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

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 **29th Sunday in Ordinary Time (C) 19th/20th October 2019** **World Mission Sunday**

*Wrexham Diocese Charity Number 700426*

**Sat 19th October 5.30pm @ CQ Dr Michael John Gavin Snr RIP**

**Sun 20th October 9.30am @ QF Dr Michael John Gavin Snr RIP**

**Sun 20th October 11.00am @ CQ People of the Parish**

Tue 22nd – **10.00am @ QF** **Requiem Mass for Michael James Terence Clancy RIP**

Wed 23rd - 9.45am @ CQ **Novena to Our Lady**

Wed 23rd - 10.00am @ CQ Liturgy of the Day Graham Harris RIP

Thu 24th – 9.30am @ QF Liturgy of the Day Fr P Dormer Intention

Fri 25th – 10.00am @ CQ The Six Welsh Martyrs and their Companions Phillip & Lottie (Wedding Day)

Sat 26th – 5.30pm @ CQ 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time Sheila Davies RIP

Sun 27th - 9.30am @ QF 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time Sr Theresa Maher

Sun 27th - 11.00am @ CQ 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time  People of the Parish

**Confessions** –Saturday 5.00pm @ CQ

**Rotas at Connah’s Quay**

**Children’s Liturgy of the Word:** 20th October – Mrs Golembiewska & Mrs Sullivan / 27th October – Mrs Smith & Miss Murdoch

**Church Cleaning:** w/c 20th October – Sharon & Jeannette / w/c 27th October – Marilyn & Angela

**Greeters:** 19th/20th October – 5.30pm C Welsh & 11.00am C Smith / 26th/27th October – 5.30pm P Morris & 11.00am B Bowden

**Readers:** 19th/20th October - 5.30pm P Welsh & I Jones & 11.00am R Morgan & A Copp

 26th/27th October - 5.30pm W Griffiths & P Morris & 11.00am H Jones & M Burns

**Mass Counts**

1 - 21st/22nd September = 5.30pm – 87, 9.30am – 68 and 11am – 125. 2 - 28th/29th September = 5.30pm – 45, 9.30am – 65 and 11am – 135.

3 - 5th/6th October = 5.30pm – 67, 9.30am – 83 and 11am – 128. 4 - 12th/13th October = 5.30pm – 68, 9.30am – 75 and 11am – 124.

**Please remember that the clocks go back one hour next weekend (26th/27th October)**

**Confirmation**: the next meeting of the Confirmation Candidates is on Thursday 24th October at 6pm in Church.

**First Holy Communion**: the initial preparation meeting will be on Tuesday 7th January 2020, 6pm at Venerable Edward Morgan School. Parents will need to remember to bring the completed application form, their child’s Baptism Certificate and £8 to purchase the book that is needed for the preparation course.

**Second Collections**: this weekend (19th/20th October) is the collection for Association for the Propagation of the Faith. This collection is mandatory in our diocese for World Mission Sunday.

**Christmas Fayre**: we need the following items please – bottles, toys, books, Bric-a-Brac, toiletries & unwanted gifts, we can use anything that is in good condition and can be sold or used as prizes. we will also need home-made cakes, mince pies, scones etc. to be brought as early as possible on the day – **30th November**

**Church Cleaning**: Canon Joe would like to appeal again to our Polish parishioners to clean our church when it is their turn on the rota.

Prosimy bardzo polskich Parafian o zgłoszenie się do sprzątania Kościoła raz w miesiącu według wyznaczonej roty dla grup sprzątających. Niestety przez wiele miesięcy polska grupa nie sprzątała Kościoła a polska społeczność stanowi dużą grupę w naszej Parafii. Bóg zapłać!

**Coffee Morning**: the next coffee morning will be on Sunday October 27th, maybe people could bring along any ideas to help make our Christmas Fayre a success.

**Cathedral Events**: Bishop Peter invites all parishioners to the Mass for St Richard Gwyn on Sunday 20th October at 3.00pm.

**SVP Notices**: if you feel you are able to help and would like to become a member we hold meetings every fortnight at Connah's Quay on Tuesday evenings 7pm and the next meeting is 22nd October. If you think you would be able to join us please ring Peter on 07486001783 or email svpdeeside@gmail.com

**Collections**: The Parish collection total for 12th/13th October was £257.56 with a further £284.93 from the Gift Aid envelopes. The Cafod collection received an additional was £21.72.

If you pay income tax and would like to join the Gift Aid scheme, please speak to Jimmy Higgins or Cath Baker at QF & Brian Bowden or Pat Morris at CQ. **Please consider giving your offertory collection in a Gift Aid envelope if you pay tax (a higher rate tax payer can obtain a further 20% tax relief)**. 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 the tax refund.

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