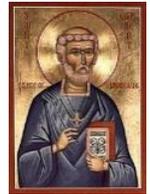




**The Parish of Saint Luke, Frodsham &  
St Cuthbert-by-the-Forest, Mouldsworth**  
**Diocese of Shrewsbury**

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**ST CUTHBERT'S CHURCH IS NOW OPEN FOR PRIVATE PRAYER ON  
SUNDAYS 11:00am-NOON**

SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME					
Day	Feast	Time	Service	Intention	
Sat 25 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Evening Mass of the Sunday</b>	6:00pm	Mass	Parishioners' Intentions	
Sun 26 <sup>th</sup>	<b>17<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>	11:00am	Mass	V. Rev Christopher Dwyer (RIP)	
Mon 27 <sup>th</sup>	Ferial	NO PUBLIC MASS			
Tue 28 <sup>th</sup>	Ferial	NO PUBLIC MASS			
Wed 29 <sup>th</sup>	<b>St Martha</b>	9:30am	Mass	Audrey Ramsbottom (RIP)	
Thurs 30 <sup>th</sup>	Ferial	NO PUBLIC MASS			
Fri 31 <sup>st</sup>	St Ignatius Loyola, P	NO PUBLIC MASS			Vocations to the Priesthood, Diaconate and Religious Life
Sat 1 <sup>st</sup> August	<b>Evening Mass of the Sunday</b>	6:00pm	Mass	Mark Wilson's Intentions	
Sun 2 <sup>nd</sup>	<b>17<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>	11:00am	Mass	Parishioners' Intentions	

**To book your place at any of the Masses at St Luke's, please TEXT or CALL Victoria on 07913 073575 any weekday between 11:00am and 3:00pm.**

*Please note she is away from Sunday to Tuesday this week and may be unable to take your call - if you wish to book during this time you may find it easier to text. Thank you!*

For your information, the readings this Sunday are:

First Reading: 1 Kings 3: 5, 7-12

Psalm: Psalm 118: 57, 72, 76-77, 127-130, R.v.97

*Response: Lord, how I love your law!*

Second Reading: Romans 8: 28-30

Gospel Acclamation: *Alleluia, alleluia! I call you friends, says the Lord, because I have made known to you everything I have learnt from my Father. Alleluia!*

Gospel: Matthew 13: 44-52 (shorter 44-46)



Mass can be live-streamed from the Cathedral via their website (<https://www.shrewsburycathedral.org>) or the Diocesan website (<http://www.dioceseofshrewsbury.org>). Sunday Mass times are 8:30am and 10:45am. Please check the Cathedral website for relevant times.

**REFLECTION SHEET:** This week's Reflection Sheet can be accessed [here](#).



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

All personal information is collected, processed and stored in accordance with the General Data Protection Regulations. This is retained only as necessary and used by the Parish/Diocese for the benefit of the Parish and for legitimate reasons such as administrative and religious purposes. You can read our full privacy notice at

<http://www.dioceseofshrewsbury.org/about-us/privacy-notice>.

## **PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND:**

Fr Jim McGrath  
Fr Pat Munroe  
Fr Paul Hughes  
June Cunniffe  
Cora Sharkey  
Graham Jubb  
Jack Turner  
Kathleen Garvie

Jim Corrigan  
Hugh McNeil  
Kathleen Edwards  
Helen Grimes  
Deacon Philip White  
Karen Dolan  
Winnie Simcock  
Rita Robertshaw

Tony Wakefield  
Carol Nordmann  
Sarah Goodhall  
Frank Hewitt  
Pauline Furlong  
Mark Wilson  
Timothy James  
Cleary

Chris Pownall



*Please contact us by email or telephone if you wish to include or remove a person from the list. Many thanks.*



**REOPENING OF OUR CHURCHES:** Both of our Churches are now open again! St Luke's is open for the public celebration of Mass on **Wednesdays at 9:30am, Saturdays at 6:00pm and Sundays at 11:00am**; St Cuthbert's is open for Private Prayer each **Sunday from 11:00am until noon**. Unless you have a medical reason not to wear one, face coverings **MUST** be worn inside both Churches during these times, for your own safety and the safety of others. To

avoid disappointment, it is recommended that you book a place at Mass. Please see further details given below regarding what you can expect at both Churches at the current time. Thank you all for playing your part in helping us to create a safe environment in our Churches.

**NEWSLETTER:** Throughout the current pandemic we have continued to produce a weekly newsletter which has been distributed via email, direct from the parish office and through our primary school. While the school is closed during the summer break the newsletter will only be sent to those on the parish database. If you know of anyone who is not currently receiving the newsletter, or only receives it from school, and would like to receive it, please ask them to send their email address to the usual office email: [stlukesfrodsham@outlook.com](mailto:stlukesfrodsham@outlook.com). Many thanks.



