

Sick List

IN ST. VINCENT'S: We remember in our prayers all the intentions on the St. Vincent's Prayer Board. Please add your intentions to the Prayer Board in church and you can see who is in need of our prayers on our website under "Thoughts for the week".

IN OUR LADY'S: McKenzie Kiely, Eileen McGahan, Winifred Thomas, Veronica Morrissey, Barbara Murphy, Michelle Philips, Maureen Brosnahan, Kelly Brosnahan, Zach Tierney, Irene Cox, Lee Abernathy, Janice Cook, Annie Topping, Theresa Burrows, Josephine O'Hagan, Denise Corlet, Nora Reade, Marie Kenefick, Eileen Mains, Beryl Collins, Josie Vaughan, Honora Hague, Victoria Russell, Sophie Mansfield, Vivienne Goostry, John Wynne, Vincent Tracey, Ronald Fury, Veronica Gallagher, Aine O'Callaghan, Mary Murphy, Kathleen Bond, Jordan Harris, Alana Walsh, Jean Egginton, Mary Glindon.

IN ST. AMBROSE'S: Michael Nealon, Colin Burns, Cerys Jones, Richard Laurens, June Campbell, Mavis Doggett, Khia Whitehead, Eleanor Loftus, Mary Andrusiak, Carl Stanley, C. Wootton, Mary Sein, Paul Thuoc, Andrew Way, Mary Young, Irene Walker, Veronica Norbury, John Holt, Imelda Judge, Veronica Lane, Joanna Winter, Paul McClure, Helen Jenkins.

RECENTLY DEPARTED: May the souls of Dorothy Smith, Shelagh Lees, Eileen Mains, Thomas Frederick Bowling, Elizabeth Burke, Dorothy Boardman, and all the souls of all our departed rest in peace.

Anniversaries

Phyllis Mary Roberts, Maureen Sylvia Lohbach, Carl Aaron Forshaw, Angela Pugh, Gerald Pinnington, Vincent Gerald Adamson, Thomas Joseph Connell, Lucy Ann Core, Christopher Doherty, Aleksander Hertsko.

In November we pray with Pope Francis for – Children who are suffering, – especially those who are homeless, orphans and victims of war. May they be guaranteed access to education and the opportunity to experience family affection.

NOVEMBER HOLY SOULS: ANNUAL REMEMBRANCE MASS / LIGHTING OF CANDLES ON 27TH NOVEMBER (AT ALL THE MASSES)
Please spread the word, especially to those who have lost loved ones in the last five years or sorely missing a loved one.

IMPORTANT DATES TO NOTE:

Wednesday, 23rd November –10.30am -3.30pm— Shrewsbury Diocesan Clergy Day of Recollection at OLATA
Sunday, 27th November—Mass and lighting of candles for Recently Deceased and their families at each church
FRIDAY 2ND DECEMBER 7PM —Joint Pastoral/Mission Team (of our 3 parishes) End of Year Get-Together at Our Lady's club
Friday, 9th December at 7pm—Mass of Confirmation at OLATA for four parishes. All welcome!
Week beginning 6th December— Outdoor Christmas Trees to go up at our three parishes
Thursday, 15th December 7pm—Advent Penitential Service at St Vincent's for 4 parishes (St Josephs, Our Lady's, St Ambrose, and St Vincent's) . All welcome!
Sunday, 11th December 2pm—Mass of Anointing of the Sick at OLATA
Tuesday, 13th December 1.30pm—Aquinas College Carol Service at OLATA. All welcome!
Wednesday, 14th December 2pm—Our Lady's Primary school Carols at OLATA. All welcome!

SAFEGUARDING SUNDAY 20 TH NOVEMBER 2022- THE THEME THIS YEAR IS: 'One Church, one day, one message.' We are joining thousands of other churches across the UK to share this message and demonstrate unity —“Protecting vulnerable people. Together.”

IN AID OF ST ANN'S HOSPICE—Festival choir on Sunday 4th December 2022 at 7.30pm at Stockport Town Hall. Tickets £16.00. www.hospicechoir.org

DINNER & QUIZ NIGHT AT ST JOSEPH'S on Sat 26.11.2022 at 7.00pm. £10 Admission. Two course meal, a licensed bar & Raffle available. Please see the poster at the back of church. Tickets can be bought at St Joseph's or call: 0161.483.6904.

FOREIGN AND OLD CURRENCY: Please donate any foreign notes and coins also old British coins to the big jars at the back of all 3 churches. Donations will go to SVP Charities.

CLERGY EDUCATION & TRAINING FUND - SPECIAL COLLECTION holds this weekend.

