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**16th Sunday of the Year (B) - 17th/18th July 2021**

*Wrexham Diocese Charity Number 700426*

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**Sat 17th July 5.30pm @ CQ 16th Sunday of the Year Margaret Parkinson RIP** (Stewards – K Morris, J Baker)

**Sun 18th July 9.30am @ QF “ “ “ “ “ People of the Parish** (Stewards – D & C Fellows,)

**Sun 18th July 11am @ CQ “ “ “ “ “ John Harte RIP** (Stewards – M Batt, M Catherwood)

Tues 20th July 9.30am @ QF Liturgy of the Day Belinda Stone RIP (Stewards – D & C Fellows)

Wed 21st July 10am @ CQ Liturgy of the Day Kath Higgins RIP (Stewards – L Voas, C Murdoch)

Thu 22nd July **9.00am** @ QF St Mary Magdalen Dr Chris Hallett RIP (Stewards – P & C Field)

Fri 23rd July 10am @ CQ St Bridget of Sweden Dorothy Dowling (ill) (Stewards – P Thornton, K Morris)

**Sat 24th July 5.30pm @ CQ 17th Sunday of the Year Danuta Klimantooid RIP** (Stewards – K Morris, J Baker)

**Sun 25th July 9.30am @ QF “ “ “ “ “ Trevor Rogers RIP** (Stewards – D & C Fellows, P & C Field)

**Sun 25th July 11am @ CQ “ “ “ “ “ Grandparents & The Elderly** (Stewards – R Martin, M Catherwood)

**Rotas at Connah’s Quay**

**Readers:**  17th/18th July : 5.30pm – P Morris 11.00am – R Martin

25th/26th  July : 5.30pm – W Griffiths 11.00am – B Bowden

**If anyone wants to be emailed the bulletin, please email Canon Joe to give permission. This is to comply with GDPR regulations.**

You can follow live streaming of Mass & other services from Bishop Peter via the Diocesan Facebook page - [**https://www.facebook.com/wrexhamdiocese/**](https://www.facebook.com/wrexhamdiocese/) There are also links to other Churches in the Diocese who are streaming Masses.

**Please Pray For**:-

* Mark Hewitt who has now returned home.
* Christine Maughan who is ill, and her husband Kevin & family members
* Andy Stevens who is ill, his wife Lizzy & family
* All the sick of the Parish

**As Parish Priest it is my responsibility to provide preparation for people receiving the sacraments - Baptism, First Confession, First Holy Communion, Confirmation & Weddings, To this end I invite teachers (current or retired) or people qualified in catechetics to come forward to offer their services to prepare children for First Confession, First Holy Communion & Confirmation next year – hopefully starting in November this year. Sadly if no one comes forward the children will not be prepared for the sacraments next year. All involved must also need to have a DBS check which the Parish will organise.**

**If anyone would like to train as a catechist the Parish will support them financially.**

**A FURTHER REMINDER OF MASS RULES – PLEASE ALSO REMEMBER TO FOLLOW ALL THE INSTRUCTIONS GIVEN BY THE STEWARDS**

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 no singing, and Communion will be given out at the end of Mass.

**World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly.** Sunday 25th July is the celebration of the First World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly. The theme chosen by the Holy Father for this World Day is “I am with you always”.

**Recycling plea** - Please consider recycling your empty crisp & bread packets (to the Co-Op in Ewloe or Pentre) and pill blister packs (Superdrug in Chester). If you are unable to take items there, I will gladly do so on your behalf. Please bring to me at Mass or to my house. Also, used toothbrushes and empty toothpaste tubes can be recycled at local dental surgeries, and old batteries in a clear plastic bag with your kerbside recycling. Thank you. Rose Martin.

**SVP** Please note the contact number for the SVP has changed – it is now **07486 509407**

**Collections for Church Funds**: Total collections:- 3rd/4th July CQ £205.85, Gift Aid £189.00, Apostleship of the Sea £76.14, QF £91.00, Gift Aid £48.50, Apostleship of the Sea £81.75, Collection at Belinda Stone’s funeral £120

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

**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)**.

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