

## Offa Mission Area

# St. Mary's, Chirk with St. David's, Froncysyllte

### NOTICE SHEET FOR SUNDAY 5<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER 2017: KINGDOM 1

#### **TODAY:**

**3.00pm:** All Souls' Service at St. Mary's, Chirk

#### **MONDAY 6<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER**

**7.00pm:** Bell Ringing Practice at St. Mary's

**TUESDAY 7<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER:** *Mini Market has finished for the season*

#### **WEDNESDAY 8<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER**

**9.00am:** Funeral of Jackie Roberts at St. Mary's, Chirk

**9.15am:** Toddlers' in St. Mary's Church Hall

#### **THURSDAY 9<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER**

**10.15am:** Holy Eucharist at St. Mary's, Chirk

#### **SUNDAY 12<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER: REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY**

**9.45am:** Remembrance Sunday service at St. Mary's, Chirk

**10.00am:** Remembrance Sunday service at St. David's, Fron

#### All Souls Service to remember loved ones

This afternoon at 3pm at St. Mary's we will have our annual service to remember those who we've loved and lost. Please write any names which you'd like to be remembered on the list at the back of church.

Mini Market: Thank you to all who worked so hard to make the Mini Market a success again this year. We raised £4328.43. This is an amazing achievement.

#### Mission Direct

Thank you to all who have given items so generously for the children of Sierra Leone. Please pray that the trip is a success in this nation devastated by civil war, Ebola, and this year the mudslide. If anyone would like to donate money to Mission Direct in Sierra Leone we are all using a justgiving page set up by one of the members of our party. It is [www.justgiving.com/fundraising/katherine-lawson4](http://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/katherine-lawson4)

#### North Wales Association of Church Bell Ringers

On Saturday November 11th the Association will be holding a Quarterly Meeting at St. Mary's. They will be having tea, coffee and cake in the Church Hall from 3.30 p.m. and will be ringing the bells from approximately 4.15 - 5.30 p.m. As it is Armistice Day the bells will be half muffled.

#### Teddies for Christmas Fair

Christmas Fair will be with us again shortly. Please may I have any Teddies/Soft Toys that are looking for a new home for the Teddy Tombola on 25th November. Carole

#### Chirk Court

Please join us in visiting Chirk Court this Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> at 2pm.

The next service is on Thursday November 16<sup>th</sup> at 2.30pm led by the Community Church. All welcome.

#### Advent Courses

Our Advent discussion group this year is based on "Advent for Everyone; a Journey with the Apostles" by Tom Wright SPCK £8.99. This was chosen because it very firmly scriptural and is easy to read and understand. The course will be held on a Friday, starting at 12 noon for lunch (bring sandwiches as usual) followed by discussion from 12.30-1.30, in St. Mary's Church Hall.

Date: 17 November: "A time for thanksgiving", 24th November "A time for patience"

1st December, "A time for humility", 8th December "A time for Joy". All welcome

If you can't make this, another Advent course, based on the same book, will be held at The Christian Centre, Glyn Ceiriog on Thursday evenings beginning on November 30th and following on 7th, 14th, 21st December led by Phil Carey. Please ring Phil on 01978 312604 for further information or to order a copy of the book.

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