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 **21st Sunday of Ordinary Time (B) 22nd/23rd August 2015**

**Sat 22nd August 5.30pm @ CQ Donor’s Intention**

**Sun 23rd August 9.30am @ QF Donor’s Intention**

**Sun 23rd August 11.00am @ CQ People of the Parish**

Mon 24th – No Mass Today

Tue 25th – No Mass Today

Wed 26th – No Mass Today

Thu 27th - No Mass Today

Fri 28th - No Mass Today

Sat 29th – No morning Mass Today

 “ “ - **5.30pm @ CQ** Francis Judge RIP

Confessions - Saturday @ 5.00pm @ CQ, no Confessions at QF

**Children’s Liturgy of the Word Rota** – The next liturgy will be Sunday 6th Sept.

**Church Cleaning Rota CQ** – w/c 23rd Aug – Lia & Joyce / w/c 30th Aug – Marilyn & Angela

**Canon Joe will be away from Monday 17th August until Friday 28th August, Monsignor Fealey will be staying and covering the weekend Masses.**

Canon Joe is unwell and was unable to go on holiday. He is now away resting for a few days.

**OUTING TO MARY JONES WORLD** at Llanycil, Bala on **Saturday 5th September**. The coach will pick up at 10.30 am at the bus stop by Quaystone Chapel, Connah’s Quay, and then at the bus stop by Rivertown URC Church,Shotton, returning at about 5pm, via Llangollen, with, time permitting, a short stay there. The fare and entrance to Mary Jones World is £13.50. Please bring a picnic lunch. Booking forms**, to be returned by 1st September, are in the porch of both churches.**

**St Teresa of Avila**: an exhibition to mark the 500th Anniversary of her birth is visiting 16 cathedrals across the UK. It will be in Cardiff at the Metropolitan Cathedral of St David from Friday 28th August to Tuesday 15th September.

**Vatican Website**: a visit to this (www.Vatican.va) is always worthwhile, the virtual tour of the Sistine Chapel is worth seeing.

**Collection:** The total last weekend was £216.36, with a further £427.60 from the gift aid envelopes. Gift Aid donations given this week mean that our parish can claim back £136.63 from tax already paid. If you pay tax please consider seeing Brian Bowden about Gift Aid. Last week’s retiring collection for the Poor Missions Fund raised £315 55 of which £118.95 was gift aided.

The retiring collection next weekend, 29/30 August, is the monthly collection for the Church Maintenance Fund. Parishioners in the Gift Aid scheme please use the white envelope for August. If you are unable to give next weekend, the envelope can be put in the offertory collection ay any future date.

**NB** All the groups serving the parish need new members. Please consider supporting some aspect of parish life by being an altar server, Church cleaner (men and women), flower arranger, greeter, Minister of the Word (Reader), catechist etc.

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