



ST WINEFRIDE'S RC CHURCH

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Sunday 19th July 2026 – Sunday 26th July 2026

Mass Readings: Sunday Year A, Weekday Cycle Year II

Sunday 19 th July	Saturday Vigil Mass for Sunday	6.00 pm	Parish family	
	SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	8.45 am	Cunnah family	
	Family Mass	10.30 am	Marie McKeown (recently deceased) RIP	
	Baptism	12.15 pm	Noah James Butterworth	
Monday	Ferial	Requiem Mass	12 Noon	Patrick Hughes (RIP)
Tuesday	Ferial		7.00 pm	Kathleen Burgess (b'day anniv 22 nd) RIP
Wednesday	ST MARY MAGDALENE	Mass in School	9.15 am	School community
Thursday	ST BRIDGET	Day of Special Prayer for Europe	9.00 am	Roy Saunders (RIP)
Friday	Ferial		7.00 pm	Mary Christina Kevan (RIP)
Saturday	ST JAMES		12 Noon	Marie McKeown (recently deceased) RIP
Sunday 26 th July	Saturday Vigil Mass for Sunday	6.00 pm	Deceased family members of the Sarson family	
	SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	8.45 am	Parish family	
	Family Mass	10.30 am	Clair Piccolo (2 nd anniv) RIP	

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament: Tuesday & Friday from 6pm and Saturday from 11am.

Rosary: Mon/Wed/Thurs after 9am Mass & 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 9.00 am Mass on request.

Private Prayer: Church will remain open after morning Mass during the week for private prayer until **5 pm**

Baptism: Please contact parish priest and collect Baptism application form after Mass. **Marriage:** 6 months' notice to be given.

Pope Leo's Prayer for the month of July. For respect for human life

Let us pray for the respect and protection of human life in all its stages, recognizing it as a gift from God.

SUNDAY	19/20 th July		
	6.00 pm	8.45 am	10.30 am
Readers	Hannaway family	M Whitehead	A Cropper
EMHC	Deacon Mike	M Corcoran	M Slater
Welcomers	B Roles, P Higgins	8.45am A & D Docherty	10.30am R Stacey

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

From Pope Leo's Angelus address last Sunday: God's generosity towards us is not naïve but wise. He sees within us the potential of a good that, at times, we ourselves might fail to recognize. For this reason, the Lord, who knows the soil of our hearts better than we, never ceases to believe in us — in who we are and in who we can become, day by day, if we entrust ourselves to him in faith. Thus, from the generosity and trust with which the seed is sown, and from the humility and openness with which it is received, the fruits of the Holy Spirit grow within us and spread. Saint Paul teaches that they are “love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control” (Gal 5:22). How greatly our world stands in need of these fruits: to be filled with them and transformed by them! Let us therefore resolve, especially during these summer days of vacation, to make room for listening to, reading, and meditating on the Word of God, thereby fostering—together with rest and wholesome recreation — meaningful moments of silence and prayer. In this way, we shall return to our usual activities renewed in body and spirit, ready to proclaim the Good News of the Gospel and ever more capable of contributing to the growth of the Kingdom of God.

Please remember in your prayers all those who are sick including, Pat Cummins, Joe Hemington, Judy Howard, Maureen Knox, Ann and Paul Flanagan, Laurie Walsh, Maureen Morris, Barbara & Richard Debemham. Dorothy Strawson, Dottie, Joseph Kennedy, Peter Roca, Margaret Gould, Joan Burkmar, Cormac Davis, Rachel Branch, Mary & Richard Fowler, Ann Kelly, Ruth Pisarek, Roger Gardener, Pat Leadbetter, Yvonne Mckeown, Laura Eason, Michael Sheridan, Bill & Richard Penfold, Val Higgins, Clem Haimes, Cath & Chris Jones, Irene Steele, Sue & Mary Trowell, Stephanie Archibald, Rosa in Russia, Kyle Ho, Stuart Morgan, Parry family, Pat Clare, Angela Gill, Jean Hurst, Marie T, Elaine Parson, Jeanne Hughes, Baby Ronnie, Christine Rhodes, Gail Taylor

