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

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 **17th Sunday of Ordinary Time (A) 29th & 30th July 2017**

**Sat 29th July 5.30pm @ CQ Susan Limbert**

**Sat 29th July 7.00pm @ CQ Polish Mass**

**Sun 30th July 9.30am @ QF John Matthews**

**Sun 30th July 11.00am @ CQ People of the Parish**

Tue 1st - 9.30am @ QF St Alphonsus Mary de'Liguori Alan Little RIP

Wed 2nd – 9.45am @ CQ **Novena to Our Lady**

 “ “ - 10.00am @ CQ Liturgy of the Day Margaret Brown RIP

Thu 3rd – 9.30am @ QF Liturgy of the Day Elizabeth Mullooly RIP

Fri 4th - 10.00am @ CQ St John Mary Vianney Pat McGregor RIP

Sat 5th – 5.30pm @ CQ The Transfiguration of the Lord Bill Taylor RIP

Sun 6th – 9.30am @ QF Rocco & Angela Angilletta RIP

 “ “ - 11.00am @ CQ People of the Parish

Confessions –Saturday 5.00pm @ CQ

**Children’s Liturgy of the Word Rota** – Children’s Liturgy will restart on 10th September

**Church Cleaning Rota CQ** – w/c July 30th - Moya, Paul & Lynda / w/c August 6th - Dorota, Iza & Joanna

**Retiring Collection:** next weekend (5th/6th August) is the monthly collection for the Parish Maintenance Fund. Please use your white envelope if you are in the Gift Aid scheme.

**Passchendaele**: Mass will be celebrated at 12 noon on 31st July in St. Mary’s Cathedral as part of the WW1 commemorations that have a particular relevance to Wales and especially the Royal Welsh Fusiliers’ connection within the Diocese of Wrexham.

**Children’s Liturgy Group**: we are having a few weeks break to coincide with the school holidays and will re-start on Sunday 10th September. If you would like to join the group please speak to any of the group or Canon Joe, you will be more than welcome. You will just need to be CRB checked but Anne Thomas can arrange that.

**Repository**: there are a good selection of Mass Cards & general cards available in the porch. There are In Loving Memory, Deepest Sympathy and various other bereavement cards, Thank You, Anniversary, For your intentions, Especially for you, Happy Birthday, Get Well, Baptism & Christening. The money for any cards that are bought should be put in the ‘repository’ slot which is on the outside wall.

**Website**: please remember to check the Diocese website - www.wrexhamdiocese.org.uk - as there is a lot of useful information on there about the Diocese and all the Parishes.

**Roadworks**: for everybody attending Mass at Connah’s Quay please remember there will be road works on the main street and many side streets near the church for the next few months.

**Next SVP Meeting**: the SVP are now having their annual summer break but they are still contactable at church, through e-mail or telephone - the next meeting is Tuesday 5th September at 7.00pm. Anyone who needs to talk to the SVP can call 07486 001 783 or e-mail svpdeeside@gmail.com. New members always welcome.

**Collection totals**: Last weekend was £145.23 with a further £414.50 from the Gift Aid envelopes. Gift Aid donations given this week mean our parish can claim back £103.63 from tax paid. Last week's July collection for the Parish Maintenance Fund was £594.98 of which £531.00 was Gift Aided.

Please consider giving your offertory collection in a Gift Aid envelope if you pay tax. 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 for the tax refund.

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