

<u>Church Cleaning:</u> This week Mrs Glynn & 16 <sup>th</sup> May Mrs.Hart Next week Mrs. Montgomery & 23 <sup>rd</sup> May Mrs. Silcock	<u>Parish Room Cleaning:</u> 16 <sup>th</sup> May Lynda Farquharson 23 <sup>rd</sup> May Kathleen McMenamain
<b>WATCHING</b> stops Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> May. Restarts Monday 14 <sup>th</sup> June. <u>Permanent watchers needed</u> 2.30-3.30 Wednesdays & Fridays.	<u>Bidding Prayers:</u> 23 <sup>rd</sup> May Pope Family 30 <sup>th</sup> May Stephenson Family

**A NEW ROTA for CLEANING the CHURCH** is available.

**ACTIVE RETIREMENT GROUP NEXT MEETING.** Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> June after 10.00am Mass.

**DAY OUT to LLANDUDNO** 11<sup>th</sup> June £20. Coach leaving church 9am. Ring Monica Martin 439.2178. Payment by the end of April.

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**FLOWER ROTA** Hilda & Sheila would like to set up a flower rota to allow for holidays and sickness. If you would like to join on a permanent basis contact Hilda 439 6510. Experience not necessary just willingness to learn.

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**NO MORE SHOE BOXES PLEASE** Thank you for your donations.

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**ANNUAL CATECHIST GATHERING** Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> June at St. Nicholas High School. "*Wisdom for Catechists*" given by Dr. Camilla Burns SND. This includes those involved in preparation for First Sacraments, Confirmation, Children's Liturgy, Bereavement Support, Journey of Faith. 11am – 3.30pm. Bring a packed lunch. Strawberries and cream will be served.

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## **THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD 16<sup>th</sup> MAY2010**

Psalter 3 Eucharistic Prayer 1, Preface of the Ascension

**WORLD COMMUNICATION SUNDAY TODAY.** Since 1968 the Church prays on this day for those working in the media, that they may be 'instruments of hope and witnesses to the truth'.

**PAPAL VISIT TO BRITAIN.** It seems all the diocese of England and Wales will be required to contribute substantially to the cost of Benedict XVI's visit. (£7 m. for the pastoral aspects alone) The Shrewsbury diocese has to find almost £50,000 and are asking all parishes to have a special collection next weekend towards this sum.

**CHANGES TO MASS TIMES.** There will be a parish meeting on Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> June 8pm in St. Ann's Room to discuss the proposed changes to the mass times in our LPA (local pastoral area) as outlined in the yellow paper published three weeks ago. everyone welcome.

**Lay Minister** - Pat Lynch 485 3572

**Readers** Helen Cameron 485 5369

**First Communions** Paula Silcock 485 6529 & Tracey Gormley 486 0257 **Children at non-RC Schools** Helen Cameron 485 5369

**CWL Chairman** Julie Hindmarch 440 8408 **Flowers** Hilda Scott 439 5610

**SVP President** Elizabeth Hart 440 8314 **Clothing Guild** Rita Potter 485 8312

**Finance** Brigid Rogers 485.5377 **Planned Giving** Stuart McFarlane 485.6520

**Justice & Peace** John Lynch 485 3572 **Lourdes Group** Maureen Sweeney 485 8801

**Toddlers** Lisa Foley & Lisa Robinson 485 7355 **LPA REP** Elizabeth Glynn 485 1572

**Retreats & Spirituality** Veronica Tarimo 485 1892

**Parish Room Bookings** Susan Breckell 486 0070

Please pray for:

Abby Brown, Mona Hynes, John Davey, Andrew Callaghan, Margaret Davies, Clare Barrett, Elizabeth McSheen, Glennis Cooper, Peter Scargill, Eileen Roughton, Peter Smith, Christopher Browne, Janet Garrod, Sean Conroy, Ian Duncan, Martin Mannion, Sean McCausland, Patrick O'Neill, Thomas Mimmagh, Rueben Grout, Susan Dennison, Audrey Emmett, Christine Oakey, Joseph McFeely, Clifford Browne, Doreen Russell, Catherine Fitzsimmons, Greg Hart, Lee Ellison, Carole Flatley, Evelyn Harrington, Peter Allsop, Billy Turner, Clare Pinkstone, Amy Watson-Wright, Matt Lammas, Marion Flynn, Jacob Towell Sr. Regina, Frank Bradshaw, Joan Halligan, Jean Cook, Mercia Leslie, Peter Child, Margaret Parsons, Elizabeth O'Sullivan, Betty Conway, Helen Esser, Philip McWilliams, the Dickinson family, Alan Burton, Hazel Simmonds, Irene Southart, Louise Fallon and Tony Ward who are sick

all who have lost someone they love,

all whose anniversaries occur about this time,

the new government, that they will make wise decisions for the common good and

for those being confirmed and for more vocations to the priesthood and religious life.

Sunday	6.00pm Sat.	The Ascension	Irene Watterson
May	8.30am		For the Parishioners
16 <sup>th</sup>	10.30am		For Evelyn Harrington
Monday	10.00am		Service of Word & Communion
Tuesday	10.00am		Service of Word & Communion
Wednesday	7.30pm		Service of Word & Communion
Thursday	10.00am		Service of Word & Communion
Friday	10.00am		Service of Word & Communion
Saturday	12.noon		Private Intention
Sunday	6.00pm Sat.		Cunningham family
May	8.30am		For the Parishioners
23 <sup>rd</sup>	10.30am	Pentecost	Private Intention(C.W.)

THANK YOU for last Sunday's Offertory of £925 (plus standing orders)

SECOND COLLECTION TODAY for communications.

CONFESSIONS Wednesday NO CONFESSIONS  
Saturday 11.30am-11.55am & 5.40pm.

**CONFIRMATION 2010 Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> July 7pm.**

NEXT MEETINGS FOR CANDIDATES Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> & 23<sup>rd</sup> May  
4.00pm in St. Ann's Room.

PARENTS MEETING Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> June 7.30pm in St. Ann's Room.

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**OUR PRAYERS AND GOOD WISHES** for a very happy future life to Kathryn Livingstone and Dyfan Jones who were married on Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> May.



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**ST ANN'S LOURDES GROUP FUND RAISERS**

**RACE NIGHT** Friday 21<sup>st</sup> May at Ladybridge Social Club.

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Next meeting May 26th 8:00pm.



**'Prayer and Games' evening.**

Everyone's welcome. Wine available on the night.



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**THANK YOU!** to Jean Jefferson & Brian Comerford who did the clerical work and to Gerry Hart & John English who marshalled for the Sponsored Walk. Promised amount

£2,126.

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**ST ANN'S LITTLE WAY ASSOCIATION** Thank you for your generous support of the Plant Sale which raised £386.90 plus a Lenten donation of £50 from one of our young members. Next meeting Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> June after 10.30am Mass. New members always welcome.

**FIRST COMMUNIONS.** All children who made their first Communion in the last few weeks are invited to come to the 10.30am Mass next Sunday to receive the prayers and congratulations of the parish.