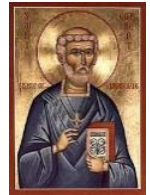




**The Parish of Saint Luke, Frodsham &  
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**ST CUTHBERT'S CHURCH IS NOW OPEN FOR PRIVATE PRAYER ON  
SUNDAYS 11:00am-NOON**

SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME				
Day	Feast	Time	Service	Intention
Sat 18 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Evening Mass of the Sunday</b>	6:00pm	Mass	Kathryn Sanson (RIP, B'day Int.)
Sun 19 <sup>th</sup>	<b>16<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>	11:00am	Mass	Parishioners' Intentions
Mon 20 <sup>th</sup>	Ferial	NO PUBLIC MASS		
Tue 21 <sup>st</sup>	Ferial	NO PUBLIC MASS		
Wed 22 <sup>nd</sup>	<b>St Mary Magdalene</b>	9:30am	Mass	Gerard & Elizabeth Dilworth (RIP, Ann)
Thurs 23 <sup>rd</sup>	St Bridget, R	NO PUBLIC MASS		
Fri 24 <sup>th</sup>	Ferial	NO PUBLIC MASS		Vocations to the Priesthood, Diaconate and Religious Life
Sat 25 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Evening Mass of the Sunday</b>	6:00pm	Mass	Parishioners' Intentions
Sun 26 <sup>th</sup>	<b>17<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>	11:00am	Mass	V. Rev Christopher Dwyer (RIP)

**To book your place at any of the Masses at St Luke's, please TEXT or CALL Victoria on 07913 073575 any weekday between 11:00am and 3:00pm.**

For your information, the readings this Sunday are:

First Reading: Wisdom 12: 13, 16-19

Psalm: Psalm 85: 5-6, 9-10, 15-16 R.v.5

*Response: O Lord, you are good and forgiving*

Second Reading: Romans 8: 26-27

Gospel Acclamation: *Alleluia, alleluia! May the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ enlighten the eyes of our mind, so that we can see what hope his call holds for us. Alleluia!*

Gospel: Matthew 13: 24-43 (shorter 24-30)



Mass can be live-streamed from the Cathedral via their website (<https://www.shrewsburycathedral.org>) or the Diocesan website (<http://www.dioceseofshrewsbury.org>). Sunday Mass times are 8:30am and 10:45am. Please check the Cathedral website for relevant times.

**REFLECTION SHEET:** This week's Reflection Sheet can be accessed [here](#).



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:**

Fr Jim McGrath

Jim Corrigan

Tony Wakefield

Chris Pownall

Fr Pat Munroe

Hugh McNeil

Carol Nordmann

Fr Paul Hughes

Kathleen Edwards

Sarah Goodhall

June Cunniffe

Helen Grimes

Frank Hewitt

Cora Sharkey

Deacon Philip White

Pauline Furlong

Graham Jubb

Karen Dolan

Mark Wilson

Jack Turner

Winnie Simcock

Timothy James

Kathleen Garvie

Rita Robertshaw

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

## **REOPENING OF OUR CHURCHES:** We are very pleased to announce that this Sunday, 19<sup>th</sup> July, sees the



reopening of St Cuthbert's Church, initially for Private Prayer. The building has been thoroughly cleaned and all necessary guidelines have been followed to allow this to happen. Volunteer stewards will be in place to ensure all visitors follow the relevant social distancing and other guidelines from the Diocese. All visitors are asked to maintain a 2m social distancing at all times, and to wear a mask or face-covering.

Details of the measures that are in place can be found at the end of the newsletter.

St Luke's continues to open to celebrate Mass 3 times a week: Saturday evening,

Sunday morning and Wednesday morning. All are very welcome but please remember to book a place and to bring your face coverings with you when you come. Please do not arrive too early to avoid being indoors for longer than necessary; Church will be open approximately 20 minutes before the start of Mass.

**SCHOOL CHAPLAIN:** You will be pleased to hear that The Catholic High School, Chester was successful in its search for a new lay School Chaplain, which we advertised last week. The post has been filled by Ana Gasparini, a parishioner at St Luke's, and our prayers and best wishes are with her as she begins this very challenging role.



