



# SHREWSBURY CATHEDRAL

*Incorporating the Cathedral of Our Lady Help of Christians & St Peter of Alcantara,  
Our Lady of Pity, Harlescott & St Winefride, Monkmoor*

## NINETEENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME (Year A)

### MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS

Saturday 12 <sup>th</sup>	<i>Vigil for Sunday</i>	Our Lady of Pity	6pm	Michael John Evans
Sunday 13 <sup>th</sup> August	<b>Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary time</b>  Extraordinary Form	Cathedral Our Lady of Pity St Winefride Cathedral St Winefride Cathedral	8.30am 9.00am 9.30am 10.45am 12.15pm 6pm	Pro Populo <i>Mass in Polish</i> Eve's Family & friends For Cathedral Friends & Benefactors  Intentions of the House Group
Monday 14 <sup>th</sup>	St Maximilian Mary Kolbe	Convent Cathedral	<b>8.30am</b> 12.15pm	Terry Adlington (RIP) John Kelly
Tuesday 15 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary into Heaven</b> <i>(Holy Day of Obligation)</i>	Our Lady of Pity St Milburga Cathedral St Winefride	9.30am 10am 12.15pm 7pm	Mr & Mrs Albutt & Jeremy Albutt  Maurice Hedison (RIP) Johan Den Bosco Nijst
Wednesday 16 <sup>th</sup>	Ferial or St Stephen of Hungary	St Winefride Cathedral	9.30am 12.15pm	Souls in Purgatory (no-one to pray for them) Alexander Nijst
Thursday 17 <sup>th</sup>	Ferial	Our Lady of Pity Cathedral	9.30 am 12.15pm	The Kemp Family Keith Cooper (Sick)
Friday 18 <sup>th</sup>	Ferial	Cathedral	12.15pm	William Hawley (10 <sup>th</sup> RIP Anniversary)
Saturday 19 <sup>th</sup>	Ferial or Saturday Memoria of the BVM	Cathedral Our Lady of Pity	9.30 am 6.00 pm	John Hinton (RIP Anniversary) Emma, John, Marina Parry (thanksgiving)
Sunday 20 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary time</b>  Extraordinary Form	Cathedral Our Lady of Pity St Winefride Cathedral St Winefride Cathedral	8.30am 9.00am 9.30am 10.45am 12.15pm 6.00pm	The Molodecki Family (in Thanksgiving) <i>Mass in Polish</i> Jan Green Edward Leonard Maggs (Anniversary)  Pro Populo

### SACRAMENTS AND OTHER LITURGIES

#### **BAPTISM, CONFIRMATION, FIRST HOLY COMMUNION, MARRIAGE**

Please speak to a priest following one of the Sunday Masses

#### **THE SACRAMENT OF MERCY (CONFESSION)**

Cathedral: Monday-Friday: 11.30am-12noon, Saturday: 10-11am, Our Lady of Pity: Saturday 5.15-5.45pm, St Winefride: Sunday 8.40-9.10am. Outside these times, you are always welcome to approach a priest to hear your confession.

#### **ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT (WITH BENEDICTION ON SUNDAYS)**

Cathedral: Tuesday 5.30-6.30pm (for Peace), Thursday 5.30-6.30pm (for Vocations), Sunday 4.30-5.30pm.

#### **PRAYER OF THE CHURCH (THE DIVINE OFFICE)**

Cathedral: Saturday 9am (Lauds), Sunday 8am (Lauds), 10.15am (Prayer during the Day), 5.30pm (Vespers)



**Tuesday the 15th of August is the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Mary into Heaven and it is a HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION**

### **Dean's Points:**

Last week we launched the new fundraising campaign (Our Mission Together -OMT) for the future needs of the Church in our area. This campaign has already been launched in 44 parishes in the diocese and over 10,000 households have responded generously.

For clarification: this fundraising does not concern any funds used for improvements to the Cathedral. The Our Mission Together campaign is a diocese-wide campaign and is about the mission and future of the Church in our area both as a parish and diocese (our Diocese is joining many of the dioceses in England and Wales that have initiated such campaigns to raise much needed funds for the future).

The three priorities for fundraising are:

- Strengthening and advancing our parishes by responding to local needs
- Supporting a new generation of priests in their discernment and training and providing for our faithful priests through their years of service and for those moving into retirement.
- Developing our mission and social outreach (with an initial focus on Youth Mission and Caritas).

I hope that the Our Mission Together campaign will bear fruit in a number of ways. There is the obvious financial fruit, but I would also see this a spiritual exercise as we look at our relationship with the Church and rediscover the joy and beauty of sacrificial giving and being generous. There is also the communal aspect as we come together and work together for the future of the parish and Church in the County and in the Diocese.

This week you are invited to complete census cards, please fill in as much information as you are able and any additional information you think would be useful (occupation, skills, areas of interest) that may help me in building the parish community. These cards will be available for the next 5 weeks or so and the information will go on to a parish new database that we can use.

Over the next few months as the fundraising campaign unfolds, I ask you to be generous in listening and thinking about what you can do or give, as we speak of these things. I will also try and inform you about some of the facts, figures and costs that we face as a parish and diocese. To close let us pray for generosity using the prayer of St Ignatius of Loyola, *“Teach me, Lord Jesus, to be generous: to serve You as You deserve; to give, not counting the cost; to fight, not heeding the wounds; to toil, not asking for rest; to labour, not seeking any reward, save that of knowing that we do Your will. Amen.”*

**Have a good week, Canon Jonathan**

CAFOD 20-week draw Week 2 £10 prize No. 42 J. Williams

The CWL stall at the Parish Garden Party raised £250.00 towards **St Winefride's Car Park Fund**. Thanks to all who supported this fund raiser.

