

For Your Prayers

Sick & Housebound: George & Margaret Aldridge, Alan Bamford, Carol Baynham, Mary & John Boucher, Margaret & Cliff Brazier, Dorothy Brettell, Bryan Brookes, Lyn Brooks, Vicky Bullows, Josh Burgess, Stephen Cartwright, Sheila & Richard Causer, Martin Chandler, Mac & Len Colbourne, Lauren & John Colledge, Beryl Cook, Lyn Cooney, Ivan Crowe, Val Dallaway, Madeline Darby, Malcolm Dixon, Mavis Douglass, Lynn Dukes, Pat Eades, Jonathon Evason, Leon Gilson, Pat Grant, Lesley Griffiths, Andy & Jan Guest, Edna Guest, Joan Halford, Mary Halford, Sue Handscombe, John Hickman, Samuel Hickman, Jacob Higgins, Joseph & Lauren Higgins, Diane Hodgetts, Pat Hulse, Beryl Hunt, Carol Jackson, Eunice & Denis Jackson, Karen Jones, Vick Jones, Steven Knott, Joyce & Hal Loach, Arnold & Mary Lewis, Jean Lister, Brandon Long, Fred Millard, Betty Miller, Jamie Mills (5yrs), Margaret Morris, Audrey Norris, Andrew & Claire Northall, Eddie Oakley, Kerry Osborne, Nathan Parker, Kath Payne, Jeanette Powell, Edna Price, Margaret Roberts, Ann Sabin, Hazel Saxon, Mark Shenton, Angela Shorthouse, Jacob Smith, Joanne Smith, Pauline Smith, Joan Stringer, Les Waldron, Tom Waldron (*Les Waldron's grandson*), Kenneth Walsh, Billy & Doreen Ward, Beryl Ward (*John Ward's mother*), Carol Ward, Mike Westwood, Diane Williams, Joan Whitehouse, Val & Les Wilson, Brenda Wood.

The Departed: Malcolm Alanthwaite, John Brown, Joan Bunce, Don Connochie, Ron Darby, Molly Elwell, Sheila Hardman, June Jones, Vick Jones, Margaret Piper, Joan Portman, Michael Ward, Elizabeth Webb.

Years Mind: 5th – Clive Whitehouse; 6th – William Baker, Patrick Quinn; 8th – Fred Bickerdike, Margaret Causer; 9th – Evelyn Beardmore, Lillian Hunt, Elizabeth Lane; 11th – Joan Griffiths, Leslie McArthur, Bill Winwood.

Birthdays: 5th – John Hill; 6th - Lorraine Garland; 7th – Claire Love; 10th – Jamie Ward.

Residents in Care Homes: Doris Barnes (The Firs); Lynda Blakemore (Castlewellan); Josie Fiske, (Island Court); Jim Heritage (Prestwood Lodge); Barbara Jones (Oak Court); Pearl Wardhough (Camelot Rest Home); Floss Webb (Lime Tree Court).

OHMS: Lee Bullows, Amy Chambers, Ebony Churchill, Ian Day, Greg Dunson, Scott Sabin, Neil Skett, Fr Michael Wagstaff, Craig Ward, Nathan Yates.

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St Chad's, Coseley

5th February 2017

Sunday Bulletin

FIFTH Sunday OF THE YEAR

To Know Christ & make Christ Known through Worship, Outreach, Caring & Education



Sunday 5th 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Worship in the Hall

8.30am **Low Mass**
10.15am **Family Mass**
11.45am Social Club AGM

Monday 6th *Feria*
3.15pm **Funeral in Church** - Vic Jones
7.30pm Pilgrim Course at the Vicarage

Tuesday 7th *Feria*
9.40am Art Group in the Hall
6.00pm Slim4Good in the Hall
7.00pm Line Dancing in the Hall

Wednesday 8th *Feria*
9.00am **Low Mass**
9.30am Busy Babies
1.45pm **Funeral in Church** - Don Connochie
7.30pm Ballroom Dancing in the Hall

Thursday 9th *Feria*
9.40am Art Group in the Hall

Friday 10th *Feria*
2.00pm Choir Practice in the Vicarage

Saturday 11th Saturday memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary
9.30am **Walsingham Cell Mass Mass**
8.00pm Social Club: Oompah Evening

Sunday 12th 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Worship in the Hall

Readings: Ecclesiasticus 15:16-2; Psalm 118(119):1-2,4-5,17-18,33-34; 1 Corinthians 2:6-10; St Matthew 5:17-37.

