel for seven days. If you wish to have it lit, then please inform Fr Francis or contact parish office. This week Our Lady's Lamp will be lit for a Kevin Jones.

Church Cleaning: The number of volunteers that we have to clean the church is getting smaller and smaller. We have decided that the new rota starting late August, will be on a fortnightly basis. This means you probably will only be in church cleaning once every two months. In addition to this, there will be a list of ad hoc cleaning jobs that need to be carried out in church, that if ANY PARISHIONER has a spare hour, they can come along and undertake one of the jobs. We hope this will help keep the church looking its best, but take the pressure of the regular cleaners. We hope to encourage other parishioners to come forward without committing to a regular rota. If you would however, like to be **included on the new cleaning rota**, then do let Jayne in the office know ASAP. Thank you.

**Churchyard Gardening**: The volunteer gardening group will meet, weather permitting, Friday afternoons between 1.30pm – 3.30pm. Do come along and help keep the churchyard tidy, extra volunteers always welcome.

Knot just knitters: The next session is next Friday 19th July in the church hall. 1.30 - 4pm. Come along and get crafty!!

Annual Accounts: Our annual accounts for 2023/2024 have now been finalised and currently average running costs, just to open the church each month are £3,494 (2023 - £3,259) Our annual spend amounted to £41,926 which included £35,985 of fixed costs and £5,940 variable costs (Gas, Electricity and Water). One of the ways which makes a difference is to gift aid your current contribution if you don't already. For every £1 given 25p is received. If you would like to know more about how to gift aid or to perhaps start a monthly standing order if you are currently donate via loose plate, then please contact Jayne in the office.

Offertory Collections: Thank you for your generous support.

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

**Food Bank:** Urgent items needed as at **11 July**: UHT juice, instant mash, custard, rice pudding, long life juice & vegetarian tinned meals, instant pasta and sauce & pot noodles. Other items, jams & spreads, biscuits and small treats.

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#### LITURGICAL CALENDAR OF THE WEEK

Sunday 21 July 2024 - Sunday 28 July 2024

Mass Readings: Sunday Year B, Weekday Cycle Year 2

	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Kevin Jones (health)
Sunday 21 July	SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	8.45 am	Parish family
	Family Mass	10.30 am	Ruth Pisarek (health)
Monday	ST MARY MAGDALENE Year 6 Thanksgiving Mass	9.30am	Year 6 and their families
Tuesday	ST BRIDGET	9.30am	Patience, Understanding & Strength (health)
Wednesday	School Year End Mass Mass in School	9.30am	School community
Thursday	ST JAMES	9.30am	Doreen Beddows (RIP)
Friday	Ss Joachim & Ann	9.30am	Douglas Strawson (RIP)
Saturday	Blessed Virgin Mary on Saturday	9.30 am	Fr Anthony Cogliolo (RIP)
	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Ellen Saunders (b/day anniv) RIP
Sunday 28 July	SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	8.45 am	Parish family
	Family Mass	10.30 am	Bill Williams (b'day anniv) RIP

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: Monday to Saturday at 9 am. Morning prayer: Monday to Saturday at 9.00 am 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 5pm.

SUNDAY 6pm		20/21 July			27/28 July	
		8.45am	10.30am	6pm	8.45am	10.30am
Readers	M Branch	T McGlynn	M Povey	S Davies	AM Millar	W Fryer
Welcomers	6pm P Higgins, M & M Branch		8.45am A & D Docherty		10.30am A Volunteer	
WEEKDAYS	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Readers	M Corcoran	M Povey	J Tunstall	A Volunteer	C Haimes	A Volunteer

## 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,

## **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, Rosemary Southwell, Pat Cummins, Win Bayley, Joe Hemington, Maurice McAsey, Judy Howard, Fr Paul, Maureen Adams, Sr Suzan George, Eva Bennion, Paul Wallace, Dorothy Strawson, Ronnie Phelan, Maureen Knox, Joseph Kennedy, Gerald Sanderson, Mary Gilbert, Michael Rowlands, Betty Watson, Kay Minto, Susan Trowell, Margaret Maw, Josie Rowland, David Eva, Peter Roca, Stephanie Archibald, Moira Griffiths-Parr, Margaret Gould, Louise Dixon, Joan Burkmar, Stephen Bretland, Canon Phil Moor VG, Adrian Duggan, Jack Turner, Dawn Stevenson, Mary Henesy, Cormac Davis, 5 year old Dottie, Rachel Branch, Terry Michael Foster, Annabelle Narey, Alan Blackwood, Mary, Richard & Cavan Fowler, Ann Kelly, Ruth Pisarek, Roger Gardener, Clair Piccolo, Pat Leadbetter, Reg Parson, Ann & Paul Flanagan. Please advise any changes.

## Anniversaries of our departed (22 July – 28 July)

Robert Jones, Tom Hughes (22/7) Derek Cottingham Davies (23/7) Victoria Johnson, Tim Delaney (24/7) Provost John Burgon, Eileen Perryman (25/7) Winefride Mary Donnelly, Fr Gerard Corcoran, Mary Josephine Barends, Clare Michelle Power (27/7) Richard Adam Powell, Joseph Downey (28/7)

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**Fourth World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly - Sunday 28**<sup>th</sup> **of July 2024:** We will celebrate this day in honour of all grandparents and elderly members of our congregation next week. This is the closest Sunday to the feast of St Anne and St Joachim, parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary, which we celebrate the Friday before on the 26<sup>th</sup> of July 2024. Pope Francis has written a message especially for this occasion. His chosen theme is "Do not cast me off in my old age". There are some copies of the message in the porch and an electronic copy will also be sent out via email.

**St Winefride's School:** On Monday, Year 6 and their parents/guardians, and family members will be joining us for a thanksgiving Mass at 9.30am. On Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> July the end of year Mass/leavers Mass will be <u>celebrated in school at 9.30 am</u>. All parishioners are welcome to attend the Mass in school.

Plastic Free July is a global movement that helps millions of people be part of the solution to plastic pollution. Making a small change will collectively make a massive difference to our communities. Please remember this, in particular when you use plastic materials in the graveyard. We are seeing more and more plastic items being used and our volunteer gardening group do help to keep the churchyard tidy by removing faded plastic flowers and wreaths. Can we request that any plastic items are removed from graves and only biodegradable items used. Please do not use glass materials as substitute as broken glasses can be a health hazard. Thank you.

**Adoremus - National Eucharistic Pilgrimage and Congress** will take place on Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> September at St Mary's seminary, Oscott. There are a limited number of tickets and all attendees, including clergy, must arrive by coach. The Diocese have paid for the tickets and ask for a donation towards the cost of the coach. Pick up points yet to be confirmed. Please contact the office by next **Friday 25**<sup>th</sup> **July** or speak to Fr Francis if you would like to attend. Poster on the noticeboard with more details.

**Our Lady's Lamp:** This lamp may be lit for your intentions and will burn by Our Lady's Chapel for seven days. If you wish to have it lit, then please inform Fr Francis or parish office. This week Our Lady's Lamp will be lit for a special intention of Lyonette family.

**Welcomers:** We are looking for parishioners to join the small group of welcomers we have for the three weekend Masses. In particular **10.30am**. If you would like to be involved or know a little more, then please speak to Judith Povey or leave your details in the Mass intentions box. **No rota involved**, just a weekly availability email.

**Church Cleaning:** Following our appeal last weekend, thank you to the one parishioner we have had so far come forward to join the team of volunteers. If you are able to spare an odd hour to help clean the church, then please leave your contact details.

**SVP:** Kate Birkenhead, Membership Support Officer for the SVP in the Diocese of Shrewsbury is walking the length and breadth of the Diocese 200 miles in 2 weeks!; and she is walking through St Winefride's this weekend. Kate is raising funds for our special works in the Shrewsbury Diocese: 2 Children's Camps and 2 Holiday Homes including our own for Chester & Ellesmere Port. Kate has setup a fundraising page if you wish to donate here: <a href="https://giving.give-star.com/online/saint-vincent-de-paul-society-england-and-wales/kate-and-colin-are-walking-the-length-and-breadth-of-shrewsbury-diocese">https://giving.give-star.com/online/saint-vincent-de-paul-society-england-and-wales/kate-and-colin-are-walking-the-length-and-breadth-of-shrewsbury-diocese</a>

**CWL Garden Party:** Please save the date - afternoon of **Friday 16**<sup>th</sup> **August** for our annual event at **34 Earle Drive, Neston.** Raffle, bring and buy and refreshments. More details nearer the time.

**Churchyard Gardening**: The volunteer gardening group will meet, weather permitting, Friday afternoons between 1.30pm – 3.30pm. Do come along and help keep the churchyard tidy, extra volunteers always welcome.

Knot just knitters: The next session is next Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> August in the church hall. 1.30 - 4pm. Come along and get crafty!!

Stella Maris: Thank you for your kind generosity last weekend. We raised £400.50 plus an extra £28.75 via gift aid.

Offertory Collections: Thank you for your generous support as usual.

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

**Food Bank:** Urgent items needed as at **12 July**: Urgent items are UHT juice, rice packets, biscuits and coffee. Other items are tinned meat, tinned veg and tomatoes, instant pasta and sauce & pot noodles. They still have plenty of baked beans and pasta.

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Sunday 11 August 2024 - Sunday 18 August 2024

Mass Readings: Sunday Year B, Weekday Cycle Year 2

	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Holy Souls
Sunday 11 Aug	NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	8.45 am	Parish family
Sulluay 11 Aug	Family Mass	10.30 am	Morna Wilson (1st Anniv) RIP
	Baptism	12.00 pm	Lily Emilia Moore
Monday	Ferial	9.30 am	Sister Catherine Malone (94 <sup>th</sup> B'day)
Tuesday	Ferial	9.30 am	Judy Pugh (RIP)
Wednesday	St Maximilian Mary Kolbe	9.30 am	Joan Bartley (B'day thanksgiving)
Thursday	THE ASSUMPTION OF MARY Morning Mass	9.30 am	Clair Piccola (RIP)
Thursday	Holyday of Obligation Evening Mass	7 .00 pm	Fr Denis Marmion (10 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary) RIP
Friday	Ferial	9.30 am	Win Bayley (90 <sup>th</sup> B'day – 12 <sup>th</sup> Aug)
Saturday	Blessed Virgin Mary on Saturday	9.30 am	Joe Hemmington (health)
	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Joseph M J (RIP)
Sunday 18 August	TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	8.45 am	Parish family
	Family Mass	10.30 am	Fr Stephen Innis OFM (RIP)

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SUNDAY	10/11 August			17/18 August		
SUNDAY	6pm	8.45am	10.30am	6pm	8.45am	10.30am
Readers	L Hanaway	T McGlynn	A Cropper	J Shakespeare	M Corcoran	M Slater
Welcomers	6pm M & M Branch/P Higgins 8.45am		<b>8.45am</b> A	Volunteer 10.30am A Volunteer		
WEEKDAYS	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Readers	A Cropper	M Povey	J Tunstall	M Unsworth	C Haimes	M Povey

#### 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;

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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

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Flanagan, Stacey Hemington Please advise any changes.

## Anniversaries of our departed (12 August – 18 August)

Leslie Wood, Tony Lam (12/8) Patricia Ilott, Mike Kondrat, Fr Denis Marmion (13/8) Fr John M Lyons, Fr Michael Raiswell (14/8) Doris Elizabeth O'Shea, Mary Boyle, Annie Rivers, Cath Owen, Valerie Jones, Jane Mary Nolan (15/8) Carol Ann Hunt (16/8) Fr John Blanc, Patricia (Pat) Heywood, Brenda May Glen, Richard Wilcox (17/7) Richard Thomas Bamford, Emily Robinson (18/8)

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**The Assumption of Mary:** On Thursday, 15<sup>th</sup> August it is the solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, a holyday of obligation. There will be a Mass at 9.30am and also 7pm.

**Mission Appeal:** At all Masses **next weekend** we welcome Barbara Charles from Network for a Better World, a lay missionary group which works for the relief of poverty with specific support for women and children in a rural mission parish in Southern Malawi. Barbara will speak about the work of the organization and how we can be involved in the mission of the Church overseas. More information on the noticeboard or via their website <a href="www.N4BW.org.uk">www.N4BW.org.uk</a>. There will be a retiring collection at all Masses.

**Our Lady's Lamp:** This lamp may be lit for your intentions and will burn by Our Lady's Chapel for seven days. If you wish to have it lit, then please inform Fr Francis or parish office. This week Our Lady's Lamp will be lit for a special intention (family).

**SPUC:** SPUC's annual petition appeals to the government to remove the two-child benefit cap. If you wish to support the petition this weekend, you can do so online at <a href="www.spuc.org.uk/end-benefit-cap">www.spuc.org.uk/end-benefit-cap</a> or via the QR code on the poster in the porch. Petition cards are also available from Margaret Unsworth.

**CWL Garden Party:** The annual event will be on **Friday 16**<sup>th</sup> **August** at **34 Earle Drive, Neston.** Starting at 1pm until 4pm. Raffle, bring and buy and refreshments.

**Medjugorje:** A parishioner will be visiting Medjugorje at the end of August and will be happy to take any prayer requests. Please put any prayer requests in the prayer box by Our Lady's altar by **Sunday 25**<sup>th</sup> **August**. Thank you.

**Reflection:** "Be still my soul" is the new reflection from Tony. Some paper copies are in the porch and there is also a copy online **Knot just knitters:** The next session is **Friday 23**<sup>rd</sup> **August** in the church hall. 1.30 - 4pm. Come along and get crafty!!

Bereavement Group: The next session is on Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> September in the church hall. 1 – 3pm. All very welcome.

**Moo Music:** The baby/toddler music group run by Laura Jones will be in the hall next **Thursday 15**<sup>th</sup> **August.** The church hall will therefore not be available until 1pm. The new sessions will start again in September. If you wish to book the parish hall for any function, then please contact the parish office.

**Diocesan Vacancy**: A vacancy has arisen for an Administration Support Officer within our Mission and Evangelisation team based in Chester More details can be found via the Diocesan website <a href="www.dioceseofshrewsbury.org/latest-vacancies/">www.dioceseofshrewsbury.org/latest-vacancies/</a> CV's with a covering letter should be sent to Pauline McCulloch recruitment@dioceseofshrewsbury.org Closing date: Friday 30 August.

