



ST WINEFRIDE'S RC CHURCH
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Sunday 28th June 2026 – Sunday 5th July 2026

Mass Readings: Sunday Year A, Weekday Cycle Year II

Sunday 28 June	SS PETER & PAUL	Saturday Vigil Mass for Sunday	6.00 pm	Sick and housebound
		Family Mass	8.45 am	Roy Saunders (RIP)
Monday	Ferial		9.00 am	Eva Bennion (RIP)
Tuesday	Ferial		7.00 pm	Justine (RIP)
Wednesday	Ferial		9.00 am	Philomena Topping (RIP)
Thursday	Ferial	Requiem Mass	11.00 am	Edward (Eamon) Sarson (RIP)
Friday	ST THOMAS		7.00 pm	Patrick Hughes (recently deceased)
Saturday	Ferial		12 Noon	Mary & Jack Kirby (RIP)
Sunday 5th July	FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	Saturday Vigil Mass for Sunday	6.00 pm	Roy Saunders (RIP)
		Family Mass	8.45 am	Parish family
			10.30 am	Carol Saunders (death anniv)

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 June. For the value of sports

Let us pray that sports may serve as an instrument of peace, encounter, and dialogue among cultures and nations, promoting values such as respect, solidarity, and personal growth.

SUNDAY	27/28th June		
	6.00 pm	8.45 am	10.30 am
Readers	J Shakespeare	AM Millar	M Unsworth
EMHC	Deacon Mike	M J CORCORAN	F Rimmer
Welcomers	M Branch, 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 Wednesday Angelus this week: Dear brothers and sisters, as we continue our series of catecheses on the Second Vatican Council, today we consider the celebration of the Eucharist as presented by the Constitution on the Liturgy, *Sacrosanctum Concilium*. This sacred mystery is described in the second chapter of the document as "a sacrament of love, a sign of unity, a bond of charity, 'a paschal banquet in which Christ is received, the mind is filled with grace, and a pledge of future glory is given to us'" (n. 47). The Constitution also emphasises that at Mass, the faithful are not passive spectators. Rather, all are encouraged to offer themselves in union with Jesus Christ, the spotless victim, to the Father, through the hands of the priest and together with him. Participation in the Eucharistic sacrifice also means being formed by God's word and nourished at the table of the Lord's body. Indeed, these two parts of the Mass, the Liturgy of the Word and the Eucharistic Liturgy, "are so closely connected with each other that they form but one single act of worship" (n. 56). Brothers and sisters, as we seek our nourishment from this abundant source of divine life, let us allow ourselves to be transformed by the mystery we celebrate.

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 (29 June – 5 July)

Eileen Jelley, Margaret Aindon, Peter J Jelley, Christopher Anthony Henderson, Irene Margaret Baines (29/6) Rhonda Mooney, Joseph Gallimore, Edward Glynne, Fr Russell Cooke, Thomas Joseph McGinley (30/6) 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, George Fewtrell (5/7)

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.

Little church: Children's liturgy is on this weekend and takes place during the 10.30am family Mass. The last session this school year will be on Sunday 19th July before stopping for a break over the summer holidays.

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

Recently deceased: Please pray for the repose of the soul of Marie Mckeown, daughter of Yvonne Mckeown who died on 10th June aged 32. Keep her family and loved ones in your prayers. Please also 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.

Requiem Mass: Please also pray for the repose of the soul of Edward (Eamon) Thomas Sarson who died on Monday 8th June. Please keep Eamon's family and friends in your prayers. Eamon's funeral is on the Thursday 2nd July at 11.00am followed by a cremation at Landican South Chapel at 12.30pm.

School: Our Reception, Year One and Year Two classes enjoyed a visit to church this week where they looked at all of the special objects and artefacts linked to our Catholic faith. The children also practised blessing themselves with holy water from the stoop and genuflected reverently before the altar. Also, our Year 4 class have enjoyed a wonderful residential trip to Gulliver's World this week. Please keep all of the children and their families in your prayers. A copy of the school newsletter is available on the noticeboard or visit www.stwinefrides.cheshire.sch.uk/page/newsletters/1423

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

Royal Liverpool Philharmonic Orchestra - Elgar ~ The Dream of Gerontius. based on the poem by St John Henry Newman: "This is the best of me," wrote Edward Elgar on the score of *The Dream of Gerontius*. To book tickets for the performance on the 4th July at 7.30pm at philharmonic Hall and more info visit: <https://www.liverpoolphil.com/whats-on/classical-music/elgar-the-dream-of-gerontius/9562>

SVP: There will be an appeal by SVP next weekend for new members and will talk about the important work they do.

Hour of Prayer: An hour of prayer for Peace in Reparation to The Sacred Heart of Jesus At Our Lady & St John's will take place on Friday 3rd July at 2:30pm. Refreshments are available after the hour of prayer in the meeting room.

NDCT Prayer and Praise: Sunday 28th June at Life Church at 6.30pm. 38, Burton Road, Neston, CH64 9RA. Plus a reminder that the **Neston Village Fair** is on Saturday, 4th July 1-4pm in the Pony Sanctuary Field, Raby Park Road.

SPUC: A Summer Coffee Morning in the Church Hall on **Tuesday 7th July**, 10 am till 12 30 pm. Lots of lovely scones, cakes etc. bring and buy and raffle. (contributions gratefully received) All are very welcome to attend.

EMHC: The current rota is due to finish at the beginning of July and a new rota will be compiled shortly. If you want to know more about being an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion, then do speak to Fr Tom.

Walk Through the Bible presenter: Could you help children encounter the Bible's story, understand its message and see how relevant it is to their lives today. For more information visit <https://www.bible.org.uk/index.php>

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**.

Day for Life: Thank you for your kind generosity, £436.50 was collected last weekend.

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

Food Bank: **Urgent items** needed as at 25 June, coffee, tinned meat, custard, biscuits, pasta sauce and UHT milk