**MISSIO RED BOXES:** To all current, past and prospective Red Box Holders. My name is Veronica Cleaver and I have become the Missio secretary for St Luke's parish. I am trying to check and update the records held by Missio to ensure correct contact details are held and to delete those no longer needed. In this way

we can ensure continued support for the charity in these difficult times. Can all past and present (and prospective) Red Box holders please contact me as soon as possible to confirm their contact details and tell me if they wish/are able to continue to support this charity. Contact me by email on [veronicacleaver@gmail.com](mailto:veronicacleaver@gmail.com) or phone or text 07754 884484. Thanks to all for their past support and please keep safe and healthy. Veronica



**ECUMENICAL DEVELOPMENT OFFICER:** Churches Together in Cheshire seeks to make an interim appointment to the above position. This position is for 15hrs a week, is to facilitate and support the churches of Cheshire in their relationships with one another and their wider mission in the world, by encouraging and developing the principles and practicalities of Christian unity throughout the county. Completed applications are required for 31<sup>st</sup> July. It is hoped to interview by the end of August. For full details of the post and an application form, please contact Andrew Taylor on 01270 780529 or by email at: [ceo.ctiv@gmail.com](mailto:ceo.ctiv@gmail.com)

**VIRTUAL PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES:** The Diocesan pilgrimage to Lourdes is due to begin on-line on Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> July (the day we would have begun the pilgrimage in Lourdes itself). Further details will follow to enable parishioners to join this pilgrimage if they wish.

*"Pray, hope and don't worry. Worry is useless. God is merciful and will hear your prayer." (Saint Pio of Pietrelcina)*

**MEASURES IN PLACE DURING PRIVATE PRAYER:** St Cuthbert's will be open for private prayer for about an hour on Sunday mornings, from 11:00am, from **Sunday, 19th July**. Please note that the following measures will be in place:

- There will be a restricted number of **10 people** in the church at any one time.
- Should the number of visitors to the church exceed that number you will be asked to wait in your car by a steward. Private prayer will then have to be restricted to a maximum of **15 minutes**.
- Please maintain social distancing at all times. To ensure that this can be maintained, you may be asked to wait by a steward, particularly at any "bottlenecks" within the building.
- There will be a one-way system in place, entering through the main door and exiting through the Sacristy.
- Hand sanitisers will be provided at the entrance and at the exit and should be used by all visitors.
- Doors and windows will be open as much as possible to allow for the flow of fresh air.
- The church toilets will be closed to the public.
- Votive candles will be placed in the holders in advance to avoid cross-contamination, and an initial candle lit which may be used to light other candles.
- Visitors are asked **not** to touch statues during their visit.
- No food or drink will be allowed on site (should you require water please ensure your bottle is of the sports-cap type, not a twist cap bottle).
- Please take with you any single-use materials which you use for private prayer.
- Children are **very welcome** to attend, but parents or guardians must manage them appropriately, particularly ensuring that they touch as few surfaces as possible.

Thank you all for playing your part in helping to keep all visitors to St Cuthbert's safe and healthy.

**MEASURES IN PLACE DURING MASS:** St Luke's is now open for Mass at the times indicated. Please note that the following measures are in place for your safety:

- There will be a restricted number of **30 people** at Mass; a pre-booking system will be in operation.
- Hand sanitisers will be provided at the entrance, within the porch and at the exit and should be used by all.
- Doors and windows will be open as much as possible to allow for the flow of fresh air.
- The church toilets will be closed to the public.
- There is a one-way system in place which involves the use of steps. For those visitors who would prefer to use the ramp, please let a steward know and they will be happy to accommodate your needs.
- Votive candles will be placed in the holders in advance to avoid cross-contamination, and an initial candle lit which may be used to light other candles. If you do wish to light a candle, please do so before the start of Mass and return to your assigned seat trying to avoid touching any surfaces if possible.
- Visitors are asked **not** to touch statues during their visit.
- No food or drink will be allowed on site (should you require water please ensure your bottle is of the sports-cap type, not a twist cap bottle).
- Children are **very welcome** to attend, but parents or guardians must manage them appropriately, particularly ensuring that they touch as few surfaces as possible.
- You **MUST** wear a face-covering as you enter Church and throughout Mass.
- Some single-use material will be provided as you arrive, particularly printed versions of the Gloria and Creed. Please ensure that you take this with you when you leave and dispose of it appropriately. If you have a device or missal with text for Mass you may bring this with you.
- A steward will direct you to a seat; people from the same household will be able to sit together.
- Holy Communion will be given out at the end of Mass.
  - The priest will say "The Body of Christ" and everyone will answer "Amen". There will be no words spoken as you come to receive.
  - A steward will invite each row forward in a pre-determined order. Please wait to be invited before leaving your bench.
  - Take your face covering down when the person in front of you is receiving.
  - Receive the host in your hand, step to the side (to the furthest available "cross" on the floor), consume the host and then put your face covering back on.
  - Make your way slowly and reverently out of Church, using the one-way system if you are able to (if you need to use the ramp to exit rather than steps, a steward will explain the route you should take).
  - You should remember to take all your belongs with you as you go to receive Communion as you will not be returning to your seat before leaving Church.

Thank you all for playing your part in helping us to create a safe environment to celebrate public Masses again.