**Churchyard Gardening**: The volunteer gardening group will meet, weather permitting, Friday afternoons between 1.30pm – 3.30pm. Do come along and help keep the churchyard tidy, extra volunteers always welcome.

Offertory Collections: Thank you for your generous support.

**Tea/Coffee:** The parish hall is open for **refreshments after the 10.30am Masses.** What gives us life and energy as a Parish is when we come together spiritually and socially.

**Food Bank/ APP:** Urgent items needed as at 8 August are UHT juice, rice packets, biscuits, tinned veg and tomatoes and small jars of coffee. The Trussell Trust has partnered with **BanktheFood**, a small charity helping food banks get essential supplies, to ensure that our food banks get the items they need the most to continue supporting people facing hardship in their local area. To be able to download the app visit **https://www.trusselltrust.org/2024/02/19/we-have-partnered-with-bankthefood/** 

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Sunday 18 August 2024 - Sunday 25 August 2024

Mass Readings: Sunday Year B, Weekday Cycle Year 2

	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Joseph M J (RIP)
Sunday 18 Aug	TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	8.45 am	Parish family
	Family Mass	10.30 am	Fr Stephen Innis OFM (RIP)
Monday	Ferial	9.30 am	Geoff Russell (health)
Tuesday	St Bernard	9.30 am	James Rourke (Intention)
Wednesday	St Pius X	9.30 am	Graham Sowerby (RIP)
Thursday	The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary	9.30 am	Wyn Bailey (90 <sup>th</sup> Birthday) Thanksgiving
Friday	Ferial	9.30 am	Melody Murphy (health)
Saturday	ST BARTHOLOMEW	9.30 am	Hughes family (health)
	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Parish family
Sunday 25 Aug	TWENTY FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	8.45 am	Dennis Harrs (RIP)
	Family Mass	10.30 am	Frank Morgan (12 <sup>th</sup> death anniv) RIP

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CLINIDAY		17/18 August			24/25 August	t
SUNDAY	6pm	8.45am	10.30am	6pm	8.45am	10.30am
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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,

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Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit,

in the glory of God the Father.

#### Amen

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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)

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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

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### Anniversaries of our departed (19 August – 25 August)

Mgr Canon Vincent Turnbull, Bernard Phelan (19/8) Griff Griffiths, Cath Saxon (20/8) Hilda Haimes, Gladys Cooke, Albert William Garrigan, Elizabeth Mary (Betty) Neal (21/8) Francis (Snr) Devitt, Fr Patrick O'Brien, Kevin Michael Higgins, James Spriggs (22/8) Robert Sumner, Fr Chris Jenkins, Bridget Parry, Marcella Garrigan (23/8) Mary Mulligan, Agnes (Cissie) Gilhooley, Mary Bennett (24/8) Marguerite Williams, Frank (Francis) Morgan, Pauline Wilson (25/8)

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Mission Appeal: This weekend we welcome Barbara Charles from Network for a Better World, a lay missionary group which works for the relief of poverty with specific support for women and children in a rural mission parish in Southern Malawi. Barbara will speak about the work of the organization and how we can be involved in the mission of the Church overseas. More information on the noticeboard or via their website www.N4BW.org.uk

**Our Lady's Lamp:** This lamp may be lit for your intentions and will burn by Our Lady's Chapel for seven days. If you wish to have it lit, then please inform Fr Francis or parish office. This week Our Lady's Lamp will be lit for the Mason family.

Medjugorje: A parishioner will be visiting Medjugorje at the end of August and will be happy to take any prayer requests. Please put any prayer requests in the prayer intention box by Our Lady's altar by next **Sunday, 25**th **August**. Thank you.

Reflection: "Be still my soul" is the new reflection from Tony. Some paper copies are in the porch and there is also a copy online

Knot just knitters: The next session is Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> August in the church hall. 1.30 - 4pm. Come along and get crafty!!

Bereavement Group: The next session is on Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> September in the church hall. 1 – 3pm. All very welcome.

**Diocesan Vacancy**: A vacancy has arisen for an Administration Support Officer within our Mission and Evangelisation team based in Chester More details can be found via the Diocesan website <a href="www.dioceseofshrewsbury.org/latest-vacancies/">www.dioceseofshrewsbury.org/latest-vacancies/</a> CV's with a covering letter should be sent to Pauline McCulloch recruitment@dioceseofshrewsbury.org Closing date: Friday 30 August.

**March for Life UK: Saturday 7**th **September 1.30pm** from The Emmanuel Centre. The message is "Abortion isn't healthcare". For more information visit https://www.marchforlife.co.uk/ There is also a poster and leaflets in the porch.

Shrewsbury Lourdes Hospitality members are warmly invited to a 'Day of Reflection' on Saturday 14 September, at Shrewsbury Cathedral. Led by Fr Sean Henry, the theme will be, "Martha and Mary: The Hospitality we give to Christ". 9.15am start with a 3.30pm finish. Lunch can be purchased on site or bring your own. Cost (by anonymous donation). Spaces are limited so please book early. For further details, please contact Clare, secretary@teamshrewsbury.co.uk or text Siobhan on 07931574348."

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Catholic Pic: The August edition has arrived and there are copies in the porch. Do take one home.

**Churchyard Gardening**: The volunteer gardening group will meet, weather permitting, Friday afternoons between 1.30pm – 3.30pm. Do come along and help keep the churchyard tidy, extra volunteers always welcome.

**Network for a Better World:** There will be a retiring collection at all Masses this weekend.

Offertory Collections: Thank you for your generous support.

**Tea/Coffee:** The parish hall is open for **refreshments after the 10.30am Masses.** What gives us life and energy as a Parish is when we come together spiritually and socially.

**Food Bank:** Urgent items needed as at 15 August are UHT juice and milk rice packets, biscuits, tinned veg and tomatoes and small jars of coffee. Other items needed include tinned fruit, tinned or instant custard and jams and spreads. No pasta or beans.

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#### LITURGICAL CALENDAR OF THE WEEK

Sunday 25 August 2024 – Sunday 1 September 2024

Mass Readings: Sunday Year B, Weekday Cycle Year 2

	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Parish family
Sunday 25 Aug	TWENTY FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	8.45 am	Dennis Harrs (RIP)
	Family Mass	10.30 am	Frank Morgan (12th death anniv) RIP
Monday	Ferial	9.30 am	Joe Tunstall (b'day 25/8) Thanksgiving
Tuesday	St Monica	9.30 am	Angela & Anthony Kirby (50th Wed anni)
Wednesday	St Augustine	9.30 am	Clair Piccola (RIP)
Thursday	The Passion of St John the Baptist	9.30 am	Josie McVerry (RIP) recently deceased
Friday	Ss Margaret Clitherow, Margaret Ward & Anne Line	9.30 am	Mary & Michael Corcoran (50th Wed anniv)
Saturday	Blessed Virgin Mary on Saturday	9.30 am	George M V (health, op on 27 <sup>th</sup> )
	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Alex Hughes (B'day anniv) RIP
Sunday 1 Sept	TWENTY SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	8.45 am	Alex Hughes (Death anniv) RIP
	Family Mass	10.30 am	Parish family

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CHAIDAY	24/25 August			31 Aug/1 September		
SUNDAY	6pm	8.45am	10.30am	6pm	8.45am	10.30am
Readers	C Kirshen	AM Millar	H Jones	K Ankers	Clark family	M Unsworth
Welcomers	6pm	P Higgins	8.45am A & D Docherty		10.30am A Volunteer	
WEEKDAYS	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Readers	A Cropper	A Volunteer	J Tunstall	A Volunteer	C Haimes	A Volunteer

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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,

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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.

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#### Anniversaries of our departed (26 August – 1 September)

Bartholomew Byrne, Ann Lewis, Ruth Rodrigues (26/8) Glynn Lee Brown, Francis Donald White, Elizabeth (Betty) Mary Davis (27/8) Fr Brendan Huggard (28/8) Olive Louise Daly, Jane McGinley (29/8), Marie Lam, Edmund O'Callaghan, Fr Denis Gaul, Richard Hall (30/8) Fr David McNamara, Canon John O'Reilly, Helen Coyne (31/8) Charles Jones, Laurence Trotman, Fr John Nolan, Bernadette Ellis, Christine Rishton, Alex Hughes, Philip Dobson (1/9)

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**Peter O'Brien RIP**: Please remember in your prayers Mr Peter O'Brien, who served as Diocesan Property Manager from 2007 and as Secretary of the Northwest Historic Churches Committee from 2018. Peter died on 7<sup>th</sup> August and the Requiem Mass will be celebrated at **1.30pm on Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> August at Holy Apostles & Martyrs** (English Martyrs church), Wallasey. Please keep Peter's wife Lynda and their family in your prayers.

**Recently deceased:** We pray for the repose of the soul of Audrey Nugent who died on Tuesday, 20<sup>th</sup> August at the age of 91. Please remember her family and dear ones in your prayers. Audrey's late husband Gordon died and was buried here in 1994.

**Our Lady's Lamp:** This lamp may be lit for your intentions and will burn by Our Lady's Chapel for seven days. If you wish to have it lit, then please inform Fr Francis or parish office. This week Our Lady's Lamp will be lit for the Hughes family.

Medjugorje: A parishioner will be visiting Medjugorje at the end of August and will be happy to take any prayer requests. Please put any prayer requests in the prayer intention box by Our Lady's Chapel by this **Sunday**, **25**<sup>th</sup> **August**. Thank you.

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**Mouthpeace:** The Autumn edition has been issued as there are several things are happening in early September. A copy is available on the JP Shrewsbury website at https://jpshrewsbury.wordpress.com/mouthpeace/ and a copy is on the noticeboard.

**Churchyard Gardening**: The volunteer gardening group will meet, weather permitting, Friday afternoons between 1.30pm – 3.30pm. Do come along and help keep the churchyard tidy, extra volunteers always welcome.

**Network for a Better World:** Last weekend following the appeal from Barbara Charles a fantastic £760.00 was donated. If you were not able to donate last week to the charity but would like to, there will be a basket available in the back porch for this weekend only. Or you can donate directly at <a href="https://donate.giveasyoulive.com/donate?cid=96104#amount">https://donate.giveasyoulive.com/donate?cid=96104#amount</a>

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Sunday 1 Sept	TWENTY SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	8.45 am	Alex Hughes (Death anniv) RIP
	Family Mass	10.30 am	Parish family
Monday	Ferial	9.30 am	Ann Fairgrieve (health) scan
Tuesday	ST GREGORY THE GREAT	9.30 am	John & Peter Griffin (RIP)
Wednesday	Ferial	9.30 am	Zitta Murry (health) surgery
Thursday	Ferial	9.30 am	James Cox (3 <sup>rd</sup> Death anniv) RIP
Friday	Ferial	9.30 am	Kevin Jones (thanksgiving and health)
Saturday	Blessed Virgin Mary on Saturday	9.30 am	Joseph family (special intention)
	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Parish family
Sunday 8 Sept	TWENTY THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	8.45 am	William (Bill) Hannaway (b'day anniv) RIP
	Family Mass	10.30 am	Angela Storey (RIP)

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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

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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,

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### Anniversaries of our departed (2 Sept – 8 Sept)

Canon Cormac McGonagle (2/9) Elizabeth Webb, Canon Kevin Byrne, Paul Victor Docherty, Antoinette Brenninkmeyer, Rosanna Tickle (3/9) Fr Martin Keogh, Fr Terance Thompson (4/9) Kathleen Jevons, Gerald Christopher Weedon, Joe Calvert, James Peter Cox, Fr Ted Harrington (5/9), Fr Jospeh Irish, Rodney Halewood (30/8) Fr David McNamara, Canon John O'Reilly (6/9) Fr Michael A. English, Rosemary Duckers (7/9) Fr Cornelius O'Kelly, James Seddon Saunders, Fr Edward McCann, Mary Fogarty (8/9)

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**Fr Francis:** From Monday 9<sup>th</sup> to Friday 20<sup>th</sup> September Fr Francis will be visiting his sister undergoing treatment for cancer. Please keep Sr Susan George SMMI in your prayers. While he is away the weekend Masses will be celebrated by the Congregation of the Blessed Sacrament Fathers and weekdays there will be Celebration of Word and Communion.

**Children's liturgy:** We welcome back the children and their families, after refreshing holidays, to the family Mass at 10.30am. Children's liturgy will resume next weekend and we encourage all children from the age of 4 and who are yet to receive the First Holy Communion to join children's liturgy.

**Recently deceased:** We pray for the repose of the soul of Winifred (Pat) Violet Roxburgh, who died last week at Weatherstones Nursing Home aged 92. Please remember her family in your prayers.

**Funeral Service:** Please remember in your prayers Audrey Nugent who died on Tuesday, 20<sup>th</sup> August at the age of 91. For the past 15 plus years Audrey had been residing at Bebington Care Home. Audrey's funeral service will on Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> September at 11.30am followed by burial in the family grave in St Winefride's churchyard.

**Our Lady's Lamp:** This lamp may be lit for your intentions and will burn by Our Lady's Chapel for seven days. If you wish to have it lit, then please inform Fr Francis or the parish office. This week Our Lady's Lamp will be lit for the Povey family.

**Flame 2025**: Flame is the largest Catholic youth event in the UK, featuring guest speakers, award-winning musicians, praise and worship, Eucharistic Adoration, and much more! At the moment Flame offer an early bird discount, which expires on 30<sup>th</sup> Sept. This means it would cost £29 for the ticket plus £42 for the coach. The diocese are wanting to see numbers interested by the **6**<sup>th</sup> **September** before buying tickets or booking coaches. If you are interested, then please speak to Fr Francis ASAP.

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Knot just knitters: The next session is Friday 6<sup>th</sup> September in the church hall. 1.30 - 4pm. Come along and get crafty!!

Hour of Prayer: Friday 6th Sept is the first Friday Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus at Our Lady & St John, Heswall at 2.30pm.

Art Group: The next session will be on Monday 16th September from 1pm - 3pm in the church hall. All welcome.

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**Fairtrade Fortnight 9-22 Sept:** The Fairtrade Foundation are celebrating 30 years of the Fairtrade Mark. Neston is a Fairtrade Town and the Neston Fairtrade Town Group are holding a few events including a fashion show. Details are on the noticeboard.

