



# NEWS FROM THE PARISHES OF ST AGNES, WEST KIRBY AND ST CATHERINE'S, HOYLAKE

Parish Priest: Fr David Roberts



## Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> July 2023 – 15<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

WEEK COMMENCING 16 <sup>th</sup> July 2023			Church	Intentions
Saturday 15 <sup>th</sup> July	5.30pm	Mass	St Agnes	Deceased members of the DMMM
Sunday 16 <sup>th</sup> July	9.00am	Mass (+ online)	St Catherine's	Susanne Adams (RIP)
Sunday 16 <sup>th</sup> July	10.30am	Mass	St Agnes	Angela McDonald (RIP)
Monday 17 <sup>th</sup> July	11.30am	Requiem Mass for Angela McDonald	St Agnes	~
Tuesday 18 <sup>th</sup> July	12noon	Mass	St Catherine's	Angela McDonald (RIP)
Wednesday 19 <sup>th</sup> July	9.15am	Mass	St Agnes	Alec Murphy (RIP)
Thursday 20 <sup>th</sup> July	9.15am	Mass	St Catherine's	Susan Helsby
Friday 21 <sup>st</sup> July	9.15am	Mass	St Agnes	Elaine Noble (sick)
Saturday 22 <sup>nd</sup> July	5.30pm	Mass	St Agnes	Private Intention (TM)
Sunday 23 <sup>rd</sup> July	9.00am	Mass (+ online)	St Catherine's	Nancy Jones
Sunday 23 <sup>rd</sup> July	10.30am	Mass	St Agnes	Angela McDonald (RIP)

**ADORATION** is every Wednesday at 7pm at St Catherine's.

**SCRIPTURE GROUP** is every Thursday at 7.30pm at St. Agnes in the Parish Rooms.

**PLEASE PRAY** for all those who have died recently and their families especially Susanne Adams, Margaret Collings, Fr Russell Cooke, Angela McDonald, Alec Murphy, Bob Newman, Norah Roberts (née Gallagher) and Jack Ryan.

**PLEASE** remember in your prayers all those who are sick especially Frank Dunning, Ronald Lewis, Ronnie Roland and Norma Whittle.

**PLEASE** remember in your prayers all those whose anniversaries occur this month and their families.

**PLEASE PRAY** for Deacon Godlove Amungwa Angarfor who will be ordained to the priesthood by Bishop Mark on Friday 21<sup>st</sup> July at 7pm.

**ONLINE MASS** via Zoom is on **Sundays** at **9am**. <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84015861524>

**FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS FOR FATHER RUSSELL COOKE (1945 – 2023) RIP:** Father Russell Cooke's mortal remains will be received into Saint Winefride's Church, Neston on Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> July with a Vigil Mass at 7.00pm. The Requiem Mass will be offered on Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> July at 11.30am, followed by interment at Frankby Cemetery.



**WE WELCOME** Roisin Boekweit-Hughes to our Parish Community following her baptism at St Agnes last Sunday.

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED! FLOWER ARRANGING AT ST AGNES:** Simple arrangements in vases for the main altar and St. Agnes statue. No experience necessary, but would be useful. Please contact: Martina Parry on 07779948162 / 01516259032 or Veronica Ramsey on 07977190833.

St Agnes 0151 625 6367 [st-agnes-west-kirby.org.uk](http://st-agnes-west-kirby.org.uk) | St Catherine's 0151 632 4388 [stcatherineshoylake.org](http://stcatherineshoylake.org)

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**PRAYERS FOR PARISH OUTREACH:** For so many years now, the parishes of St Agnes, St Catherine's and Sacred Heart have generously contributed to SVP ventures to support the needs of those in our community who have very little. Recent months have seen that need expand so rapidly that it is hard to keep up. We are all invited to come together and ask the Holy Spirit to show us a way forward to ensure that those who need us find us. On Monday 17<sup>th</sup> July 7-8pm at Sacred Heart, Moreton, we will share a time of prayer for all in our community who struggle. Deacon John Fegan will preach at this time of prayer. Refreshments will follow the service. All very welcome.

**FLOWER ARRANGING DEMONSTRATION, TUESDAY 18<sup>th</sup> JULY 6.30pm, ST AGNES:** An invitation to an evening with Trish from Eden Flowers, Banks Road, West Kirby who will be demonstrating some simple but creative ways of arranging beautiful flowers. Please come and enjoy it together with some light refreshments. Please sign up using the registration sheet found at the back of both churches.

**ST AGNES CARITAS BOXES:** Please bring your Caritas box to be emptied and leave it in the sacristy. Jo Forsey will be 'retiring' as box collector. A huge thank you to Jo for her many years as Caritas representative for the parish! Future donations can be made via the website or standing order forms are available from Jo Forsey on 07936435073. Thank you.

**OUR LADY OF PITY ANNEXE PRESCHOOL, HOYLAKE** has places available for 2, 3 and 4 year olds from September 2023. Please contact Jenny Jackson, Preschool Manager for further information ([olopannexepreschool@gmail.com](mailto:olopannexepreschool@gmail.com)).

**AUTOMATIC EXTERNAL DEFIBRILLATORS (AED)** can be found in the Parish Centre at St Catherine's (on the wall next to the kitchen and main doors to the hall) and in the sacristy on the wall at St Agnes. There are parishioners who are trained on this equipment, however, each defibrillator has clear instructions so anyone is able to use it.

**SAVE THE DATE! EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS MORNING:** Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> September 10am-12.30pm. This is a session for current Eucharistic Ministers and for anyone who would like to become a Eucharistic Minister at either St Agnes or St Catherine's. Please register with Phoebe in the Parish Office via email ([stcathhoylake@gmail.com](mailto:stcathhoylake@gmail.com) or [stagneswestkirby@gmail.com](mailto:stagneswestkirby@gmail.com)).

**WIRRAL FOODBANK:** Items required: tinned fish, tinned meat, squash, jam and soup. Thank you.



Wirral Foodbank is working in conjunction with the charity BanktheFood. Download the BanktheFood app and search for Wirral Foodbank using the postcode finder and follow them. You will then receive regular updates of items that are urgently required.



**Do you have any items for the newsletter? Would you like to receive the newsletter electronically each week?** Please email St Catherine's ([stcathhoylake@gmail.com](mailto:stcathhoylake@gmail.com)) or St Agnes ([stagneswestkirby@gmail.com](mailto:stagneswestkirby@gmail.com)).