

Offa Mission Area  
**St. Mary's, Chirk with St.  
 David's, Froncysyllte**



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**SUNDAY 21<sup>st</sup> MAY 2023:  
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**Notices**

Church website: <http://www.stmaryschirk.org.uk/>  
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<b>TUESDAY 23<sup>rd</sup> MAY</b>	<b>10.00am-12noon:</b> Mini-markets in the Church Hall
<b>WEDNESDAY 24<sup>th</sup> MAY</b>	<b>9.15am – 11.15am:</b> Toddlers' in St. Mary's Church Hall <b>2.00pm:</b> Ann Ankers' Memorial Service at St. Mary's Chirk
<b>THURSDAY 25<sup>th</sup> MAY</b>	<b>10.15am:</b> Holy Eucharist at St. Mary's Chirk
<b>SUNDAY 28<sup>th</sup> MAY          PENTECOST</b>	<b>9.30am:</b> Holy Eucharist at St. David's Froncysyllte <b>11.00am:</b> Holy Eucharist and Sunday Club at St. Mary's Chirk <b>1.00pm:</b> Baptism at St. Mary's Chirk

**Funeral of Stuart Fawcett:** on Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> May at 1.30pm at St. Mary's Chirk. Please keep Julie and family in your prayers.

**Our special ecumenical Christian Aid Service** is this evening at 6pm at **Chirk Methodist Church**. Everyone is warmly welcome to this, and we are privileged to have Llinos Roberts, the Christian Aid representative for North Wales preaching again. Please bring your filled donation envelopes tonight if you haven't already done so.

**ECO FEST 2023:** This diocesan event will be held at St. Mary's Chirk on Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> June (11am-3pm). Join us for many different activities as we think about how we can better care for the environment. St. Mary's is responsible for serving the refreshments. We would be grateful if you could donate a cake, or small cakes, or packets of biscuits, that we can provide for refreshments. We are expecting some children to this event. Thank you

**The Offa MA Annual Vestry:** is this Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> May at 7pm at St. John's Rhosymedre. All welcome.

**Chirk Carnival on June 3<sup>rd</sup>:** This time St. Mary's is having a "WINE AND WATER" stall. We would be grateful for any bottles of wine, or non alcoholic wine, that you could donate and even any empty wine bottles you might have, that we can fill and use for the water. Thankyou

**Can you help to clean St. Mary's Church?** 2 Volunteer Cleaners needed! Only 2-3 hours every 3 months. Contact either: Ferelith Smith 01691 773487 or a church warden.

**Food Bank:** We are continuing to appeal for donations of food and toiletries. Please place them in the box at the back of church. Thank you.

**St David's Church Froncysyllte invites you to take part in a "Community Work-In".** Help to maintain our churchyard. The next session is on Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> May from 10am – 12 noon. The aim of these sessions is to keep the burial ground in an acceptable condition. Please bring your own equipment. For further information about these specific events, please contact Keith Sinclair 01691 773634.

**Bingo!** Looking further ahead, in July we are holding a prize bingo evening, and we would be very grateful if you could provide any prizes for this. Prizes can be anything.

**Crisp packets:** are now being recycled by one of the major supermarkets, so as an ECO CHURCH we are collecting them and will take them to the supermarket. Please put them in the box provided in the Vestry.

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