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 **3rd Sunday of Lent (B) 7th/8th March 2015**

**Sat 7th March 5.30pm @ CQ Bert & Margaret Hinton RIP**

**Sat 7th March 7.00pm @ CQ Polish Mass**

**Sun 8th March 9.30am @ QF People of the Parish**

**Sun 8th March 11.00am @ CQ Sr Brigid Sheehy RIP**

Mon 9th - 9.30am @ QF Liturgy of the day Sr Etheldreda Gray RIP

Tue 10th – 10.00am @ CQ **THERE IS NO MASS TODAY**

Wed 11th - 9.45am @ CQ **Novena to Our Lady**

 “ “ – 10.00am @ CQ Liturgy of the day Des Feery RIP

Thu 12th - 9.30am @ QF Liturgy of the day Delia & Pat Kelly RIP

Fri 13th - 10.00am @ CQ Liturgy of the day Donor’s Intention

Sat 14th - 9.30am @ QF Liturgy of the day Arthur Sparks RIP (FM)

 “ “ - 5.30pm @ CQ

Confessions - Saturday after 9.30am Mass @ QF & 5.00pm @ CQ

**Children’s Liturgy of the Word Rota** - Mar 8th – Mrs Lambert & Mrs Burns / Mar 15th – Mrs Smith & Mrs Sullivan

**Church Cleaning Rota CQ** - w/c Mar 8th – Lia & Joyce / w/c Mar 15th – Marilyn & Angela

**Stations of the Cross: will take place every Friday during Lent at Connah’s Quay at 7pm and every Thursday after the 9.30am Mass at Queensferry.**

**Walsingham Pilgrimage**: There will be a group from this Parish going to Walsingham with Leisure Time Travel. We're staying at "Elmham House" from Wednesday 8th to Saturday 11th July. The price is £220 for accommodation, breakfast and evening meal. **If anyone is interested in joining us please contact Jackie 813354 (Queensferry) or Terri 831112 (Connah's Quay) by Friday 13th March.**

**Mary Jones Centre,Bala**: Wed. 11 March: Presentation by the Centre Manager, Nerys Pritchard, at Buckley Cross Methodist Church, 4.15pm & 7.00pm

**National Week of Prayer & Awareness for Dementia**: 12th-19th March - this is organised by the Pastoral Care Project, there are various resources to help everyone reflect and pray on this theme on http://pastoralcareproject.org.uk/Week\_of\_prayer\_for\_Dementia.asp.

**On-line Catholic Directory**: a mobile version of the online Catholic Directory has been launched - simply go to www.CatholicDirectory.org and if you are using a mobile you will be taken to the mobile site. When you are out and about you can find your nearest Mass Time or Church by pressing one button. This has been developed with the support of so many people but everyone needs to know that this is available. So please, **try it out and Pass is on!**

**Cytun**: Please see poster in porch for details of the Lent Course on Wednesdays, until 25th March at St Mark’s Parish Centre at 7.00pm

**The Medical Foundation for the Care of Victims of Torture**: have a Jewellery and Banknote Recycling scheme. They're asking for ANY old or unwanted Gold, Silver, Costume Jewellery, Watches or old/new foreign/UK banknotes. Even broken and damaged items will help, so all those odd earrings and snapped chains are a perfect start! (Please give to Sr. Vianney)

**Collection:** Last weekend was £240.64 with a further £384.00 from the Gift Aid envelopes. This will give our parish an extra £96.00 we can claim back from tax paid. Please consider giving your offertory in a Gift Aid envelope if you pay tax. The amount raised for the Church Maintenance Fund was £385.87 and the total for Cafod will be announced next week as further donations are expected.

The new Gift Aid envelopes and the Church Maintenance Fund envelopes which start on 12th April are now available for collection.

**Looking ahead**: Sunday 22nd March – Legion of Mary Acies Ceremony, 4.00pm at St David’s Church, Mold. The service will end with Benediction.

**Items for the bulletin**: to Carmel Smith, tel 01244 830985 or e-mail carmel\_smith@sky.com by Weds evening please.

**During Lent please pray for Candidates for the Sacraments, the Needy and Hungry of the World, Women, Penitents & Wanderers**.