Shrine Church of Ss Peter & Paul and St Philomena





Institute of Christ the King Sovereign Priest

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For the reception of the Sacraments, please contact the Rector

WELCOME!

2nd Sunday after Easter 15th – 22nd April 2018

Welcome to Sisters Jean-Marie, Aliénor-Marie and Aline-Marie from our convent in Preston. They are hoping to meeting you after both Masses.

If you are new to the Tridentine Mass, please do not hesitate to ask for assistance with how to follow the prayers from either one of the Canons or one of the greeters.

Please do join us after Sunday 10:30am Mass for tea and coffee. All refreshments are donated and your donations all go to charity.

From 15th April to Pentecost donations for the teas will be for Aid to the Church in Need. Thank you!

Adult Faith Formation

Mon 16th April, 6:30pm. History of the Church 7th part: The Enlightenment, by Canon Vianney Poucin. Followed by tea and coffee. All welcome.

Good Shepherd Sunday

Second Collection THIS Sunday (15th April) to support the Seminary Saint Philip Néri (Gricigliano, Italy) of the Institute of Christ the King Sovereign Priest at both Masses.

O Lord send us many Holy Priests!

Rosary on the Coast, all welcome!

for Faith, Life and Peace in the British Isles This is the 50th anniversary of the enactment of the 1967 Abortion Act More than nine million babies have been killed Please pray to turn the tide

Sunday 29th April 2018 at 3pm. Meet here at the Shrine and then walk down to the shore for the Rosary. All welcome.

"I look forward to participating in this great initiative of prayer and intercession around the coastline of Britain on Sunday 29th April. By our united prayer from coast to coast we intercede that the fearful culture of death may be overcome. Indeed, that the culture of death entrenched in these islands may be overwhelmed by that love which promises the victory of life over death. Together with Saint John Paul II we entrust to Mary, Mother of the living the cause of life at this decisive moment in our history."

For more information and to see the other prayer locations visit https://www.rosaryonthecoast.co.uk/

News from the Seminary



FOR ALL YOUR PRINTING NEEDS!

I am currently in my first year of philosophy (second year of seminary) in which we tackle the Greek philosophers such as Aristotle, right until philosophy of the 20th Century and today. This is all good, solid foundations for entering into Theology over the next few years; whilst preparing us well to face the errors of our day. As I have moved into the second year of seminary, there have been are more tasks and responsibilities to do in the daily life. My particular job this year is working in the 'hotellerie', were we look after guests of our seminary. This year, around the base of our philosophy studies, we are studying the history of the church, apologetics, the Church fathers; as well as keeping on top of our Gregorian chant!

Abbé Liam Dodd

CATECHISM CLASS: Next Class Next Sunday 22nd April Approx. 20mins after 10.30am Mass: Age 8-12. "The resurrection of the son of the widow" LK. 7, 11-17.

contact: chn.montjean@icrsp.org

YOUTH GROUP Ages 14-25. Next meeting on Saturday 21st April 1pm. Bowling with Canon Montjean!

Contact: newbrighton@icrsp.org

FAMILY FATIMA DAYS will resume Saturday 28th April, 12noon to 4pm. ALL WELCOME!

EMBROIDERY & SEWING GROUP: More stitching on Saturday 14th April 2pm - 4pm at the Dome. This group is open to anyone interested to learn. Please bring Anchor/DMC embroidery and a sewing kit. Cost: £10. For details contact 07767 752 671.

ADULT FAITH FORMATION Mon 16th April, 6.30pm. History of the Church 7th part: The Age of Enlightenment, by Canon Vianney Poucin. Followed by tea and coffee. All welcome.

DOMUS CHRISTIANI

Monthly faith formation for married couples. Next meeting 11th May 8pm in the Presbytery, with Canon Parant. Preparation - please finish our study book the 'Five Love Languages'. Contact chn.parant@icrsp.org

PIETY SHOP Opening times: Fri 8.45-10am Sat 11-12 - Sun after both Masses. New Mass books available £5

GREGORIAN CHANT PRACTICE Sunday from 10am in the Presbytery.

POLYPHONY CHOIR practices every Monday at 7:30pm (except when there is a Faith Talk) in the Presbytery. New members are most welcome - please have a chat with Clare or Christian after Mass

COLLECTION FOR LAST SUNDAY:

Collection: £328.01 Boxes: £ 60.88 Standing Orders: £215.00 Donations: £Total: £603.89 SPUC £222.44, Youth cake sale £59.10

Thank you for your generosity!

