



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

## Diocese of Shrewsbury

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Psalter Week IV Sunday Cycle B W/day Cycle I				
<b>FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT</b> Day of Special Prayer for Expectant Mothers				
Day	Feast	Time	Service	Intention
Sat 19 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Evening Mass of the Sunday</b>	6:00pm	Mass	Thomas Wood (RIP, Ann.)
Sun 20 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Fourth Sunday of Advent</b>	9:00am (St Cuthbert's)	Mass	Parishioners' Intentions
		11:00am	Mass	Rita Loftus (RIP, Ann.)
Mon 21 <sup>st</sup>	Ferial	NO PUBLIC MASS		
Tue 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Ferial	NO PUBLIC MASS		
Wed 23 <sup>rd</sup>	<b>Ferial</b>	9:30am	Mass	Pauline Furlong (RIP)
Thur 24 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Christmas Eve</b> 	5:00pm (St Cuthbert's)	Mass	Holy Souls - Nov. List
		7:30pm (St Luke's)	Mass	Charlie Newport (RIP)
Fri 25 <sup>th</sup>	 <b>The Nativity of the Lord</b>	9:00am (St Luke's)	Mass	Private Intention
		11:00am (St Cuthbert's)	Mass	Parishioners' Intentions
Sat 26 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Evening Mass of the Sunday</b> 	6:00pm	Mass	Neil Dunbar (RIP)
Sun 27 <sup>th</sup>	<b>The Holy Family</b> 	9:00am (St Cuthbert's)	Mass	Fr Paddy Culligan (RIP, Ireland)
		11:00am	Mass	Parishioners' Intentions
Mon 28 <sup>th</sup>	<b>The Holy Innocents, MM</b> 	10:00am	Mass	Ray Hallet (RIP)
Tues 29 <sup>th</sup>	<b>St Thomas Becket, B, M</b>	10:00am (St Cuthbert's)	Mass	Danny McGregor (RIP, Ann.)
Wed 30 <sup>th</sup>	 <b>6<sup>th</sup> Day of Christmas Octave</b>	10:00am	Mass	Ana & Leo Gasparini Thanksgiving - Wedd. Ann.
Thur 31 <sup>st</sup>	<b>7<sup>th</sup> Day of Christmas Octave</b> 	NO PUBLIC MASS		James & Sarah Devine (RIP, Ann.)
Fri 1 <sup>st</sup> Jan 2021	 <b>Mary the Mother of God</b>	10:30am	Adoration	Joe Kenny (RIP, Ann.)
		11:00am	Mass	
Sat 2 <sup>nd</sup>	<b>Evening Mass of the Sunday</b>	6:00pm	Mass	Our Schools' Int's (St Luke's, St Nicholas & CHS Chester)
Sun 3 <sup>rd</sup>	<b>Second Sunday after Christmas</b>	9:00am (St Cuthbert's)	Mass	Parishioners' Intentions
		11:00am	Mass	Julie Hopley (RIP, Ann.)

To book a 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.

To be fair to all who wish to attend Mass at St Cuthbert's, we can only take a booking for the Sunday one week ahead. To book a place, please CALL Chris on 07970 811043.



**REST IN PEACE:** Please pray for the happy repose of the soul of **Barbara Ann Eaton**, who died peacefully at home in Helsby on Thursday, 10<sup>th</sup> December, aged 75 years. Barbara's Requiem Mass will take place at St Luke's on Tuesday, 5<sup>th</sup> January 2021 at 10:15am (Reception into church 10:00am), followed by committal at Walton Lea Crematorium at 11:40am. Please keep Barbara, her husband Richard, and her family and friends in your prayers at this very difficult time. May she rest in peace.

**REFLECTION SHEET:** This week's Reflection Sheet can be accessed from our website at:

<https://www.stlukesparish.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/Reflection-Sheet-Fourth-Sunday-of-Advent.pdf>



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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  
Fr Pat Munroe  
Fr Paul Hughes  
June Cunniffe  
Cora Sharkey  
Kathleen Garvie  
Jim Corrigan  
Hugh McNeil

Kathleen Edwards  
Helen Grimes  
Deacon Philip White  
Karen Dolan  
Winnie Simcock  
Rita Robertshaw  
Tony Wakefield  
Carol Nordmann

Mark Wilson  
Timothy James Cleary  
Chris Pownall  
The Taylor Family  
Geraldine Harris  
Jamie Douglas  
Hilda Hewitt  
Anne Andrews

Betty Nelson  
Father Gerard  
McGuiness  
Margaret Arthurs



**ST CUTHBERT'S FOOD BANK COLLECTION:** The Food Bank collection at St Cuthbert's continues this weekend. All donations will be taken to the West Cheshire Food Bank. For health and safety reasons, please don't bring items into the Church – speak to a steward and your donations of food and toiletries will be collected in the car park. At this time of great difficulty for many, your support is very much appreciated.



**CAROL SERVICE:** The wonderful musicians at St Cuthbert's are holding a Cyber Carol Concert at 6pm on Sunday, 20<sup>th</sup> December. All parishioners are welcome to join in via Microsoft Teams, the link to which (on the electronic version of this newsletter) is here: [Click here to join the meeting](#). If you are new to Teams, click the link and then choose "Continue on this Browser" and "Join Now" to connect. The meeting opens at 17:45 and the concert starts at 18:00, please be in your seats by then!

**CHESTER CATENIANS:** On Wednesday, 16<sup>th</sup> December, a group of the Chester Catenians attended Mass here at St Luke's to belatedly celebrate Father James' 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Ordination, which was in June. At the end of the Mass, they presented Father James with a lovely gift, which he very much appreciated.

**VACANCY:** Applications are requested for the post of Headteacher at St Anne's Catholic Primary School, Nantwich. Prospective applicants should contact: [schoolgovernance@cheshireeast.gov.uk](mailto:schoolgovernance@cheshireeast.gov.uk) for the full application pack and the closing date for applications is Monday, 25th January 2021 at midday. Please contact Victoria if you would like to see the full advert for the post.



**OFFERTORY COLLECTION:** A recent count of the loose plate offerings came to **£798.06**. Your constant generosity is very much appreciated. Also, many thanks for your donations to all the recent special collections, both through offerings in Church and online. If you are making an Offertory to Church by cheque, please make it payable to 'St Luke's Frodsham'. Thank you.

**Fourth Sunday of Advent - Peace**

*"Rejoice, you who enjoy God's favour! The Lord is with you." (Luke 1:28)*

God-with-us, you made your home among us, loved by your mother Mary, and bringing her joy.

As we prepare to celebrate your birth, be with us now, especially with those who are seeking refuge. Comfort us all and bring us joy. Amen



**FAMILY PRAYER**

*Father, bless our family and keep us safe in your loving care. May Mary our Mother give us the wisdom to see You in our joys and sorrows, our triumphs and failures. May Jesus your son help us to support one another and heal us of any wounds and hurt that become part of family life. Keep us true to your Son Jesus in the practice of our faith and in our love for one another. In the fullness of time O Lord, unite us with our deceased family members in Your eternal home. Amen*



*Fr James and Victoria (Parish Secretary) would like to wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year 2021*



*"Mankind is a great, an immense family ... This is proved by what we feel in our hearts at Christmas."*  
(Pope John XXIII)