

Offa Mission Area

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

NOTICE SHEET FOR SUNDAY 2nd FEBRUARY 2020: CANDLEMAS

Today's bible reading: Luke 2.22-40 (page 833)

MONDAY 3rd FEBRUARY	7.00pm: Bell Ringing Practice at St. Mary's, Chirk
TUESDAY 4th FEBRUARY	12-1.30pm: Mini-lunches in St. Mary's Church Hall (see below)
WEDNESDAY 5th FEBRUARY	9.15-11.15am: Toddlers' in St. Mary's Church Hall
THURSDAY 6th FEBRUARY	10.15am: Holy Eucharist at St. Mary's, Chirk
FRIDAY 7th FEBRUARY	1.00pm: Pastoral Assistants' Meeting in St. Mary's Church Hall
SUNDAY 9th FEBRUARY 3rd SUNDAY BEFORE LENT	9.30am: Family Service at St. David's, Froncysyllte 11.00am: Family Service at St. Mary's, Chirk 11.00am: Sunday Club in St. Mary's Church Hall

Facebook: St. Mary's church has a new Facebook page which we started just before Christmas. We are using it to share news, photos, and events about the church. The page has been really popular so far, with 64 people signing up to receive regular updates (which Facebook call "Like"), and our messages have reached over 3000 people. If you use Facebook, or know somebody who does, please encourage them to Like our page. We can be found by searching for @stmaryschirk. We hope that by using Facebook we can spread the word of everything our church does and encourage more people to take part in our worship and activities. If you would like us to put something on our Facebook page for church, please speak to Siân or James.

Wrexham Church & Community Cold Weather Shelter

The night shelter which was so successful last year has been set up again for the next 12 weeks and is now running seven nights per week in Wrexham. Different churches welcome homeless people for one night a week. Our sister church, St. John's, Rhosymedre, is one of the churches receiving people. We already have volunteers from this church but more would be very welcome. Donations of cash would also be greatly appreciated. Please give any money to Matt or the churchwardens. Thank you.

MA Celtic Service: on this Tuesday 4th February at 7pm at St. Thomas' Village Hall, Hall Street Penycae, LL14 2RU

Friendship Guild: is on this Thursday 6th February at 2pm at Chirk Methodist Church. The talk is about the Food Bank. All welcome.

Pastoral Assistants' Meeting: on this Friday February 7th at 1pm in St. Mary's Church Hall. If you know of anyone who would like a visit please let Matt or one of the Pastoral Assistants know.

Churches Together Prayer Group 2020: These informal sessions are held on the second Tuesday of each month and take place in the home of one of the group. The next session is on Tuesday 11th February beginning at 7pm and will last about 45 minutes. Prayers are offered for the world, the church and the local community. Everyone is welcome. For further details contact Hilary Prescott 01691 773524.

Bereavement Café @ St Mary's Church, Chirk: Have you lost someone you love? Come and join us for a tea or coffee, a piece of cake and a chat in the church hall. 10 am-12pm on Friday 14th February or any 2nd Friday in the month. You are very welcome to bring a friend.

Chirk Court Worship: Join us for a service with the residents on Thursday 20th February at 1.30pm. The service will be led by Sacred Heart Church.

Mini lunches: Please join us on a Tuesday from 12noon to 1.30pm for soup and bread, cheese and biscuits and a cup of tea or coffee for just £3.

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