

St Luke's Church Frodsham

Pastoral Area of Runcorn & Frodsham

Diocese of Shrewsbury

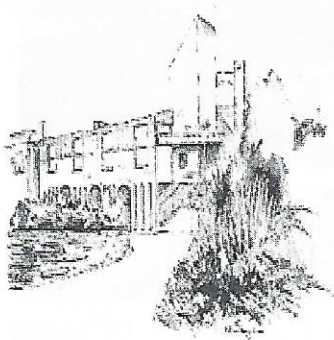
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First Sunday of Advent

30th November 2014

Mass Times

29th Sat

6 Joseph Pizzonia +

30th Sun First Sunday in Advent

10:00 Whim & Relatives (Nov List)

1st Mon

9.30 Margarita Mitcalf +

2nd Tue

6.15 Special Intention

3rd Wed St Francis Xavier

9:30 Ken Butterworth

4th Thurs

9:30 Marie O'Flynn

5th Fri

2.00 Funeral Mass for Delphine Downey

6th Sat

6 Mike Ayland Intention

7th Sun Second Sunday in Advent

10:00 Cathy Duffy +

Confessions: Saturday 5.30-5.50 pm & on request

Baptisms and Marriages: By appointment

Last Week's Collection: £636.31. Thank you

Pastoral Cover in the LPA. Please note the arrangements for this week, with mass here on Friday at 2 pm. Also mass at St Augustine's 9.15 am (Fr Colin)

Advent Day of Recollection - Saturday 13th Dec 10 - 3pm. The Theme will be "He Came in Stillness and Peace to bring us Love". If you wish to join us, please fill in form in porch. Coffee and Tea provided. Lunch will be a "Shared Table". For further information please contact Pauline Stitt on 07749 013320 or nrspstitt@gmail.com.

Posada. If you would be able to host Our Lady in her journey round the Parish this Advent, please put your name against the day on the list in the porch. Thank you Colin and Aelison 731235

Help needed! Is there anyone who plays a guitar and would be willing to play at the start of the Seniors Xmas Party at 2pm on 6th Dec, please contact Glenys on 01928 732060.

Deadline for Red Boxes is the end of November. If you have not yet handed in your box, please bring it to the sacristy, unless your promoter has arranged to collect from you. Enquiries to Geraldine Harris on 731323.

The annual collection for church flowers will take place after mass this weekend (29/30th November). Thank you for your continued support. A sale of Christmas flower arrangements will take place next weekend (6/7 December) after each mass.

Advent Crib. The empty stable will be in place from the first weekend in Advent. It will only contain the animals. This is to help the children to be aware that Advent is a waiting time when we prepare for the birth of Jesus. Little church will bring up small animal figures, and place them in the shelter during mass on 7th December. The crib will be decorated and the Holy Family put in place for Christmas Day.

Thank you for your support for the Foodbank. As a result of the Harvest collections, we are well-stocked at present, but we are now collecting specifically Christmas food. If you can donate any of the following it would be appreciated: Dried Fruit or Dried Nuts, Biscuits, Sweets, Small Toiletry sets or Small Toys, (we cannot accept heavy or large items, all toys must be new and have a CE mark), Christmas Puddings, Mince Pies, Non Alcoholic Drinks, Family Size Tinned Ham, Tins of Chocolates.

Events in church, including any which also involve the Parish Centre, must in future be recorded in a diary, to be found (and retained) in the Sacristy. Please ensure, as an organiser, that you record the details and contact names in the diary. You will find what is needed on the front of the diary. It would also be helpful to note there, for information, any relevant events which you know are to be held in other nearby Christian communities.

Carol service in St Luke's Sun 21 Dec 4.30 pm. Mince pies and mulled wine to follow in Parish centre. Please sign list if you wish to donate any refreshments. Proceeds to CAFOD. Rehearsal for choir and musicians Tuesday 16th Dec at 7 pm in church and after 10 am mass Sunday 21st Dec. Please sign up in the porch.

On Tues 2nd Dec from 6.30 - 8.30, Main St Community Church will be open for a self guided prayer walk through the Christmas journey. Using the scenes which the school children travel through, it will be an opportunity to quietly reflect on the Christmas story. You are welcome to drop in for as long as you like; mainly suitable for adults and older students.

OPAL Club at Methodist Church. See poster on board. Shrewsbury Diocesan Yearbook 2015. Now on sale in the porch £4. Please put money in newspapers box. Diocesan Pilgrimage to Holy Land 19th - 26th Oct 2015. See handouts in porch.

UCM meeting: Monday 8th December. 7.30 pm in the Parish Centre. Members are reminded that subscriptions are due.