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

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 **21st Sunday in Ordinary Time (C) 24th/25th August 2019**

*Wrexham Diocese Charity Number 700426*

**Sat 24th August 5.30pm @ CQ Donor’s Intention**

**Sun 25th August 9.30am @ QF Donor’s Intention**

**Sun 25th August 11.00am @ CQ People of the Parish**

Tue 27th No Mass Today

Wed 28th No Mass Today

Thu 29th No Mass Today

Fri 30th – 10.00 @ CQ Liturgy of the Day Donor’s Intention

Sat 31st – 5.30pm @ CQ 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time Donor’s Intention

Sun 1st – 9.30am @ QF 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time Donor’s Intention

Sun 1st - 11.00am @ CQ 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time  People of the Parish

**Confessions** –Saturday 5.00pm @ CQ

**Rotas at Connah’s Quay**

**Children’s Liturgy of the Word:** Summer Break until September

**Church Cleaning:** w/c 25th August – Lia and Natalie / w/c 1st September – Moya, Paul & Lynda

**Greeters:** 24th/25th August – 5.30pm V Kinnair & 11.00am A Thomas / 31st August/1st September – 5.30pm P Morris & 11.00am C Smith

**Readers:** 24th/25th August - 5.30pm W Griffiths + P Morris & 11.00am J Batt + R Morgan

 31st August/1st September - 5.30pm B Gavin + I Jones & 11.00am A Copp + H Jones

If you need a priest in an emergency between 12th & 29th August please contact Fr Adrian Wilcock – 01352 732245.

**Recently Deceased**: please pray for the repose of the soul of Bill Evans who sadly passed away on 20th August, also remember his wife Pat and all the family in your prayers. Pat was the organist at Blessed Sacrament for many years.

**Baptism**: we would like to welcome Billy Wilson to the Parish as he is being baptised at 12.30pm on 25th August.

**Confirmation**: the first meeting of the Confirmation Candidates will be on Thursday 12th September at 6pm in the Parish Flat.

**Second Collection**: this weekend (24th/25th August) will be the August Parish Maintenance Fund; if you are in the Gift Aid scheme don’t forget to please use your white envelope.

**MIND - 24 hour 3 peak challenge**: Alexander & Richard Thomas plus four friends have now completed their walks up Ben Nevis, Scafell Pike and Snowdon on August 22nd to raise money for MIND, but donations can still be given. If you would like to contribute please go to the website - www.justgiving.com/national3peakschallenge2019 - if you would prefer to make a cash donation then Rose Martin has agreed to accept these on their behalf.

**Children’s choir/liturgy**: during the summer holidays there will be music workshops at Blessed Sacrament for the children of the parish to discover new songs for Sunday Mass. For more information contact Sue Copp – 07514786895.

**SVP Notices**: the SVP are now having their summer break until 3rd September, but if needed urgently please contact 07486 001783. New members are always 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 17th/18th August was £197.49 with a further £275.10 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.