

PARISH OF BLESSED SACRAMENT & BLESSED TRINITY

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Wrexham Diocese Charity Number 700426

6th SUNDAY OF EASTERTIDE Year B – 4th & 5th May 2024

Sat	4th May	5.30 pm @ CQ	6th Sunday of Eastertide	People of the Parish
Sun	5th May	9.30 am @ QF	“ “ “ “	Rose McDonagh's Intention
Sun	5th May	11.00 am @ CQ	" " " "	Martin & Nora Gallagher & family members

Tue	7th May	9.30 am @ QF	Mass 6th week of Eastertide	Canon Lordan's 80 th Birthday
Wed	8th May	7.00 pm @ CQ	Vigil of the Ascension of the Lord	Paul Delaney RIP
Thu	9th May	9.30 am @ QF	Ascension of the Lord HOLY DAY	Thomas, Bridgit & Harry Coyle RIP
Fri	10th May	10.00 am @ CQ	Mass 6th week of Eastertide	Lillian Gorton RIP Anniversary
Sat	11th May	5.30 pm @ CQ	7th Sunday of Eastertide	Mary Loughnane RIP
Sun	12th May	9.30 am @ QF	“ “ “ “	People of the Parish
Sun	12th May	11.00 am @ CQ	" " " "	Wynne Butler RIP

Confessions

Connah's Quay: Saturday, 5pm

Queensferry: Sun, before 9.30am Mass

THERE WILL BE NO MORNING MASS ON WEDNESDAY 8TH MAY. MASS WILL BE AT 7.00 PM VIGIL FOR ASCENSION DAY

CHURCH STUDENT'S FUND COLLECTION – This collection will take place **this** weekend at both Churches

CATHOLIC COMMUNICATIONS DAY - This collection will be held in both Churches next weekend 11th & 12th May

CHRISTIAN AID WEEK COLLECTION – Envelopes will be distributed at all Masses on 11th & 12th May to be returned the following weekend 18th & 19th May 2024.

PENTECOST PICNIC – to be held on Sunday 19th May at 1.00pm at Wepre Park, weather permitting, or the Salvation Army Church CQ if not. Bring a picnic & come & join other members of Churches Together on Deeside to celebrate Pentecost with socialising & games.

DATE FOR YOUR DIARY – On the 26th June Canon Joe will be celebrating his 40th anniversary of his ordination. So that we, as a Parish can help Canon celebrate this special occasion there will be a Parish celebration mass on Friday 21st June at 7.00 pm at Connah's Quay Church officiated by Bishop Peter. Afterwards, everyone is invited to the Civic Centre, Connah's Quay to continue the celebration. More information shortly.

LOURDES – The Wrexham Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes 2024 will take place from 23rd to 30th July for 7 nights. Hotel Agena £899 per person (single room supplement plus £35 per night) Hotel La Solitude £999 per person (single room supplement plus £39 per night). If anyone is interested in this trip, then please contact Pat Morris on 07818 415884 for more information. This year it would be great if we could have a small group representing our parish.

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.

ST. WINIFRIDE'S WELL HOLYWELL– Is there anyone interested in becoming a volunteer pilgrims/stewards daily through the pilgrimage season – Pentecost to 29th September. DBS clearance will be necessary and induction will be given. Potential volunteers should contact the curial office in the first instance (pa@rcdwxm.org.uk)

WELSH NATIONAL PILGRIMAGE – Will take place at the Shrine of Our Lady of the Taper, Cardigan on Sunday 12th May 2024 led by our Bishop Peter Brignall. The Pilgrimage Programme is on the poster in the porch.

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 – May 23rd June 6th & 20th

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION MASS WILL TAKE PLACE ON SUNDAY 30TH JUNE 2024 AT 11.00 AM MASS AT CONNAH'S QUAY

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 27th & 28th April 2024

Connah's Quay: Gift Aid £184.00 Loose plate £143.41 **Queensferry:** Gift Aid £31.20 Loose plate £150.00

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.