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OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE Year B – 23rd & 24th November 2024			
Sat 23rd Nov	5.30 pm @ CQ	Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe Y	Year B Mgt Ratcliffe RIP
Sun 24th Nov	9.30 am @ QF		Maria Stephenson Nov intentions
Sun 24th Nov	11.00 am @ CQ	" " " " " " "	People of the Parish
Tue 26th Nov	9.30 am @ QF	Week 34, Weekday in Ordinary Time Year B	Perera, Weniton, Reese, Robinson,] Sunitha, Barns families]
Wed 27th Nov	10.00 am @ CQ	Week 34, Weekday in Ordinary Time Year B	Eileen & John Fynn FM
Thur 28th Nov	9.30 am @ QF	Week 34, Weekday in Ordinary Time Year B	Lisa Ferrara Family members Nov intens
Fri 29th Nov	10.00 am @ CQ	Week 34, Weekday in Ordinary Time Year B	Anna Bartyzel RIP 4th anniversary
Sat 30th Nov	5.30 pm @ CQ	1st Sunday of Advent Year C	John & Mary Lynch RIP
Sun 1st Dec	9.30 am @ QF	66 66 66 66	Anne Butler November intentions
Sun 1st Dec	11.00 am @ CQ		People of the Parish

<u>Confessions</u> Connah's Quay: Saturday, 5pm Queensferry: Sun, before 9.30am Mass

DIOCESAN YOUTH ACTIVITIES COLLECTION - This new collection will take place this weekend 23rd/24th November in both Churches.

RAFFLE TICKETS – are now on sale in both Churches. They are 50p per ticket or £2 for a strip of 5 tickets (1 free ticket). The draw will take place at the Christmas Fayre on Saturday 30th November.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER AGM – will take place next Thursday 28th November at the Salvation Army Church, Connah's Quay at 1.30 pm.

CHRISTMAS CARDS - are available at the back of both Churches.

SVP CHRISTMAS CHILDREN'S PRESENT APPEAL – The SVP Christmas trees are at the back of both Churches with gift cards attached. Anyone wishing to purchase a Christmas present for a child up to the value of £10 are invited to select a gift tag & buy a present, then wrap the present & return it to either Church with the **GIFT TAG ATTACHED**, by Sunday 8th December. This will give the SVP time to distribute the parcels. Sincere thanks for your generosity

CHRISTMAS FAYRE – ONE WEEK TO OUR CHRISTMAS FAYRE next Saturday 30th November starting at 10.30am–1.00pm at the Civic Centre.

Thank you all for your kind donations over the last few weeks. It's not too late for bottles (still needed) toys, gift bags, raffle prizes, toiletries anything in good condition.

Cakes are needed on the day (please take them to the Civic Hall between 8.00 am & 10 am)

We will need help on the day from 8.00 am to transport items from the Church Flat to the Civic Hall. Help will also be needed as the Fayre finishes to help us to dispose of all that is left.

NOT YET DEAD CARDS - These are about the upcoming

vote in Parliament on assisted dying. Please hand in your filled in cards TODAY at either Church. We will send them all off together. This will save everyone postage.

POTTERY ITEMS – Items of pottery have been sold in Church. An amount of £68.86 has been raised & will be included in the Christmas Fayre money.

ADVENT RETREAT 29th NOVEMBER – 1st DECEMBER - The Bishop of Wrexham-led Advent Retreat this year will again, be at the House of Prayer, St. Augustine's Priory, Old Colwyn. See www.houseofprayer.org.uk for more details.

DEESIDE CYTUN – ADVENT SERVICE - Join other members of Churches Together on Deeside at their Joint Advent Service at 3pm on Saturday 30th November at the Salvation Army Church, Dee Road, Connah's Quay, CH5 4NX.

CAFOD WORLD CHRISTMAS GIFTS 2024-2025 - There are booklets available at the back of both Churches. These booklets offer you an alternative way of buying Christmas Presents. It is a way for you to help people from different parts of the World at this special time of the year. Please take one & have a look.

ADVENT FAMILY DAY – Will take place on Sunday 1st December at Our Lady of Assumption Catholic Church, 119 Wellington Road, Rhyl, LL18 1LE. Arrive from 12.00 noon. Please bring a picnic lunch. Refreshments provided. Craft & activities for all ages – make an Advent Wreath for your family. Booking is essential by Sunday 17th November. See poster at back of both Churches.

THINKING OF OUR RELATIVES & FRIENDS IN NOVEMBER – If you have sent in a request for a November Mass intention & are wondering why you have not had the Mass, it is because we have received too many requests for November so the balance of Masses will be said in December.

SAFEGUARDING: The Safeguarding Rep for Blessed Sacrament Church C/Q is Mrs Anne Thomas & in Blessed Trinity QF it is Matt Palmer. Their details are on the Safeguarding Posters in each porch.

COLLECTION AMOUNTS for 16th & 17th November 2024

Connah's Quay: Gift Aid £121.00 Loose £151.25

Queensferry: Gift Aid £38.20 Loose £88.65