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	Family Mass	10.30 am	Angela Storey (RIP)
Monday	Celebration of Word and Communion	9.30 am	EMHC – M J Corcoran
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	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Parish family
Sunday 15 Sept	TWENTY FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	8.45 am	Fr Francis and Sr Susan George (health)
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Readers	A Flanagan	M Corcoran	P Hemington	M Branch	T McGlynn	M Povey
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Joseph Clark, Fr Ivor Kind (9/9) Bernard Morgan, Fr James Cox, Fr Denis Bowskill, Catherine Nolan, Catherine Marland (10/9) Fr Joseph Russell, Brenda Williams (11/9) William Sheridan, Fr Francis Gordan, Margaret Isobel Saunders (12/9) Mary Eliza Harris, Alice Postlethwaite (13/9) Peter Griffin, Rt Rev Gerard Tickle, Mary Kathleen (Kath) Munslow (14/9) Lindsay Jayne Fewtrell, Fr Michael Elcock, Fr John Williams, Dave Sutcliffe, Ellen Bainbridge (15/9)

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**Fr Francis:** As the summer break come to an end, it is a time of new beginnings for many, and it is especially true of our families with children and young people who are back to school or college. I believe parishes are the living communities of faith and we look forward to welcoming our children to Family Mass on Sunday and support them in their faith journey. **Little church** will resume this weekend and we encourage all children from the age of 4 and who are yet to receive the First Holy Communion to join the children's liturgy at the Family Mass.

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**Celebration of Word and Communion:** From Monday 9<sup>th</sup> to Friday 20<sup>th</sup> September Fr Francis will be visiting his sister undergoing treatment for cancer. Please keep Sr Susan George SMMI in your prayers. While he is away the weekend Masses will be celebrated by the Congregation of the Blessed Sacrament Fathers and weekdays there will be Celebration of Word and Communion.

**Adoremus:** Please keep in your prayers all those who are preparing for the National Eucharistic Pilgrimage and Congress at St Mary's College, Oscott, on Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> September that their efforts will inspire new life and energy within our Church. On Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> of September, the Bishops of England and Wales are inviting all parishes to have a period of Exposition to unite all the faithful around the Eucharist, in anticipation of the *Jubilee Year 2025*, with renewed and deepened devotion to Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament. **There will be an hour of Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament after the 10.30am Mass.** 

**Funeral Services:** Please remember in your prayers Audrey Nugent who died on Tuesday, 20<sup>th</sup> August at the age of 91 and Winifred (Pat) Violet Roxburgh, who died on the 21<sup>st</sup> August aged 92 at Weatherstones Nursing Home. Audrey's funeral service will on Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> September at 11.30am followed by burial in the family grave in St Winefride's churchyard. Winifred's funeral is on Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> September at 11.30am followed by burial in Neston cemetery. Please remember their family and dear ones in your prayers

**Our Lady's Lamp:** This lamp may be lit for your intentions and will burn by Our Lady's Chapel for seven days. If you wish to have it lit, then please inform Fr Francis or the parish office. This week Our Lady's Lamp will be lit for the Hughes family.

Knot just knitters: The next session is Friday 20th September in the church hall. 1.30 - 4pm. Come along and get crafty!!

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**Pause for Hope:** An ecumenical service for all those suffering from cancer, those caring for family or friends with cancer, and those affected in any way by cancer. This year the service takes place on **Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> September at 3pm** in **Saint Columba's church, Chester**. It is an opportunity to come together to pray and to support one other. See noticeboard for details.

**Churchyard Gardening**: The volunteer gardening group will meet, weather permitting, Friday afternoons between 1.30pm – 3.30pm. Do come along and help keep the churchyard tidy, extra volunteers always welcome.

**Fairtrade Fortnight 9-22 Sept:** The Fairtrade Foundation are celebrating 30 years of the Fairtrade Mark. Neston is a Fairtrade Town and the Neston Fairtrade Town Group are holding a few events including a fashion show. Details are on the noticeboard.

**Offertory Collections:** Weekend of 31 Aug/1<sup>st</sup> Sept Loose Plate: £294.70 Envelopes: £89.00 **Total £383.70** Plus weekly standing order. Thank you for your generous support as usual.

**Tea/Coffee:** The parish hall is open for **refreshments after the 10.30am Masses.** What gives us life and energy as a Parish is when we come together spiritually and socially.

**Food Bank:** The food bank are having a Harvest appeal. See the poster on the noticeboard for more information on how you can help. The **top five items** needed are **tinned meats, tinned spaghetti, tinned potatoes, instant noodle pots, biscuits and snacks**.

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Sunday 15 September 2024 – Sunday 22 September 2024

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	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Parish family
Sunday 15 Sept	TWENTY FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	8.45 am	Fr Francis and Sr Susan George (health)
	Family Mass	10.30 am	Melody Murphy (health)
Monday	Celebration of Word and Communion	9.30 am	EMHC – J Tunstall
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Friday	Celebration of Word and Communion	9.30 am	EMHC – J Tunstall
Saturday	ST MATTHEW	9.30 am	Sally & John Hogan (RIP)
	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	John & Florence Dooley (RIP)
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	Family Mass	10.30 am	Margaret Mathers (RIP)

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Welcomers	<b>6pm</b> M 8	& M Branch	8.45am A & D Docherty		10.30am P Higgins/ P Challis		
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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

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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;

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James Sowden, Fr Bernard Houghton, Ellen May Walsh (16/9) Edna Ellison, George Ellison (17/9) Gordon Jones, Fr Francis McManus (19/9) Fr John Corcoran, Sheila Way, Anastasia Byrne, Fr Gerald McDonald, Hugh Brien, Terry Lambert (20/9) Canon Peter J Coughlan, Willie Leakey, Robert Stanley Munslow, Diana Slater, Pamela Grace, Terry Saunders, William Postletwaite (21/9) Fr Gerald Cavanagh, Alison Hawkins, Canon Clement Turner, Mary (Molly) Gallimore (22/9) The names of the dear ones are taken from the book of remembrance. Please inform Fr Francis or contact parish office to add or remove.



**Sacramental Programme:** We are delighted to be welcoming children in year 3 and above who wish to receive the First Holy Communion to our sacramental programme. It is facilitated by a team of catechists from the parish – Sarah Graham-Brown, Alison Hudak and Karl Ankers, who will help parents to prepare the children. We invite all parents and guardians who wish their children to make their First Forgiveness and First Holy Communion to the welcome Mass and introductory meeting on Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> September at 10.30am.

We would also like to say a **very very big thank you** to Sue and Barry Lyonette who have been involved in running the programme, and helping parents and children for nearly **40 years**!!! They are now stepping down and handing over to Sarah, Karl & Alison.

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**Eucharistic Adoration after 10.30 Mass:** The theme of the Holy Hour links with Pope Francis's call to make this a time to focus on 'Creation'. There will be Exposition of Blessed Sacrament, with times of prayer, music and meditation with periods of silence for reflection after the family Mass at 10.30am.

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**Reflection:** Tony's new reflection is called "Growing old". A copy is on the website and some paper copies in the porch.

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Catholic Pic: The September issue has now arrived and there are copies in the porch. Feel free to take one home.

Art Group: The next session will be on Monday 16<sup>th</sup> September from 1pm – 3pm in the church hall. All welcome.

**SPUC:** The next meeting is next **Tuesday 17th September 2pm** in our Church Hall. All parishioners very welcome.

**CWL:** CWL Section Meeting. **Thursday 19th September, 7pm.** Speaker Dave Cooke from Teams4U (Christmas Shoebox Appeal) Parishioners and friends all very welcome to come along. Also remember the **Macmillian Coffee morning on Friday 27**<sup>th</sup> **September** in the church hall **after morning Mass.** More details next week.

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	Family Mass	10.30 am	Margaret Mathers (RIP)
Monday	St Pius of Pietrelcina	9.30 am	Audrey Nugent (RIP)
Monday	FuneraL Service	11.30 am	Audrey Nugent (RIP)
Tuesday	Our Lady of Walsingham	9.30 am	Patricia Dooley (RIP)
Wednesday	Ferial	9.30 am	Louis O'Sullivan (B'day anniv 3/9) RIP
Thursday	Ferial	9.30 am	Winifred Violet Roxburgh (RIP)
Thursday	Funeral Service	11.30am	Winifred Violet Roxburgh (RIP)
Friday	St Vincent De Paul	9.30 am	Carmel Pattinson (RIP)
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**SVP**: On **Sunday 13**<sup>th</sup> **October SVP** with Mini Vinnie's are having a sponsored walk, starting from our church car park. If parishioners wish to join for a Sunday afternoon walk, with no obligation to be sponsored, then please see noticeboard for details.

**Ladies Day:** Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> October, 10am – 3pm. All faiths invited to St David's UR church, Eastham to come together and worship God. The day will involve talks, song and activities in creative praise. See noticeboard for further details.

**Headteacher vacancy:** Due to the promotion of a highly respected Headteacher, there is an opportunity for an inspirational, resilient and dedicated Catholic leader to be the next Headteacher of St Werburgh's Catholic Primary and Nursery School. Visits to the school are welcomed and arranged via Cheryl Gardner on 0151 647 8404. Closing date: Monday, 10am on 14<sup>th</sup> October, Shortlisting 15<sup>th</sup> October, Interview 22<sup>nd</sup> October. Completed application forms to Julie.English@dioceseofshrewsbury.org.

Mission Today booklet: The autumn 2024 edition has arrived and copies of the booklet are in the porch. Do take one home.

Mass count: From this weekend and the following three weekends there will be a Mass count taken for diocesan statistics.

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	Baptism	12.30 pm	Poppy Amelia Snagg
Monday	St Jerome	9.30 am	Thanksgiving Intention
Tuesday	St Theresa of the Child Jesus	9.30 am	Clair Piccolo (RIP)
Modnosday	Guardian Angels	9.30 am	Special Intention (family)
Wednesday	Welcome Mass in School	10.45 am	School community
Thursday	Ferial	9.30 am	James Terence Davies (RIP)
Friday	St Francis of Assisi	9.30 am	Tom Williams (Intention)
Saturday	St Maria Faustina (Helena) Kowalska	9.30 am	Fr Alban Greenwood (RIP)
	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Special intention (Walker family)
Sunday 6 Oct	TWENTY SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	8.45 am	Parish family
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## Anniversaries of our departed (30 Sept – 6 Oct)

John R Hogan (30/9) Gilbert Anderson, Theresa (Terry) Howard (1/10) Fr James Savage, Reginald Jelley, Celina Agnes Ashington (2/10) M Walsh (3/10), M Donnelly, Fr Patrick Brizzell, John McKinley (4/10) Vera Tunstall, George Griffin, Mathew Leonard, Peter Tobias, Mary Katharine Schofield, Susan Moore (5/10), Sidney Miller, Florence Judge (6/10)

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**Pastoral letter:** This weekend there is a pastoral letter from Bishop Mark Davies *On the Pilgrim Path of the Shrewsbury Diocese* that will be read at all Masses. Some copies of the letter will be in the porch and a copy will be available to read online.

**Enrolment Mass for First Holy Communion:** The parents/guardians will present their children during the family Mass. The enrolment form will be received during the offertory. If you have a child who is in Year 3 and above and would like to join the sacramental preparation, then please come along to the 10.30am Mass this weekend. We thank all parents for their support and encouragement.

**Little Church:** Children's liturgy will take place during the Family Mass at 10.30. We encourage all children from the age of 4 and who are yet to receive the First Holy Communion to join children's liturgy.

**Fr Alban Greenwood RIP:** Please remember in your prayers Fr Alban Greenwood who died on 8<sup>th</sup> September at the age of 77. Father Alban's mortal remains will be received into Saint Patrick's Church, Wellington on Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> October with a Vigil Mass at 7.00pm. Bishop Mark Davies will celebrate the Requiem Mass on Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> October at 11.00am, followed by interment in Wellington Cemetery.

Harvest festival: As we give thanks to God at this Harvest time our Harvest Festival at St Winefride's will be on Sunday 6th October. If you would like to contribute items of food for the Harvest Festival, please leave them on display at the rear porch. All items donated will be given to the Foodbank.

**CAFOD Family Fast Day:** Family fast day this year is on Friday 4<sup>th</sup> October. Envelopes for donating to CAFOD will be available at the back of the church or donate online at cafod.org.uk/envelope

Assisted Suicide: Should the law be changed? The Prime Minister has pledged to have a vote on assisted suicide and Lord Falconer has already tabled a Private Members' bill in the House of Lords. You are invited to a lecture on the issue of assisted suicide which will be held at the Mercurew Manchester Piccadilly Hotel on Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> October. The guest speaker, Dr Dominic Whitehouse, will be explaining why a change in the law would be harmful to patients, doctors and to society. For more information, please see the poster on the notice board.

**Our Lady's Lamp:** This lamp may be lit for your intentions and will burn by Our Lady's Chapel for seven days. If you wish to have it lit, then please inform Fr Francis or the parish office. This week Our Lady's Lamp will be lit for Hughes Family

Bereavement Group: The next session will be on Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> October from 1pm – 3pm in the church hall. All welcome.

Knot just knitters: The next session is Friday 4th October in the church hall. 1.30 - 4pm. Come along and get crafty!!

**Ladies Day:** Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> October, 10am – 3pm. All faiths invited to St David's UR church, Eastham to come together and worship God. The day will involve talks, song and activities in creative praise. See noticeboard for further details.

**Headteacher vacancy:** Due to the promotion of a highly respected Headteacher, there is an opportunity for an inspirational, resilient and dedicated Catholic leader to be the next Headteacher of St Werburgh's Catholic Primary and Nursery School. Visits to the school are welcomed and arranged via Cheryl Gardner on 0151 647 8404. Closing date: Monday, 10am on 14<sup>th</sup> October, Shortlisting 15<sup>th</sup> October, Interview 22<sup>nd</sup> October. Completed application forms to Julie.English@dioceseofshrewsbury.org.

Mass count: This weekend and the following two weekends there will be a Mass count taken for diocesan statistics.

**Churchyard Gardening**: The volunteer gardening group will meet, weather permitting, Friday afternoons between 1.30pm – 3.30pm. Do come along and help keep the churchyard tidy, extra volunteers always welcome.

