

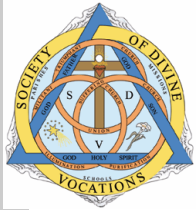
February 2015	Time	Place	Mass Intention
Saturday 31st <i>Vigil Mass</i>	05:40pm 06:00pm	Rosary Mass	<i>Kathleen Curtis (Anniversary)</i>
Sunday 1st <i>4th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	09:30am  05:00pm	Mass  Well	<i>Sister Aidan (RIP)  Parishioners and Pilgrims</i>
Monday 2nd <i>Presentation of Our Lord</i>	07:30am 09:10am 09:30am	Bridgettine's Convent Rosary Mass	<i>Murray Llandt (RIP)</i>
Tuesday 3rd <i>St Blaise</i>	07:30am <b>10:00am</b>	Bridgettine's Convent <b>Mass</b>	<i>Mrs Beever (Return to Health)</i>
Wednesday 4th	07:30am 09:10am 09:30am	Bridgettine's Convent Rosary Mass	<i>Tom Tattum (RIP)</i>
Thursday 5th <i>St Agatha</i>	07:30am 11:40am 12:00noon	Bridgettine's Convent Rosary Mass	<i>Filippo Cantoni (Anniversary)</i>
Friday 6th <i>St Paul Miki &amp; Companions</i>	07:30am 09:30am 10:00am	Bridgettine's Convent Mass First Friday Devotions	<i>Joan Meese (Anniversary)</i>
Saturday 7th <i>Vigil Mass</i>	07:30am 05:40pm 06:00pm	Bridgettine's Convent Rosary Mass	<i>All Members of SVP</i>
Sunday 8th <i>5th Sunday of Ordinary Time</i>	09:30am  05:00pm	Mass  Well	<i>Ivy Dowling (RIP)  Parishioners &amp; Pilgrims</i>

Ministry	JANUARY 31/FEBRUARY 1	FEBRUARY 7/8
Readers	SAT: A. Cummins & G. Cummins SUN: <i>Folk Mass</i>	SAT: N. Calvert & M. Parry SUN: M. Keogh & T. Kavanagh
Eucharistic Ministers	SAT: M. Parry & P. Yale SUN: Mother Aurora & Sr. Jancy	SAT: L. Phillips & P. Hunt SUN: S. Blakesley & Sr. M. Vaz
Welcomers	SAT: B. Cummins & A. Williams L. Dykins & M. Gallagher SUN: T. Kavanagh & G. Lunt V. Feliciello & M. Jones	SAT: B. Cummins & A. Williams M. Condon & C. Gallagher SUN: M. Curtis & M. Simkiss E. Dawson & B. Lloyd
Cleaners	Mary & Lyn Simkiss	R. Charlton, R. & M. Dowling



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**1 February 2015 - Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Psalter: Week IV

Cycle: B

Year I



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**MASS ATTENDANCE: 174** (Saturday: 52; Sunday: 84; Well: 38)  
**COLLECTION:** The Offertory Collection on last Sunday (25th January) was: £514.33 (cash: £184.13 + Gift-Aid Envelopes: £330.20); Latin Mass: £50.05.  
 Thank you very much for your generosity. The value of your contribution is increased when it is gift-aided.

There is a Second Collection today for Catholic Education Service.

**EDUCATION SUNDAY:** the theme for this year's celebration is: "All Gifts and All People." Education Sunday is an opportunity to strengthen the links between schools and parishes. It is also an occasion for schools and parishes to come together to celebrate and reflect upon their contribution to the society.

**CHANGE IN MASS TIME:** Mass on Tuesday (3rd February) will be at 10:00am. Reception class from St Winefride's Primary School will be joining us for the Mass.

**THROAT BLESSING:** Next Tuesday, we celebrate the feast of St Blaise. At the end of the Mass, there will be the traditional blessing of throat.

**FAIR-TRADE PRODUCTS** are available after Mass on this Saturday and Sunday (31 Jan/1 Feb).

**FIRST FRIDAY DEVOTIONS:** there will be Eucharistic Adoration and prayer for Vocations after Mass on next Friday (6th February).

**CAKE STALL:** Vocationist Co-Operators will have a cake stall on 14/15 February in support of the students preparing for priesthood.

**DIOCESAN MASS FOR THE SICK:** The annual Mass celebrating the feast of Our Lady of Lourdes will take place on 7th February at St Mary's Cathedral, Wrexham at 12:00noon and will include the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick. Everyone is invited to join in for this special celebration. If anyone needs to be in a wheelchair, please let the Cathedral know in advance.

**LENTEN STATION SERVICE:** as last year, there will be services on Saturdays through Lent in one of the churches of each deanery from 10:00am till 12:00noon. Our church will host the station service on Saturday 21st February.

**WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR CONSECRATED LIFE:** tomorrow (2nd February) we celebrate the feast of the Presentation of Our Lord. It is also world day of prayer for consecrated life. Please keep in your prayers all men and women who have consecrated themselves to God and His people.

**Prayer for the Year of Consecrated Life  
 (30th November 2014 - 2nd February 2016)**

Jesus Our Saviour, Incarnate Word, as you have entrusted your own way of life to those whom you have called, continue to draw to yourself men and women who will be, for the people of our time, dispensers of mercy, heralds of your return, living signs of the Resurrection and of its treasures of virginity, poverty and obedience.

**Looking Ahead**

Jan 31/Feb 1: Fair-trade Stall  
 Feb 14/15: Cake Stall by Voc. Co-Operators  
 Feb 18: Ash Wednesday  
 Feb 21: Lenten Station Service  
 Mar 2: St David's Day



**A Catechism of Christian Doctrine (The "Penny" Catechism)**

**12. Who gave the Catholic Church divine authority to teach?**

Jesus Christ gave the Catholic Church divine authority to teach, when he said, 'Go therefore, make disciples of all the nations'. (Matt. 28:19)

**13. What are the chief things which God has revealed?**

The chief things which God has revealed are contained in the Apostles' Creed.

**St Teresa Speaks: Ordinary Time**

"Don't think that, if you had more time, your prayer would go better... time well spent, like looking after your children, does not hurt prayer."

**ANNIVERSARIES**

Kathleen Curtis, Agnes Rose Jones, Samuel O'Donnell, Susan Agnes Webster, Fr. Bernard Fisher, Margaret Morris, Catherine Flaherty, Joeh Saldington. Madeline Maria Bonvay, Cecil Evans, Marian Edwards.

May they rest in Peace!

**PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK**

Fr Tony Jones, Pauline Campbell, Anna Asbury, Maeve O'Malley, Imelda Davies, Val Davies, Rev Peter Hunt, Olive Yates

May you receive God's Blessing

**PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS**

Divine Jesus, Son of the eternal Father and Mary Immaculate, grant many of the faithful true generosity in following your call, and bestow on them the grace of your Holy Spirit to persevere in overcoming all obstacles to their vocations. Give the church in this Diocese and throughout the world many holy priests and fervent religious. Through the intercession of the Most Blessed Virgin Mary, all the Angels, St. Winefride and all Saints, we humbly ask you to hear our prayers and multiply the ministries by which we may serve one another in faith and love.

**PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION**

Eucharistic Heart of Jesus, unite us perfectly to your adoration, thanksgiving, reparation and intercession; make of us with you, a host of sacrifice to the Divinity and sacrament to the souls.

O my God and my all, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, may your will be done, your love reign, your glory shine always more in me and in everyone as in yourself, O my God and my all.  
 (Blessed Justin)