

Offa Mission Area

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

NOTICE SHEET FOR SUNDAY 22nd APRIL 2018: EASTER 4

MONDAY 23rd APRIL	7.00pm: Bell Ringing Practice at St. Mary's, Chirk
TUESDAY 24th APRIL	10am-12pm: Mini Market in St. Mary's Church Hall
WEDNESDAY 25th APRIL	9.15am: Toddlers' in St. Mary's Church Hall
THURSDAY 26th APRIL	10.15am: Holy Eucharist at St. Mary's, Chirk 2.00pm: Pastoral Assistants meeting at the home of Marlene Jones. 7.00pm: Mission Area Annual Vestry Meeting at St Johns Rhosymedre
SATURDAY 28th APRIL	5.00pm: Quarter peal attempt at St. Mary's, Chirk
SUNDAY 29th APRIL: EASTER 5	9.30am: Said Holy Communion service at St. Mary's, Chirk 11.00am: Mission Area United service at All Saints' Penylan

Mini-Market on Tuesday between 10am and 12noon

Do join us on Tuesday morning for a cuppa and a tea cake, or to browse the stalls. We look forward to seeing you. It would be lovely if you could bring a friend.

Dementia Friendly Church Initiative

Thanks to all who attended Frank Hemmings' Dementia Friends Training session. If there is anyone who could not attend but who would like to be 'trained', then Frank is very happy to meet people, even in a small group, and give them the information. Let Matt or Hilary Prescott know if you are interested.

We are setting up a small group of people interested in the process of St. Mary's/St David's being a Dementia Friendly Church. If anyone is keen to join this group, please let Matt or Hilary know. We hope to have a meeting with Bob Friedrich, the Dementia Friendly Diocesan Advisor to discuss the way forward.

Mission Area AGM / Vestry Meeting: at St. John's Church Rhosymedre on Thursday 26th April at 7pm. It would be good if many people as possible could come to this meeting to support St. Mary's and St. David's.

United MA service on Sunday 29th April: The main service for the Mission Area is at All Saints' Penylan (LL14 6HP) at 11am and the theme is healing and reconciliation. There will be no services at the usual times in our churches but there will be a said service of Holy Communion at St. Mary's Chirk at 9am.

Chirk Court Communion service: Join us for a service with the residents on Monday 30th April at 2.30pm.

Confirmation at Marchwiel: Please pray for Beryl Evans who is being confirmed on Thurs 3rd May at 7pm.

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The next session is on Saturday 5th May (10am-12noon). Anyone is welcome to join Jane and Jan and to do their own art or craft work of the church or grounds. Please bring your own materials and be prepared to clear up at the end of each session. At the end of the year an exhibition of works produced of the church and grounds will be held in the hall with proceeds of sales going to St Mary's, Chirk.

Headteacher Induction Service at St. Mary's, Chirk

On Sunday 13th May Bishop Gregory is coming to our 11am service for a special service of welcome and induction for Mrs Helen Pugh the new headteacher of Pentre School and the Dee Valley Federation.

Christian Aid Week: May 13th-20th

Please come to the Churches Together Coffee Morning in aid of the charity. It is from 9.30am all morning on Saturday May 12th, and is in conjunction with Chirk Gardening Club's sale. Any donations for our raffle and the White Elephant stall will be very welcome indeed.

The Churches Together Service is at the Methodist Church on Sunday May 20th at 6pm. Please join us.

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