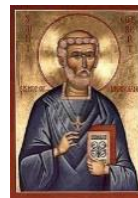




# The Parish of St Luke, Frodsham & St Cuthbert-by-the-Forest, Mouldsworth

## 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

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER				
Day	Feast	Time	Service	Intention
Sat 4 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Evening Mass of the Sunday</b>	6:00pm	Mass	Parishioners' Intentions
Sun 5 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Sixth Sunday of Easter</b>	9:00am (St Cuthbert's)	Mass	Sarah & James Devine (RIP, Ann.)
		11:00am	Mass	Jack Loftus (RIP, Ann.)
Mon 6 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Ferial</b>	No Public Mass		
Tues 7 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Ferial</b>	6:15pm	Mass	The Rt Rev Joseph Gray DCL, 9 <sup>th</sup> Bishop of Shrewsbury (RIP, Ann.)
Wed 8 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Ferial</b>	6:00pm	Rosary & Mass	José Mamczur & Sean McCombe (RIP) & Emmanuel Mamczur's Intentions
Thur 9 <sup>th</sup>	<b>The Ascension of the Lord</b> <i>Holyday of Obligation</i>	10:00am	Mass	Clergy Fund – Sick & Retired Priests
Fri 10 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Ferial</b>	9:30am	Mass	Vocations to the Priesthood, Diaconate & Religious Life
Sat 11 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Evening Mass of the Sunday</b>	6:00pm <i>Children's Liturgy</i>	Mass	Lily Gill (RIP)
Sun 12 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Seventh Sunday of Easter</b> <i>Day of Special Prayer for World Communications</i>	9:00am (St Cuthbert's)	Mass	Parishioners' Intentions
		11:00am	Mass	Norma & Armando Rodrigues (RIP, Ann.)

☞ Please note there will be no morning Mass on Wednesday due to the Vigil Mass in the evening ☞



**PASTORAL LETTER:** This weekend there will be a Pastoral Letter from Bishop Mark *On the Month of Mary*.

For your information, this letter is also available on our website at: <https://www.stlukesparish.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/Pastoral-Letter-On-the-Month-of-Mary.pdf>.

**ROSARY IN MAY:** The Rosary will be recited on **Wednesdays** during May in honour of Our Lady. This week at St Luke's it will be held **before** the Vigil Mass of The Ascension, a Holyday of Obligation, at 6:00pm (Mass to start at 6:15pm). Please do join us if you can as we pray for peace in our world.



**MISSIO MASS:** Shrewsbury Diocesan Mass for Missio will take place on Saturday, 1<sup>st</sup> June at St Michael & All Angels Church, Woodchurch, at 11:00am. All Red Box holders and supporters are invited to attend.



**NEWS FROM ST LUKE'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL:** At the beginning of the week Year 2 had lots of fun exploring, while on residential at Fox Howl in Delamere. Building dens, camp fires and pond dipping were just some of the activities they enjoyed. Team work was clearly evident as the children supported each other. Staff commented on their excellent behaviour. We are so proud of them all.

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

Cora Sharkey  
Kathleen Garvie  
Jim Corrigan  
Helen Grimes  
Timothy James Cleary  
Eric & Margaret Young  
Jane Gibson  
Kath Grossmith

Judith Whim  
Ian Hobson  
Amy Selman  
John Mannion  
Bernard Timberlake  
Claire Taylor  
Fabrizio Motta  
Tonnie Woods

Clare Huxley  
Fr Vincent Kennedy  
Fr Bill Fitzgerald  
Canon John Gordon  
Canon Phil Moor, VG  
Tony & Marie Angles  
Anne Shaw  
Maria Brennan

Ieuan Thomas  
For all people having  
cancer treatment & others  
currently in hospital



**A YEAR OF ENCOUNTER:** With a UK general election due sometime this year, politicians will be looking for our votes. We have a responsibility as Catholics to make sure that parties commit to tackling issues such as poverty and injustice. Raising our voices and contacting parliamentary candidates as a parish community will send a strong signal to those standing for election in our local constituencies. *A Year of Encounter* is a joint initiative between CAFOD and St Vincent de Paul Society (SVP), equipping Catholics to ask key questions of local candidates at the key moments. Please see [cafod.org.uk/encounter](https://cafod.org.uk/encounter) for more information, including an online session on Saturday 4th May to learn more.

**CARITAS BOXES:** If any box holders have boxes ready to be emptied, please could you bring them into the Sacristy or contact Glenys Fitzmaurice on 01928 732060. Also, many thanks for the contributions already received.



**MARY'S MEALS - PRAY IN MAY:** Parishes across the Diocese have been invited to join "Pray in May", to celebrate the work of Mary's Meals and give thanks that they are now able to reach more than 2 million children with a nutritious meal in 18 countries every school day. For more information on Mary's Meals, please see the poster on the notice board.

**CATHOLIC NATIONAL SHRINE & BASILICA OF OUR LADY AT WALSINGHAM** has an online feature, encouraging pilgrims to visit as part of the Jubilee Year 2025. For further information please visit their website at: <https://www.walsingham.org.uk/shrine-home>.



**A DAY FOR CONFIRMATION CATECHISTS:** You are invited to a day with the Dominican Sisters of St Joseph and Bishop Mark Davies for confirmation catechists and all those interested. It is a day exploring the Sacrament of Confirmation, best practice and an opportunity to network with catechists from across the diocese. The Mission for Catechesis Team and the Diocesan Youth Team will be in attendance to offer their support on the day. Join us on **18 May, 10am-4pm** at St Mary's Parish Centre, 65 Delamere St, Crewe, CW1 2JX. To find out more contact Natalie Orefice on 07730 526826 or [natalie.orefice@dioceseofshrewsbury.org](mailto:natalie.orefice@dioceseofshrewsbury.org) or sign up here: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/a-day-for-catechists-in-the-diocese-of-shrewsbury-tickets-851383700567>

**YEAR OF PRAYER 2024:** Come and join our online webinar with Sycamore. Pope Francis has asked that 2024 be a 'Year of Prayer', as a preparatory year for the Jubilee Year of 2025. Don't miss this opportunity to learn how to get the most out of the prayer pathway on Sycamore! **On Wednesday, 15<sup>th</sup> May 7pm-8pm.** Email Natalie Orefice for the link to join: [Natalie.orefice@dioceseofshrewsbury.org](mailto:Natalie.orefice@dioceseofshrewsbury.org).



**CHILDREN'S LITURGY:** There is no Children's Liturgy this weekend due to the Bank Holiday weekend. The next session will be on Saturday, 11<sup>th</sup> May during the 6pm Mass. We encourage all children who have not yet made their First Holy Communion to join us, especially those preparing for this sacrament.

**FOODBANK COLLECTION:** Thank you for your support of our monthly Foodbank collection at both churches last week. Your continuing support is very much appreciated. Thanks also to those who deliver the food collected to the respective foodbanks of Mid-Cheshire and Runcorn & District.



*Upcoming Events*

Saturday, 11 <sup>th</sup> May 2024	• Children's Liturgy during 6:00pm Mass at St Luke's
Weekend 11 <sup>th</sup> /12 <sup>th</sup> May 2024	• Retiring Collection for World Communications Day
Wednesday, 15 <sup>th</sup> May 2024	• Rosary at St Cuthbert's at 10am
Wednesday, 15 <sup>th</sup> May 2024	• First Forgiveness for children attending preparation at St Luke's Primary, 6:00pm

"At His Ascension our Lord entered Heaven, and He keeps the door open for humanity to enter."  
(Oswald Chambers)