

Diocese of Wrexham

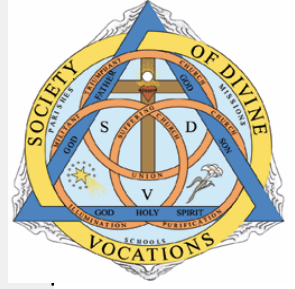
St. Winefride's Catholic Church

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Ballesteros, Crisanto Butad

Psalter: Week IV

Cycle: B

Year: I

26 April 2015

Vocation Sunday

Fourth Sunday of Eastertide



Proclaim '15

Proclaim'15 is a significant evangelical initiative from the Conference of Bishops of England and Wales to support, inspire and express new expressions of parish evangelisation. It is designed to affirm the good work that is already being done by the Catholic community, and to provide resources and events to profile and develop new expressions of Catholic joy and missionary outreach.

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.

FAMILY VISITS & BLESSING

Priests will be visiting families during Easter time. If anyone would like a visit from the priest, please contact any of the clergy before /after Mass or contact via telephone. Alternatively, you can fill in a form and return to any of the clergy or simply put it in the green box in the porch. Forms are available from church porch.

Latin Mass

Latin Mass will be celebrated in our church today at 11:30am.

MASS ATTENDANCE: 177 (Vigil Mass: 46; Morning Mass: 89; Well:42)
COLLECTION: The Offertory Collection on last Sunday (19th April) was: £465.47 (Gift-Aid Envelopes: £299.60 + Cash: £165.87)

Today we celebrate Good Shepherd Sunday and the Second Collection will be taken for the Church Students' Fund which forms part of the diocesan levy. There will be a Second Collection next weekend for Church Repair & Maintenance Fund.

Fundraising Target: So far we have collected £937.70, which is 16.08% of the targeted amount. Collections received last week include: Parish Talent Show (£354.00); Second Collection last weekend (£70.14) and Green Box Collection (£113.56). Thank you for your generosity. May God reward you! (See notice board for details)

Hamper Draw: UCM are holding a Sunday Lunch Hamper Draw this weekend (25/26 April). All proceeds will go to Church Repair Fund.

WELL MUSEUM STEWARDS: We are sadly experiencing some difficulties in opening the Well Museum on all scheduled days, due to a reduced number of stewards. If you are able to assist, or know someone who is, please contact Fr Anil or Mrs Nikkie Schwarz on 01352 714365.

HEADTEACHER VACANCY at St Mary's Catholic Primary School, Wrexham: See Poster for details.

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).

PRAYERS FOR CONSECRATED LIFE: Pope Francis announced that 2015 will be a year dedicated to the promotion of consecrated life, and is asking the church's religious sisters, brothers and priests to "wake up the world" with their testimony of faith, holiness and hope. On next Tuesday (28th April), we will have some special prayers for the consecrated at 7:00pm in our church. Everyone is welcome.



Looking Ahead

April 25/26: Hamper Raffle by UCM
April 28: Prayers for Consecrated Life
May 5-15: Parish Charity Shop
May 11: First Holy Communion:
Parents' Meeting
May 14: PFC Meeting
May 15: Race Night

St. Teresa Speaks

The Straying Sheep

“The great King, like a good shepherd, whistles softly, making His sheep recognise his voice, so that they will return to their inner dwelling place.”

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

37. Is Jesus Christ truly man?

Jesus Christ is truly man.

38. Why is Jesus Christ truly man?

Jesus Christ is truly man because he has the nature of man, having a body and soul like ours.

ANNIVERSARIES

Caroline Hill, Thomasina Gannon, John Cummins,
Luigi Maliardo, George Davies, Pauline Foster, Dudley Dowling, Kath Chamberlain, Reginald Jones, Fr. Edward Swarbrick OFM

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)

Apr-May 2015	Time	Place	Mass Intention
Saturday 25th <i>St Mark</i> Vigil Mass	07:30am 05:40pm 06:00pm 07:00pm	Bridgettine's Convent Rosary Mass Queen of Peace Prayers	<i>Mary Hanson (WB)</i>
Sunday 26th 4th Sunday of Eastertide	09:30am 11:30am 05:00pm	Mass Latin Mass Well	<i>Tina & Tony Incarico</i> <i>(Golden Wedding Anniversary)</i> <i>Parishioners & Pilgrims</i>
Monday 27th	07:30am 09:10am 09:30am	Bridgettine's Convent Rosary Mass	<i>Maurice & Joan McCarthy (FM)</i>
Tuesday 28th St Louis de Montfort	07:30am 11:40am 12:00noon 07:00pm	Bridgettine's Convent Rosary Mass Prayers for the Consecrated	<i>Kathleen Curtis</i> <i>(Birthday Remembrance)</i>
Wednesday 29th St Catherine of Sienna	07:30am 09:10am 09:30am	Bridgettine's Convent Rosary Mass	<i>Mrs Dudley Dowling (Anniversary)</i>
Thursday 30th St Pius V	07:30am 11:40am 12:00noon	Bridgettine's Convent Rosary Mass	<i>Winnie Durcan (RIP)</i>
Friday 1st St Joseph the Worker	07:30am 09:10am 09:30am	Bridgettine's Convent Rosary Mass	<i>Pauline & Ernie Campbell</i> <i>(Golden Wedding Anniversary)</i>
Saturday 2nd St Athanasius Vigil Mass	07:30am 05:40pm 06:00pm	Bridgettine's Convent Rosary Mass	<i>Tom Tattum (RIP)</i>
Sunday 3rd 5th Sunday of Eastertide	09:30am 05:00pm	Mass Well	<i>Christopher Hall (RIP)</i> <i>Parishioners & Pilgrims</i>

MINISTRY	THIS WEEK (April 25-26)	NEXT WEEK (May 2-3)
READERS	SAT: Paddy & Lee Calvert SUN: Kevin McIntyre & Pam Hunt	SAT: Eileen Hughes & Maria Evans SUN: Folk Mass
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS	SAT: Lynn Parry & Maria Evans SUN: Mary Hanson & Elizabeth Murphy	SAT: Mike Parry & Pat Yale SUN: Mother Aurora & Sr. Jancy
WELCOMERS	SAT: Alun Williams & Brendan Cummins Linda Dykins & Margaret Gallagher SUN: Greg Lunt & Kevin Carney Rita Curtis & Margaret Curtis	SAT: Brendan Cummins & Alun Williams Christine Gallagher & Maureen Condon SUN: Kevin Carney & Tom Kavanagh Tony Incarico & Tina Incarico
CLEANERS	Rhona Charlton, Rhian & Mike Dowling	Rita & Margaret Curtis
CHILDREN'S LITURGY	Please bring your children to St Winefride's Chapel before the Mass.	