

Life Church Wilmslow - Church Administrator Vacancy

• Part time – 7.5 hours a week • Flexible hours, working from home working from home • Initial Term fixed at one year • Hourly Rate: £12 to £15 depending on experience and skill set • Reporting to the Leadership Team and keeping the Trustees informed. For more information or an informal conversation please contact: Mark Fellows 07857-212562 mark@markfellows.plus.com or Alan Charlesworth 07879-494003 alancharlesworth@icloud.com

Lourdes by Jumbulance

Chester and Wirral Across Groups are again travelling to Lourdes this year. There are vacancies for nurses, helpers and sick and disabled pilgrims. We have taken folk with a wide range of health problems such as stroke, cancer, MS, Motor Neurone Disease, etc. The cost is £995. Nurses and under 25s in full time education pay half. However, financial help may be available for those who cannot afford to pay the full amount. COVID Vaccinations compulsory. For further information, please contact Tony Murphy on 07881-656-974 or tonymurphyefc2002@yahoo.co.uk

The Apostles Creed

*I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth,
and in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried;
He descended into hell; on the third day He rose again from the dead;
He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty;
from there He will come to judge the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Holy Catholic Church,
the communion of Saints, the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting.
Amen.*

St Teresa's Prayer Group – Meets every Wednesday We meet in the parish hall between 11.15 am and 12.15 pm for prayer, scripture, intentions, rosary and music. All are most welcome to join us. For further information please contact: Marcelle Perch Tel: 07776-343-499 or Mary Robinson Tel: 07505-127-451.

Praying for the unborn and women facing crisis pregnancies "As we approach Ash Wednesday and the season of prayer, penance and alms-giving, let us pray for those who need special Heavenly protection, like the unemployed, the aged and infirm, widows and orphans, and mothers expecting babies. Lord hear us".

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19th February, 2023 – The Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Times & Intentions

Saturday 18 th – Vigil Mass	6.30 pm	The Parishioners
Sunday 19 th – 7 th Sunday in Ordinary Time	9.00 am	Celebrant's Intention
	10.30 am	Mary Teresa Lynch
Monday 20 th	10.00 am	Special Intention
Tuesday 21 st	7.00 pm	Intentions of Kathleen Parr
	10.00 am	Diyaseeli & Indra
Ash Wednesday (22 nd) with distribution of ashes	7.00 pm	Celebrant's Intention
	10.00 am	Intentions of the Parish Priest
Thursday 23 rd	10.00 am	Int's of Patrick & Debbie Murphy
Friday 24 th	10.00 am	Int's of Patrick & Debbie Murphy
Saturday 25 th – Vigil Mass	6.30 pm	The Parishioners
Sunday 26 th – 1 st Sunday of Lent	9.00 am	Lena Gatt
	10.30 am	Alan Parry

Please Note

- Later than usual Mass on Tuesday 21st Feb at 7 pm in the evening.
- Confession available on request after any Mass. Please ask Father Anthony.

Ash Wednesday – 22nd February, 2023 This upcoming Wednesday is Ash Wednesday, which marks the beginning of Lent. It is also a day of fasting and abstinence. There will be two Masses in church on this day at 10.00 am & 7.00 pm with distribution of ashes.

Churches Together in Wilmslow – Lent Lunches

Home-made soup, bread, cheese and fruit. Tuesdays 28 February, 7th, 14th, 21st and 28th March. Soup served between 12 noon and 1.00pm Dean Row Chapel Hall, Chapel Road, Wilmslow, SK9 2BX. Suggested minimum donation £5. Proceeds to Christian Aid Week.

Syria-Turkey Earthquake: CAFOD & CARITAS Appeal Following the recent earthquake in Turkey and Syria, parishioners may be looking for ways to help the thousands left injured and without shelter in the freezing winter weather. Both CAFOD and CARITAS have launched appeals to provide urgent food, water and shelter to survivors. The following links have more information and online donation forms. There is also an option to pay by bank transfer on the Caritas website. CAFOD: <https://cafod.org.uk/> CARITAS: <https://www.caritas.org/>

Materials for reflection following the Synodal Submissions

In submissions to the Synodal Process, many people expressed a desire for formation in e.g. Scripture, spirituality and, specifically, the teachings of the Second Vatican Council. To meet these requests, the Department for Evangelisation is offering an introduction to the Council, together with a presentation of two of its major Documents: Dei Verbum (on Revelation) and Lumen Gentium (on the Church). The aim is simply to give an overview of both documents, and enough insight into their content and ongoing importance to encourage people to read the texts for themselves, copies of both of which are available at the CTS or on the Vatican website.

