



Parish Newsletter
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Times of Masses: Saturday (Vigil) 6.00pm Sunday: 11.00 am Weekdays: 12 Noon

Confessions: Saturday 11-11.30am and 5.00 - 5.30pm.

Exposition of Blessed Sacrament: Saturday 11-12.pm

Baptisms and Marriages by appointment.

Parish Council: Chairperson Leanne Bell: leanebell@gmail.com

Parish Safe-Guarding Representative: Sr. Clare Morley 01492 530698

Hospital Chaplains on Call: Glan Clwyd: Mrs Sheila Johnson 07717182557 Llandudno Hospital: Fr.

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Colwyn Bay Hospital & Glan Clyd Fr. Frank

Bright Lights Youth Group Group: get in touch on brightlightsyouthgroup@outlook.com

Liturgy Group: can be contacted at stjosephlitcommittee@gmail.com



We welcome parishioners and visitors to our parish Masses this weekend, as we celebrate the
Mass of the 25th Sunday in Ordinary time.

(24th September 2017)

Collection for 17th September £649.64 (£G.A. £286.7+ Loose £ 362.94)

Many Thanks.

**Harvest Sunday will be on the 8th October. Any food contributions will be much appreciated
by the S.V.P.**

**A date for your Diary The Annual parish Dinner will be on Thursday 8th February at
the cricket club details and cost to be confirmed.**

**The death has occurred of Michael Hovey. His funeral will take place this Monday at 9.30am
in the local Crematorium, and this will be for family only. Following this ceremony there will
be a thanksgiving Mass in St. Joseph's Church afterwards at 10.30am, and all are invited to
this Mass. Our sympathy to his wife Hanalore, his family: Christopher, Anthony, Renata, and
grandchildren Robert, Andrew, Thomas, Clare and Jenny. The parish is deeply indebted to
Michael for the many years he has given to serving the Parish on its many committees.
Michael's family have asked that instead of flowers a donation could be made to the
Maintenance Fund. R.I.P.**

The death has occurred of William McCann (89) late of Ellys Elian Residential Home. Survived by his wife Marlene, daughter and son-in-law Bernadette & Colin Wickens. Funeral arrangements - Reposing in church on the evening of Tuesday 26th September, funeral Mass Wednesday at 12 noon. Burial afterwards in Llandudno. RIP

**PARISH CHRISTMAS FAIR WILL BE HELD ON SATURDAY 25th NOVEMBER
IN THE SCHOOL HALL. OPEN USUALLY AT 12NOON.**

A planning meeting will be held on Wednesday 27th September at 7pm in the presbytery. Lots of help and donations will be needed in the form of goods for sale, raffle prizes, plants, seeds, crafts, etc. Please come along to this meeting and show what help you can provide along with ideas for fundraising. Further details from John Williams and Leanne Bell.

“A ‘Taster’ morning of Contemplative Prayer and Living” will take place on 26th September 2017 in St. Augustines Priory, Cliff Road, Old Conwy. Please see notice board for details. Also - you are invited to a Taize Evening at St. Augustine’s on the last Friday of every month beginning on 27th October 2017 from 7.30pm till 8.30pm See notice board for other details.

Dates for Bright Lights Youth Groups Meetings

Sept - 8th and 22nd. Oct - 13th and 20th Nov- 10th and 24th Dec - 8th and 22nd
Time 6:30pm -8pm then 8pm -9pm

Reflection Days for the FIA

Sept - 16th. Nov - 25th. Jan- 20th Time - 10am -1pm (Saturdays)

For more information contact Nelly Iwobi, Dominique Gary, or Barbara Middleton.

A day of Reflection with Edwina Gateway on Saturday v30th September 2017 10am -4pm at St. Augustine’s priory, House of Prayer, Cliffe Road, Old Colwyn. LL29 9RW Please bring a packed lunch. Tea and Coffee provided. Offering of £10 appreciated.

One Pound Coins.

The old one pound coins will cease to be legal tender on October 15th and we are advised by the bank that any placed in the collection after that date cannot be added to the collection or banked. For a short time after the 15th October individuals will be allowed to lodge them to their own personal account, but cannot trade them, and shops will not accept them.

Out of Action Fr. Frank will be going into hospital for a hip operation this coming Friday and will be out of action for a while. Hopefully my absence will not be for too long. A service will continue each day and some days that may be Word and Eucharist.

Hot buttered toast and steaming hot tea mornings. For £2 come to the Parish Community Centre at 9am-11am on Monday’s for a warm welcome and company. 9th October Community event will start. ALL welcome. Questions? See June Craig.

Fairtrade weekend is after the Masses on Saturday 30 September and Sunday 1 October.

History of Parish. Looking for volunteers to develop a history of the Parish ? anyone there?