

Offa Mission Area

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

## NOTICE SHEET FOR SUNDAY 31<sup>st</sup> MARCH 2019: MOTHERING SUNDAY

<b>Today's bible readings:</b> 2 Corinthians 1.3-7 (page 937) Luke 2.33-35 (page 833)	
<b>MONDAY 1<sup>st</sup> APRIL</b>	<b>7.00pm:</b> Bell Ringing Practice at St. Mary's, Chirk
<b>TUESDAY 2<sup>nd</sup> APRIL</b>	<b>10am-12noon:</b> Mini Market in St. Mary's Church Hall <b>7.00pm:</b> Celtic Service at Penrycae Village Hall
<b>WEDNESDAY 3<sup>rd</sup> APRIL</b>	<b>9.15am:</b> Toddlers' in St. Mary's Church Hall <b>7.00pm:</b> Mission Area Annual Vestry Meeting at St. John's, Rhosymedre
<b>THURSDAY 4<sup>th</sup> APRIL</b>	<b>10.15am:</b> Holy Eucharist at St. Mary's, Chirk <b>7.30pm:</b> Lent Bible Study at Sacred Heart Catholic Church, Chirk
<b>FRIDAY 5<sup>th</sup> APRIL</b>	<b>1.30pm:</b> Churchyard AGM in St. Mary's Church Hall <b>2.30-4.00pm:</b> Visiting Bellringers from Tarporley <b>6.00pm:</b> Hand Bell Ringing in St. Mary's Church Hall
<b>SUNDAY 7<sup>th</sup> APRIL PASSION SUNDAY</b>	<b>9.30am:</b> Family Service at St. David's, Froncysyllte <b>11.00am:</b> Family Service at St. Mary's, Chirk

The stonework repairs to the church have commenced and will last for four weeks. This is restricting access to the Church Hall necessitating access to the church hall via the main door of the church for the duration of the work. All services in the church and activities in the hall will continue as normal.

Mini Lunches: I am delighted to announce the soup raised £920 this year. Thank you for your hard work.

Mini-Market starts this Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> April (10am - 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.

Mission Area Celtic Service – parking now available at the community centre on the right just before pub  
On Tuesday at 7pm at St. Thomas' Village Hall, Hall Street Penrycae, LL14 2RU (coming from Chirk pass the Black Horse Pub on your right. The Hall is the 4<sup>th</sup> property on the right after the pub).

Offa Mission Area Annual Vestry Meeting: is on this Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> April at 7pm at St. John's, Rhosymedre.

Lent Course: This is a six week ecumenical study of the Lord's Prayer. The next session is on this Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> April at 7.30pm at the Sacred Heart Catholic Church.

St. Mary's Churchyard AGM is this Friday 5<sup>th</sup> April at 1.30pm in the Church Hall. All are welcome to come along and hear about the good work our award winning team is doing.

Bereavement Coffee Mornings @ St Mary's Church Chirk: Come and join us for a tea, coffee and a chat in the church hall. 10 am-12pm on Friday 12<sup>th</sup> April, or any 2<sup>nd</sup> Friday in the month.

First Aid course for anyone from St Mary's and St David's church: Friday 12<sup>th</sup> April 1-3pm in St. Mary's Hall  
To cover: General First Aid emergencies such as choking, burns, bleeding, heart attacks and strokes etc.  
Short video, talk and demonstration on resuscitation. No tests. Come and learn/brush up on some small actions that could help a friend, neighbour or stranger. More information phone Ferelith Smith 01691 773487.

Good Friday Easter Egg Hunt and Craft for children. 10-11.30am Friday 19th April. St. Mary's Church and Hall. Free of charge. Refreshments available. Please invite any family, friends or neighbours to bring their children to this event.

Operation Christmas Child Update: We have received information from Samaritan's Purse letting us know that our Christmas shoe boxes were sent to Ukraine. Please see Sunday Club Notice Board for more information.

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