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**2nd Sunday of the Year – (B) – Peace Sunday 16th/17th January 2021**

*Wrexham Diocese Charity Number 700426*

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**Sat 16th January 5.30pm @ CQ 2nd Sunday of the Year Colin Neave RIP** (Stewards – J Baker, K Morris)

**Sun 17th January 9.30am @ QF “ “ “ All those enrolled in the Book of Remembrance** (Stewards – P & C Fields)

**Sun 17th January 11am @ CQ “ “ “ People of the Parish** (Stewards – C Murdoch, P Thornton)

Wed 20th January 10am @ CQ Liturgy of the Day Christina Quigley RIP (Stewards – C Murdoch, K Morris)

Thu 21st January 9.30am @ QF St Agnes, Virgin, Martyr Peter Brown (ill) (Stewards – D & C Fellows)

Sat 23rd January 5.30pm @ CQ 3rd Sunday of the Year Colin Neave RIP (Stewards – K Morris, J Baker)

Sun 24th January 9.30am @ QF “ “ “ “ “ Harry & Kitty Wilcock (Stewards – P & C Fields)

Sun 24th January 11am @ CQ “ “ “ “ “ People of the Parish (Stewards – C Murdoch, P Thornton)

**Rotas**

Readers CQ 16/17th Jan - 5.30pm Griffiths Family, 11am M Catherwood : 23rd/24th Jan – 5.30pm P Morris , 11am J Cawley

**If anyone wants a virtual copy of the bulletin, please email Canon Joe to give permission. This is to comply with GDPR regulations.**

You can still follow live streaming of Mass at the Diocesan Facebook page - [**https://www.facebook.com/wrexhamdiocese/**](https://www.facebook.com/wrexhamdiocese/)

**Please Pray For**:-

* Colin Neave, who died last week, and his wife Marian and family. His funeral service is on Tues Jan 26th, 10.15 at CQ Church.
* Christina Quigley who died last week, and her family. Her funeral will be at Immaculate Conception Church, Flint
* Margaret Parkinson who is ill in hospital
* Bridget Doran, who is home from hospital, and her husband Jimmy who are both poorly,
* Christine Maughan who is ill at this time, and her husband Kevin.
* Peter Brown who is seriously ill.
* Anne Thomas, who has Covid 19, and her husband Chris, who is seriously ill in hospital with Covid pneumonia
* All the sick of the Parish

**Mass Rules**

1. When people come into Church, they must first wash their hands. 2. People MUST stay 2m apart (unless from the same household).
2. Face masks are mandatory unless you are exempt from wearing one. 4. The maximum number permitted at Mass will be 35
3. Mass will be much shorter than usual – there will be but no singing, and Communion will be given out at the end of Mass.

**PLEASE NOTE** – there will now only be 2 public Masses during the week as one of our stewards has Covid and another is now shielding – so as we have had no more volunteers Canon felt the burden was too great on our existing regular stewards to take on further duties.

**Celebration of Marriage and Married Life 2021** on Saturday February 13th at 11am will take the form of a livestream Mass celebrated by Bishop Peter and a Zoom ‘reception’ afterwards**.** For more details, see notice on FB page.

**The God Who Speaks on the Road** – interactive Zoom journey on January 21st at 7pm. For more details, see Diocesan website.

**Christmas Raffle Update** -There are still 2 prizes unclaimed. Pink tickets 323 (Mr Thorncroft) & 257 (mobile no starting 07510) were sold at Queensferry Church. Please contact Christine Field (who is a steward) to claim your prize.

**SPUC – The Society for the Protection of Unborn Children** - are asking us to speak out against DIY abortions in Wales by taking part in a consultation by the Welsh Government - by completing their questionnaire in order to stop dangerous DIY abortions becoming permanent. Every pro-life voice counts. If you would be willing to complete one contact Cath Baker on 810394. Alternatively, do it on line at : www.spuc.org.uk (don't worry, there are accompanying notes to help you)

**The Curriculum and Assessment (Wales) Bill** – If you are against the proposed changes to the school curriculum wrt Relationship, Sex & Religious Education, go to <http://catholiceducation.org.uk/welshparents> for a template to write to your MSs.

**Crib Offerings** this year were CQ £113.57 & QF £169.12 so a total of £282.69 will be donated to the Friends of the Holy Land.

**Collections for Church Funds**:Total collections:- CQ 9/10th Jan £52.00, Gift Aid £197.50, QF 3rd Jan £66.60, Gift Aid £29.00, 10th Jan £65.00, Gift Aid £18.00

The special collection today at CQ is the Annual White Flower Collection for SPUC

**Please consider giving your offertory collection in a Gift Aid envelope if you pay tax (a higher rate tax payer can obtain a further 20% tax relief)**.

You may wish to set up a Standing Order to give your donations regularly – please contact Canon Joe for bank details.

**Items for the bulletin**: to Ann Payton by Weds evening please, tel 01244 821010 or e-mail ann.dragonden@btinternet.com