

NEWS

Material for the August magazine required **TODAY** 12th July. Could all organisations and groups in the churches please try to send news by email to dianedawson15@gmail.com.

There will be a bucket collection for the next two Sundays after the 10.30 a.m. service for Venezuela appeal.

PLACE OF WELCOME Tuesdays at 10.30 - 12.30 in the Parish Centre.

Organ Recital in Church in memory of our past Organist Veronica Donkin by Jamie Rogers, Organist and Assistant Director of Music at Canterbury Cathedral on Saturday 25th July at 1800. Free admission retiring collection for the maintenance and restoration of our historic Hill Organ.

PATRONAL FESTIVAL - Sunday August 2nd from 12.30 p.m. in the Parish Centre. Please indicate on the sheet at the back of church if you are able to attend and what food you can contribute. Please come and enjoy one another's company. All are welcome.

FOOD BANK: Urgently requires tinned ham/spam/corned beef, tinned tuna and sardines, biscuits and treats, cereal, shampoo and shower Gel, size 5 and 7 nappies and wet dog food

CHURCH CALENDAR

MONDAY 13th JULY

TUESDAY 14th JULY

- 10.30 Place of Welcome in Parish Centre - 12.30
- 13.30 Morda School - Assembly 14.30.

WEDNESDAY 15th JULY

- 09.00 Morning Prayer (online)
- 11.30 John Mellor Cremation at Emstrey Crematorium followed by service in St. Oswald's Church at 1 p.m.
- 17.15 Brownies in the Parish Centre - 19.15

THURSDAY 16th JULY

- 10.30 Holy Communion BCP
- 19.30 Bell ringing practice - 2100

FRIDAY 17th JULY

- 09.00 Morning Prayer (online)
- 19.00 Full Choir - 20.30 in Church
- 20.30 Choral Scholars and Adults - 21.00

SATURDAY 18th JULY

*Sunday worship on the You Tube page
9 o'clock Morning Prayer is streamed on the
Facebook page on Wednesday and Friday
stoswald.office@gmail.com
<http://www.stoswaldsoswestry.org.uk>
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THE PARISH CHURCH OF ST. OSWALD KING & MARTYR

SEA SUNDAY SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY 12TH JULY 2026



*We believe in one God,
Father, Son and Holy Spirit*

Welcome to worship at St. Oswald's. Please introduce yourself, especially if you are a visitor or newcomer.

09.30 Holy Communion at Christ Church Rhydygroesau

President: Fr. Phil Hughes

10.10 Prayers in St. Catherine's Chapel

10.30 Parish Eucharist at St. Oswald's

President Rev. Dr. Keith Musson

Setting: Mathias - Communion Service in C

Processional Hymn: 478

The Collect:

Merciful God, you have prepared for those who love you such good things as pass our understanding: pour into our hearts such love toward you that we, loving you in all things and above all things, may obtain your promises, which exceed all that we can desire; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Readings Isaiah 55:10-13

The active word of God will fulfil God's promises just as rain enables seeds to grow. So these words, spoken through the prophet Isaiah, may be trusted.

Psalm: 65 (8-end)

Romans 8:1-11

Paul writes about two contrasting ways of living, ruled either by sin (the flesh), which leads to death, or by God (the Spirit), which leads to resurrection life.

Gradual Hymn: 407

Gospel Matthew 13:1-9. 18-23

The word of God is received differently by different people and even though many reject or lose that seed, enough absorb it to yield a bountiful harvest.

Preacher: Rev. Adrian Bailey

For your prayers:

For the leaders of the nations that they may seek after ways of peace.

For the people of Iran and other nations in the Middle East and of Sudan.

The victims of the earth quake in Venezuela.

Our young people who are making important choices about their future studies and their possible employment and those who advise them.

The Church Wardens, PCC, clergy and lay worship teams as they lead us.

For all those working in the caring professions and for those in their charge.

The families and friends of Bryan Ernest Martin, John Mellor, Norma Siegrid Hilde Emmi Brannan, Peter Davies, Chris Griffiths and everyone who has recently been bereaved.

Offertory Hymn: 443

Communion Hymn: 282

Anthem: They that go down to the sea in Ships

The Post Communion Prayer:

God of our pilgrimage, you have led us to the living water: refresh and sustain us as we go forward on our journey, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.

Recessional Hymn: 396

Organ Voluntary: First movement Concerto in A minor BWV593

Please join us for Coffee in the Parish Centre after the service today.

18.00 Evening Prayer - Commissioned Lay Minister Jenifer Chippett Williams

SUNDAY 19th July (Seventh Sunday after Trinity) - St. Oswald's Singers

08.00: Holy Communion

President: Fr. Phil Hughes

10.30 Parish Eucharist

President: Fr. Phil Hughes

Preacher: Rev. Dr. Keith Musson

Setting: Shepherd Addington Service

Anthem: Lead me Lord - Wesley

Hymns: 52, 245, 265, 341. 332

18.00 Evening Prayer - Commissioned Lay Minister Jenifer Chippett Williams

