

## 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

Psalter Week I Sunday Cycle A W/day Cycle I	FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT			
Day	Feast	Time	Service	Intention
Sat 25 <sup>th</sup>		11:00am	0am Lenten Penitential Service at St Luke's	
	Evening Mass of the Sunday	6:00pm	Mass	Noel Fitzmaurice (RIP)
Sun 26th	Fifth Sunday of Lent	9:00am (St Cuthbert's)	Mass	Parishioners' Intentions
		11:00am Children's Liturgy	Mass	Fr Seamus Ryan (RIP)
Mon 27th	Ferial	No Public Mass		
Tues 28th	Ferial	6:15pm	Mass	Ken Hayes (RIP)
Wed 29th	Ferial	9:30am	Mass	Holy Souls - Nov. List
		10:00am	Stations of the Cross at St Cuthbert's	
Thur 30th	Ferial	9:30am	Mass	Frank Pickerill (RIP)
Fri 31 <sup>st</sup>	Ferial	11:00am	Requiem Mass	Iris Lorna Nuttall (RIP)
Sat 1st April	Evening Mass of the Sunday	6:00pm Children's Liturgy	Mass	Parishioners' Intentions
Sun 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Palm Sunday of the	9:00am (St Cuthbert's)	Mass	EP Intentions
	Passion of Our Lord	11:00am	Mass	Helen Mannion (RIP, Ann.)



**LENTEN PENITENTIAL SERVICES**: Our second Lenten Penitential Service will be held at St Luke's this **Saturday, 25**th **March** at **11am**. Father James will have the welcome help of one of the Spiritan priests from Chester. All are welcome to join us and we hope this service will be well-received and supported.

**TAKING LITURGY SERIOUSLY COURSE**: The last part of the second module of this course, "Word of Prayer" by Reverend Professor Peter McGrail, takes place this Thursday in the Parish Centre, meeting at 7pm for Zoom start at 7:30pm. All are welcome.



**EASTER SERVICES**: Please take a hand-out with details of our services during Holy Week, which will be as follows:

- **Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper**, Thursday, 6th April, **7pm** at *St Cuthbert's*
- **Solemn Liturgy of the Passion of Christ,** Friday, 7th April, **3pm** at *St Luke's*
- **T** Easter Vigil Mass, Saturday, 8th April, 8pm at St Luke's
- † Mass of the Resurrection, Sunday, 9th April, 9am at St Cuthbert's; 11am at St Luke's.



**NEWS FROM ST LUKE'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL:** Pupils from Key Stage Two joined the annual Frodsham and Villages cross-country run at Delamere Forest. This is always a great community event.



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

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 Karen Dolan Amy Selman Canon Phil Moore's Fr Pat Munroe Timothy James Cleary John Mannion mother

Cora Sharkey Eric & Margaret Young Bernard Timberlake For people having cancer Kathleen Garvie Jane Gibson Claire Taylor treatment

Jim CorriganKath GrossmithFr Joseph O'ConnorHugh McNeilJudith WhimJanet SykesKathleen EdwardsIan HobsonPauline BedingtonHelen GrimesNora FyldesHarry Gorse



REST IN PEACE: Please pray for the happy repose of the soul of Elsie Duff, a parishioner of St Luke's who died on Saturday, 11<sup>th</sup> March. Details of Elsie's funeral will be announced shortly. Please keep Elsie, her husband Vince, daughter Rachel and all her family and friends in your prayers at this time. May she rest in peace. Please also continue to pray for Iris Lorna Nuttall, who died at the Countess of Chester hospital on Thursday, 9<sup>th</sup> February. Her Requiem Mass will take place at St Luke's on Friday, 31<sup>st</sup> March at 11:00am. Please keep Iris and all her family and friends in your prayers at this time. May she rest in peace.

JOB VACANCY: SVP Membership Support Officer. The St Vincent de Paul Society would like to recruit a MSO for the Shrewsbury Diocese. A part time role (15 hours per week) working as part of the SVP Membership Team, to support member recruitment and development, provide general support for members and be the link between local Conferences and National Office. The role is home based but requires the ability to travel around the diocese to make recruitment appeals, work with existing groups, attend meetings and meet with interested parties where appropriate. Own transport essential and travel expenses are paid. For further information and details of how to apply, contact Lance Philpott, Head of Membership at <a href="mailto:lancep@svp.org.uk">lancep@svp.org.uk</a>. Closing date for applications is Sunday, 16th April 2023.



MISSIO BOXES: Please could we ask that any Missio Red Boxes be brought into both churches on the weekends of 25<sup>th</sup>/26<sup>th</sup> March and 4<sup>th</sup>/5<sup>th</sup> April to allow for monies to be collected and counted. If there is no-one available to collect your box, please leave in the sacristy for safety. Many thanks for your continuing support.

**IRISH NIGHT**: Tickets are available for the Irish Night to be held at St Luke's Parish Centre on Friday, 21st April from 7pm until 10:30pm, priced at £15 (U18s £10). Tickets include live music, dancing with a caller, hog roast (vegetarian option) and a bar, and are available from Elizabeth at <a href="mailto:e.harlow10@gmail.com">e.harlow10@gmail.com</a> or from Victoria at the office: <a href="mailto:stlukesfrodsham@outlook.com">stlukesfrodsham@outlook.com</a>. This is a great opportunity for both our parish communities to come together for what promises to be a lively social occasion!

FOODBANK: This weekend is our monthly Foodbank collection in both churches. This month Runcorn & District Foodbank (St Luke's collection) are in particular need of: Tinned fish, sponge puddings, custard, jam and bags for life. Many thanks for your continuing support.

**COMMENTARIES** by Father Colin on the weekly readings are now available on the website for each liturgical year. We are currently on Year A which can be found at: <a href="https://www.stlukesparish.org.uk/?page\_id=2315">https://www.stlukesparish.org.uk/?page\_id=2315</a>.

**ONLINE COURSE ON VATICAN II: Part III The Church.** The first podcast on *Lumen Gentium* is now available at <u>dioceseofshrewsbury.org</u> together with **3 handouts for downloading or printing**: An Introduction to *LG*; A visual presentation of its 8 chapters; An outline of issues addressed in it. A **leaflet** outlining the content of all of the podcasts in the series is available in the parish. Should you have difficulty accessing this material, any questions or reflections, please don't hesitate to call Barbara Davies on 07730 526821.

## **Upcoming Events**

Thursday, 30th March 2023	Taking Liturgy Seriously, Module 2, 7pm in Parish Centre
Saturday, 1st April 2023	• Lenten Day of Recollection, St Luke's Parish Centre, 10am–3pm
Wednesday, 5th April 2023	Passover Meal in Parish Centre, 6:30pm
Friday, 7th April 2023	Walk of Witness from St Cuthbert's to St John's, 10am
Friday, 21st April 2023	Irish Night at St Luke's Parish Centre, 7pm
Sunday, 23rd April 2023	• Reflection and Renewal for Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist, 12.30–
	2.30pm in St Luke's Parish Centre

🤛 The CAFOD Lenten Alms collection tin will be available in the porch throughout Lent 🔏



Don't forget to set your clocks ahead I hour this weekend!

