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 **4th Sunday of Eastertide (B) 25th/26th April 2015**

**Sat 25th April 5.30pm @ CQ Robert Alan Moore RIP**

**Sun 26th April 9.30am @ QF Nai Hva Chen (ill)**

**Sun 26th April 11.00am @ CQ People of the Parish**

Mon 27th - 9.30am @ QF Liturgy of the Day Josie Dewar RIP

Tue 28th – **10.30am @ CQ Requiem Mass for Robert Alan Moore RIP**

Wed 29th - 9.45am @ CQ **Novena to Our Lady**

 “ “ – 10.00am @ CQ St Catherine of Siena Pauline Knowles RIP

 “ “ – **2.15pm @ CQ** **Funeral Service for Pauline Knowles RIP**

Thu 30th – 9.30am @QF Liturgy of the Day Ann & Louis McKeown RIP

Fri 1st – 10.00am @ CQ Liturgy of the Day Alfreda Julie Jones

Sat 2nd – 9.30am @ QF St Athanasius  Sr Pius RIP

 “ “ - 5.30pm @ CQ

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

**Children’s Liturgy of the Word Rota** - Apr 26th – Mrs Voas & Mrs Smith / May 3rd – Mrs Smith & Miss Murdoch

**Church Cleaning Rota CQ** - w/c Apr 26th – Sue, Sharon & Jeanette / May 3rd – Moya, Paul & Lynda

**Sr Pius RIP**: Please pray for the repose of the soul of Sr. Pius, who died on 9th April in the Sisters of Mercy Nursing Home in Derby. Sister’s Funeral Mass is on Friday 1st May, 11.30am at Our Lady of the Assumption Church, Oscott Hill, Birmingham. Several parishioners will be present.

**Retiring collection**: this weekend (25th/26th April) is the monthly collection for the Church Maintenance Fund. Parishioners in the Gift Aid scheme please use the white envelope for April which is in your large brown envelope. Although retiring collections are usually announced one week in advance, sometimes the special Gift Aid envelopes are forgotten. In cases such as this the envelope can be put into the offertory collection at any weekend Mass following. Unless these envelopes are used we are unable to reclaim tax and our parish loses out on much needed revenue.

**International Mass**: on Friday 1st May at 7.00pm in Wrexham Cathedral. Bishop Peter invites all who have come to Wales to make a home & earn a living, to share their culture & faith - and if you would like to wear national costumes this would be very welcome. Refreshments will be served in the Cathedral Hall after the Mass.

**Red Boxes**: today (26th April) is the last day for CQ parishioners to return their “Mission Today” boxes.

**L'Arche Flintshire Cornerstone Project-(P**roviding community life for people with learning disabilities)There will be a presentation by Terry Loftus on Monday 18th May @ 7.30pm at St. David's Church, Mold Road at the Deeside Cytun AGM.

**Marriage & family today**: Tuesday **28th April @ 7.00pm, meeting in Church** to share on hopes and concerns that surfaced from the 7 sheets: The Call, the Journey and the Mission.

SYNOD ON THE FAMILY - Your Thoughts - There is still time to submit your responses to The Call, the Mission and the Journey either personally or as a parish.  It is also now possible to send your responses electronically.  To do so please visit “http://www.catholicfamily.org.uk/what-we-do/family-synod” and click on 'Respond to the Survey Online'.  This online survey will close on April 30th.  If you have completed paper copies then please send them to Margaret Hinton, Diocesan Marriage and Family Life Coordinator C/O Bishops House, Sontley Road, Wrexham. LL13 7EW by May 4th.

**Food bank**: they are particularly in need of toiletries, detergent, washing up liquid and babies nappies. Would you please check the dates on foodstuffs, they need to be well within date. Thank you for all contributions.

**Collection details:** Last weekend was £235.92 with a further £426.50 from the Gift Aid envelopes. Late Gift Aided Easter Offering donations to the amount of £87.00 were also received. This will give our parish an extra £128.37 we can claim back from tax paid. Please consider giving your offertory in a Gift Aid envelope if you pay tax.

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