8.30am **Low Mass**
10.15am **Family Mass**
12.15pm Vestry Hour

A Key for St Chad's is Available at 3 Oak Street

Donations for Flowers: Flowers may be put into church in memory of loved ones (Outside Lent and Advent)

Readings at Mass

Opening Prayer

Heavenly father, you have called your Church to be the salt of the earth and the light of the world. Give us vigorous faith and a love that is genuine, so that all may see our works and give you the glory. We make our prayer through. . **Amen**

First Reading – Isaiah 58:7-10

Pat Lakin

Then will your light shine like the dawn.

Thus says the Lord: Share your bread with the hungry, and shelter the homeless poor, clothe the man you see to be naked and do not turn from your own kin. Then will your light shine like the dawn and your wound be quickly healed over. Your integrity will go before you and the glory of the Lord behind you. Cry, and the Lord will answer; call, and he will say, 'I am here.' If you do away with the yoke, the clenched fist, the wicked word, if you give your bread to the hungry, and relief to the oppressed, your light will rise in the darkness, and your shadows become like noon.

The Word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

Responsorial Psalm 111:4-9

John Wardell

R: The good man is a light in the darkness for the upright.

He is a light in the darkness for the upright:
he is generous, merciful and just.
The good man takes pity and lends,
he conducts his affairs with honour.**R**

The just man will never waver:
he will be remembered for ever.
He has no fear of evil news;
with a firm heart he trusts in the Lord.**R**

With a steadfast heart he will not fear;
open-handed, he gives to the poor;
his justice stands firm for ever.
His head will be raised in glory.**R**

Second Reading – 1 Corinthians 2:1-5

Val Gaskill

During my stay with you, the only knowledge I claimed to have was about Jesus as the crucified Christ.

When I came to you, brothers, it was not with any show of oratory or philosophy, but simply to tell you what God had guaranteed. During my stay with you, the only knowledge I claimed to have was about Jesus, and only about him as the crucified Christ. Far from relying on any power of my own, I came among you in

great 'fear and trembling' and in my speeches and the sermons that I gave, there were none of the arguments that belong to philosophy; only a demonstration of the power of the Spirit. And I did this so that your faith should not depend on human philosophy but on the power of God.

The Word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

Gospel Acclamation - St John 8: 12

Alleluia, alleluia! I am the light of the world, says the Lord; anyone who follows me will have the light of life. Alleluia!

Gospel – St Matthew 5:13-16

You are the light of the world.

Hear the holy gospel of Our Lord Jesus Christ according to St Matthew

Glory to you, O Lord

Jesus said to his disciples, 'You are the salt of the earth. But if salt becomes tasteless, what can make it salty again? It is good for nothing, and can only be thrown out to be trampled underfoot by men. 'You are the light of the world. A city built on a hill-top cannot be hidden. No one lights a lamp to put it under a tub; they put it on the lamp-stand where it shines for everyone in the house. In the same way your light must shine in the sight of men, so that, seeing your good works, they may give the praise to your Father in heaven.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ

NOTICES

Annual General Meeting of the Social Club: This Sunday 5th February after the Mass

Oompah! Evening featuring the Mercian Brass Band Saturday 11th February 2017 at 8.00pm Tickets £7.50 each including Buffet

Social Club: Barn Dance Saturday 4th March 2017. at 8.00pm. Tickets £7.00 each (under 14's £5.00) refreshments. Hurry this sells out very quickly.

Coffee Morning with Art Exhibition and Sale Saturday 18th March 2017 at 10.00am - 12.00noon. Tickets £1.00 each which includes a Breakfast Bap (pre ordered) and a cuppa.

**All Tickets are now available from John & Carol Wardell.
01902 671710 or 07770 976817**

Parochial Church Council: Monday 13th February 7.45pm in the Lounge

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