

Diocese of Wrexham

St. Winefride's Catholic Church

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Psalter: Week II

Cycle: B

Year: I

12 April 2015

Divine Mercy Sunday



OPPORTUNITY KNOCKS

PARISH TALENT SHOW

The Friends of the Parish are arranging a Parish Talent Show (on April 17 at St Winefride's Primary School starting at 6:00pm). Tickets are available.

CHARITY SHOP

A charity shop will be held from Tuesday 5th May for two weeks. All proceeds will benefit church funds. Any donations of clothing or bric-a-brac will be gratefully appreciated, and may be left in the church porch. If necessary, please contact any of the clergy if you would like any items collected. We also need volunteers. If you can help, please put your name on the list displayed in the porch.

READERS' MEETING

There will be a readers' meeting for all current readers and for new members who've joined recently and anyone else who would like to join, on Tuesday 14th April at 7:00pm in 19 Well Street.

Conclusion of Divine Mercy Novena

Today (12th April) we begin with Eucharistic Adoration at 2:30pm. We will be praying the Litany of Reparation and Divine Mercy Chaplet.

Hearty Welcome

to Deacon Benedetto

Next Weekend we welcome Dn Benedetto who would like to invite us all for his Priestly Ordination and the First Mass. Let us also keep him and his family back home in our prayers.

MASS ATTENDANCE: Holy Thursday: 65; Good Friday: 76; Easter Vigil: 54; Morning Mass: 190; Well: 73.

COLLECTION: The Offertory Collection last Sunday (5th April) will be announced next week.

Collection for Holy Places on Good Friday (April 3) was: £103.33.

Thank you very much for your generosity. Gift Aid increases the value of your contribution.

Fundraising Target: As we have just started the new financial year (2015-16), we have some deficit from last year due to some unprecedented repair works. So we have set a target of £5,830.00 which is to be achieved before the end of June 2015 (this would include the money we spent for the repairs on the church roof, presbytery roof, the bell tower (£5,530.00) and St Patrick's Stain-glass window -£300.00). The proceeds of most of the fundraising events organised by the Friends of the Parish will go entirely towards this fund. From next weekend onwards (until 27/28 June), we will have Special Second Collections for Church Repair / Maintenance Fund. Donations can be put in the green box in the vestibule or given to any of the clergy. The amount we collected will be added weekly and displayed on the notice board.

St Patrick's Stain Glass Window: repair works will start next Tuesday (14th April) after Mass. The final amount for the repairs is: £8,000.00. Insurance company will pay £7,700.00, leaving us to pay only £300.00.

Mass on next Tuesday (14th April) will be at 9:30am.

FRIENDS OF THE PARISH will gather for a strategic meeting on next Monday 13th April at 6:00pm at 19 Well Street. This short (maximum 20 minutes) coming together is to arrange final preparations for the Parish Talent Show. Please will all those who can, come along and support.

PRIESTLY ORDINATION OF DEACON BENEDETTO: Benedetto D'Autilia will be ordained to the Sacred Priesthood on Saturday 1st August at 12noon at St Aidan RC Church, Northampton and will celebrate his First Mass on Sunday 2nd August at 11:00am at the same venue. The Friends of the Parish are arranging a trip to Northampton on Saturday. Those who would like to join, please put your name on the list displayed in the porch (no later than Sunday 26th April, please).

Looking Ahead

April 14: Readers' Meeting

April 13: Friends of the Parish at 6:00pm

April 17: *Opportunity Knocks* Parish Celebration

April 28: Prayers for Consecrated Life

May 5-15: Parish Charity Shop

May 14: PFC Meeting

May 15: Race Night

St. Teresa Speaks

Endless Mercy

“His Majesty never tires of giving, nor can He exhaust His mercies. Let us not tire of receiving. May He be blessed for ever, Amen!”

A Catechism of the Catholic Doctrine (The “Penny” Catechism)

33. Is Jesus Christ truly God?

Jesus Christ is truly God.

34. Why is Jesus Christ truly God?

Jesus Christ is truly God because he has one and the same nature with God the Father.

ANNIVERSARIES

Christine Walsh, Peter Shallcross, James Brown,
Nellie Williams, Joyce Hatchett, Annie Williams,
Betty Latham, Norah Davies, Barbara Brown,
Anthony Davies, Guetana Brissi, Kevin Walsh,
Frances Roberts, Renee O'Donoghue

May they rest in Peace!

Pray for those who are SICK

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

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. **Hail Mary...***

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)

April 2015	Time	Place	Mass Intention
Saturday 11th Vigil Mass	05:40pm 06:00pm	Rosary Mass	<i>Kathleen & Peter Staley (RIP)</i>
Sunday 12th Divine Mercy Sunday	09:30am 02:30pm 05:00pm	Mass Adoration, Divine Mercy Well	<i>Thanksgiving</i> <i>Parishioners and Pilgrims</i>
Monday 13th St Martin I	07:30am 09:10am 09:30am	Bridgettine's Convent Rosary Mass	<i>Tom Tattum (RIP)</i>
Tuesday 14th	07:30am 09:10am 09:30am	Bridgettine's Convent Rosary Mass	<i>Eunice Roberts (WB)</i>
Wednesday 15th	07:30am 09:10am 09:30am	Bridgettine's Convent Rosary Mass	<i>Martin Broadbent (RIP)</i>
Thursday 16th	07:30am 11:40am 12:00noon	Bridgettine's Convent Rosary Mass	<i>John Durcan (RIP)</i>
Friday 17th	07:30am 09:10am 09:30am	Bridgettine's Convent Rosary Mass	<i>Caroline & Thomas McDavitt & Family Intentions</i>
Saturday 18th Vigil Mass	07:30am 05:40pm 06:00pm	Bridgettine's Convent Rosary Mass	<i>Winnie Durcan (RIP)</i>
Sunday 19th Third Sunday of Eastertide	09:30am 05:00pm	Mass Well	<i>Private Intention</i> <i>Parishioners & Pilgrims</i>

MINISTRY	THIS WEEK (April 11-12)	NEXT WEEK (April 18-19)
READERS	SAT: Pam Hunt & Maria Evans SUN: Lena Keogh & Thelma Kavanagh	SAT: Phil Ainslie & Mike Parry SUN: Mike O'Boyle & Maureen Archer
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS	SAT: Maria Evans & Lynn Parry SUN: Sr. Matilde Vaz & Ann O'Boyle	SAT: Pam Hunt & Mike Parry SUN: Steve Blakesley & Maddalena Keogh
WELCOMERS	SAT: Brendan Cummins & Alun Williams Lynda Dykins & Margaret Gallagher SUN: Tom Kavanagh & Greg Lunt Val Feliciello & Madeline Jones	SAT: Brendan Cummins & Alun Williams Maureen Condon & Margaret Gallagher SUN: Mike Curtis & Mary Simkiss Eve Dawson & Betty Lloyd
CLEANERS	Mary & Lyn Simkiss	Val Feliciello & Louise Hall
CHILDREN'S LITURGY	Please bring your children to St Winefride's Chapel before the Mass.	