SHRINE SAFEGUARDING REPRESENTATIVE for the Diocese of Shrewsbury and the Institute of Christ the King Sovereign Priest.

Mr L. Jones: 652 1408



Saturday 18th May and ending on Pentecost Monday.

This year Canon Poucin de Wouilt will walk with the ICKSP pilgrims from New Brighton, Preston and Ireland.

Ronnie used your donations to buy 28kg of food for the foodbank. This is enough to feed a family of 4 for 3 days. Donations big and small are most welcome - it all adds up - 50p or whatever loose change you can spare. Please pass on your donations via the shop. Thank you.

Heritage Lottery Grant Community Projects

We have produced an Education Pack for Primary Schools to use as preparation for a visit to our church. If anyone would like to have a look at a pack to pass on the information in it to any teachers they know, please see Anne Archer or Canon after Mass on Sunday. Thank you!

Collection Envelopes for 2018-2019 available at the back of church. If you would like to give your offering this way please fill out a form. If you are a tax payer and do not gift aid your donations but would like to, forms are available at the back of the church next to the box with envelopes. THANK YOU!

SPUC NESTON branch Pro-life chain in Chester is on Saturday 21st April 11 till 1pm on Hoole Road Chester

SPUC Neston AGM is on Tuesday 8th May 7pm in St Winefride's Church Hall, Burton Road, Neston. This will be followed at approx. 7:45pm by a talk from "LIFE" ALL welcome! Margaret 0151 336 2050 or margiunsworth26@hotmail.com

Crosby branch Pro-life Chain Liverpool Road Crosby Friday 27 April 4.30pm to 6pm Paul Kilbane tel. 0151 924 5897

March For Life March For Life UK is coming to London with LifeFest 2018. This event has attracted several thousand people each year. With its arrival in the capital, this year's march with the theme "Every Life Deserves Love" should be even bigger. If you care about the life of pre-born children and their



mothers, join us on 5th May as we march to the seat of our government at Parliament Square.

See the March For Life website for more information

Family Life International Catholic conference on Humanae Vitae on the Sanctity of Life at the London Oratory School 13th May 9am-6pm Free info@familyandlife.org.uk

Weekly Schedule: NB Day Chapel for weekday Masses										
Sunday 15th	Mon 16 th	Tue 17 th	Wed 18th	Thur 19th	Fri 20 th	Sat 21st	Sunday 22 nd			
8.30am Low Mass 9.45-10.15am Confessions	7.30am Lauds, meditation 8.30am Rosary 8.45am Confessions 9am Mass	7.30am Lauds, meditation 8.30am Rosary 8.45am Confessions 9am Mass	7.30am Lauds, meditation 8.30am Rosary 8.45am Confessions 9am Mass	7.45am Mass at Birkenhead Carmel 7.30am Lauds, meditation 8.30am Rosary 8.45am Confessions 9am Mass	9.15am Mass (English / Parish Priest for donor's intention)	8.30am Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 9.45am Confessions	8.30am Low Mass 9.45-10.15am Confessions			
10.30am Solemn High Mass Kyriale I		12 noon	12 noon	12 noon	12 noon	10am Mass followed by devotions to	10.30am Sung Mass			
Credo I		Mass	Mass	Mass	Mass	St Philomena				

Mass Intentions: if you would like one of the Canons to celebrate a Mass, please contact them.									
Date	Ordo	Canon Montjean	Canon Poucin	Canon Parant					
Sun 15 th	2 nd Sunday after Easter - white	Anne Ramsamy	Novena Fr Joseph Hughes, SJ, RIP	Lauren Holland					
Mon 16 th	Feria of Paschaltide - white	Col Arnaud Beltrame RIP	Novena Fr Joseph Hughes, SJ, RIP	Stephen & Priscilla Highfield RIP					
Tue 17 th	Feria of Paschaltide - white	John Archer	Philip Beck's family	Stephen & Priscilla Highfield RIP					
Wed 18 th	Feria of Paschaltide - white	Kathleen Hannon	Seanie Mulqueen RIP	Joe Coole - vocation discernment					
Thurs 19th	Feria of Paschaltide - white	Chris Donnelly RIP		Our Lady of Fatima					
Fri 20 th	Feria of Paschaltide - white	Mary-Louise McCartney RIP							
Sat 21st	St. Anselm - white	Donnelly family		Benoît d'Avezac wedding					
Sun 22 nd	3 rd Sunday after Easter	Joan and Peter		Novena Divine Mercy Intention					

St. Anselm 1033-1109

Father of Scholasticism and defender of the rights of the Church

Rosary Group: Next Rosary on Thursday 19th April, 10.15am at either Jane's or Anne's.