This presentation will take the form of a recorded conversation between Miss Barbara Davies (Coordinator for New Evangelisation) and Dr Stephen Yates (Senior Mission Catechist). The mp3 audio file will be available on the Diocesan website from the beginning of Lent; the material will not, however, be time-bound. Printable handouts will enable individual and group reflection. For further information, please contact either Barbara (07730 526821) or Stephen (07842 487978).

Food Link, Colshaw: Ongoing Appeal Thank you for your continuous generosity. Sadly, the urgent need continues. If you are able to help those who are struggling, we would be very grateful to receive the following food donations: tinned foods (meat, pies, soups, beans, tomatoes, fruit, veg, etc), microwavable rice, cereals, tea, coffee, sugar, and biscuits. Please leave any donations in the box at the back of church. Alternatively, you may like to offer a financial contribution to the parish, who will then use your donation to buy food in bulk for the Food Link. (Any cheques may be made payable to “Sacred Heart & St. Teresa’s Church”). Thank you.

Confirmation 2023 The Confirmation Mass will be celebrated here in our church on Friday 23rd June 2023. We would be grateful if young people wishing to be confirmed would let Father Anthony or Deacon Michael know in writing **as soon as possible please**. Thank you.

Father Anthony – Upcoming Absences

Father Anthony will be making an overnight visit to London on Monday 20th February. The Mass in church on Tuesday 21st February will therefore be in the evening at 7 pm.

Father Anthony will also be travelling to Rome between 26th February and 3rd March. There will be Eucharistic services between Monday and Thursday of that week, but access to the church during both periods of absence may be limited.

Retired Priests’ Fund - Special Collection This Weekend

Today the annual Collection for the Retired Priests’ Fund is being held. With your help, we can build up the Fund to help meet the future needs of our sick and retired priests. If you wish to Gift Aid your donation, please make your donation Online.

To donate Online please go to www.dioceseofshrewsbury.org/retired-priests-fund.

An electronic version of a leaflet about the Fund is available at the above link and this also explains how you can donate to the Fund by Standing Order or Cheque (please make payable to Retired Priests’ Fund) and how to Gift Aid donations made using these methods.

Women’s World Day Of Prayer - Friday 3rd March 2023, “I have heard about your faith”

World Day of Prayer is an international, inter-church organisation which enables us to hear the thoughts of women from all parts of the world: their hopes, concerns and prayers. On Friday 3rd March 2023 at 2:00 pm there will be a Mass at St Pius X Church, Stamford Road, Alderley Edge, SK9 7NS, Cheshire.

Wilmslow Wells for Africa Souperday – Sat 11th March, 2023

Souperday organised by Wilmslow Wells for Africa on Saturday 11th March, 2023 11:30am til 2:00pm. At Wilmslow Methodist Church Hall, Water Lane. £5 entry includes choice of soup & bread (both home-made) plus a hot drink. Cash Only Event!

Vacancies - St. Monica’s Catholic Primary School, Appleton, Warrington

Job Title: School Administrative Assistant. (Maternity Cover-Temporary Contract 9-12 months). Grade: Grade4, SCP6 - £11.39 per hour. Actual Pro Rata Annual Salary: £13,728.87 Hours: 27 hours per week. (Term Time Only). Application Forms and further information are available from the school website www.stmonicasprimary.co.uk or by contacting the school via email on stmonicas_primary@sch.warrington.gov.uk Application information can also be found at - <https://www.warrington.gov.uk/jobs> Please forward completed applications to stmonicas_primary_head@sch.warrington.gov.uk by closing date: Monday 27th February 2023 at 12 Noon.

Job Title: Deputy Head Teacher - Required from September 2023

Leadership pay scale L6-L10. Key dates: Informal visits to school w/c 27/2/23; Closing date for applications: Wednesday 8th March 10am; Shortlisting: Thursday 9th March; Observations: Weeks of 13th and 20th of March; Interviews: Thursday 23rd March. See website for full details <https://www.stmonicasprimary.co.uk/page/vacancies/104464>