Home Mission: Thank you for your kind generosity last weekend, £241 was raised.

Offertory Collections: Thank you for your generous support.

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

**Food Bank:** The food bank are having a Harvest appeal. Poster on the noticeboard has more information on how you can help. The **top five items** needed are **tinned meats, tinned spaghetti, tinned potatoes, instant noodle pots, biscuits and snacks**.



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#### LITURGICAL CALENDAR OF THE WEEK

Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> October 2024 – Sunday 13th October 2024

Mass Readings: Sunday Year B, Weekday Cycle Year 2

	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Special Intention (Walker Family)
Sunday 6 Oct	TWENTY SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	8.45 am	Parish Family
	Family Mass	10.30 am	Catherine Marland (RIP)
Monday	Our Lady of the Rosary	9.30 am	David Wallace (health)
Tuesday	Ferial	9.30 am	Michael Walsh (death anni 3/10)
Wednesday	St John Henry Newman	9.30 am	Hilda Davidson (Death anniv 11/10)
Thursday	Ferial	9.30 am	Patricia Ellis & Pat Matthews (death anni)
Friday	Ferial	9.30 am	Karen Reason (RIP)
Saturday	Blessed Carlo Acutis	9.30 am	Sick and housebound
	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Holy Souls
Sunday 13 Oct	TWENTY EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	8.45 am	Rev Fr Stephen Innis OFM Cap (RIP)
	(Prison Week 13-19 October) Family Mass	10.30 am	Parish Family

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CHAIDAY		5/6 Oct			12/13 Oct	
SUNDAY	6pm	8.45am	10.30am	6pm	8.45am	10.30am
Readers	L Hanaway	M Corcoran	A Cropper	K Ankers	T McGlynn	M Slater
Welcomers	<b>6pm</b> P Higgins		8.45am A & D Docherty		10.30am P Challis	
WEEKDAYS	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Readers	A Cropper	A Volunteer	J Tunstall	A Volunteer	C Haimes	A Volunteer

## 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,

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# Anniversaries of our departed (7 Oct – 13 Oct)

Edward Flood, Gordon Davies, Patrick Stephans, Peter Byrne, Peter Boardman Whittacker, Steven Hadley, John Frank James (7/10) Thomas James Topping (8/10) Fr Vincent J Davenport, Isabel Mary Delaney (9/10) Joseph Seagrove, Patricia Ellis, Ethel Anne Woodburn, Peter Maddox, Pat Matthews, Ruth Murray, Bernard John Tickle, (10/10) Fr James Murphy, Elsie Veronica Cartledge, Cyril Merrick, Hilda Davidson, (11/10) Cecil James Brogden, Martin Kinsella (12/10) Francis Bickerstaff, Fr Leo Holleron (13/10)

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**From Bishop Mark Davies:** This Sunday, Pope Francis will go to the Basilica of St Mary Major to pray the Rosary for peace at this troubled moment of humanity. The following day, Monday 7<sup>th</sup> October, the Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary, the Holy Father has invited those taking part in the Synod of Bishops to join him in a day of prayer and fasting, invoking the intercession of Our Lady for the gift of peace in the world. Let us be united with the Holy Father in this offering of prayer and penance for peace, especially on Sunday and on Monday.

**Sacramental Preparation:** Following last Sunday's enrolment Mass, the families embarking on the First Reconciliation and Holy Communion programme will now participate in their preparation sessions beginning next Sunday. We thank our parish catechetical team members who will help parents to prepare their children this year. We encourage the children to wear their sacramental badges when they come to Mass.

**Little Church:** Children's liturgy will take place during the Family Mass at 10.30. We encourage all children from the age of 4 and who are yet to receive the First Holy Communion to join children's liturgy.

**Holy Rosary:** October is traditionally the Month of the Holy Rosary. We encourage all those who can join for the Rosary in the month of October. You are most welcome to join to pray the Rosary on weekdays after 9.30am Mass and on Sundays after 8.45 Mass. We also have daily Rosary online via Zoom at 7pm - **passcode 252387114**, **password: AveMaria**.

**Harvest festival:** As we give thanks to God at this Harvest time our **Harvest Festival at St Winefride's** will be on **Sunday 6th October**. If you would like to contribute items of food for the Harvest Festival, please leave them on display at the rear porch. Fresh produce will be sold after 10.30 Mass in the parish hall and all proceeds will go to the Foodbank.

**CAFOD Family Fast Day Appeal:** Family fast day was on Friday 4<sup>th</sup> October. Daniel, a young man in Democratic Republic of the Congo, is carving a better future for his family with carpentry skills he learned in a CAFOD-funded training centre. Give to CAFOD today and you'll fund training, tools, equipment and safe spaces so more people like Daniel can learn new skills and fulfil their God-given potential. If you wish to donate to CAFOD you can do so this weekend after the Mass. Gift aid envelopes will be available in the porch or donate online at cafod.org.uk/evelope

**Assisted Suicide: Should the law be changed?** The Prime Minister has pledged to have a vote on assisted suicide and Lord Falconer has already tabled a Private Members' bill in the House of Lords. You are invited to a lecture on the issue of assisted suicide which will be held at the Mercure Manchester Piccadilly Hotel on **Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> October.** The guest speaker, Dr Dominic Whitehouse, will be explaining why a change in the law would be harmful to patients, doctors and to society. For more information please see the poster on notice board.

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Art Club: The next session is on Monday 14<sup>th</sup> October between 1 and 3 pm. All very welcome.

**Parish Social and Community Meeting:** The next meeting will be on **Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> October** from 7pm to 8pm in the parish hall. The meeting will cover all the Christmas arrangements. All parishioners are welcome to attend.

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Mass count: This weekend and the next weekend there will be a Mass count taken for diocesan statistics.

**Churchyard Gardening**: The volunteer gardening group will meet, weather permitting, Friday afternoons between 1.30pm – 3.30pm. Do come along and help keep the churchyard tidy, extra volunteers always welcome.

**Offertory Collections:** Weekend of 28/29<sup>th</sup> Sept Loose Plate: £305.70 Envelopes: £87.00 Total £392.70 Plus weekly standing order. Baptism donation £131.00. Thank you for your generous support as usual.

**Tea/Coffee:** The parish hall is open for **refreshments after the 10.30am Masses.** What gives us life and energy as a Parish is when we come together spiritually and socially.

**Food Bank:** The food bank are having a Harvest appeal. Poster on the noticeboard has more information on how you can help.

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Sunday 13th October 2024 - Sunday 20th October 2024

Mass Readings: Sunday Year B, Weekday Cycle Year 2

	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Holy Souls
Sunday 13th Oct	TWENTY EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	8.45 am	Rev Fr Stephen Innis OFM Cap (RIP)
	(Prison Week 13 - 19 October) Family Mass	10.30 am	Parish Family
Monday	Ferial	9.30 am	Ida Harford (B'day anniv, 15/10) RIP
Tuesday	St Teresa of Avila	9.30 am	Dorothy Strawson (Birthday) Health
Wednesday	Ferial	9.30 am	Audrey Nugent (RIP)
Thursday	St Ignatius of Antioch	9.30 am	Special Intention ( LJH)
Friday	ST LUKE	9.30 am	Special intention (health)
Saturday	St Peter Of Alcantara	9.30 am	Sick and housebound
	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Stanley, Agnes & Marie Jones (RIP)
Sunday 20 <sup>th</sup> Oct	TWENTY NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	8.45 am	Parish family
	Day of special Prayer for World Missions Family Mass	10.30 am	Thanksgiving

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Readers	K Ankers	T McGlynn	M Slater	D Loughe	AM Millar	M Unsworth
Welcomers	6pm	P Higgins	8.45am A & D Docherty		10.30am A Volunteer	
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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;

the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting.

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,

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## Please advise any changes.

## Anniversaries of our departed (14 Oct - 20 Oct)

Francis Daley (14/10), Margaret Sheila Webb, Canon John Roper, James Jones (15/10) James Alexander Hilton, Stella Casson (17/10), Bob Walsh, Gavin Davidson (18/10), Canon Joseph Briscoe, Daryle Casson (19/10) John Davies, Myles Byrne, Jessie Jones, Eileen Morgan, David Morgan, Jacqueline Peers (20/10)

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**Pastoral Letter:** This weekend there is a pastoral letter from Bishop Mark Davies on the threat of assisted suicide that will be read at all Masses. Some copies of the letter will be in the porch and a copy will be available to read online.

**Sacramental Preparation:** Following the enrolment Mass for First Holy Communion, the families embarking on the sacramental programme will now be participating in their preparation sessions beginning this Sunday at 9.45am in the church hall. May we remind the families preparing for the first holy Communion that the participation in the Eucharistic Celebration on Sundays is an essential part of a child's preparation for the First Holy Communion.

**Little Church:** Children's liturgy will take place during the Family Mass at 10.30. We encourage all children from the age of 4 and who are yet to receive the First Holy Communion to join children's liturgy.

**Prisons Week:** Prisoners' Sunday is on October 13<sup>th</sup> and Prisons week is an opportunity for us to pray for the needs of all those affected by imprisonment and their families. Pact is the national Catholic charity supporting prisoners, people with convictions and their families. Envelopes are available in the porch to support the work of Pact. For more information visit www.prisonadvice.org.uk.

**World Mission Sunday, 20<sup>th</sup> October:** On this day the whole church unties in prayer for its missionary activity and in collecting funds to support Catholic communities across the world. "Go and invite everyone to the banquet" is this year's theme chosen by Pope Francis. Bishop Mark reminds us that donations and prayer on this day have a direct impact on Catholic communities which are too small or poor to flourish without help from the rest of the church. Donations help faith communities and support vocations in often dangerous and remote places. **Missio envelopes** will also be available to take home today and return next weekend. If you have a red Missio box, then please return to church for counting in the next week or two. Replacement boxes will be available in the porch.

**Our Lady's Lamp:** This lamp may be lit for your intentions and will burn by Our Lady's Chapel for seven days. If you wish to have it lit, then please inform Fr Francis or the parish office. This week Our Lady's Lamp will be lit for Adrian Duggan.

Art Club: The next session is this Monday 14<sup>th</sup> October between 1 and 3 pm. All very welcome.

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CWL: Section meeting this Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> October, 7pm in the church hall. There is a speaker from a group called  $\bigcirc$  for Refugees.

Knot just knitters: The next session is Friday 18th October in the church hall. 1.30 - 4pm. Come along and get crafty!!

SPUC: The next meeting is Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> October at 3pm in the church hall. All welcome to attend.

**Mass count:** This weekend will be the final Mass count taken for the diocesan statistics for this year.

**Churchyard Gardening**: The volunteer gardening group will meet, weather permitting, Friday afternoons between 1.30pm – 3.30pm. Do come along and help keep the churchyard tidy, extra volunteers always welcome.

**Harvest festival:** Thank you to all those who gave items to the food bank for the Harvest Festival and a special thanks to Judith Povey who arranged the fresh items and the wonderful display. £32 was raised and the money will be given to the food bank.

**CAFOD**: £290.71 was raised last weekend. Thank you for your kind generosity.

Offertory Collections: Thank you for your generous support.

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Mass Readings: Sunday Year B, Weekday Cycle Year 2

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Sunday 20th Oct	TWENTY NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	8.45 am	Parish family
	Day of special Prayer for World Missions Family Mass	10.30 am	Thanksgiving intention
Monday	Ferial	9.30 am	The Cropper family (intention)
Tuesday	St John Paul II	9.30 am	Betty Watson (RIP)
Wednesday	Ferial	9.30 am	David Marshall (RIP)
Thursday	Ferial	9.30 am	Kirk Whitcup (RIP)
Friday	Ferial	9.30 am	Health, patience, understanding & strength
Saturday	Ss Chad & Cedd	9.30 am	David McGlynn (RIP)
	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Damian & Christine Loughe
Sunday 27 <sup>th</sup> Oct	THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME		(50th Wedding Anniversary)
	Family Mass	8.45 am	Parish family
		10.30 am	Kevin Morris (Death anniv) RIP

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CHNDAY		19/20 Oct			26/27 Oct	
SUNDAY	6pm	8.45am	10.30am	6pm	8.45am	10.30am
Readers	D Loughe	AM Millar	M Unsworth	J Shakespeare	Clark family	H Jones
Welcomers	6pm M & M Branch		8.45am A & D Docherty		10.30am A Volunteer	
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Readers	A Cropper	A Volunteer	M Corcoran	A Volunteer	C Haimes	G Barber

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#### Anniversaries of our departed (21 Oct - 26 Oct)

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)

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**World Mission Sunday, 20**<sup>th</sup> **October:** On this day the whole church unties in prayer for its missionary activity and in collecting funds to support Catholic communities across the world. "Go and invite everyone to the banquet" is this year's theme chosen by Pope Francis. Bishop Mark reminds us that donations and prayer on this day have a direct impact on Catholic communities which are too small or poor to flourish without help from the rest of the church. Donations help faith communities and support vocations in often dangerous and remote places.

There will be a second collection after all Masses this weekend. If you took an envelope last week, please return this week. Also, if you have a red Missio box, then please return to church for counting in the next week or two. Replacement boxes are available in the porch. We also have a supply of prayer cards in the porch with the Mission Prayer. Do take one home.

**Little Church:** Children's liturgy will take place during the Family Mass at 10.30. We encourage all children from the age of 4 and who are yet to receive the First Holy Communion to join children's liturgy.

**Holy Rosary:** October is traditionally the Month of the Holy Rosary. We encourage all those who can join for the Rosary in the month of October. You are most welcome to join to pray the Rosary on weekdays after 9.30am Mass and on Sundays after 8.45 Mass. We also have daily Rosary online via Zoom at 7pm - passcode 252387114, password: AveMaria.

**Recently Deceased:** We pray for the repose of Betty Watson who died recently. Please remember her family in your prayers. Please also remember in your prayers Tommy McGlynn and Ruth Pisarek who both have had a brother pass away very recently.

**Our Lady's Lamp:** This lamp may be lit for your intentions and will burn by Our Lady's Chapel for seven days. If you wish to have it lit, then please inform Fr Francis or the parish office. This week Our Lady's Lamp will be lit for Tom Topping.

