

17th– 23rd October, 2020

29th Week in Ordinary time



Diocese of Wrexham Registered Charity Number 700426

Our Lady Star of the Sea R.C Church, Llandudno

Served by the Missionaries of St Paul



During the lockdown period Mass will be celebrated privately by Father Isek.

Confessions are available on request.

Matthew's Gospel 12: 1-12



At that time Jesus went through the cornfields one Sabbath day. His disciples were hungry and began to pick ears of corn and eat them. The Pharisees noticed it and said to him, 'Look, your disciples are doing something that is forbidden on the Sabbath.' But he said to them, 'Have you not read what David did when he and his followers were hungry-how he went into the house of God and they ate the loaves of the offering although neither he nor his followers were permitted to eat them, but only the priests? Or again, have you not read in the Law that on the Sabbath day the Temple priests break the Sabbath without committing any fault? Now here, I tell you, is something greater than the Temple. And if you had understood the meaning of the words: Mercy is what pleases me, not sacrifice, you would not have condemned the blameless. For the Son of man is master of the Sabbath.' He moved on from there and went to their synagogue; now a man was there with a withered hand. They asked him, 'Is it permitted to cure somebody on the Sabbath day?' hoping for something to charge him with. But he said to them, 'If any one of you here had only one sheep and it fell down a hole on the Sabbath day, would he not get hold of it and lift it out? Now a man is far more important than a sheep, so it follows that it is permitted on the Sabbath day to do good.'

Last weeks' Offering

Plate: £428.25

Gift aid: £548.50

Thank you for your generosity!

We encourage you to join the gift aid scheme if you are able please contact 01492860546

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In your charity please pray for our sick and housebound brothers and sisters:

Bill Bailey, Jennifer Congreve, Ian Duffield, Doreen Barker, Bob Lemon, Mary Howells, Pat Wilcox, Janice Lockwood, Stephen O'Connell, Jim Kane, Shelagh Scraggs, Jennifer Hamlett, Stephen O'Connell, John Kelly, Olive McStay, Brian Bertola, Hugh Drennan, Rose Quigley, Charles McTear,

Sick clergy: Fr Tony Jones, Mgr James Fealey, Fr Paschal Dormer and Cn David Eccleshare; Fr Ian Dalglish and Canon Bernard Lordan

Recently Dead: Olive Edwards, Carmel Priddle

Saturdays :10am-Young peoples adoration - come along and spend some time with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament, whilst the young members of our Parish lead the Rosary prayer.: **Suspended until 14/11**



Weddings and Funerals: Bereaved families and newly engaged couples, please contact the Parish office first, on these occasions, this will allow the Parish office to also make all the necessary arrangements.

IMPORTANT:

The Welsh Government have imposed a lockdown starting from Friday 23rd October at 6pm. All places of worship have been ordered to close, therefore, there will be no public worship until this new lockdown is lifted. Please do log onto our website where materials will be uploaded.

Pope Francis

“The confessional is not a torture chamber, but the place in which the Lord's mercy motivates us to do better.”



Announcements

Whatsapp

We are encouraging all of you to share any news or notifications on the Whatsapp group by sending these to Father Isek or the office.

Reminder

The office is closed on Mondays, please send all enquiries via email. Please call for any emergency such as anointing.

Reminder Clocks go back overnight 24th/25th October

Food bank— If anyone would like to donate, then they can do so, by placing in the plastic box next to the Presbytery, many thanks to Ronnie who kindly organised this.

Here are some resources for those who can access the internet or own a smart phone Remember that you may be isolated but you are never alone, your Parish Priest will continue to offer Mass for your intentions.

<https://www.carloacutis.com/en/association/mostra-miracoli-eucaristici>

<https://www.ewtn.com/catholicism>

<https://www.thetablet.co.uk/news/12590/isolated-but-not-alone-resources-for-catholics>

<https://www.loyolapress.com/catholic-resources/>

Apps: Pray as you go (free), Universalis, iBreviary (free) and Catholic TV (free).

Upcoming events that can be accessed from home:

Rosary whirlwind: October 31st

Let us join our Brothers and Sisters around the British Isles in praying the Rosary –Wrexham Diocese will pray together at 4pm.

All souls day, 2nd November, 2020

Join other parishioners on Zoom or by lighting a candle and praying for the dead at 7pm. It may be a nice idea to use this day to share your memories of loved ones with others such as grandchildren who may not have met your relative, husband or friend. Share wedding, baby/school pictures with those around you, by using a smart phone or computer. Host a Zoom dinner with an emphasis on remembering the dead, celebrate the life that was given by God, and the promise of eternal salvation. (Zoom meeting link will be sent via email to all who have completed an information form and declaration.)

