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**The Baptism of the Lord (A) 11th/12th January 2014**

**Sat 11th January 5.30pm @ CQ Robert & Hannah Cartwright (FM)**

**Sun 12th January 9.30am @ QF Deceased Parents & Family of Belinda Stone**

**Sun 12th January 11.00am @ CQ People of the Parish**

Mon 13th - 9.30am @ QF Liturgy of the day Theresa Channell

Tue 14th – 10.00am @ CQ Liturgy of the day Sally & Jimmy Morgan

**1.30pm @QF Requiem Mass for Florence Connors RIP**

Wed 15th - 9.45am @ CQ **Novena to Our Lady**

Wed 15th – 10.00am @ CQ Liturgy of the day Francis Bullen

Thu 16th – 9.30am @ QF Liturgy of the day Peter Swain RIP

Fri 17th – 10.00am @ CQ St Anthony Brian Walmsley

Sat 18th - 9.30am @ QF Liturgy of the day Anne-Marie Swain

Confessions - Saturday after 9.30am Mass @ QF & 5.00pm @ CQ

Sat 18th 5.30pm @CQ

Sat 18th **7.00pm Polish Mass**

**Sunday 11am Bidding Prayers Rota**

Jan 12th – Rita / Jan 19th – School

Jan 26th – Jess / Feb 2nd - Clair

**Children’s Liturgy of the Word Rota**

Jan 12th – Mrs Smith & Mrs Burns

Jan 19th – Mrs Voas & Mrs Lambert

**Church Cleaning Rota CQ**

w/c Jan 12th – Marilyn & Angela

w/c Jan 19th – Moya, Paul & Rose

**Sunday 19th January - Pax Christi Peace Sunday 2014**. Pope Francis has given as theme, "*Living as one family is the foundation and* *pathway to Peace".* There will be a collection at all Masses the weekend of 18th/19th Jan for Pax Christi.

**40 hours’ devotion to the Blessed Sacrament**  will be given by our parish in 2nd week of June instead of January- for Vocations in the diocese.

**Red Boxes (CQ): please give to either Mary Kelly or Canon Joe for your contributions to be counted & banked – Thanks.**

**HAPPY ANNIVERSARY** Will you, or will someone you know, either in your family or parish, celebrate a significant wedding anniversary this year? Have you got married in the last year?  Bishop Peter intends to hold a diocesan celebration of marriage in February and wants to hear from anyone who will be celebrating their 1st, 25th, 40th, 50th 60th or any subsequent wedding anniversary.  Please send names, anniversary and contact details as soon as possible to Margaret Hinton, Diocesan Marriage and Family Life Coordinator c/o Bishops House, Sontley Road, Wrexham. LL13 7EW. Or by email: margaretmfl@hotmail.co.uk.

**Light and Life**: Pantasaph Retreat: Fri 28th Feb-Sun, 2nd March. Centred on devotion to the Divine Mercy given by Fr. Airton Freire from Brazil. Deposit: £25. Total offering: £90 per person / 2 nights (full board) –details in porch.

**Last Week’s Collection**: Last weekend was £295.00 with a further £418.60 from the Gift Aid envelopes. This will give our parish an extra £104.65 we can claim back from tax paid.  Please consider giving your offertory in a Gift Aid envelope if you pay tax. The amounts shown each week are the combined totals from both Connah's Quay and Queensferry churches.

**The Catholic Universe**: The Universe Catholic weekly is now available in our parish every week for a special price of only 50p (normally £1.30), with all monies going to help parish funds. Please do take a copy at the back of church and place your 50p in the box on the wall marked PAPERS.

**Flintshire Foodbank**: QF - Mondays from 10.00-12.00 at John Summers Community Campus. CQ - Fridays from 10.00-12.00 at the Salvation Army Citadel. Thank you for your food donations. Please take to collection points, if not possible please leave donations in the Church porches.

**January’s LINK** is available as you leave church today.

**Items for the bulletin**: for w/e 18th/19th & 25th/26th to Srs Vianney/Gwyn, either telephone 01244 830692 or e-mail shoturs@aol.com by Weds evenings please.