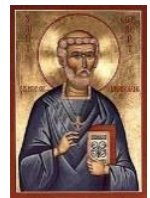




The Parish of Saint Luke, Frodsham & St Cuthbert-by-the-Forest, Mouldsworth

Diocese of Shrewsbury

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Please note, Father James is unavailable on Mondays

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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

THE TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD				
Day	Feast	Time	Service	Intention
Sat 5 th	Evening Mass of the Sunday	6:00pm	Mass	Fr Nicholas Irwin (RIP)
Sun 6 th	The Transfiguration of the Lord	9:00am (St Cuthbert's)	Mass	Clergy Fund - Sick & Retired Priests
		11:00am	Mass	Parishioners' Intentions
Mon 7 th	Ferial	No Public Mass		
Tues 8 th	St Dominic, P	6:15pm	Mass	Richard Davies (RIP)
Wed 9 th	St Teresa Benedicta of the Cross (Edith Stein), V, M, Patron of Europe	9:30am	Mass	Fr Peter Robertson (RIP, Ann.)
Thur 10 th	St Lawrence, Dc, M	No Public Mass		
Fri 11 th	St Clare, V	9:30am	Mass	Vocations to the Priesthood, Diaconate & Religious Life
Sat 12 th	Evening Mass of the Sunday	6:00pm	Mass	Tony Braithwaite (RIP)
Sun 13 th	Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time	9:00am (St Cuthbert's)	Mass	Parishioners' Intentions
		11:00am	Mass	José Mamczur & Sean McCombe (RIP)



THURSDAY MASSES: Please note that during the summer there will be NO morning Mass on Thursdays. Please check the newsletter, available online at:

https://www.stlukesparish.org.uk/?page_id=105, for further details of all Mass times.



FOODBANK COLLECTION: Thank you for your contributions to our monthly foodbank collection last weekend. Despite the summer holidays and many people being away, a brilliant total of **160kg** was donated together with a generous amount of cash. Cash donations are always welcome to help with running costs. Many thanks for your continuing support for those who are currently in need.



CAFOD VACANCY: CAFOD is recruiting! Could you inspire Catholics to participate in the Church's mission, by working to overcome poverty and injustice? Could you work for CAFOD within the Diocese of Shrewsbury and the Archdiocese of Birmingham? Are you good at inspiring and working with volunteers? Then you might like to become our Community Participation Coordinator. Use the following link for more details and please pass on to any friends or relatives who might be interested: <https://cafod.org.uk/work-with-us>. Closing date is 13th August 2023 or contact John Woods via jwoods@cafod.org.uk.



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):

Fr Jim McGrath

Timothy James Cleary

John Mannion

Bernard Whim

Fr Pat Munroe

Eric & Margaret Young

Bernard Timberlake

Tonnie Woods

Cora Sharkey

Jane Gibson

Claire Taylor

For people having cancer

Kathleen Garvie

Kath Grossmith

Fr Joseph O'Connor

treatment

Jim Corrigan

Judith Whim

Janet Sykes

Hugh McNeil

Ian Hobson

Harry Gorse

Kathleen Edwards

Nora Fyldes

Tom Wood

Helen Grimes

Amy Selman

Fabrizio Motta



WELFARE OFFICER VACANCY: The Diocese is looking to appoint a Welfare Officer. The role is for 3 days per week. Salary: £38-£42K FTE pro rata depending on experience. For further details of the role and application form, please see the Diocesan website at: <https://www.dioceseofshrewsbury.org/latest-vacancies/>. Completed applications should be sent to Pauline McCulloch at recruitment@dioceseofshrewsbury.org. Closing date is 25 August 2023.

ST LUKE'S BUILDINGS: Parishioners at St Luke's will be aware of many leaks throughout the building over the years. Over the past few years we have been trying to address these issues and we have had some success, and happily we have been able to eliminate buckets and basins that were often needed during bad weather. Following many costly investigations, in the last few weeks work has been continuing on solving the problem with flooding in the cellar/kitchen area and toilets in the Parish Centre. Hopefully this problem has now been solved. Supported and guided by the Diocese Property Surveyors, tenders have been sent out recently for fixing the flat roof of the church. Hopefully work will begin in early autumn once approval has been received for this costly work from the Diocese. Many thanks to our parishioners Martin and Jason for their supportive and ongoing work on these major problems. Please pray for the success of these works in the coming months.



URGENT REQUEST FOR DAILY PRAYERS TO APPOINT AN ANTI-SLAVERY COMMISSIONER:

Now in its 10th year of action, Churches Together are totally focusing their time on daily praying for the appointment of an Anti-Slavery Commissioner. The post has now been vacant since 30th April 2022. Under the Modern Slavery Act, the Commissioner has a: "UK-wide remit to encourage good practice in the prevention, detection, investigation and prosecution of modern slavery offences and the identification of victims." Would you please pray daily with us for the Secretary of State to make an immediate appointment? Thank you for joining in prayer with us.

EOLP COURSES: The End of Life Partnership will be leading two standalone courses on "Grieving Before Loss" and "Grieving When Caring Ends" at Main Street Community Church on Monday 18th September. If you are interested in attending, please see the poster in the porch for further information.



OFFERTORY COLLECTION: A recent count of the loose plate offerings came to **£776.93**. Your constant generosity to all our collections is very much appreciated. If you are making an Offertory to Church by cheque, please make it payable to "St Luke's Frodsham". Thank you.

THANKS: Chris and Ieuan Thomas wish to express their thanks to everyone who made their Diamond Wedding Anniversary such a happy occasion. The readings, hymns and bidding prayers were very relevant - thank you Father James. Many thanks for cards and good wishes, may God bless you all.



Upcoming Events

Tuesday, 15 th August 2023	• The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Holyday of Obligation
Sunday, 20 th August 2023	• Coffee Morning in St Luke's Parish Centre following 11:00am Mass
Weekend 26 th /27 th August 2023	• Foodbank Collection at both churches
Monday, 18 th September 2023	• Joint Coffee Morning in St Luke's Parish Centre, 10am-11am

☞ This weekend we welcome *Fr Hugh Davoren* to both our churches and thank him for coming to celebrate the weekend Masses with us ☞



"Lay all your cares about the future trustingly in God's hands, and let yourself be guided by the Lord just like a little child." (St Teresa Benedicta of the Cross - Edith Stein)