All welcome! For details contact 07743235046.

If you would like the Rosary in your home please let one of the Canons know.

Lord, in hunger I began to seek Thee; I beseech Thee that I may not cease to hunger for Thee. In hunger I have come to Thee; let me not go unfed. I have come in poverty to the Rich, in misery to the Compassionate; let me not return empty and despised... Teach me to seek Thee, and reveal Thyself to me when I seek Thee, for I cannot seek Thee except Thou teach me, nor find Thee, except Thou reveal Thyself. Let me seek Thee in longing, let me long for Thee in seeking; let me find Thee in love and love Thee in finding.... St Anselm, the first chapter of the Proslogion.



My dear brothers and sisters,

On the Second Sunday of Easter, the Gospel tells of the encounter of the Apostle Thomas with the Risen Jesus which leads to his supreme profession of faith, "My Lord and my God!" I want to recall today how we who have not seen and yet believe come to this encounter of faith with Jesus Christ now in His Risen Body. It is an encounter which leads us in the Holy Eucharist to constantly renew Thomas' profession of faith: "My Lord and my God!" In this Year of the Eucharist, I have reflected with you on how Christ loved us to the end by entrusting to the Church the Sacrifice and Sacrament of Eucharist. Today, I want to recall how He invites us to the most intimate communion with Himself which we rightly call 'Holy Communion'. The Catechism of the Catholic Church reminds us: "To receive Holy Communion is to receive Christ himself".

On this Sunday of Divine Mercy, we glimpse the mercy which led Our Lord to so entrust Himself to us and are moved to reflect on how we must be ready to receive Him and prepared in our own hearts "for so great and so holy a moment". We may face the danger today of seeing reception of Holy Communion in terms of secular inclusiveness. It would then become a token of our hospitality, rather than as the gift of the Holy Body and Blood of Christ which constitutes the most radical call to holiness and the means to becoming the saint we are each called to be.

Pastoral Letter for last Sunday



At the end of his life, Saint John Vianney reflected, if only all his parishioners had accepted his call to frequent Holy Communion "they would all saints". Holy Communion offers such an immediate path to holiness, to complete union with Christ Himself that He Himself told us: "He who eats my flesh and drinks my blood abides in me, and I in him". The Catechism reminds us that we will always find in Holy Communion our true nourishment which restores our strength; separates us from daily sin: breaks disordered attachment to creatures; and roots the whole of our lives in Christ; and makes us so completely one with His Mystical Body the Church that we are truly "united heart and soul".

We see why we can never approach Holy Communion casually, still less if we have not confessed and repented of any mortal sin or of a lifestyle in contradiction with our



Christian calling. The Apostle Paul urged the first Christians to examine themselves carefully before receiving Holy Communion because anyone who did so in an unworthy state would, he said, be "guilty of profaning the body and blood of the Lord". The Church calls us to frequent Holy Communion, prepared by the Sacrament of Penance and Reconciliation so that we might become holy, might become The Second Vatican saints. Council urged us to "frequent" both these two Sacraments eagerly and devoutly as the path to holiness.

This Eastertide, I want to invite you to consider how we each prepare for this moment of Holy Communion in the days, hours and minutes before we approach the Altar. Let us ask ourselves how we seek to receive Him with the deepest reverence and love, and how we spend the precious moments after receiving Holy Saint Teresa of Communion. Avila wrote beautifully of this time when she reflected "we are as close to Him, as we can be ... He will do miracles within us, and will give us what we ask, since having come to visit us, He is as it were in our very With the Apostle house." Thomas, may we not allow these moments to pass without many renewed acts of love, of adoration, of reparation, of thanksgiving, and of that Easter faith which cries out: "My Lord and my God!"

United with you in this Eucharistic faith and love,

+ Mark Bishop of Shrewsbury