**Reflection:** "Holiness" is the latest reflection from Tony Topping. This is now available online and a few copies are in the porch **Parish Christmas Meal at KRI KRI – Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> December at 7pm:** The sign-up form for the parish meal is in the back porch. Please add your name to the form so we can gauge numbers wanting to attend. The cost has increased slightly to £16.00 for a starter and a main course. Please take a menu for each person who is attending and return the menus, with your name/number and correct money in an envelope to the presbytery ASAP, but no later than the 17<sup>th</sup> November. We need to let the restaurant know numbers as soon as possible. A copy of the menu will also be on the website. Everyone is invited!! If you need some financial assistance with the cost please get in touch with Fr Francis.

**NDCT:** Neston District Churches Together welcome you to join them for their Season of Creation Service this **Sunday**, **20**<sup>th</sup> **October at 6:30pm at Willaston Methodist Church**, Neston Road, Willaston, CH64 2TL with refreshments afterwards.

**Bach Cantata:** An evening prayer with Bach Cantata on Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> November 6.30pm at St Michael's & All Angels, Woodchurch. See noticeboard for more information.

**SPUC:** The next meeting is next **Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> October at 3pm** in the church hall. All welcome to attend.

Knot just knitters: The next session is Friday 1<sup>ST</sup> November in the church hall. 1.30 - 4pm. Come along and get crafty!!

Bereavement Group: The next session is on Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> November in the church hall. 1 – 3pm. All very welcome.

**Churchyard Gardening**: The volunteer gardening group will meet, weather permitting, Friday afternoons between 1.30pm – 3.30pm. Do come along and help keep the churchyard tidy, extra volunteers always welcome.

Offertory Collections: Thank you for your generous support.

**Tea/Coffee:** The parish hall is open for **refreshments after the 10.30am Masses.** What gives us life and energy as a Parish is when we come together spiritually and socially.

**Food Bank:** Urgent items needed as at 18 October are tinned meat, tinned potatoes, tinned spaghetti, pasta sauces, instant noodle pots, biscuits and snacks. Other items needed include tinned fruit, UHT fruit juice and milk, tinned veg and instant coffee.

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#### LITURGICAL CALENDAR OF THE WEEK

Sunday 27th October 2024 - Sunday 3rd November 2024

Mass Readings: Sunday Year B, Weekday Cycle Year 2

	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Damian & Christine Loughe
Sunday 27 <sup>th</sup> Oct	THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME		(50th Wedding Anniversary)
Sulluay 27 Oct	Family Mass	8.45 am	Parish family
		10.30 am	Kevin Morris (Death anniv) RIP
Monday	SS SIMON & JUDE	9.30 am	Doreen O'Mahony (b'day anniv) RIP
Tuesday	Ferial	9.30 am	Sister Catherine Malone (health)
Wednesday	Ferial	9.30 am	Lately deceased
Thursday	Ferial	9.30 am	Ann Parsons (recovery from operation)
Friday	ALL SAINTS – Holyday of Obligation	9.30 am	Steve Burke (health)
riluay	ALL SAIN 13 - Holyddy of Obligation	7.00 pm	Monsignor Peter Walton (RIP)
Saturday	COMMEMORATION OF ALL THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED	9.30 am	Father Denis Maher (RIP)
	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Dot & Phil Davies & Jan Hudak (RIP)
Sunday 3 <sup>rd</sup> Nov	THIRTY FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	8.45 am	Parish family
	Family Mass	10.30 am	Povey family (Intention)

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CUNDAY		26/27 Oct			2/3 Nov	
SUNDAY	6pm	8.45am	10.30am	6pm	8.45am	10.30am
Readers	A Guest	Clark family	H Jones	A Flanagan	M Corcoran	P Hemington
Welcomers	6pm	B Roles	8.45am A & D Docherty		10.30am M Challis	
WEEKDAYS	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Readers	A Cropper	A Volunteer	J Tunstall	A Volunteer	C Haimes	A Volunteer

#### 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, Rosemary Southwell, Pat Cummins, Win Bayley, Joe Hemington, Maurice McAsey, Judy Howard, Maureen Adams, Sr Suzan George SMMI, Eva Bennion, Paul Wallace, Dorothy Strawson, Ronnie Phelan, Maureen Knox, Joseph Kennedy, Gerald Sanderson, Mary Gilbert, Michael Rowlands, Betty Watson, Kay Minto, Susan Trowell, Margaret Maw, Josie Rowland, David Eva, Peter Roca, Stephanie Archibald, Moira Griffiths-Parr, Margaret Gould, Louise Dixon, Joan Burkmar, Stephen Bretland, Adrian Duggan, Jack Turner, Dawn Stevenson, Mary Henesy, Cormac Davis, 5 year old Dottie, Rachel Branch, Terry Michael Foster, Annabelle Narey, Alan Blackwood, Mary, Richard & Cavan Fowler, Ann Kelly, Ruth Pisarek, Roger Gardener, Pat Leadbetter, Reg Parson, Ann & Paul Flanagan, Stacey Hemington, John Walker, David Wallace, Laurie Walsh Yvonne Mckeown Please advise any changes.

#### Anniversaries of our departed (27 October – 3 November)

Ernest George O'Shea, Canon James P Kelly, Fr Michael McCormac, Francis William Aindon, Beryl Kirshen (28/10) John Caffery, Edward Morgan, Irene Sullivan (29/10) Fr Charles McKinney, Elizabeth Webb, Clara Pheazy Carron (30/10) Margaret Blackwell, Julie Mulligan (31/10) Stanley Jones, Raymond George Williams, Patricia Robinson (Bennett), Daniel Healy, James Byrne (1/11) Bernard Judge, Augustine Byrne, Winefride Williams, Fr Edward O'Dwyer, James Macdonald, Jeanne Buchannan, Elizabeth (Bette) Rodrigues (2/11) Canon George Higgins (3/11)

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St Winefride's Day: On Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> November is the feast of St Winefride, patron of our parish. Let us pray that St Winefride will continue to watch over us and through her powerful intercessions God may bless our parish and our families. 10.30am Mass on Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup>, will conclude with a prayer to St Winefrides' and Benediction.

Month of Holy Souls: The month of November is a special time when we remember all our loved ones. If there are any loved ones that have died that you would like prayers for, the special envelopes for prayers and offerings are now available in both porches. These will be placed by the altar during the month of November where they will be prayed for during each Mass.

As we receive so many intentions during the month of November for all our deceased it's simply not possible to say an individual Mass for each and every intention. However, if you would like a Mass offered for a deceased loved one just follow the usual procedure and hand Mass intention to Fr Francis, place it in the Mass offering box or post it through presbytery letter box.

A commemoration of all the faithful departed whose mortal remains lie in our cemetery will take place with a service in the cemetery and blessing of the graves on All Souls Day 2nd Nov after 9.30am Mass.

This year our Parish Annual Mass for all Our Deceased will be on Saturday 16th November at 11.00am. All are welcome, especially those who have had a bereavement in recent years. After the Mass the SPUC group and CWL are having a soup lunch, approx. 12pm-2pm. There will be soup and crusty bread followed by tea/coffee and cake. A raffle will also take place (raffle prize donations welcome). All proceeds to the Shrewsbury Diocese Caritas Christmas Appeal. All welcome and why not bring a friend.

Friday 1st November - All Saints Day: It is a Holyday of obligation and Mass will be celebrated at 9.30 and 7pm

Holy Rosary: October is traditionally the Month of the Holy Rosary. We encourage all those who can join for the Rosary in the month of October. You are most welcome to join to pray the Rosary on weekdays after 9.30am Mass and on Sundays after 8.45 Mass. We also have daily Rosary online via Zoom at 7pm - passcode 252387114, password: AveMaria.

Funeral Service: We pray for the repose of the soul of Elizabeth (Betty) Watson, who died earlier this month, wife of the late Robert (Bob) Watson. Betty's funeral is on Monday 4th November at 2.30pm at Landican South Crematorium.

Our Lady's Lamp: This lamp may be lit for your intentions and will burn by Our Lady's Chapel for seven days. If you wish to have it lit, then please inform Fr Francis or the parish office. This week Our Lady's Lamp will be lit for Perry & Nolan families.

Parish Christmas Meal at KRI KRI – Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> December at 7pm: The sign-up form for the parish meal is in the back porch. Please add your name to the form so we can gauge numbers wanting to attend. The cost has increased slightly to £16.00 for a starter and a main course. Please take a menu and return the menus, with your name, contact number and correct money to the presbytery ASAP, but no later than the 17<sup>th</sup> November. A copy of the menu will also be on the website. Everyone is invited

Knot just knitters: The next session is Friday 1st November in the church hall. 1.30 - 4pm. Come along and get crafty!!

Hour of Prayer: Friday 1st November is the first Friday Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus at Our Lady & St John, Heswall at 2.30pm. All are very welcome to attend.

Bereavement Group: The next session is on Wednesday 6th November in the church hall. 1 – 3pm. All very welcome.

Churchyard Gardening: The volunteer gardening group will meet, weather permitting, Friday afternoons between 1.30pm -3.30pm. Do come along and help keep the churchyard tidy, extra volunteers always welcome.

World Mission Sunday: Thank you for your kind generosity £433.50 was raised last weekend.

Offertory Collections: Thank you for your generous support.

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

Food Bank: Urgent items needed as at 21 October are tinned meat, tinned vegetables, meat paste, cup a soups and jams. Other items needed include tinned fruit, UHT fruit juice and milk and instant coffee, instant noodles and unopened toiletries.

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Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2024 – Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> November 2024

Mass Readings: Sunday Year B, Weekday Cycle Year 2

	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Dot & Phil Davies & Jan Hudak (RIP)
Sunday 3 <sup>rd</sup> Nov	THIRTY FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	8.45 am	Parish family
	Family Mass	10.30 am	Povey family (Intention)
Monday	St Charles Borromeo	9.30 am	Doreen O'Mahony (Death anniv) RIP
Tuesday	Ferial	9.30 am	Betty Watson (RIP
Wednesday	Ferial	9.30 am	Joe Hemington (health)
Thursday	Ferial	9.30 am	Holy souls
Friday	Ferial	9.30 am	Edward (Ted) Davidson death anniv (RIP)
Saturday	THE DEDICATION OF THE LATERAN BASILICA OF THE MOST HOLY REDEEMER	9.30 am	Wyn Bailey (health)
	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Vincent Sarson (RIP)
Sunday 10 <sup>th</sup> Nov	THIRTY SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	8.45 am	Woodhead & Raybone family/friends (RIP)
	Remembrance Day Family Mass	10.30 am	Parish family

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CLINIDAY		2/3 Nov			9/10 <sup>th</sup> Nov	
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Readers	A Flanagan	M Corcoran	P Hemington	M Branch	T McGlynn	M Povey
Welcomers	ers 6pm M Branch		8.45am A & D Docherty		10.30am P Higgins	
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we give you thanks for your great glory,

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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,

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For you alone are the Holy One,

you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High,

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Creator of heaven and earth,

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(At the words that follow, up to and including 'the Virgin Mary', all bow)

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#### Anniversaries of our departed (4 – 10<sup>th</sup> November)

Doreen O/Mahony, Canon James Fraser, Mary Lydia James, Louisa Jevons, Tony Jones (4/11) Charles Stanley Barry, Malcolm Kinsman, Frances Unsworth, Frederick Barber, Albert Edward Foster (5/11) Sarah Smith, Fr James Fitzgerald, Fr Denis John Smith, Phil Davies (6/11) Hugh Docherty, Michael Joseph Law, Barbara Ann Richards (7/11) Fr Joseph Prendiville, Francis Patrick Byrne, Edith Middleton (8/11) Amy Hilda Davidson, Elsie Tunstall, Fr Joseph C Doyle, John Edward Macadam (9/11) Mary Agnes Sowden, Fr Joseph Taggart, Vincent Sarson (10/11)



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**New Encyclical:** The fourth encyclical of Pope Francis, "DELEXIT NOS," translated as 'He loved us', centres on the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the boundless love Christ offers humanity. Released during the Synod on synodality, this encyclical emphasises the importance of turning back to what Pope describes as the 'heart' of both the Church and individual Christian lives. This document commemorates the 350<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the apparitions of the Sacred Heart to St Margaret Mary Alacoque, reminding us of this centuries-old tradition as a source of renewal and hope. To read the full encyclical: <a href="https://www.dioceseofshrewsbury.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/10/Dilexit-Nos.pdf">https://www.dioceseofshrewsbury.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/10/Dilexit-Nos.pdf</a>

**Funeral Service:** We pray for the repose of the soul of Elizabeth (Betty) Watson, who died earlier this month, wife of the late Robert (Bob) Watson. Betty's funeral service is on Monday 4<sup>th</sup> November at 2.30pm at Landican South Crematorium Chapel.

**Our Lady's Lamp:** This lamp may be lit for your intentions and will burn by Our Lady's Chapel for seven days. If you wish to have it lit, then please inform Fr Francis or the parish office. This week Our Lady's Lamp will be lit for Issac Haimes.

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Bereavement Group: The next session is this Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> November in the church hall. 1 – 3pm. All very welcome.

**Neston Photo Friends (NPF):** Starting this Thursday, 7<sup>th</sup> November and then the first Thursday of each month NPF will meet from 7pm – 9pm for two hours in the hall. Parishioners are most welcome to come along and see about joining the group.

**Churchyard Gardening**: The volunteer gardening group will meet, weather permitting, Friday afternoons between 1.30pm – 3.30pm. Do come along and help keep the churchyard tidy, extra volunteers always welcome.

CAFOD: In the porch is the Christmas World Gift brochure for 2024-2025. Please do take a copy with you.

Clergy Education and Training Fund: Next weekend, 9/10<sup>th</sup> November there will be a retiring collection after all Masses.

