

Offa Mission Area

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

NOTICE SHEET FOR SUNDAY 16th FEBRUARY 2020: CREATION SUNDAY

Today's bible reading: Romans 8.18-25 (page 919), Matthew 6.25-34 (page 787)

MONDAY 17th FEBRUARY	7.00pm: Bell Ringing Practice at St. Mary's, Chirk
TUESDAY 18th FEBRUARY	12-1.30pm: Mini-lunches in St. Mary's Church Hall (see below)
WEDNESDAY 19th FEBRUARY	9.15-11.15am: Toddlers' in St. Mary's Church Hall 10.00am: Visiting band of bell ringers at St. Mary's, Chirk
THURSDAY 20th FEBRUARY	10.15am: Holy Eucharist at St. Mary's, Chirk 1.30pm: Chirk Court Worship led by Sacred Heart Catholic Church
SUNDAY 23rd FEBRUARY SUNDAY BEFORE LENT	9.30am: Holy Eucharist at St. David's, Froncysyllte 11.00am: Holy Eucharist at St. Mary's, Chirk 11.00am: Sunday Club in St. Mary's Church Hall

Electoral Roll: We are currently completely renewing our Electoral Roll which the constitution of the Church in Wales requires us to do every five years. Please fill out an application form if you qualify and would like your name added to the new Electoral Roll. Forms are available from Church wardens.

Shrove Tuesday Pancake and Quiz night on 25th February. Pancakes are served from 6.30 followed by the quiz. There will be a prize for the winning team and a raffle. So please come to the church hall for a fun evening only £3.00 per head.

Ash Wednesday Holy Eucharist: on 26th February at 7pm at St. Mary's. This will include the option of receiving Ash on our foreheads as a sign of penitence. This service marks the beginning of our journey through Lent. The Rev'd Julia Skitt, our new Methodist minister, has been invited to preach at this service.

St. David's Spring Fair: This is on Saturday 29th February and Sunday 1st March 12-4pm at Froncysyllte Community Centre. Do come and support St. David's Church by browsing the stalls and by joining us for lunch. Excellent cakes and sandwiches are available.

Mission Area Celtic Service: on Tuesday 3rd March at 7pm at St. Thomas' Village Hall, Penycae, LL14 2RU

World Day of Prayer: at Chirk Methodist on Friday 6th March at 2pm. A rehearsal is on 28th February at 2pm.

Generosity, Gift and Grace: Our ecumenical Lent Study is a five week study looking at the amazing generosity of God and how we can respond generously in return. Matt is leading the first session on Wednesday 4th March at 7.00-8.00pm in St. Mary's Church Hall. Tea and coffee is available from 6.30pm. The other sessions are on Wednesdays 11th, 18th, 25th March and 1st April. All welcome.

Facebook: St. Mary's church has a new Facebook 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: Donations of cash to help with this worthy cause would be greatly appreciated. Please give any money to Matt or the churchwardens. Thank you.

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