***PARISH OF BLESSED SACRAMENT & BLESSED TRINITY* (www.connahsquaycatholicchurch.org.uk)**

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**27th Sunday in Ordinary Time (C) 5th/6th October 2019**

*Wrexham Diocese Charity Number 700426*

**Sat 5th October 5.30pm @ CQ Lawrence Kinnair RIP**

**Sun 6th October 9.30am @ QF Anthony Bartholomew Mara RIP**

**Sun 6th October 11.00am @ CQ People of the Parish**

Tue 8th – 9.30am @ QF Liturgy of the Day Anthony Bartholomew Mara RIP

Wed 9th - 9.45am @ CQ **Novena to Our Lady**

Wed 9th - 10.00am @ CQ Liturgy of the Day Bill Evans RIP

**- 1.30pm @ CQ Funeral Service for Barbara Higgins RIP**

Thu 10th **–** 9.30am @ QFLiturgy of the Day Terry Clancy

Fri 11th – 10.00am @ CQ Liturgy of the Day Catherine Griffiths RIP

Sat 12th – 5.30pm @ CQ 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time Fr Joe Heffernan RIP

Sun 13th - 9.30am @ QF 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time People of the Parish

Sun 13th - 11.00am @ CQ 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time  Bernard Pass RIP

**Confessions** –Saturday 5.00pm @ CQ

**Rotas at Connah’s Quay**

**Children’s Liturgy of the Word:** 6th October – Mrs Voas & Mrs Burns / 13th October – Mrs Lambert & Mrs Sullivan

**Church Cleaning:** w/c 6th October – Moya, Paul & Lynda / w/c 13th October – Polish Group

**Greeters:** 5th/6th October – 5.30pm K & M Jones & 11.00am C Murdoch / 12th/13th October – 5.30pm P Rooney & 11.00am A Thomas

**Readers:** 5th/6th October - 5.30pm W Griffiths & R Molyneux & 11.00am S & A Payton

12th/13th October - 5.30pm B Gavin & P Morris & 11.00am Griffiths Family

The remaining Mass Counts this year will be held on October (5th/6th & 12th/13th)

The Mass Counts for 22nd & 23rd September were 5.30pm – 87, 9.30am – 68 and 11am – 125

The Mass Counts for 29th & 30th September were 5.30pm – 45, 9.30am – 65 and 11am - 135

**Confirmation**: the next meeting of the Confirmation Candidates is on Thursday 10th October at 6pm in Church.

**Second Collections**: this weekend (5th/6th October) is the collection for Cafod Family Fast Day.

**Please pray** for the repose of the soul of Sheila Davis, a former parishioner. Her funeral will take place at The Church of the Immaculate Conception, Flint on Monday 7th October at 11.30am and afterwards at Flintshire Crematorium.

**Coffee Morning** – it was lovely to hear people exchanging summer memories of holidays near and far – we are truly a globetrotting race!

If you weren’t able to stay – there is paper, pens and blu tak at the back of Church - please write this year’s holiday destination(s) on paper and attach them to the map!

Next Coffee Morning Sunday October 27th, maybe people could bring along ideas to help make our Christmas Fayre a success.

**Salvation Army Annual Rally**: 2pm Monday 7th October at their Church and Community Centre. We are invited to join their afternoon of worship and fellowship followed by refreshments. If you plan to attend and to help their catering, please notify in advance Capt. Jenny at 01244 830496 or jenny.mcphee@salvationarmy.org.uk

**Christmas Fayre**: the date for this year’s Fayre is 30th November - more details will be given in the next few weeks. Our parish, which includes Connah’s Quay and Queensferry churches together, are looking for someone (or more than one) to be involved in covering the preparations for this event, it involves organising meetings to discuss the progress of what needs doing and what we need to appeal for from the parishioners, most stall are covered by the same people each year but we always need extra people for back up. If you would like to know more speak to Anne Thomas or Cheryl Murdoch.

**SVP Notices**: to celebrate SVP Awareness Month there are some new information posters at the back of church.

Please take a moment to look at the information about the SVP society and as always if you feel you are able to help and would like to become a member we hold meetings every fortnight at Connah's Quay on Tuesday evenings 7pm. Next meeting is 1st October, everyone is welcome. If you think you would be able to join us please ring Peter on 07486001783 or email svpdeeside@gmail.com

**Collections**: The Parish collection total for 29th/30th September was £258.89 with a further £392.55 from the Gift Aid envelopes. The Parish Maintenance Fund collection was £178.46 with a further £184.00 from the Gift Aid envelopes

If you pay income tax and would like to join the Gift Aid scheme, please speak to Jimmy Higgins or Cath Baker at QF & Brian Bowden or Pat Morris at CQ. **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)**. If you are in the Gift Aid scheme and have changed your address since joining, please let us know, as it is vitally important that we have your correct address when claiming the tax refund.

**Items for the bulletin**: to Carmel Smith by Weds evening please, tel 01244 830985 or e-mail carmel\_smith@sky.com.