**OUR DIOCESAN VIRTUAL PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES.** It was with great sadness that back in March we realised that in these extraordinary times it would be impossible to go ahead with our annual pilgrimage to Lourdes. We are very anxious, however, to reach out to our regular pilgrims and to all people around the Diocese to invite them to join us in a spiritual pilgrimage online during the time that we would have been in Lourdes. With this in mind we have created a

Virtual Pilgrimage which includes a daily Mass led by the Bishop or different priest associated with the Pilgrimage, as well as many regular devotions and activities that form our Pilgrimage. The programme can be downloaded from the Pilgrimage website [www.shrewsburypilgrimage.co.uk](http://www.shrewsburypilgrimage.co.uk), the Diocesan Website [www.dioceseofshrewsbury.org](http://www.dioceseofshrewsbury.org) or the virtual Pilgrimage website <https://shrewsburylourdes.com>. The programme has also been uploaded onto the Parish website and is available [here](#).



**ORDINATIONS:** On Saturday, we will see the first major Diocesan event since the lockdown began, with the ordinations at the Cathedral of four men to the transitional Diaconate. We hope the safety measures will come together to allow this to be a prayerful and happy celebration.

*"The secret of happiness is to live moment by moment and to thank God for all that He, in His goodness, sends to us day after day." (Saint Gianna Molla)*

**MEASURES IN PLACE DURING PRIVATE PRAYER:** St Cuthbert's will be open for private prayer for about an hour on Sunday mornings, from 11:00am, from **Sunday, 19th July**. Please note that the following measures will be in place:

- There will be a restricted number of **10 people** in the church at any one time.
- Should the number of visitors to the church exceed that number you will be asked to wait in your car by a steward. Private prayer will then have to be restricted to a maximum of **15 minutes**.
- Please maintain social distancing at all times. To ensure that this can be maintained, you may be asked to wait by a steward, particularly at any "bottlenecks" within the building.
- Face-coverings should also be worn at all times when inside the building.
- There will be a one-way system in place, entering through the main door and exiting through the Sacristy.
- Hand sanitisers will be provided at the entrance and at the exit and should be used by all visitors.
- Doors and windows will be open as much as possible to allow for the flow of fresh air.
- The church toilets will be closed to the public.
- Votive candles will be placed in the holders in advance to avoid cross-contamination, and an initial candle lit which may be used to light other candles.
- Visitors are asked **not** to touch statues during their visit.
- No food or drink will be allowed on site (should you require water please ensure your bottle is of the sports-cap type, not a twist cap bottle).
- Please take with you any single-use materials which you use for private prayer.
- Children are **very welcome** to attend, but parents or guardians must manage them appropriately, particularly ensuring that they touch as few surfaces as possible.

Thank you all for playing your part in helping to keep all visitors to St Cuthbert's safe and healthy.



**MEASURES IN PLACE DURING MASS:** St Luke's is now open for Mass at the times indicated. Please note that the following measures are in place for your safety:

- There will be a restricted number of **30 people** at Mass; a pre-booking system will be in operation.
- Hand sanitisers will be provided at the entrance, within the porch and at the exit and should be used by all.
- Doors and windows will be open as much as possible to allow for the flow of fresh air.
- The church toilets will be closed to the public.
- There is a one-way system in place which involves the use of steps. For those visitors who would prefer to use the ramp, please let a steward know and they will be happy to accommodate your needs.
- Votive candles will be placed in the holders in advance to avoid cross-contamination, and an initial candle lit which may be used to light other candles. If you do wish to light a candle, please do so before the start of Mass and return to your assigned seat trying to avoid touching any surfaces if possible.
- Visitors are asked **not** to touch statues during their visit.
- No food or drink will be allowed on site (should you require water please ensure your bottle is of the sports-cap type, not a twist cap bottle).
- Children are **very welcome** to attend, but parents or guardians must manage them appropriately, particularly ensuring that they touch as few surfaces as possible.
- You **MUST** wear a face-covering as you enter Church and throughout Mass.
- Some single-use material will be provided as you arrive, particularly printed versions of the Gloria and Creed. Please ensure that you take this with you when you leave and dispose of it appropriately. If you have a device or missal with text for Mass you may bring this with you.
- A steward will direct you to a seat; people from the same household will be able to sit together.
- Holy Communion will be given out at the end of Mass.
  - The priest will say "The Body of Christ" and everyone will answer "Amen". There will be no words spoken as you come to receive.
  - A steward will invite each row forward in a pre-determined order. Please wait to be invited before leaving your bench.
  - Take your face covering down when the person in front of you is receiving.
  - Receive the host in your hand, step to the side (to the furthest available "cross" on the floor), consume the host and then put your face covering back on.
  - Make your way slowly and reverently out of Church, using the one-way system if you are able to (if you need to use the ramp to exit rather than steps, a steward will explain the route you should take).
  - You should remember to take all your belongs with you as you go to receive Communion as you will not be returning to your seat before leaving Church.

