

The Parish of St Luke, Frodsham & St Cuthbert-by-the-Forest, Mouldsworth Diocese of Shrewsbury

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THE SACRAMENT OF MERCY (CONFESSIONS): Saturday 5.15-5.45 pm BAPTISMS, CONFIRMATION, FIRST HOLY COMMUNION & MARRIAGES:

Please contact Father James or the secretary Wednesdays or Fridays 10am-3pm.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT: First Friday of the month 9:00am.

MORNING PRAYER FROM THE DIVINE OFFICE: Wednesdays and Fridays 9:15am, before Mass

Psalter Week III Sunday Cycle B W/day Cycle II	NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME			
Day	Feast	Time	Service	Intention
Sat 10th	Evening Mass of the Sunday	6:00pm	Mass	Parishioners' Intentions
Sun 11 th	Nineteenth Sunday in	9:00am (St Cuthbert's)	Mass	Robert Colin Jones (RIP, Ann.)
	Ordinary Time	11:00am	Mass	Marie Angles (RIP)
Mon 12th	Ferial	No Public Mass		
Tues 13th	Ferial	6:15pm	Mass	Emmanuel Mamczur (RIP)
Wed 14th	Evening Mass of the Vigil	7:00pm	Mass	Holy Souls - Nov. List
Thur 15 th	The Assumption of the	10:00am	Mass	Clergy Fund - Sick & Retired
	Blessed Virgin Mary Holyday of Obligation			Priests
Fri 16 th	Ferial	9:30am	Mass	Vocations
Sat 17 th	Evening Mass of the Sunday	6:00pm	Mass	Emmanuel Mamczur & Sean McCombe (RIP)
Sun 18 th	Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time	9:00am (St Cuthbert's)	Mass	Marie & Tony Timmons (RIP, Ann.)
		11:00am	Mass	Parishioners' Intentions



THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY: This wonderful feast marking the special place Mary has in the life of the Church, occurs on **Thursday**, **15**th **August**. Because of the vigil Mass on Wednesday evening there will be NO MORNING MASS on Wednesday. Mass times for the Holyday of Obligation are **Wednesday** at **7:00pm** and **Thursday** morning at **10:00am**.

FLOWER DISPLAY: On Tuesday, 13th August we will be creating a jumbo garden flower display at Our Lady's statue (St Luke's) in preparation for her feast on 15th. We would welcome small posies/single flowers from the congregation which can be left in the flower room in church or in the cloisters beforehand. Many thanks for your support.





SPUC ANNUAL PETITION: This year's SPUC petition relates to the two-child benefit cap. Sadly, one of the biggest drivers of abortion in the UK is poverty, and the current government policy on Universal Benefits in particular penalises families. It has been identified that it is "A significant factor" in many women deciding to abort their children. Postcards are available at the back of church for you to join this weekend's petition and call on the Prime Minister to end the two-child family credit cap. Completed cards left in the basket will be

sent off together saving you the cost of a stamp.

Following a recent Fire Risk Assessment, votive candles will no longer be left burning once the church is empty. Please be assured that all candles will be relit once the church is next in use. Thank you for your understanding in this matter.



St Luke's Parish, Frodsham sometimes collects personal information about parishioners.

PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND (Please contact us by email or telephone if you wish to

include or remove a person from the list. Many thanks):

Cora Sharkey Ian Hobson Canon John Gordon Kathleen Garvie Amy Selman Canon Phil Moor, VG Jim Corrigan John Mannion Tony Angles Helen Grimes Bernard Timberlake Anne Shaw Timothy James Cleary Claire Taylor Maria Brennan Eric & Margaret Young Tonnie Woods **Ieuan Thomas** Iane Gibson Clare Huxley Jeremy Selman Kath Grossmith Fr Vincent Kennedy Norman Pursglove Judith Whim Fr Bill Fitzgerald Fr Peter Burke

For all people having cancer treatment & others currently in hospital





REST IN PEACE: Please pray for the happy repose of the soul of **Peter O'Brien**, who died recently. Peter served as Diocesan Property Manager from 2007 and as Secretary of the Northwest Historic Churches Committee from 2018. Please keep Peter and his family and friends in your prayers. May he rest in peace.

SVP WALK UPDATE: Last weekend, Kate and Colin completed their incredible 221 mile walk across Shrewsbury Diocese from New Brighton on The Wirral to Ludlow in South Shropshire, via South Manchester raising money for our local St Vincent De Paul Society Children's Camps and Holiday homes. Thanks to all who have donated; to date they have raised close to £4,000, but if anyone else would like to give money, the fundraising page is below. All money raised will go towards funding these wonderful initiatives. https://giving.give-star.com/online/saint-vincent-de-paul-society-england-and-wales/kate-and-colin-are-walking-the-length-and-breadth-of-shrewsbury-diocese



VISIT OF RELIC OF BLESSED CARLO ACUTIS: We have been greatly blessed over the years with the visit of the relics of St John Mary Vianney and St Bernadette of Lourdes. In September we will have the privilege of welcoming to the Diocese the relic of the heart of Blessed Carlo Acutis. The pilgrimage will be based at St Anthony's, Wythenshawe from 20th to 23rd September. Further details to follow.

PILGRIM'S PROGRESS TO ROME: Pilgrim's Progress to Rome, an eight-day trek in Autumn 2025, is a charity fundraising challenge organised by the charity *Life*. *Life* supports women in unexpected and crisis pregnancies and those experiencing pregnancy loss. *Life* are calling all those with "an adventurous spirit and a compassionate heart". Please email emilytraynor@lifecharity.org.uk to receive more information.





SHREWSBURY LOURDES HOSPITALITY members are warmly invited to a 'Day of Reflection' on Saturday, 14 September, at Shrewsbury Cathedral. Led by Fr Sean Henry, the theme will be, "Martha and Mary: The Hospitality we give to Christ"; 9.15am start with a 3.30pm finish. Lunch can be purchased on site, or bring your own. Cost (by anonymous donation). Spaces are limited so please book early. For further details, please contact Clare, secretary@teamshrewsbury.co.uk or text Siobhan on 07931574348.

JOB VACANCY: A vacancy has arisen for an Administration Support Officer within our Mission and Evangelisation team based in Chester. Hours: 25 per week (to include occasional and weekend duties as required). Rate of pay: £12-£15 per hour depending on experience. More details can be found via the Diocesan website at: https://www.dioceseofshrewsbury.org/latest-vacancies/. CVs with a covering letter should be sent to Pauline McCulloch at recruitment@dioceseofshrewsbury.org. Closing date: Friday, 30 August 2024.

SOCIAL EVENTS VOLUNTEERS: We are still looking for volunteers to help with social events across both our parishes. Our next event is scheduled to be a celebration of **St Luke's Feast Day** on **Friday**, **18**th **October**. If you feel you could contribute in any way to the planning of this event, please do contact Victoria at the office. Thank you to those who have volunteered so far. All help will be very much appreciated.

MISSIO BOXES: We kindly request that Missio boxes are **NOT** brought into the sacristy for counting throughout the year, except for the relevant weeks when requested, as will be indicated in the newsletter. This will help to make this job easier for our volunteers in charge. Many thanks for your understanding.



Upcoming Events

Weekend 24th/25th August 2024

- Monthly Foodbank collection at both Churches
- Sunday, 8th September 2024 First Holy Communion during 11am Mass (final group)