OFFERTORY ENVELOPES can be obtained from the Gift Aid Coordinator of each parish, through the Parish Office. We thank the many who give through Standing Orders. Also get in touch if you need help with this Or follow these links for Online giving to the Parishes:

For Our Lady's parishioners, the link is:

<https://investmycommunity.com/not-logged-donor/page/ourladyandtheapostlesdioceseofshrewsbury2127>



For St. Ambrose parishioners, the link is:

<https://investmycommunity.com/not-logged-donor/page/stambroseadswooddioceseofshrewsbury2185>

For St. Vincent's parishioners, the link is:

<https://investmycommunity.com/not-logged-donor/page/stvincentdepaulbramhalldioceseofshrewsbury2608>

CHRISTMAS MASS TIMES FINALISED: Thanks for your comments!

Sat. 24 th Dec 	Christmas Eve <i>Vigil Masses for Christmas</i>	4.30 pm 5.00 pm 5.45 pm (6 pm Mass) Midnight Mass	St. Ambrose's Children's Mass St. Vincent's Children's Mass Our Lady's Carols followed by Children's Mass Our Lady's Midnight Mass
Sun 25 th Dec 	The Nativity of the Lord	9.15am (9.30am Mass) 9.30am (9.45am Mass) 10.45am (11am Mass)	St. Ambrose's Carols followed by Mass at 9.30am St. Vincent's Carols followed by Mass at 9.45am Our Lady's Carols followed by Mass at 11am

FREE MEDICAL SERVICES 2023: Fr Martin is planning the 4th Medical Outreach Mission in his hometown in January 2023. As usual, the target is to attend to one thousand patients. If you would like to donate, you can scan the QR code here to go to the GoFundMe page.



<<< Scan Here to Donate or open at <https://gofund.me/9cc9372d>.

The video of this year's outreach is available here > [Medical Outreach Master Translated-1.m4v](#).

Your prayers and support are greatly appreciated by Fr Martin and especially by the beneficiaries who, otherwise, cannot access medical care. Thank you.

FROM THE PIETY STALL: Christmas gift ideas. Consider a donation to Martin's Medical Outreach Mission? Collect your notification receipt to add to your Christmas card explaining the purpose of the medical outreach to your recipient and space for you to write a personalised message. They are freely available on the Piety stall. You can add the link in your message to the go fund me page, so they can see your donation **or** add the video link to your message.

CHILDREN'S ADVENT CALENDER: This year, during Advent, the Children's Liturgy group are going to make a reverse Advent Calendar. This means that you DONATE an item each week for homeless and families in need. At the end of Advent, the calendar will result in a collection of goods that can be dropped off at a local food bank in time for Christmas. Every Sunday during Advent we will fill a box with tins, non-perishable foods, toiletries and chocolates to take to either Chelwood or The Olive Branch. If you would like to join please bring one item each Sunday to fill our box which will be at the back of church before and after Children's Liturgy. Thank you and God bless! Claire, Kerry, Rachael and Lesley.

Our Lady's News

PARISH PASTORAL/MISSION TEAM MEMBERS FOR OUR LADY'S ARE:- Moreen Chamberlain, Hazel Dove, Magdalena Makowska, Stuart Montieth, Samantha Dobson, Henry Chukwuma, Denis Clarke, Tina le (Thi le), Dennis Wharmby, Mark Kenberg, Jannine Murphy and Kevin McKenna. Please keep them in your prayers.

TEA AND COFFEE: In the guild room after 11 AM MASS—Light Lunch—Sun 20th November after 11am mass, soup will be served in the guild room, made by and using vegetables grown by the children. All donations will go to the Wellspring.

IAN AND CATH'S FAMILY GROUP—meeting in the guild room on Wednesday 23rd November from 7pm for Christmas nibbles, Christmas quiz and music. There will also be a grand draw for Christmas hampers.

Christmas cards & gifts will be on sale in the Guild Room. All proceeds to the medical outreach mission

THE CHILDREN'S LITURGY GROUP—has now resumed, during the 11am Mass.

St Ambrose News

YEAR BOOKS—There are still a few Year books available. Just leave a donation.

PIETY STALL—now has Christmas cards, gifts and lovely books. Come and browse the stall.

CHRISTMAS RAFFLE - St Ambrose will be holding a Christmas raffle again this year. There is a box at the back of church for donations for prizes. Thank you for **your generosity**.

St Vincent News

Sunday 20th November - Please stay for tea or coffee after Mass. No food collection for Chelwood this week. Containers full after Harvest collections! Wellspring are in need of warm clothes mainly for men but women as well plus new underwear too if you have any donations.

Monday 21st - Service of Word and Communion at 10am followed by Prayer Group; Emmaus Book Group Zoom Meeting at 7.30pm in church.

Thank you to the Martin Family, Thomas Adamson and the Flower Group for arranging our Remembrance Sunday Mass. It was much appreciated by all.

Saturday 17th December - Christ Church is organising a Carol Service on the "Village Green" on the new Woodford Garden Village estate from 4-6pm. All welcome

Please send any items for inclusion in the newsletter to the Parish Office by 12 midday on Thursday. Kindly indicate parish of choice for your mass intentions. Bear in mind that dates might not be available.

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