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



SUNDAY 10th MARCH MOTHERING SUNDAY

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TUESDAY 12th MARCH	10am-12noon: Mini-Market in St. Mary's Church Hall
WEDNESDAY 13th MARCH	9.15am – 11.15am: Toddlers' in St. Mary's Church Hall
THURSDAY 14th MARCH	10.15am: Holy Eucharist at St. Mary's Chirk
FRIDAY 15 th MARCH	10.30am: Lent Group Session 4 at Caffi Wylfa Community Room
SUNDAY 17 th MARCH LENT 5	9.30am: Holy Eucharist at St. David's Fron 11.00am: Holy Eucharist at St. Mary's Chirk

St. David's Church Committee: The next meeting is on Wednesday 13th March at 6pm in St. Mary's Hall.

<u>Churches Together Lent Bible Study:</u> The course continues at 10.30am in the Caffi Wylfa Community Room on the following Friday mornings – 15th March, and 22nd March.

<u>Mini-Market:</u> has restarted. Donations of nearly new ladies clothing, jewellery, handbags, unwanted gifts and books gratefully received. Thankyou

<u>Launch of the Bell Appeal:</u> will be held on Saturday 16th March in the Church Hall. All welcome. 2.00pm Tea/Coffee and biscuits

2.30pm Presentation about the appeal (approximately 20 minutes) followed by an opportunity to see the ringers and bells in action. For those who don't want to climb the tower, or can't, there will be a virtual tour.

Message from Friends of the Holy Land (St. Mary's charity for January and February): Thank you for your donation of £250.00, to support Christians in the Holy Land. Please could you pass on our thanks to your parishioners for their generosity. Every week we see more cases of Christian Brothers and Sisters needing urgent help for things that they simply cannot afford – whether that is emergency supplies, medication, school tuition, or even a water tank. Conditions continue to be extremely challenging. Please continue to remember FHL and those we support in your prayers.

<u>Christmas shoeboxes update:</u> We are pleased to inform you all our boxes this year were sent to central Asia. Please see this link for more information. https://www.samaritans-purse.org.uk/central-asia

Holy Week Services (Sunday service times as usual)

Tuesday 26th March

10am Eucharist at St Mary's Chirk

Wednesday 27th March

1.30pm: Service at Chirk Court Care Home

Maundy Thursday 28th March

6pm Eucharist and stripping of altars at St Mary's Chirk

Good Friday 29th March

10.45am Walk of witness followed by frugal lunch. This starts at Sacred Heart Catholic Church, Chirk. 2-3pm Devotional Services at St Mary's Chirk and St David's Froncysyllte.

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