

## St Agnes Church

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## Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> March 2022 First Sunday of Lent (Gospel: Luke 4:1-13)

ST AGNES, WEST KIRBY

WEEK COMMENCING 6 <sup>th</sup> March 2022		Church	Intentions
Saturday 5 <sup>th</sup> March: 5.30pm	Mass	St Agnes	Clare Johnson (RIP)
Sunday 6 <sup>th</sup> March: 9am	Mass and online via Zoom	St Catherine's	Sheila O'Connor (RIP)
Sunday 6 <sup>th</sup> March: 10.30am	Mass	St Agnes	Paul Symes (Thanksgiving)
Monday 7 <sup>th</sup> March: 9.15am	Mass	St Agnes	Chris Lynch (RIP)
Tuesday 8 <sup>th</sup> March: 9.15am	Mass	St Catherine's	Pat Owens (RIP)
Wednesday 9 <sup>th</sup> March: 9.15am	Mass	St Agnes	Special Intention
Thursday 10 <sup>th</sup> March: 9.15am	Mass	St Catherine's	John Kentleton (RIP)
Friday 11 <sup>th</sup> March: 9.15am	Mass	St Agnes	Special Intention
Saturday 12 <sup>th</sup> March: 5.30pm	Mass	St Agnes	Special Intention
Sunday 13 <sup>th</sup> March: 9am	Mass and online via Zoom	St Catherine's	Amal Shinto
Sunday 13 <sup>th</sup> March: 10.30am	Mass	St Agnes	Moya Gladding (RIP)

**PLEASE PRAY** for all who have died recently and their families especially: Bernadette Allmand (Sarah Winston's mother) and Anthony Hearty.

PLEASE remember in your prayers all those who are sick.



WE WELCOME Thomas Howell to our parish community following his Baptism here last Sunday.

ONLINE MASS via Zoom is on Sunday at 9am:https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84015861524



CARITAS INTERNATIONALIS STATEMENT ON UKRAINE CONFLICT: In light of the recent, tragic events in Ukraine, Caritas Internationalis has released a statement calling for peace, and humanitarian access to those affected by the conflict. Caritas Europa joins its voice to the global call for an end to this conflict, through peaceful, diplomatic solutions. The Caritas organisations in neighbouring countries are mobilising with immense solidarity to provide essential support. You can support the work of Caritas Ukraine and Caritas Spes Ukraine by donating to the funding appeal <a href="https://www.caritas.org/ukraine-appeal-22/">https://www.caritas.org/ukraine-appeal-22/</a>. Further information can be found on the Caritas Shrewsbury website: https://www.caritasshrewsbury.org.uk/news/

**OFFERTORY ENVELOPES** for the next tax year are now at the back of church, ready for collection. If you would like a box of envelopes (and/or a gift aid form) or have any queries, please write your name and contact details on the clipboard. John Brown will contact you. Thank you for supporting our parish.

**NEW SELECTION OF MASS CARDS** available. Please put all payments (£1) into the box by the Sacred Heart statue at the back of church.

**FLOWER ROTA:** We only require volunteers to arrange the flowers in vases. This would only take an hour of your time on a rota basis with whatever time you're happy to give. Please can you help! Please contact Martina Parry 07779948162 or Veronica Ramsey 07977190833.

**CHURCH CLEANING:** Please collect your new cleaning rota from the sacristy. Thank you.

**CAFOD FAMILY FAST DAY – LENT APPEAL:** "Every child should grow big and strong. Family Fast Day is Friday 11 March, a day when we eat simply and give generously to support mums around the world, like Amie in Sierra Leone, with expert training in growing and making healthy food. Your small act of love this Lent will make a big difference to many communities affected by extreme hunger and children suffering from malnutrition. You can donate in church using a CAFOD envelope found at the back of church or by visiting the CAFOD website (cafod.org.uk/lent)."

**OUR LADY OF PITY ANNEXE PRESCHOOL, HOYLAKE** is holding a Stay and Play Open Afternoon on Tuesday 8th March 1.30pm-3pm. If you are looking for a Preschool place for your 2,3 or 4 year old please go along with your child to their Open Afternoon. Further details can be found at www.olopannexepreschool.com.

SHREWSBURY DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES 2022: The Diocese is delighted to be able to return to Lourdes after an absence of two years. The Pilgrimage is from 29 July-4 August by air and 28 July - 5 August by coach. Overland prices start at £440 and by air at £710. For brochures and booking forms please visit the pilgrimage website at <a href="https://www.shrewsburypilgrimage.co.uk">www.shrewsburypilgrimage.co.uk</a> or contact the Pilgrimage Office, Curial Offices, 2 Park Rd South, Prenton, Wirral, CH43 4UX.







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