***PARISH OF BLESSED SACRAMENT & BLESSED TRINITY* (www.connahsquaycatholicchurch.org.uk)**

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**27th Sunday of Ordinary Time (A) 7th & 8th October 2017**

**Sat 7th October 5.30pm @ CQ Laurence Kinnair RIP**

**Sun 8th October 9.30am @ QF Donor’s Intention**

**Sun 8th October 11.00am @ CQ People of the Parish**

Tue 10th – 9.30am @ QF Liturgy of the Day Donor’s Intention

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

“ “ - 10.00am @ CQ Liturgy of the Day Eileen Jolley RIP

Thu 12th – 9.30am @ QF Liturgy of the Day Donor’s Intention

“ “ - 1.30pm @ CQ **Funeral Service for Patrick Storey RIP**

Fri 13th – 10.00am @ CQ Liturgy of the Day Deceased Members of the Voas Family

Sat 14th – 5.30pm @ CQ 28th Sunday of Ordinary Time Elizabeth Cockcroft RIP

Sun 15th – 9.30am @ QF Paul Joughin RIP

“ “ - 11.00am @ CQ People of the Parish

Confessions –Saturday 5.00pm @ CQ

**Children’s Liturgy of the Word Rota** – 8th October – Miss Murdoch & Mrs Burns / 15th October – Mrs Burns & Miss Murdoch

**Church Cleaning Rota CQ** – w/c 8th October - Dorota, Iza & Joanna / w/c 15th October - Sharon & Jeannette

**The Annual Mass count will take place at all weekend Masses during October.**

**Retiring collection**: Friday 6th October was the Cafod Family Fast day, the collection for this will take place on 7th & 8th October.

**First Confession/Communion**: there will be a meeting on Tuesday 10th October, 5.15pm at Venerable Edward Morgan School for the parents of all the children preparing for their First Confession & First Communion next year.

**SVP Christmas Carol Service**: this year the annual service, held at St Richard Gwyn High School, is on Thursday 7th December. It’s a lovely event which includes a buffet and mince pies. If you interested in attending please advise a member of the SVP so they can arrange transport for the correct numbers**.**

**Help Needed**: we need more volunteers to be added to the cleaning rota please, “many hands make light work”.

**St Richard Gwyn**: the mass this year will be on Sunday 15th October at 4pm at Wrexham Cathedral.

**Christmas Fayre**: 25th November at the Civic Hall C/Q. The next meeting will be Monday 23rd October at 7pm in the Presbytery. Towards the end of October we will be asking for contributions to include bric-a-brac, toys, toiletries, unwanted gifts or any saleable items. **Tombola Bottle Stall** - during the month of October we are asking all parishioners to donate a bottle for this stall - anything from soft drinks to alcohol.

**World Meeting of Families**: if you are interested in attending this event, which takes place in Dublin from 21st-26th August 2018, and you would like more information then please contact Margaret Hinton – e-mail margaretmfl@hotmail.co.uk or call 07842 596878.

**Next SVP Meeting**: is Tuesday 17th October at 7.00pm. The local SVP group meet at Connah's Quay church in the presbytery every fortnight on Tuesdays at 7pm - new members always welcome. To contact the SVP you can either email svpdeeside@gmail.com or call 07486 001 783.

**Collections**: the amounts collected on 23rd/24th Sept were £326.69 Gift Aided & £195.64 cash, and on 30th Sep/1st Oct were £251.00 Gift Aided & £134.14 cash. Please consider giving your offertory collection in a Gift Aid envelope if you pay tax. If you are in the Gift Aid scheme and have changed your address since joining, please let us know, as it is vitally important that we have your correct address when claiming for the tax refund.

**Items for the bulletin**: for 14th/15th bulletin please contact Ann Payton - tel 01244 821010 or e-mail ann.dragonden@btinternet.com - by Weds evening please.