The Cathedral Marian Lamp burns this week for **Charlotte Rosemary** and the Cathedral St Winefride's Lamp burns for **Vocations (CWL)** If you would like either of the lamps to burn for a particular intention, please contact the Cathedral Office. A £5 donation is suggested.

**Cathedral Coffee on Sunday** next door in No. 12 Belmont after the 10.45am Mass. This week coffee will be served by the **Lourdes Group** and next week by the **SVP Group**.

In order to clarify the situation the **charities benefitting** from this year's garden party were The Lourdes Group, SVP, SPUC, ACN, St Winefride's car park fund, CWL, and the Catholic Clothing Guild. Many thanks to all who made this possible.

**Lourdes Pilgrimage** - Both sets of pilgrims (plane and overland) eventually arrived in Lourdes safe and sound but weary after delays on the journeys. The coach was more than 1.5 hours late picking up in Wellington but this was nothing compared to the more than 8 hour delay for the plane pilgrims! This delay meant that they didn't arrive in the Accueil Notre Dame de Lourdes until after 03:00 on Saturday morning. Not a great start for all concerned. The week passed by all too quickly and soon we were experiencing delays on the return legs but nowhere near as bad as coming out. Lourdes Water is available in all churches, just bring a suitable container and help yourself. The Group wishes to thank everybody who supported our various fundraising events throughout the year which enabled us to provide support for the volunteer helpers. Some of the services from the Pilgrimage are available via links on the Cathedral Website Home Page. Watch this space for details of next year's Pilgrimage which will be the 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary for the Group in its current incarnation. Contact Tony or Christine on 01743 246916 or [tbrn@btinternet.com](mailto:tbrn@btinternet.com) for more information.

The AGM of the Shrewsbury Diocese Lourdes' Hospitality will be held at 2pm on Sunday 17th September at St Wilfrid's Parish Centre, Wilton Street, Northwich, CW9 5NP. Please note the date, as this is different from the one originally agreed at last year's AGM. All members of the Hospitality are invited to attend. Please spread the word to members of the Hospitality not residing within the Diocese. Should you have any queries, please contact Kath Emsley, Secretary to the Hospitality, [atkathemsley@gmail.com](mailto:atkathemsley@gmail.com).

What's on every week...		
Monday	<b>Meditation Group</b> 10.45am, Convent, College Hill. Term-time. T: 240401 <b>Rosary Group</b> 2.30pm at St Winefride's Parish Centre	
Tuesday	<b>Meditation Group</b> Fortnightly (1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Tuesdays), 6.45pm (see above) <b>SVP meeting (not meeting again until Tuesday 5th September)</b>	
Thursday	<b>Lectio Divina Group</b> is on the 2nd and 4th Thursday of each month (will not be meeting until September).	

## DATES FOR DIARIES

- Nothing immediately planned as we enter the summer.
- Please note that there are going to be roadworks commencing on the 31st July on the gyratory near the English Bridge. These will mainly take place at night, but please be aware of potential delays.
- The Shrewsbury Flower Show is this week 11th & 12th of August.
- Most parish activities will resume in September.
- The weekday Holy Hours will be suspended until September, Sundays will continue as normal.
- If your are travelling on holiday we pray that you have a good rest, good weather and return safely.

**ANTIPHONS, READINGS & RESPONSES  
NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (YEAR A)**

<b>Entrance Antiphon:</b>	<b>O God come to my assistance. O Lord make haste to help me! You are my rescuer, my help; O Lord do not delay.</b>
<b>First Reading:</b>	A reading from the prophet Isaiah(5: 5, 1-3) <i>Come and eat</i>
<b>Psalm:</b>	<b>Psalm 144</b> <b>You open wide your hands O Lord, you grant our desires.</b>
<b>Second Reading:</b>	A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Romans (8: 35, 37 - 39) <i>No created thing can ever come between us and the love of God made visible in Christ.</i>
<b>Gospel Acclamation:</b>	<b>Alleluia, alleluia! Blessings on the King who comes in the name of the Lord! Peace in heaven and glory in the highest heavens! Alleluia!</b>
<b>Gospel:</b>	A reading from the holy Gospel according to Matthew (14: 12 - 21) <i>They all ate as much as they wanted.</i>
<b>Communion Antiphon:</b>	<b>You have given us, O Lord, bread from heaven, endowed with all delights and sweetness in every taste.</b>

**The Holy Father's monthly prayer intention for August - Artists: *That through their creativity, artists of our time may help everyone discover the beauty of creation.***

**YOUR WEEKLY GIVING**

Cathedral:           6<sup>th</sup> August   £957.31  
Our Lady of Pity:   5<sup>th</sup> August   £357.00  
St Winefride's:     6<sup>th</sup> August   £434.42

*Thank you for your consistent generosity.*

**CATHEDRAL PARISH CLERGY**

Cathedral Dean:   Very Reverend Canon Jonathan Mitchell  
Assistant Priests: Reverend Father Edmund Montgomery & Reverend Father Tony McGrath  
Permanent Deacons: Rev. Mr. Fred Beddow, Rev. Mr. Ron Ball, & Rev. Mr. Ben Tomnay  
Associated Priest: Reverend Father David Mawson (*A Priest of the Ordinariate of Our Lady of Walsingham*)  
Retired Priest:    Reverend Father Gerard McGuiness

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