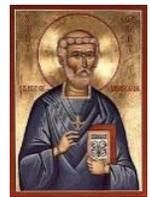




The Parish of Saint Luke, Frodsham & St Cuthbert-by-the-Forest, Mouldsworth

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

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER				
Day	Feast	Time	Service	Intention
Sat 6 th	Evening Mass of the Sunday	6:00pm	Mass	Michael & Mary Kenny Ruby Wedding Anniversary
Sun 7 th	Fifth Sunday of Easter <i>First Holy Communions</i>	9:00am (St Cuthbert's)	Mass	Parishioners' Intentions
		11:00am	Mass	Jack Loftus (RIP, Ann.)
Mon 8 th	Ferial	<i>No Public Mass</i>		
Tues 9 th	Ferial <i>Day of Special Prayer for the Survivors of Sexual Abuse</i>	6:15pm	Mass	Sean McCombe (RIP)
Wed 10 th	St John de Avila, P, D	9:30am	Mass	Mary Meehan (RIP)
Thur 11 th	Ferial	9:30am	Mass	Norma & Armando Rodrigues (RIP, Ann.)
Fri 12 th	Ferial	9:30am	Mass	Jim & Lily Kelly's Intentions
Sat 13 th	Evening Mass of the Sunday	6:00pm <i>Children's Liturgy</i>	Mass	Fr Vincent McShane (RIP)
Sun 14 th	Sixth Sunday of Easter <i>First Holy Communions</i>	9:00am (St Cuthbert's)	Mass	Terry Lynch (RIP)
		11:00am	Mass	Parishioners' Intentions



FIRST HOLY COMMUNION: Please keep in your prayers **Eliza and Evie**, who will be celebrating their First Holy Communion during 11:00am Sunday Mass at St Luke's this weekend. As a parish we are blessed to be able to share this celebration with them.

BAPTISM: Congratulations and welcome to **Avery James Bradley**, who was baptised into God's family last weekend. We pray that Avery may live a long and happy life, and that he and his family will be guided by the Holy Spirit at all times.



CONFIRMATION: Please contact the office on the usual email if you, or someone you know, are currently in Year 7 or above and would like to begin the preparation course to be Confirmed later this year. Many thanks.

ROSARY IN MAY: The Rosary will be recited **before morning Mass** on **Wednesdays** from 9:15am during the month of May in honour of Our Lady. Morning Prayer will continue on Fridays only. Please join us if you are able to; we will pray particularly this week for Survivors of Sexual Abuse following the Special Day of Prayer on Tuesday, and also for the children in our parish celebrating their First Holy Communion during the month of May.



NEWS FROM ST LUKE'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL: We pray for all the children who are about to make their First Holy Communion. This weekend, we especially remember Eliza and Evelia as well as their family members.

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

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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	Bernard Timberlake	Tom Wood
Fr Pat Munroe	Eric & Margaret Young	Claire Taylor	For people having cancer treatment
Cora Sharkey	Jane Gibson	Fr Joseph O'Connor	
Kathleen Garvie	Kath Grossmith	Janet Sykes	
Jim Corrigan	Judith Whim	Pauline Bedington	
Hugh McNeil	Ian Hobson	Harry Gorse	
Kathleen Edwards	Nora Fyldes	Canon Phil Moore's mother	
Helen Grimes	Amy Selman	Ann Nightingale	
Karen Dolan	John Mannion		

 **REST IN PEACE:** Please pray for the happy repose of the soul of **Ron Sutton**, a parishioner of St Luke's who died on Thursday, 27th April. Ron's funeral service will take place at St Luke's on **Friday, 26th May at 11:00am** followed by cremation at Walton Lea Crematorium. Please keep Ron and all his family and friends in your prayers at this time. May he rest in peace.

Please also keep in your prayers The Rt Rev Joseph Gray, 9th Bishop of Shrewsbury, whose anniversary occurs this Sunday, 7th May. May he rest in peace.

TAKING LITURGY SERIOUSLY COURSE: The final part of this third module, the proclamation of the "Word of God", the use of psalms, by Martin Foster, continues this Thursday, 11th May in the Parish Centre, meeting at 7pm for Zoom start at 7:30pm. All are welcome, and we would particularly encourage our readers from both churches to attend. 

 **FOODBANK:** Thank you for your fantastic contributions to our monthly Foodbank collection last weekend. A total of **220kg plus £100** was donated. Your ongoing support for these collections each month is very much appreciated by all.

PRAYER CARDS: The Catholic Bishop's Conference of England and Wales has supplied us with Prayer Cards for the Coronation of King Charles III, and has asked that we all say this prayer together at the end of the weekend Masses over the Coronation weekend. Pope Francis has sent relics of the True Cross as a gift to King Charles which will be placed in the processional cross. This will be a poignant reminder of the Christian foundations of our country. 

 **DIOCESAN MASS FOR THE CELEBRATION OF MARRIAGE:** The annual Marriage Mass will be held on 14th October this year, for the first time since February 2020. If you are celebrating a significant wedding anniversary this year (Silver, Pearl, Ruby, Golden, Diamond, Platinum), or were married during 2021 and 2022, and would like an invitation to attend this special Mass, please let Fr James know as soon as possible.

ST NICHOLAS HIGH: While at a clergy meeting at St Nicholas' High School last week, Fr James was pleased to meet their new Headteacher, Mr Burns, who started work there after the Easter break. Please pray that his tenure at the school will be a successful one for him and all the staff and pupils. 

 **ORDINATIONS:** Bishop Mark asks you to keep in your prayers, **Liam Dodd**, a parishioner of Christ the King, Bromborough, and **Thomas Mannion**, a parishioner of St Joseph and St Alban, as they are ordained into the priesthood in the coming months.

THE UNIVERSE CATHOLIC NEWSPAPER: *The Universe* newspaper is to restart supplying a print edition. This may be a way to increase your faith through Catholic views on today's news stories and events. The paper would be available at the reduced rate of £2.50 each week. Before we commit to receiving these papers though it would be helpful if anyone interested in this weekly paper could let us know, through the office. Many thanks for your help. 

 **REFLECTIONS ON VATICAN II:** These Diocesan reflections continue with **Part III On The Church** by asking the question: 'Who is the Church?' The relevant **podcast** and **handout** are now available on the diocesan website at: dioceseofshrewsbury.org in the section on 'News and Events'. If you have difficulty accessing this material or have questions and reflections, please contact Barbara via: barbara.davies@dioceseofshrewsbury.org or 07730 526821.

Upcoming Events

Saturday, 13 th May 2023	• Children's Liturgy during 6:00pm Mass at St Luke's
Sunday, 14 th May 2023	• First Holy Communion Celebration
Sunday, 21 st May 2023	• First Holy Communion Celebration
Weekend 29 th /30 th April 2023	• Monthly Foodbank Collection at both churches

"Turn yourself round like a piece of clay and say to the Lord: I am clay, and you, Lord, the potter. Make of me what you will." (St John of Avila)