

Saint Luke's Parish Diocese of Shrewsbury



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Psalter Week I Sunday Cycle A W/day Cycle I	17th Sunday in Ordinary Time (A)			
Day	Feast	Time	Service	Intention
Sat 29 th	Evening Mass of the Sunday	6:00pm	Mass	Luthien Bryant Ledesma Thanksgiving
Sun 30 th	17th Sunday in OT	10:00am	Mass	Parishioners Intentions
Mon 31 st	St. Ignatius of Loyola	9:30am	Mass	Josephine Holmes (RIP)
Tue 1 st	St. Alphonsus Mary Liguori	6:15pm	Mass	Pat Heslip (RIP)
Wed 2 nd	Ferial	9:30am	Mass	Bet & Alf Kinsey (RIP)
Thu 3 rd	St. Oswald	9:30am	Mass	Tom Woods (RIP)
Fri 4 th	St. John Vianney	8:15am	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	
		9:30am	Mass	Special Intention
Sat 5 th	Evening Mass of the Sunday	6:00pm	Mass	Peggy Whibberley (RIP) (Anniv.)
Sun 6 th	The Transfiguration of the Lord	10:00am	Mass	Parishioners Intentions

THE SACRAMENT OF MERCY (CONFESSIONS): Saturday 5.00-5.45 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 8:15am.

MASS RESPONSES
First Reading: 1 Kings 3:5,7-12
Psalm: (118) "Lord how I love your law!"
Second Reading: Romans 8:28-30
Gospel Acclamation: "Alleluia, Alleluia! I call you friends, says the Lord, because I have made known to you everything I have learnt from my Father. Alleluia!"
Gospel: Mathew 13:44-52
Communion Antiphon: "Bless the Lord, O my soul, and never forget all his benefits."

LAST WEEK'S COLLECTION: £488.57. Thank you for your constant generosity.

THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND: Your prayers are asked for all the sick, especially those in care homes, nursing homes and hospitals. Please remember in your prayers Lilian Hodgson and Keith Worrall. Please contact us if you wish to include a person on the list.



This Sunday there will be refreshments after 10am Mass. Please come to the Parish Centre to share your coffee with fellow parishioners, a great opportunity to chat and meet new people. Also, you will be able to enjoy your coffee in the newly built kitchen area!

AID TO THE CHURCH IN NEED COLLECTION: £671.10. Thank you for this amazing contribution. Terry Gorman who has talked to us last week, is greatly thankful for your generosity. If you still wish to make a donation or return an envelope, please leave it in the Sacristy or envelopes can go in the basket during Mass collections. Thank you.

POOR CLARES HAWARDEN: "Feast of Portiuncula" will take place on Wednesday 2nd of August at 5:30pm. An hour of prayer with the opportunity for the Sacrament of Reconciliation available, followed by Festival Mass at 6:30pm. See poster in porch. Visit www.poorclarestmd.org or ring 01244531029, Upper Hall lane, Hawarden CH5 3EN. Thank you.

DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES 2017: Please keep the Pilgrimage to Lourdes in your prayers. You may wish to join them by the live feed on the Lourdes Website when they gather on Sunday for the International Mass at 8.30am (BST) and for the Grotto Mass with the Diocese of Salford on Monday, 31 July at 8.45am (BST). They will also be taking part in the Torchlight Procession this Saturday, 29th at 8pm (BST) and the Blessed Sacrament Procession and Blessing of the Sick on Monday, 31 July at 4pm (BST). (www.lourdes-france.org)

INTERCESSION FOR VOCATIONS TO THE PRIESTHOOD CARD: The Diocese of Shrewsbury has sent beautiful cards with a message from Pope Francis and a prayer at the back. Please take a card from the porch table. It is truly important that we constantly pray for more vocations during this difficult times and shortage of priests.

FRIENDS OF HOLY LAND NEWSLETTER: Please take the Summer/Autumn 2017 issue in the porch.

ANTI-HUMAN TRAFFICKING SERVICE AT CHESTER CATHEDRAL: Sunday September 17th at 6.30 pm Churches Together are hoping to run a coach for this very important event. The cost would be £6 pp and would leave Frodsham at **5:45pm**, returning for **8:15 pm**. We would like to know interested numbers fairly quickly. If you would like to come, please add your name to the list at the back of Church. More details available from scpickett@hotmail.com or Aelison Wilson 731235.

HAPPY HOLIDAYS! We wish all people going away a restful and enjoyable holiday!

UPCOMING EVENTS AT ST. LUKE'S:

30/07/2017 Coffee Morning after Mass, Parish Centre

Little Church, Music Group, Confirmation Programme and Coffee Morning will resume in September.

"Our job isn't to change the message. Our job is to let the message change us."



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