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

Douglas Strawson, Fr Michael Wentworth (20/7), Sylvia Wooldridge (21/7) Robert Jones, Tom Hughes (22/7) Derek Cottingham Davies, Mary Deegan (23/7) Victoria Johnson, Tim Delaney (24/7) Provost John Burgon, Eileen Perryman (25/7) Clair Piccolo, Diana Seaman (26/7)

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

St Winefride's School: On Wednesday the end of year Mass/leavers Mass will be **celebrated in school at 9.15 am.** All parishioners are welcome to attend the Mass in school.

Requiem Mass: Please pray for the repose of the soul of Patrick Hughes who died on 17th June. Please keep his wife Marie and daughter Julie in your prayers. The requiem Mass for Patrick will be on Monday 20th July at 12 Noon. followed by committal at Blacon Crematorium at 1.20pm. **Please note there will be NO 9.00am Mass on Monday morning.**

Children's liturgy: This Sunday, 19th July will be the last weekend of Children's liturgy. It will recommence again in September. Colouring sheets and pencils will still be available and will be at the back of church on the library book shelf.

St Winefride's School: Y6 and their families were delighted to join the parishioners for a Mass of Thanksgiving on Thursday 16th July. It is a time of great gratitude for them, please do keep them in your prayers as they make their transition to high school in September.

SPUC: The coffee morning last week raised a fantastic £384.15. Many, many thanks to anyone who helped in any way. A special thanks to the parishioner who donated a large box of Avon Jewellery to be sold by the SPUC Group and The CWL for our charitable work.

CWL Garden Party: Save the date for this year's charity garden party, in aid of 'Happy Times Activities' (a social enterprise company offering activities for adults with learning disabilities) - **Friday 14th August from 1-4pm** at 34 Earle Drive, Neston. All welcome.

Bereavement Group Our Lady & St John, Heswall: The next Coffee Morning will be on **Wednesday 19th August** at 10am in the Meeting Room at OLSJ Heswall. It is open to everyone, not just parishioners and if you don't want to go alone, then take a friend. No need to book a place, just turn up.

Christian Heritage Centre: We Believe-Festival of Catholic Life, 24-27 July 2026 Join thousands of Catholics from around the UK for the annual We Believe festival. Discover the traditions, charisms, ministries and movements of the Catholic Church in the UK in the beautiful and historic setting of St Mary's College, Oscott. <https://www.webelievFestival.com>

Cafod-Dec Venezuela Earthquake Appeal: You can help our neighbours affected by the 24th June earthquakes in Venezuela with emergency shelter, water and food. CAFOD is already working with local Church partners to support people who have lost their homes, but CAFOD needs your support to help more survivors. Your donation will provide essential supplies and help families rebuild their lives. Donate to the CAFOD-DEC Venezuela Earthquake Appeal today: cafod.org.uk/Venezuela or call 0300 999 0030. Please keep our neighbours in Venezuela in your prayers.

Piety stall: Please have a look at the selection of cards that are for sale on the stand at the back of church, there are also a few small books in the porch.

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

Readers: A new rota will be compiled later this month. If you would like to read at Mass or have any questions about reading at Mass, then please speak to Fr Tom or contact Jayne in the office. Thank you.

Parish Grounds and Gardens: Gardening group are now meeting on a **Monday afternoon 1.30pm – 3.30pm.** It would be great to have **more volunteers** as they are very much needed. Refreshments available.

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

Apostleship of the Sea: Thank you as usual for your kind generosity £341 was collected last weekend.

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

Food Bank: **Urgent items** needed as at 16th July, pasta sauce, tinned meat, tinned vegetables, toiletries, jam & UHT milk.