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Sunday 10 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Saturday Vigil Mass		Vincent Sarson (RIP)
	THIRTY SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	8.45 am	Woodhead & Raybone family/friends (RIP)
	Remembrance Day Family Mass	10.30 am	Parish family
Monday	St Martin of Tours	9.30 am	Holy Souls
Tuesday	St Josaphat	9.30 am	Margaret McMahon (70 <sup>th</sup> ) Thanksgiving
Wednesday	Ferial (Eucharistic hour of prayer for life after Mass)	9.30 am	John O'Mahony (death anniv) RIP
Thursday	Ferial	9.30 am	Pat & John Hancock (RIP)
Friday	Ferial	9.30 am	Joseph family (intention)
Saturday	Parish Annual Mass for our Deceased	11.00 am	For our Deceased (RIP)
	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Margaret Clewes (B'day anniv) RIP
Sunday 17 <sup>th</sup> Nov	THIRTY THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	8.45 am	Parish family
	Safeguarding Sunday Family Mass	10.30 am	Peter Walsh (1st anniv) RIP

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SUNDAY	9/10 <sup>th</sup> Nov			16/17 <sup>th</sup> November		
	6pm	8.45am	10.30am	6pm	8.45am	10.30am
Readers	M Branch	T McGlynn	M Povey	S Davies	AM Millar	W Fryer
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## Please advise of any changes.

## Anniversaries of our departed (11 – 17<sup>th</sup> November)

Elsie Veronica Cartledge, Hilda Davidson, Jean Benson (11/11) John Way, Gene Kangley, Peter Roebuck (12/11) Clement Haimes, John O'Mahony, Jean Benson, Patricia Margaret Brown (13/11) John Clark, Fr Patrick Shivnen, Susan Hurley, Joseph McIntosh White, Geoff Wylie, John Kirshen (14/11) Catherine Byrne (15/11) Charles Peter (Pete) Walsh (16/11) John Kangley, Kathleen Nunn, Antoinette Rogers, Stella Casson (17/11)



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Christmas Mass times: Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> December – Children's Christmas Mass 4pm and Christmas Vigil Mass 7pm. Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> December – Christmas Morning Mass 8.45 am and Christmas Family Mass 10.30 am. There will be 15 minutes of carols before both Masses on Christmas Eve.

Annual Mass for our Deceased: Parish annual Mass for all our deceased will be next Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> November at 11.00am. All are welcome, especially those who have had a bereavement in recent years. Please note there will not be a Mass at 9.30 am. After the Mass the SPUC group and CWL are having a soup lunch, approx. 12pm-2pm. There will be soup and crusty bread followed by tea/coffee and cake. A raffle will also take place (raffle prize donations welcome). All proceeds to the Caritas Christmas Appeal.

**Safeguarding Sunday:** 17<sup>th</sup> **November is Safeguarding Sunday.** It is important that we as a parish church continue to be place of welcome, where each person is respected and loved and where we support each other. Each and every person in our church has a responsibility to safeguard and promote the wellbeing of those who join us for worship or any service or activity in our church facilitated by our community members.

**Eucharistic hour of prayer for life:** Bishop Mark reminds us that as our country faces the threat of euthanasia with its deadly implications for some of the most vulnerable, the Bishops of England and Wales will be praying together before the Blessed Sacrament from 5.30 to 6.30 pm on 13<sup>th</sup> November. Parishes are invited to join in the Eucharistic hour of prayer for life. On 13<sup>th</sup> after 9.30 am morning Mass we shall join them for an hour of prayer in front of the Blessed Sacrament to pray for the dignity of human life. If you have not already done so, please write to our MP Samanatha Dixon to oppose the assisted suicide bill being rushed into law.

**Month of Holy Souls:** The month of November is a special time when we remember all our loved ones. If there are any loved ones that have died that you would like prayers for, the special envelopes are available in both porches. These will be placed by the altar during the month of November where they will be prayed for during each Mass.

If you would like an individual Mass offered for a deceased loved one or members of the Family just follow the usual procedure and hand Mass intention to Fr Francis, place it in the Mass offering box or post it through presbytery letter box.

Little Church: Children's liturgy will take place during the Family Mass at 10.30am.

**Our Lady's Lamp:** This lamp may be lit for your intentions and will burn by Our Lady's Chapel for seven days. If you wish to have it lit, then please inform Fr Francis or the parish office. This week Our Lady's Lamp will be lit for the Holy Souls.

Parish Christmas Meal at KRI KRI – Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> December at 7pm: If you have not already done so, please sign up on the form in the porch if you want to come along to the parish meal. Deadline to sign up is next **Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> November.** If you are coming and have signed up, then please get your menu and payment to the office as soon as you can. Thank you.

**Christmas Tree:** We are looking to put up the tree and decorate the church for Christmas on **Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> December.** If you can spare an hour or two Saturday morning around 10.30am, then please come along and help. The more volunteers the better!!

PIETY STALL: Christmas cards are now available at the back of the church. Please do take a look at the cards and gifts available.

Knot just knitters: The next session is Friday 15th November in the church hall. 1.30 - 4pm. Come along and get crafty!!

**Churchyard Gardening**: The volunteer gardening group will meet, weather permitting, Friday afternoons between 1.30pm – 3.30pm. Do come along and help keep the churchyard tidy, extra volunteers always welcome.

**Clergy Education and Training Fund:** This weekend there will be a retiring collection for the Clergy Education & Training Fund., The future of our Diocese depends so much on the training and formation of Priests. To Gift Aid your donation, please donate online. **Go to www.dioceseofshrewsbury.org/clergy-education-and-training-fund**.

Offertory Collections: Thank you for your generous support.

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

**Food Bank:** Urgent items needed as at **7 November** are custard, crackers, meat paste, cup a soups and jams and spreads. Other items needed include tinned fruit, instant pasta (pasta and sauce) and instant coffee. They have plenty of pasta and beans.

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#### LITURGICAL CALENDAR OF THE WEEK

Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> November 2024 – Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> November 2024

Mass Readings: Sunday Year B, Weekday Cycle Year 2

Sunday 17 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Margaret Clewes (B'day anniv) RIP
Sullday 17" NOV	THIRTY THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	8.45 am	Parish family
	Safeguarding Sunday Family Mass	10.30 am	Peter Walsh (1st anniv) RIP
Monday	Ferial	9.30 am	Hilda Davidson (RIP)
Tuesday	Ferial	9.30 am	Alan Hughes (health)
Wednesday	Red Wednesday – Mass for persecuted Christians	9.30 am	Aileen Mary Sheridan (2 <sup>nd</sup> anniv) RIP
Thursday	The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary	9.30 am Holy Souls	
Friday	St Cecilia	9.30 am	Margaret Eileen Miller (RIP)
Saturday	Blessed Virgin Mary on Saturday	9.30 am	Sick & housebound
	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Parish family
Sunday 24 <sup>th</sup> Nov	OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE	8.45 am	Donnelly family (intention)
	Day of Special Prayer for Young People Family Mass	10.30 am	Helen & Dick Spencer (RIP)
	Baptism	12 Noon	Amelia & Imogen Reilley

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: Monday to Saturday at 9 am. Morning prayer: Monday to Saturday at 9.00 am 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 4 pm.

CHNDAY		16/17 <sup>th</sup> Novembe	r		23/24 <sup>th</sup> Nov	
SUNDAY	6pm	8.45am	10.30am	6pm	8.45am	10.30am
Readers	S Davies	M Corcoran	W Fryer	C Haimes	Clark family	J Tunstall
Welcomers	ers 6pm B Roles		8.45am A Volunteer		10.30am P Higgins/P Challis	
WEEKDAYS	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Readers	M J Corcoran	J Tunstall	M Corcoran	G Barber	C Haimes	A Volunteer

## 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, Rosemary Southwell, Pat Cummins, Win Bayley, Joe Hemington, Maurice McAsey, Judy Howard, Maureen Adams, Sr Suzan George SMMI, Eva Bennion, Paul Wallace, Dorothy Strawson, Ronnie Phelan, Maureen Knox, Joseph Kennedy, Gerald Sanderson, Mary Gilbert, Michael Rowlands, Kay Minto, Susan Trowell, Margaret Maw, Josie Rowland, David Eva, Peter Roca, Stephanie Archibald, Moira Griffiths-Parr, Margaret Gould, Louise Dixon, Joan Burkmar, Stephen Bretland, Adrian Duggan, Jack Turner, Dawn Stevenson, Mary Henesy, Cormac Davis, 5 year old Dottie, Rachel Branch, Terry Michael Foster, Annabelle Narey, Alan Blackwood, Mary, Richard & Cavan Fowler, Ann Kelly, Ruth Pisarek, Roger Gardener, Pat Leadbetter, Reg Parson, Ann & Paul Flanagan, Stacey Hemington, John Walker, David Wallace, Laurie Walsh Yvonne Mckeown, Alan Hughes

### Anniversaries of our departed (18 – 24<sup>th</sup> November)

Francis Hatton, Rt Rev John A Murphy, Dennis Healy (18/11) Edith Lovelady, Patricia Bennett, John Jones (19/11) Charles Matthews, Edward Lawson Webb, Amy Radburn, Aileen Mary Sheridan (20/11), Edward Griffiths, Elsie Kangley, Eric Peers (21/11), Mary Devaney, Deidre Omeara, Edwin Gaskell, Charles Stanley (22/11) Fr John Ryan, Brigid Gaskill (23/11)



The names of the dear ones are taken from the book of remembrance. Please inform Fr Francis or contact parish office to add to anniversaries or remove from the sick list.

**Be Compassionate:** A statement issued from the Bishops of England, Wales and Scotland in opposition to the parliamentary Bill to legalise assisted suicide will be read at all Masses this weekend. Copies of the letter will be in the porch and a copy will be available to read online.

**Safeguarding Sunday: 17**<sup>th</sup> **November is Safeguarding Sunday.** It is important that we as a parish church continue to be place of welcome, where each person is respected and loved and where we support each other. Each and every person in our church has a responsibility to safeguard and promote the wellbeing of those who join us for worship or any service or activity in our church facilitated by our community members.

**Sacramental Preparation:** This Sunday at 9.45am parents and children preparing for the First Holy Communion will take part in the second session of the Sacramental preparation which is "Called by Name" and we'll be exploring the importance of our names and finding out about saints. May we remind the families preparing for the First Holy Communion that the participation in the Eucharistic Celebration on Sundays is an essential part of a child's preparation for the First Holy Communion.

Little Church: Children's liturgy will take place during the Family Mass at 10.30am.

**Red Wednesday:** Initiated by Aid to the Church in Need, it was established in 2016 to draw our attention to the persecuted Christians in so many countries and to their aid and support. This year the focus for Aid to the Church in Need is on Christian children who are displaced and suffering due to targeted violence. **Aid to the Church in Need envelopes** will be available in the porch to take home and return next weekend.

**Our Lady's Lamp:** This lamp may be lit for your intentions and will burn by Our Lady's Chapel for seven days. If you wish to have it lit, then please inform Fr Francis or the parish office. This week Our Lady's Lamp will be lit for the Holy Souls.

**Reflection:** Holy Souls is the new reflection from Tony Topping. There is a copy online and a few paper copies in the porch.

**Assisted Suicide Bill:** The statement of Bishops again asks us to contact our MP Samantha Dixon either by post or email, Samantha.dixon.mp@parliament.uk. It needs to arrive before the vote on the 29<sup>th</sup> Nov. Ensure you include your postal address.

**Parish Christmas Meal at KRI KRI – Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> December at 7pm:** If you want to come to the meal on the 5<sup>th</sup>, then please sign up this weekend as we need to let the restaurant know how many will be attending. Either sign in the porch or email the parish office. If you have already signed up but not paid, if you can get your monies in asap.

**Christmas Tree:** We are looking to put up the tree and decorate the church fosr Christmas on **Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> December.** If you can spare an hour or two Saturday morning around 10.30am, then please come along and help. The more volunteers the better!!

Missio: There are a supply of 2025 calendars in the porch. If you would like one, please do take one home.

**PIETY STALL:** Christmas cards are now available at the back of the church. Please do take a look at the cards and gifts available.

SPUC: The next meeting is this Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> November at 10.30am after Mass and rosary in the hall. All very welcome to attend.

**CWL AGM:** Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> November, From 2 - 4pm in the church hall. A short meeting and refreshments to celebrate a year of fundraising and friendship.

Knot just knitters: The next session is Friday 29th November in the church hall. 1.30 - 4pm. Come along and get crafty!!

Bereavement Group: The next session is on Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> December in the church hall. 1 – 3pm. All very welcome.

**Churchyard Gardening**: Volunteer gardeners will meet, weather permitting, Friday between 1.30pm – 3.30pm. All welcome.

Clergy Education and Training Fund: Thank you for your kind generosity as usual, £270 was collected last weekend.

Offertory Collections: Thank you for your generous support.

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

**Food Bank:** Urgent items needed as at **14 November** are custard, crackers, cordials, instant mash and small jars of coffee. Other items needed include tinned fruit, instant pasta with sauce and biscuits and small treats.

