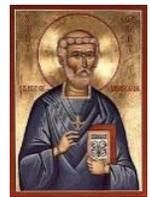




The Parish of Saint Luke, Frodsham & St Cuthbert-by-the-Forest, Mouldsworth

Diocese of Shrewsbury

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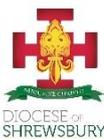
THE SACRAMENT OF MERCY (CONFESSIONS): Saturday 5.15-5.45 pm

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

SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME				
<i>Day of Special Prayer for World Peace</i>				
Day	Feast	Time	Service	Intention
Sat 13 th	Evening Mass of the Sunday	6:00pm	Mass	Parishioners' Intentions
Sun 14 th	Second Sunday in Ordinary Time	9:00am (St Cuthbert's)	Mass	Frances O'Reilly (RIP)
		11:00am	Mass	Anne Dolan (RIP, Ann.)
Mon 15 th	Ferial	<i>No Public Mass</i>		
Tues 16 th	Ferial	6:15pm	Mass	Frank & Hilda Hewitt (RIP, B' day)
Wed 17 th	St Anthony, Ab	9:30am	Mass	Lynney Jones (RIP)
Thur 18 th	Ferial - The Octave of Prayer for Christian Unity begins	9:30am	Mass	Holy Souls - Nov. list
Fri 19 th	Ferial	9:30am	Mass	Vocations to the Priesthood, Diaconate and Religious Life
Sat 20 th	Evening Mass of the Sunday	6:00pm	Mass	Canon Phil Moor, VG int's
Sun 21 st	Third Sunday in Ordinary Time	9:00am (St Cuthbert's)	Mass	Parishioners' Intentions
		11:00am	Mass	Sarah Loftus (RIP, B' day)
<i>Sunday of the Word of God</i>				



PRIESTS' RETIREMENT FUND: Next weekend, 20th/21st January, will be our annual second collection for the Priest's Retirement Fund. With your help we can build up the fund to help meet the future needs of our sick and retired priests. If you wish to Gift Aid your donation, please make your donation online by going to www.dioceseofshrewsbury.org/retired-priests-fund. Baskets will also be available in both churches next weekend.

BAPTISM: A warm welcome to **Kosimasichi Antonette Nnadozie**, who will be baptised into God's family this Sunday, 14th January at St Luke's. We pray that Kosimasichi may live a long and happy life, and that both he and his family will be guided by the Holy Spirit at all times.



WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY 2024: Running from Thursday 18th to 25th January, this year's theme is "You shall love the Lord your God ... and your neighbour as yourself". Should you wish to join in the daily prayers, prepared by a team in Burkina Faso, a leaflet is available online at: WPCU-2024-English-pamphlet-Final.pdf.pagespeed.ce.blzU36L9TX.pdf (ctbi.org.uk).

NEWS FROM ST LUKE'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL: St Luke's Mini Vinnies visited Chapel Fields care home last week. The children sang Christmas carols and spent time talking to the residents. The children enjoyed their visit very much.



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

Kath Grossmith

Fabrizio Motta

Canon John Gordon

Kathleen Garvie

Judith Whim

Tonnie Woods

For all people having

Jim Corrigan

Ian Hobson

Clare Huxley

cancer treatment & others

Kathleen Edwards

Nora Fyldes

Fr Vincent Kennedy

currently in hospital

Helen Grimes

Amy Selman

Margaret Ross

Timothy James Cleary

John Mannion

Sr Savio

Eric & Margaret Young

Bernard Timberlake

Pauline Hardy

Jane Gibson

Claire Taylor

Fr Bill Fitzgerald



Please also keep in your prayers **Canon Phil Moor, VG**, who is seriously ill in Arrowe Park Hospital.



REST IN PEACE: Please pray for the happy repose of the soul of **Father Paul Roy Lomas**, who died on Friday, 22nd December, aged 69 years. Father Paul's Requiem Mass will take place at Christ Church, Heald Green on **Friday, 2nd February at 12 noon**; his body will be received into the church the previous evening at 7:00pm. Please keep Father Paul, his family and friends and all who knew him in your prayers at this difficult time. May he rest in peace.

CONFIRMATIONS: Confirmations are scheduled to take place this year in our Local Pastoral Area on Thursday, 7th March. The Confirmation course will begin at St Luke's next **Saturday, 20th January at 4:30pm** in the Parish Centre. If you are currently Year 8 or above and would like to take part in the preparation for this Sacrament, please come along to join us for this first session. Thanks to those who have already expressed their interest and provided their details.



WORLD DAY OF PRAYER 2024 (formerly Women's World Day of Prayer): This year St Luke's will be hosting the service. It will take place on **Friday, 1st March at 1:30pm**, followed by light refreshments. It would be good if we had a strong representation (both men and women) from St Luke's. There is a planning meeting on **Friday, 2nd February at 1:30pm** in St Luke's church for anyone who is willing to take part (however small the commitment). Please sign up on the list in the Church porch, or contact Aelison on **01928 731235** for more information.

CHURCHES TOGETHER IN FRODSHAM: Members of churches in 2023 undertook a number of activities to raise donations for the Salvation Army fund for UK victims of Modern Slavery. The Salvation Army have a government contract to help and give support to victims. Events included an Art Exhibition, pottery available at the Helsby Tea Shop, crafts at the Methodist Craft Fair and carol singing at Morrisons Supermarket. A total of £650 was sent to the Salvation Army. Many thanks for your support.



CHURCH ROOF: This week the scaffolding was erected for work to begin on the new roof this coming week. The workmen will take a break during the times of our morning Masses on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, so Mass will continue as usual. The scaffolding means that some of the car parking spaces in the upper car park are no longer in use restricting the number of spaces available. Please use the spaces in our lower car park, and do take extra care when parking during this time. We ask that you do not allow your children to play near scaffolding or in the sections of the car park designated for the builders' use. Thank you for your cooperation and understanding during this important work.

VOCATIONS WEEKEND FOR WOMEN (20s & 30s): *Discerning God's Call in your Life, 16-18 February 2024, Liverpool.* The weekend is organised by the Sisters, Faithful Companions of Jesus (FCJ). Jesus invites each of us to 'Come and See' – this weekend will give the opportunity to explore the vocation to religious life and to reflect on God's call to you. If you are wondering if God is calling you to religious life and would like to find out more why not come along? You are welcome to stay for the weekend or just come along on Saturday for the day. There will be opportunity for prayer, reflection and input, a chance to ask questions and to meet others who are also wondering where God is calling them. For more information contact Sr Lynne fcj at fcjvocationeurope@gmail.com or visit our website www.fcjsisters.org



Upcoming Events

Saturday, 20 th January 2024	• First meeting of Confirmation Candidates in St Luke's Parish Centre
Sunday, 21 st January 2024	• Children's Liturgy during 11:00am Mass at St Luke's
Weekend 27 th & 28 th January 2024	• Foodbank Collection at both Churches
Sunday, 28 th January 2024	• Coffee Morning in St Luke's Parish Centre after 11:00am Mass

"The commitment to full unity and cooperation among all the Lord's disciples is like a radiant light in a dark night." (Pope Francis)