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## Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord Year B - 30th & 31st March 2024

Tue	2 <sup>nd</sup> April	9.30 am @ QF	Tuesday of the Octave of Easter	Mass in honour of Our Lady
Wed	3 <sup>rd</sup> April	10.00 am @ CQ	Wednesday of the Octave of Easter	Holy Souls
Thu	4 <sup>th</sup> April	9.30 am @ QF	Thursday of the Octave of Easter	Holy Souls
Fri	5 <sup>th</sup> April	10.00 pm @ CQ	EUCHARISTIC SERVICE	
Sat	6 <sup>th</sup> April	5.30 pm @ CQ	2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy Sunday)	People of the Parish
Sun	7 <sup>th</sup> April	9.30 am @ QF	66 66 66 66	Book of Remembrance-Divine Mercy
Sun	7 <sup>th</sup> April	11.00 am @ CQ	и и и и и	Bridget, Lauren & family members
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Confessions Connah's Quay: Saturday, 5pm Queensferry: Sun, before 9.30am Mass

THANK YOU: I would like to say a wholehearted thank you to all the people who helped prepare our two Churches for Holy Week and Easter Sunday - our Musicians, all the Readers, Church Cleaners, Flower Arrangers, Collection Counters and all who helped in any way to make our Celebrations during this time a wonderful experience of faith and devotion. God Bless at this Easter time - Canon Joe.

Please pray for the repose of the souls of the following who have recently passed away.

Margaret Redford whose requiem mass will take place at Connah's Quay Church on Friday 12<sup>th</sup> April at 12 noon followed at 1.00pm at the Crematorium. The reception of her body into Church will take place on Thursday evening 11<sup>th</sup> April at 6.00pm

Also, for Mary Hughes former teacher at the Catholic Primary School, Shotton. We are still awaiting details of Mary's funeral. Hopefully it will be announced by next week.

**2nd Collection –** There will be a 2<sup>nd</sup> collection this weekend for the 'Easter Offering' at all 3 masses.

**COFFEE MORNING** – There will be a coffee morning in Connah's Quay Church after the 11.00am mass today - Easter Sunday. Please join us on this special day for a cuppa & some cake.

WEEKDAY MASSES - Will start this coming week. Please see details above.

MAINTENANCE COLLECTION - The monthly maintenance collection will be held in both Churches next weekend.

CLARION - The Easter/April edition of the Wrexham Clarion is now available on the Wrexham Diocesan website.

LOURDES - The Wrexham Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes 2024 will take place from 23rd to 30th July for 7 nights. See poster.

FOR OUR SICK - Please pray for all the sick of the parish especially Ruth Rogers & Kevin Maughan.

**MASS OFFERINGS** - When handing in a Mass offering, please let us know which Mass you would prefer the Mass to be said at & a date if required. We will try our best to put a Mass offering on the required date as long as that particular date is available. The Mass donation is set by the Diocese & is currently £10 per Mass offering.

C.T.S. BOOKLETS - These religious booklets are now available in Queensferry church. They are free to a good home.

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION:** All children must attend mass each week. Passports must be signed each weekend by the serving priest or his representative. Instruction for the children NOT attending VEM will commence as follows – all on Thursdays in CQ Church 5pm to 6pm – April 11<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup> May 2<sup>nd</sup> & 23<sup>rd</sup> June 6<sup>th</sup> & 20<sup>th</sup>

**SAFEGUARDING:** The Safeguarding Rep for Blessed Sacrament Church C/Q is Mrs Anne Thomas. This position in Blessed Trinity Church QF is now vacant.

## COLLECTION AMOUNTS for 23rd & 24th March 2024

Connah's Quay: Gift Aid £190.00 Loose plate £231.59 Queensferry: Gift Aid £44.10 Loose plate £132.00

Payments received via the bank for February 2024 are £582.00 plus a donation of £3200.00.

Thank you one and all for your generosity in the recent parish collections.

ITEMS FOR THE BULLETIN: If want an item included in the bulletin, please allow at least 7 days' notice. Thank you.