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	Day of Special Prayer for Young People Family Mass	10.30 am	Helen & Dick Spencer (RIP)
	Baptism	12 noon	Amelia & Imogen Reilley
Monday	Ferial	9.30 am	Heinz Erich Pisarek (death anniv) RIP
Tuesday	Ferial	9.30 am	Mary George (RIP)
Wednesday	Ferial	9.30 am	Holy Souls
Thursday	Ferial	9.30 am	Deceased members of Haimes family
Friday	Ferial	9.30 am	Betty Watson (RIP)
riluay	Interment of ashes in the graveyard	10.00am	Betty Watson (RIP)
Saturday	ST ANDREW	9.30 am	Joe Hemington (health)
	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Dr James & Mrs Heather Cubbin (RIP)
Sunday 1 <sup>st</sup> Dec	THE FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT	8.45 am	Jack Turner (RIP)
	Family Mass	10.30 am	Parish family

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Welcomers	<b>6pm</b> Marie B	ranch & P Higgins	<b>8.45am</b> A &	D Docherty	10.30am	A Volunteer
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#### 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 resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen

the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,

Please remember in your prayers all those who are sick including: Patricia Davies, Frances Wright, Rosemary Southwell, Pat Cummins, Win Bayley, Joe Hemington, Maurice McAsey, Judy Howard, Maureen Adams, Sr Suzan George SMMI, Eva Bennion, Paul Wallace, Dorothy Strawson, Ronnie Phelan, Maureen Knox, Joseph Kennedy, Gerald Sanderson, Mary Gilbert, Michael Rowlands, Kay Minto, Susan Trowell, Margaret Maw, Josie Rowland, David Eva, Peter Roca, Stephanie Archibald, Moira Griffiths-Parr, Margaret Gould, Louise Dixon, Joan Burkmar, Stephen Bretland, Adrian Duggan, Dawn Stevenson, Mary Henesy, Cormac Davis, 5 year old Dottie, Rachel Branch, Terry Michael Foster, Annabelle Narey, Alan Blackwood, Mary, Richard & Cavan Fowler, Ann Kelly, Ruth Pisarek, Roger Gardener, Pat Leadbetter, Reg Parson, Ann & Paul Flanagan, Stacey Hemington, John Walker, David Wallace, Laurie Walsh Yvonne Mckeown, Alan Hughes

#### Anniversaries of our departed (25 Nov – 1 December)

Monica McKey, Heinz Erich Pisarek, Eleanor Hackett, Joe Malone (25/11) Fr James McGinley, Dorothy White, Tom Finneran, John Anderson (26/11) Kathleen Lillian Pover, Louise Williamson, Mary Phillips, Aideen Holden, Patricia Robinson, John Blain, Jan Hudak, William (Bill) Williams (27/11) Peter Gerald Murphy, Fr Peter O'Neil, Margaret White (28/11) Bernadette Bowes, Paul Fergus, Diana Phillips (29/11), Mary Agnes Jones, Catherine Southwell, William "Hugh" Schofield, Carlos Ferreira Furnkranz (30/11), Mabel Preston, Fr Joseph Russell, Elvira Omeara, Jayne Gwendoline Norman (1/12)

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Christmas Mass times: Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> December – Children's Christmas Mass 4pm and Christmas Vigil Mass 7pm Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> December – Christmas Morning Mass 8.45am and Christmas Family Mass 10.30am

**New Lectionary:** Thanks for all the readers who met on 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> November to get to know more about the New Lectionary and for the words of appreciation. The new lectionary will be blessed on Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> November after 9.30 Mass and will come into use on the First Sunday of Advent. Those who use Sunday Missal (People's Edition) copies are available at Pauline Book Centre, 84 Church Street Liverpool L1 3AY or phone 0151 709 1328. Or you can get the Universalis App

Assisted Suicide Bill: We know that many of you have written to our MP Samantha Dixon either by post or email to ask her to vote against the bill and one of our parishioners even asked for an appointment to meet her or speak to her in person. We appreciate you all for taking a stand. There are still postcards in the porch, if you need one or email <a href="mailto:Samantha.dixon.mp@parliament.uk">Samantha.dixon.mp@parliament.uk</a> Please ensure you include your postal address. Either needs to arrive with Samantha before the vote on the 29<sup>th</sup>

Parish Christmas Meal at KRI KRI – Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> December at 7pm: At the moment we have approx. 30 parishioners going for the meal, it would be lovely to see some more!! I know this year it clashes with a few other events, but if you are free and would like to come, then please contact the parish office asap or just complete a menu and send it in with your money, cost £16.

**St Winefride's School:** Christmas Fair - Friday 6<sup>th</sup> December in school hall. 3.30pm – 5pm.

**Recently Deceased:** Please remember in your prayers Jack Turner who peacefully passed away on Monday in Arrowe Park Hospital at the age of 95. Please also keep in your prayers his dear ones, especially Debbie and Ian Trotman and their family.

**Our Lady's Lamp:** This lamp may be lit for your intentions and will burn by Our Lady's Chapel for seven days. If you wish to have it lit, then please inform Fr Francis or the parish office. This week Our Lady's Lamp will be lit for the Holy Souls.

**Christmas Tree:** We are looking to put up the tree and decorate the church for Christmas on **Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> December.** If you can spare an hour or two Saturday morning around 10.30am, then please come along and help. The more volunteers the better!!

Missio Red Boxes: Thank you to those who have returned the boxes to us. If you still have a **full or partially full RED box, then please return to church ASAP.** Empty boxes are now available in the porch to take if you are a current Missio box holder or contact us if not.

PIETY STALL: Christmas cards are now available at the back of the church. Please do take a look at the cards and gifts available.

**SPUC/CWL:** Many thanks to all who helped in any way last Saturday with our Lunch after the Annual Parish Mass for the deceased. We raised **£410** for the Shrewsbury Diocese Caritas Christmas Appeal.

**Christmas Day Lunch:** 25<sup>th</sup> December, 12 noon until 3pm. Free lunch and transport available. If you are alone and would like to go or know someone who would benefit, then more information and contact information is on the noticeboard.

Knot just knitters: The next session is Friday 29th November in the church hall. 1.30 - 4pm. Come along and get crafty!!

Bereavement Group: There is NO meeting in December, the next meeting is Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> January in the church hall. 1 – 3pm.

**Churchyard Gardening**: Volunteer gardeners will meet, weather permitting, Friday between 1.30pm – 3.30pm. All welcome. The last session for this year will be on Friday 29<sup>th</sup> November and will resume again in February next year.

Aid to the church in Need: On 20<sup>th</sup> November the Church across the world observed Red Wednesday, an initiative started by Aid to the Church in Need in 2016 for the persecuted Christians, to stand in solidarity with those who suffer for their faith. This year the focus of the pontifical charity, that works with thousands of vulnerable Christian communities in 140 countries, is on Christian children who are displaced and suffering due to targeted violence. Aid to the Church in Need envelopes are available in the porch and if you would like to donate there will be a basket in church to place your donations in as you leave the church.

**Mary's Meals UK:** Mary's meals provides nutritious school meals to children in some of the world's poorest communities. If you wish to donate at this Christmas a donation box will be available in the porch during the season of advent leading up to Christmas.

Offertory Collections: Thank you for your generous support.

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

Food Bank: Trussel Trust have their latest figures and It shows that there has been a 69% increase in emergency food parcels given out by food banks across the UK since 2019. If you can help, then the following urgent items are needed as at 19 November; custard, crackers, cordials, instant mash and small jars of coffee. They have plenty of beans, tinned soups and pasta.

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Sunday 1 December 2024 – Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> December 2024

Mass Readings: Sunday Year B, Weekday Cycle Year 2

Sunday 1 Dec	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Dr James & Mrs Heather Cubbin (RIP)
Sulluay 1 Dec	THE FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT	8.45 am	Jack Turner (RIP)
	Family Mass	10.30 am	Parish family
Monday	Ferial	9.30 am	Wyn Bailey (health)
Tuesday	St Francis Xavier	9.30 am	Cropper family (Thanksgiving)
Wednesday	Ferial	9.30 am	Povey family (special intention)
Thursday	Ferial	9.00 am	Jack Turner (RIP)
Titursuay	Sacrament of Reconciliation	6.00 pm	First Holy Communion Group
Friday	Ferial	9.30 am	Challis family (special intention)
Filuay	Class Mass in school	11.00am	St Winefride's School
Saturday	ST Ambrose	9.30 am	Sick and housebound
	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Parish family
Sunday 8 Dec	THE SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT	8.45 am	Maureen & Tony Bainbridge (anniv) RIP
	Family Mass	10.30 am	Larry Duggan (death anniv) RIP

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CHAIDAY		30 Nov/1 Dec			7/8 December	r
SUNDAY	6pm	8.45am	10.30am	6pm	8.45am	10.30am
Readers	L Hannaway	AM Millar	A Cropper	J Shakespeare	T McGlynn	M Slater
Welcomers	mers 6pm B Roles 8.4		<b>8.45am</b> A	n A Volunteer 10.30am A Volur		A Volunteer
WEEKDAYS	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Readers	A Volunteer	A Cropper	J Tunstall	A volunteer	C Haimes	G Barber

#### **Penitential Act**

I confess to almighty God and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned, in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done and in what I have failed to do, (striking breast) through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault; therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin, all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.

## CHRISTMAS MASS TIMES

## **Christmas Eve**

Children's Christmas Mass 4.00pm Christmas Vigil Mass 7.00pm

Carols from 3.45pm and 6.45 pm on Christmas Eve

Monday 25<sup>th</sup> December

**Christmas Day** 

The First Mass 8.45am Family Mass 10.30am

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## Anniversaries of our departed (2 Dec – 8 Dec)

Fr John O'Sullivan (2/12) Mgr Terence Welch, Fr Patrick J O'Brien (3/12) James Connelly, Fr Gary Walsh SSS (5/12), Dolly Sherlock, Anthony Cecil J Brogden, Phyllis Challis, Aurea De Almeida Furnkranz (6/12) Colin Beardsworth, Harold Anthony (Tony) Bainbridge (8/12)



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**Pastoral Letter:** There is an Advent pastoral letter from Bishop Mark which will be read at all Masses. A copy of the letter will be on the website and hard copies are available in the porch.

Clergy Recollection Day for Advent: This Thursday, 5<sup>th</sup> December Clergy will be in Crewe and so Mass will be at **9.00am** 

**First Reconciliation:** This Sunday before the Family Mass children and their parents preparing for the First Holy Communion will take part in the third session of the sacramental preparation which is "Reconciliation". The catechists will help the children and their parents to reflect on their life experiences and the choices they have made in their lives and how to begin each day, fresh, anew, and each day making peace with all that has happened.

We welcome the children who are preparing for the First Holy Communion, with their families, to receive the Sacrament of reconciliation on Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> December at 6pm. Please keep the children and their families in their prayers.

Our Lady's Lamp: This lamp may be lit for your intentions and will burn by Our Lady's Chapel this week for sick & Housebound.

**Offertory envelopes:** We need to place our order for envelopes for the new tax year, 2025/26 <u>next Friday</u>. If you would still like your box then you **DO NOT** need to do anything, but if you don't need the box anymore as you now pay by standing order or alternatively would like to have a box of envelopes to gift aid your weekly contributions, then please contact Jayne in the office by **Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> December**. Please remember by gift aiding your donations an extra 25% of your donation will be claimed back from HMRC. Thank you.

**St Winefride's School:** Christmas Fair - Friday 6<sup>th</sup> December in school hall. 3.30pm – 5pm. On the noticeboard is also the current newsletter from the school. This will now be updated each week. Do have a look.

**Christmas Tree:** We are looking to put up the tree and decorate the church for Christmas on **Saturday 7**<sup>th</sup> **December.** If you can spare an hour or two Saturday morning around 10.30am, then please come along and help. The more volunteers the better!!

PIETY STALL: Christmas cards are now available at the back of the church. Please do take a look at the cards and gifts available.

**Christmas Day Lunch:** 25<sup>th</sup> December, 12 noon until 3pm. Free lunch and transport available. If you are alone and would like to go or know someone who would benefit, then more information and contact information is on the noticeboard.

**Neston Community Centre:** We would like to help support the food bank in the community centre by donating Christmas treats, such as mince pies, biscuits, sweets, Christmas cake/pudding etc. Any donations to be left in the box marked community centre from this weekend.

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**CWL Christmas Party:** This will be held this year on Friday 13<sup>th</sup> December in the afternoon. More details next week.

**Knot just knitters:** The next session is **Friday 29<sup>th</sup> November** in the church hall. 1.30 - 4pm. Come along and get crafty!! This will be the last session for 2024 and will start again in the new year.

**Bereavement Group:** There is **NO meeting in December**, the next meeting is **Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> January** in the church hall. 1-3pm.

**Churchyard Gardening**: Volunteer gardeners will meet, weather permitting, Friday between 1.30pm – 3.30pm. All welcome. The last session for this year will be on Friday 29<sup>th</sup> November and will resume again in February next year.

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Aid to the church in Need: Thank you for your generosity last weekend £307 was raised plus an extra £12.50 from gift aid.

Offertory Collections: Thank you for your generous support.

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

**Food Bank:** Urgent items as at **25 November**; custard, crackers, cordials, instant mash and small jars of coffee. Also needed are tinned fruit, instant pasta with sauce and biscuits and small treats. They have plenty of beans, tinned soups and pasta.

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Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> December 2024 – Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> December 2024

Mass Readings: Sunday Year C, Weekday Cycle Year 1

Sunday 9 Doc	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Parish family
Sunday 8 Dec	THE SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT	8.45 am	Maureen & Tony Bainbridge (anniv) RIP
	Family Mass	10.30 am	Larry Duggan (death anniv) RIP
Monday	THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF THE BLESSED	9.30 am	Gregory Corcoran (special intention)
ivioliday	VIRGIN MARY Class Mass in School	11.00am	St Winefride's School
Tuesday	Our Lady of Loreto	9.30 am	Povey (Thanksgiving)
Wednesday	Ferial	9.30 am	Maurice McAsey (health
Thursday	Our Lady of Guadalupe	9.30 am	Rona (intention)
Friday	St Lucy	9.30 am	Margaret Veronica Povey (3 <sup>rd</sup> anniv) RIP
Saturday	St John of the Cross	9.30 am	Sick and housebound
	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Parish family
Sunday 15 Dec	THE THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT	8.45 am	Pauline Clark (1 <sup>st</sup> death anniv)
	Family Mass	10.30 am	Dorothy Ilott (14 <sup>th</sup> anniv) RIP

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CLINIDAY		7/8 December			14/15 Decemb	er
SUNDAY	6pm	8.45am	10.30am	6pm	8.45am	10.30am
Readers	D Loughe	T McGlynn	M Slater	C Kirshen	AM Millar	H Jones
Welcomers	6pm M & M Branch & P Higgins 8.45am A & I		D Docherty <b>10.30am</b> P Challis			
WEEKDAYS	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Readers	A Volunteer	A Cropper	A Volunteer	J Tunstall	C Haimes	A Volunteer

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I confess to almighty God
and to you, my brothers and sisters,
that I have greatly sinned,
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in what I have done
and in what I have failed to do,
(striking breast)
through my fault, through my fault, through my most
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therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin,
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# **CHRISTMAS MASS TIMES**

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Children's Christmas Mass 4.00pm Christmas Vigil Mass 7.00pm Carols from 3.45pm and 6.45 pm on Christmas Eve

Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> December

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The First Mass 8.45am Family Mass 10.30am

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## Anniversaries of our departed (9 Dec - 15 Dec)

Hiram Stringer (9/12) Canon Aelred Rigby, Fr James Devlin, Peter Caffrey, Geoff Davies, Victor Rhodes (11/12) Canon Andrew V Campbell (12/12) Maureen Sharp, John Smith, Hannah Bennett, Margaret V Povey (13/12) Fr B Hewitt, Laurence Anthony (Tony) Moreton (14/12) Elizabeth Williams, Carolyn Mary Descotes, Renata Maria Dodd (15/12)



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**First Reconciliation:** Congratulations to all children who have made their First Reconciliation on Thursday evening. We thank the catechists Sarah, Alison and Karl who led the reconciliation service and all the families who supported their children in their faith journey. Please keep the children and their families in your prayers.

