

# Our Lady of Assumption Catholic Church

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# 24th Ordinary Sunday - A - 17th Sept. 2023

Mass Times & Intentions.		
Saturday . 16 <sup>th</sup> Sept.	5.00pm	Knights of St. Columba
Sunday. 17 <sup>th</sup> Sept	10.00 a.m.	Thanksgiving Natasha & Liam
Tue 19 <sup>th</sup> Sept.	11.00 a.m.	<b>RIP</b> : Les Slee
Thur. 21 <sup>st</sup> Sept.	11.00 a.m.	Int. Church cleaners
Saturday 23 <sup>rd</sup> Sept.	5.00 pm	Holy Souls
Sunday 24 <sup>th</sup> Sept.	10.00 a.m.	Parishioners

For Funerals, Baptisms, Confessions and Anointing of the Sick, please ring the Parish Office: 01745 353 395.

**Hospital Chaplain** on Call: Mrs. Sheila Johnson: 01745 354311 or 07717182557.

**Parish Finances:** The best way for Church contribution in St. Mary's Church is by Standing Order or Direct Debit. This gives the parish a more regular income.

The Parish account is: Rhyl Catholic Church. Account Number: 0812 1087 Sort Code: 55-81-42

#### **GIFT AID FORM:**

For every pound you give in the offertory or by donation, the parish will benefit from an extra 25 pence rebate from the government at no cost or inconvenience to yourself. Gift Aid Form at the back of Church. Thanks for your continued support.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

#### Mass Count 2023

The annual Mass Count starts this weekend: 16/17<sup>th</sup> September 23/24<sup>th</sup> September. 30<sup>th</sup> Sept./1<sup>st</sup> October. 7/8<sup>th</sup> October 2023.

### CIVIC HOLY MASS

There will be a Holy Mass for the Civic reception of Cllr Pete Prendergast on Sunday, 1<sup>st</sup> Oct. at 10 a.m.

CAFOD FAMILY FAST DAY There will be a CAFOD Family Day collection on the weekend of 7/8<sup>th</sup> Oct.

## **Home Mission Sunday**

There will be a retiring collection next Sunday for the Home Mission Sunday. Evangelii Gaudium Sunday is a day to reflect on the call to faithful the to be missionary disciples. The retiring collection Evangelii Gaudium Sunday supports the work carried the Mission out bν Directorate on behalf of the Bishops' Conference England and Wales.

**Holy Land Pilgrimage.** Fr. Anthony will be leading a group of Parishioners on a Pilgrimage to the Holy Land from Nov. 5<sup>th</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> 2023.

#### **Permanent Diaconate:**

Interested Candidates to the permanent diaconate should please contact Fr. Anthony. Requirements are: Strong Faith, good marriage with spouse's full consent, love of Jesus Christ and the Church, must be sixty years or below.

# **Prayer of St Francis**

Lord, make me an instrument of your peace; where there is hatred, let me sow love; where there is injury, pardon; where there is doubt, faith; where there is despair, hope; where there is darkness, light; and where there is sadness, joy. O Divine Master, grant that I may not so much seek to be consoled as to console; to be understood, as to understand; to be loved, as to love; for it is in giving that we receive, it is in pardoning that we are pardoned, and it is in dying that we are born to Eternal Life. Amen.