**St Winefride's School:** On Monday 16<sup>th</sup> December the children will have their carol concert, at 10.30am and 6pm. They will be coming to church to rehearse on Monday 9<sup>th</sup> December and Friday 13<sup>th</sup> December after 9.30am Mass until 12 noon.

**Children's Mass on Christmas Eve:** If any children/young people are coming to the Children's Christmas mass at 4pm on 24<sup>th</sup> December and will be able to read either a liturgical reading or bidding prayer, please could you contact parish office or speak to catechists Alison or Sarah after 10.30am Mass.

Little Church: Please remember Children's liturgy during Family Mass at 10.30am.

**Funeral Service:** Please remember in your prayers Jack Turner who peacefully passed away on Monday 18<sup>th</sup> November in Arrowe Park hospital at the age of 95. Jack Turner's funeral service will be on Monday 16<sup>th</sup> December at 1.20pm at Blacon Crematorium chapel. Please keep in your prayers his dear ones, especially Debbie and Ian Trotman and their family.

**Our Lady of Guadalupe:** Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> December is the feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe, the Patroness of the unborn. After Mass there will be a short pro-life service which will include a Rosary for Life. All are welcome to attend.

Our Lady's Lamp: This lamp may be lit for your intentions and will burn by Our Lady's Chapel this week for sick & Housebound.

**Christmas Mass - readers, welcomers and EMHC:** There is a sign-up sheet in the porch to add your name if you are here at Mass over Christmas and are able to read, welcome or are a EMHC. You can also email the parish office. Thank you.

**Neston Community Christmas Dinner:** Please see noticeboard for details of the lunch at the Cricket Club in Parkgate on **Christmas day between 12 noon and 3pm.** Free lunch and entertainment.

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**Missio Red Boxes:** The total amount collected for this year was £262.00. Thank you to all those who returned their boxes. If you need a new box they are in the porch or alternatively if you would like to become a box holder, then contact the office.

**Offertory Collections:** Thank you for your generous support.

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

**Food Bank:** Urgent items as at **6 December**; custard UHT milk, meat pastes, UHT juice and small jars of coffee. Also needed are tinned fruit, instant pasta with sauce and biscuits and small treats. They have plenty of beans, tinned soups and pasta.

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Sulluay 15 Dec	THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT	8.45 am	Pauline Clark (1st death anniv) RIP
	Family Mass	10.30 am	Dorothy Ilott (14 <sup>th</sup> death anniv) RIP
Monday	Ferial	9.30 am	Walker (Family intentions)
Monday	rendi	6.00 pm	St Winefride's School Carol Concert
Tuesday	Ferial	9.30 am	Terry M Foster (RIP)
Wednesday	Ferial	9.30 am	Jack Turner (RIP)
Thursday	Ferial	9.30 am	Deceased family members of
Titursuay		9.50 alli	Topping & Evans
Friday	Ferial	9.30 am	Mary Catherine (Molly) Davidson RIP
Saturday	Ferial	9.30 am	Catherine Bond (RIP)
	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Docherty family (health)
Sunday 22 Dec	FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT	8.45 am	Parish family
	Day of Special Prayer for Expectant Mothers Family Mass	10.30 am	Tony McDevitt (3 <sup>rd</sup> anniv) RIP

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	6pm	8.45am	10.30am	6pm	8.45am	10.30am
Readers	C Kirshen	AM Millar	H Jones	K Ankers	Clark family	M Unsworth
Welcomers	<b>6pm</b> B Roles		8.45am A & D Docherty		10.30am P Higgins	
WEEKDAYS	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Readers	A Volunteer	A Cropper	J Tunstall	A Volunteer	C Haimes	G Barber

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## Anniversaries of our departed (16 Dec – 22 Dec)

Canon Rudoph Luczka (16/12) John Caffrey, Francis McKey, Lawrence Duggan, Gerald Dove Murphy, Christopher Bernard Hewitt, Eileen Scarratt (17/12) Norman Jones, Joyce Tennant, Larry Duggan (18/12) Kenneth George Rodrigues (19/12), Sarah Ann Bamford, Canon Thomas Hurley (20/12) Mary Catherine Davidson, Fr Kevin Molloy, Edna Gardner, Pat Standish, Dorothy (Dot) Davies, Patrick, Anthony (Tony) McDevitt (21/12) Murtagh Davies, Dorothy Ilott (22/12)



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**Fr Francis:** Life tends to become more hectic as Christmas approaches and as our focus turns to preparing for our celebration with our dear ones. Perhaps in these remaining days of Advent it is a good time to pause, to spend a few moments in the presence of the Lord Jesus, allowing him to open our hearts to reconciliation, forgiveness and love, to listen to what he might have to say to us. May the gifts of advent – Hope, Joy, Love and Peace – be the ingredients of our celebration at this Christmas. May we continue to grow as a parish family, making us stronger in our faith, hope and love.

**St Winefride's School:** On Monday the children will have their carol concert, at 6pm. The school has informed us that the Carol Concert scheduled for 10.30 is cancelled. However, 6pm concert will be live streamed. Due to the limited space in the church, may we request you to reserve the seats for the families of the children at St Winefride's school.

Little Church: Please remember Children's liturgy during Family Mass at 10.30am.

**Our Lady's Lamp:** This lamp will be lit for your intentions and will burn by Our Lady's Chapel for seven days. If you wish to have it lit for any special intention, then please inform Fr Francis or the parish office. Please put any donations in the candle box. This week Our Lady's lamp will be lit for the sick and housebound.

**Christmas Mass - readers, welcomers and EMHC:** There is a sign-up sheet in the porch to add your name if you are here at Mass over Christmas and are able to **READ, WELCOME** or are a **EMHC**. You can also email the parish office. As church will be busy at all Masses, it is important we have two, if not three welcomers. Let the office know if you may like to help.

**Christmas Card:** There are parish Christmas Cards in the porch with Mass times from next Monday to the 1<sup>st</sup> of January 2025. Please do take one for yourself or to invite your friends and neighbours at this Christmas.

**Epiphany of the Lord 2025:** We would like to celebrate our diversity on the solemnity of the manifestation of Jesus Christ to the world by inviting those who speak different languages to help us with the liturgical readings and the bidding prayers. If you can let Jayne know by Christmas if you would like to read one of the readings or to say a short bidding prayer and in which language (and which Mass you attend) we can celebrate our multi linguistics together. Thank you.

**Piety Stall:** Christmas cards are now available and are in the porch. The stand with general cards is at the back of church together with the rosary beads and other piety items are on the table.

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	FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT	8.45 am	Parish family	
	Day of Special Prayer for Expectant Mothers Family Mass	10.30 am	Tony McDevitt (3 <sup>rd</sup> anniv) RIP	
Monday	Ferial	9.30 am	Patricia Hall (RIP)	
	Ferial	9.30 am	Eva Bennion (health)	
Tuesday	Christmas Eve Children's Christmas Mass	4.00 pm	Clair & John Piccolo (RIP)	
	Christmas Eve Vigil Mass	7.00 pm	Parish family	
Wednesday	THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD First Mass	8.45 am	Corcoran family (Intention)	
vveuriesuay	Family Mass	10.30 am	Joe & Emma Tunstall (Intention)	
Thursday	ST STEPHEN	9.30 am	Fr Gerry Courell (RIP)	
Friday	ST JOHN	9.30 am	Michael Halley (RIP)	
Saturday	THE HOLY INNOCENTS	9.30 am	Sick and housebound	
Sunday 29 Dec	Saturday Vigil Mass	6.00 pm	Parish family	
	THE HOLY FAMILY	8.45 am	Maureen Knox (health)	
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## Anniversaries of our departed (23 Dec - 29 Dec)

Winefride Anderson, Brian Hurley, James Thomas Nolan RNR (23/12) Fr William Corcoran, Laurence Binns, Mary Winifred Nyland, Jean Thomas (24/12) Alan Walmsley, Olive Byrne, Rhonda Evelyn Jacques (25/12) Mary Theresa Donnelly, Paddy Finneran (26/12) Fr Lawrence Watson, (27/12) Rt Rev William Grasar, Liz McHugh, June Sands (28/12), Provost John Donnelly, Alfred Davies, Fr Paul Glendinning, Derek Millington (29/12)



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**Piety Stall:** Christmas cards are now available and are in the porch. The stand with general cards is at the back of church together with the rosary beads and other piety items are on the table.

**Neston Community Centre:** All festive items have been taken to the community centre who were delighted with volume of items donated and would like to pass on a big thank you to you all.

**CWL:** Christmas hamper raffle tickets will be sold for the last time this weekend **21/22<sup>nd</sup>** December in the back porch. Tickets priced at £1.00 each. The draw will take place in the hall after 10.30am Mass on Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> December.

Mary's Meals UK: Mary's meals provides nutritious school meals to children in some of the world's poorest communities. If you wish to donate this Christmas a donation box will be available in the porch during the season of advent leading up to Christmas.

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CARITAS at Christmas Appeal: Thank you for your generosity, £343 was raised last weekend, plus £410 from the soup lunch.

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**Heath & Safety:** Please can we ask you to be extra careful when coming to church this Christmas, both while in church and when parking in the car park to keep yourself and others safe. Thank you.

# A VERY HAPPY CHRISTMAS

TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE PARISH,
YOUR LOVED ONES AND OUR VISITORS.

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#### **Parish Team**

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#### LITURGICAL CALENDAR OF THE WEEK

Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> December 2024 – Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> January 2025

Mass Readings: Sunday Year C, Weekday Cycle Year 1

Sunday 29 Dec	Saturday Vigil Mass for Sunday	6.00 pm	Parish Family	
	THE HOLY FAMILY	8.45 am	Maureen Knox (health)	
	Family Mass	10.30 am	Paul Manchester ( RIP)	
Monday	Sixth Day of the Christmas Octave	9.30 am	Ann Fairgrieve (health)	
Tuesday	Seventh Day of the Christmas Octave	9.30 am	David Jepson (RIP)	
Wednesday	MARY, MOTHER OF GOD	9.30 am	Corcoran Family (special intention)	
Thursday	Ss Basil the Great & Gregory Nazianzen	9.30 am	Jack Turner (RIP)	
Friday	Friday of the Christmas Season	9.30 am	Terry M Foster (RIP)	
Saturday	Saturday of the Christmas Season	9.30 am	Sick and housebound	
	Saturday Vigil Mass for Sunday	6.00 pm	Parish Family	
Sunday 5 <sup>th</sup> Jan	THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD	8.45 am	Thomas and James Corcoran (intention)	
	Family Mass	10.30 am	Frederick Cropper (death anniv) (RIP)	

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: Monday to Saturday at 9 am. Morning prayer: Monday to Saturday at 9.00 am 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 4 pm.

SUNDAY		28/29 December			4/5 January	
	6pm	8.45am	10.30am	6pm	8.45am	10.30am
Readers	D Loughe	M Corcoran	P Hemington	M Branch	T McGlynn	J Tunstall
Welcomers	<b>6pm</b> A Volunteer		8.45am A & D Docherty		10.30am A Volunteer	
WEEKDAYS	Monday	Tuesday 9.30am	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Readers	A Volunteer	C Haimes	A Volunteer	A Volunteer	C Haimes	G Barber

## **Penitential Act**

I confess to almighty God
and to you, my brothers and sisters,
that I have greatly sinned,
in my thoughts and in my words,
in what I have done
and in what I have failed to do,
(striking breast)
through my fault, through my fault, through my most
grievous fault;
therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin,
all the Angels and Saints,
and you, my brothers and sisters,
to pray for me to the Lord our God.

A Very Blessed
New Year 2025

to all members of the
Parish,

your loved ones and our

Please remember in your prayers all those who are sick including: Patricia Davies, Frances Wright, Rosemary Southwell, Pat Cummins, Win Bayley, Joe Hemington, Maurice McAsey, Judy Howard, Maureen Adams, Sr Suzan George SMMI, Eva Bennion, Paul Wallace, Dorothy Strawson, Ronnie Phelan, Maureen Knox, Joseph Kennedy, Gerald Sanderson, Mary Gilbert, Michael Rowlands, Kay Minto, Susan Trowell, Margaret Maw, Josie Rowland, David Eva, Peter Roca, Stephanie Archibald, Moira Griffiths-Parr, Margaret Gould, Joan Burkmar, Stephen Bretland, Adrian Duggan, Dawn Stevenson, Mary Henesy, 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, John Walker, David Wallace, Laurie Walsh Yvonne Mckeown, Alan Hughes, Laura Fason

## Anniversaries of our departed (30 Dec - 5 Jan)

Hannah Bennett (30/12), Peter James Saunders Alan Carbury (31/12), Mabel Preston, John Marmion, John Richard Hughes, Fr David Smith, Sissy Deery, Austine Hosker, Frederick Cropper, Sally Hogan, Sister Anthony Wilson SND, Tony Walsh (1/1), Canon Francis McGowan, Kenneth John McMahon (2/1), Norma Ablitt (3/1), Denis Barraclough, Nicholas David Morgan (4/1), Fr Edward Coughlan, Ray Green (5/1)



The names of the dear ones are taken from the book of remembrance. Please inform Fr Francis or contact parish office to add to anniversaries or remove from the sick list.

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## **ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION**

My Jesus, I believe that you are present in the most Blessed Sacrament. I love you above all things, and I desire to receive you into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive you sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace you as if you are already there and unite myself wholly to you. Never permit me to be separated from you. Amen.

(St Alphonsus Liguori)

A PRAYER FOR OUR PARISH — Loving Father, we the people of St Winefride's Parish offer ourselves to you, to be your people in this place, to be your Church in our community, and to be instruments of peace, forgiveness and love. Help us grow in gratitude so that we can recognise and thank you for all our blessings. Instil in us a deep sense of generosity so that we are willing to share our gifts, our talents, our time and our resources. Help us face whatever the future holds and to make new beginnings in your name. We ask this through your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen