



# PARISH OF WREXHAM MAELOR

ST. ANNE'S WREXHAM  
OUR LADY AND WELSH MARTYRS OVERTON



## Fourth Sunday of Advent 21st December 2025

Saturday	20th December	Overton—Mass 5.00 pm <i>Barbara Majumdar RIP</i>
Sunday	21st December	<b>Mass in Polish—9.00 am</b> <i>Za + Przemysława Dobczyńskiego w 1 r. smierci</i>
	Int.	<b>Mass—11.00 am</b> <i>For Parishioners</i>
Monday	22nd December	<b>Mass 9.15 am</b> <i>Mary Foster RIP—Pat, Mike &amp; Family</i>
	Int.	<b>6.00 pm—Vigil Mass</b>
Wednesday	24th December	<i>Bp Edwin Regan Intention</i>
	Int.	<b>9.30 pm—Carol service</b>
	Int.	<b>10.00 pm—Mass during Night</b>
	Int.	<i>For Parishioners</i>
Thursday	25th December	<b>Overton—Mass 9.00 am</b>
	Int.	<b>Mass in Polish—9.00 am</b>
	Int.	<i>Za Leonarda Kruszniewicz 1 rocz. Sm.</i>
	Int.	<b>Mass—11.00 am</b>
	Int.	<i>For Parishioners</i>
Friday	26th December	<b>Mass in Polish—9.00 am</b>
	Int.	<i>Za Franciszka Grzybek w rocz. Sm</i>
	Int.	<b>Mass—10.30 am</b>
	Int.	<i>Teresa and Donal Lynam—Betty Cooney</i>
Saturday	27th December	<b>Overton—Mass 5.00 pm</b>
	Int.	<i>Elisa Toscano RIP Anniversary—Chris Feliciello</i>
Sunday	28th December	<b>Mass in Polish—9.00 am</b>
	Int.	<i>Za + Stanisława, Helene, Tadeusza i Krzysztofa Spasinkich</i>
	Int.	<b>Mass—11.00 am</b>
	Int.	<i>For Parishioners</i>

## FEASTS OF THE WEEK

Monday	4th Week of Advent
Tuesday	4th Week of Advent
Wednesday	4th Week of Advent or St John of Kanty, Priest
Thursday	<b>The Nativity of Our Lord Jesus Christ—Solemnity</b>
Friday	St Stephen, the First Martyr—Feast
Saturday	St John, Apostle and Evangelist—Feast

## PLEASE PRAY

... for our sick, elderly and housebound of the Parish, especially: Graham Wickwar, Margaret Patino Pan, Tom Feeney, Vera, Thea Howells, Canon Lordan, Mary Hughes, Margaret Sanger, Kathleen Humphreys, Joanne Baines, Pauline Jones, Terry Hughes, Cella Nelson, Pat Lennon, Sandra McKenna, Denis and Pearl Pugh, Lynne McInerney, Steve Hughes, Kathryn Dias, Helen Harvey, Pat Roberts, Pamela Griffiths, Myra Worthington, Teresa Grindley, Nigel Jordan, Ken Jones, Robin Sutherland, Claire Baines, John O'Keefe. May they be strengthened and comforted by the Healing Spirit of God.

for the repose of the souls of all who have died recently, and all those whose anniversary is around this time: Edward Skelly, who died recently and also James Grant, Mildred Caveney, John Davies, Holland, Sosnowski, Kathleen Spendel, William O'Brien, Felicity Lennon, Darran Fenlon, Giuseppa Giglio, Fred Jones, Richard Skelly, Rene Huxley, Veronica Skelly, Cella Millward, Abel Hayes, Edwardus Maher, Fred Dawson, Carrie Dyer, Mary Evans, Czeslaw, Andrzejeweski, Kathleen McDaid, Rachel Moraghan, Glynn Welby, Meirian Hughes. May they rest in peace.

## Services and Duties

### READERS

This Week	M Roberts	P Morton	Diya
Next Week	B Quinn	C Saunders	P Sumner

### COMMUNION MINISTERS

	Chalice	Chalice
This Week	T Lloyd	P Morton
Next Week	A Saunders	B Cooney

## COLLECTIONS LAST WEEK

Gift Aid	£333.00
Plate	£369.60
<b>Total</b>	<b>£702.60</b>

**BAMBINELLI SUNDAY:** This year, we will celebrate 'Bambinelli Sunday' at our Masses on the weekend of 20th and 21st December. All are invited to bring the baby Jesus figurine (Bambinelli) from their crib at home to Mass to be blessed. A suggestion is, following the blessing, take your 'Bambinelli' home and place it in a gift box, wrap it and save it for Christmas. Let this be the first gift your family opens on Christmas morning, when you can then place your Baby Jesus in your crib.

# Announcements

**St Anne's Christmas Raffle** draw is taking place today, 21st December. Thank you.

## Crib Offerings

The following two charities will be the recipients of the Crib Offerings:  
**'Depaul UK'** whose work is grounded in the teachings of St Vincent de Paul.  
Registered Charity Number 802384,

And, **the Palestinian West Bank, the Bethlehem Care and Hospice Trust's Hospice at Home**, a unique Sheffield-based licensed palliative care provider in the Occupied Palestinian Territories (OPT). Registered Charity Number 1158406. More on the Crib Offerings can be found on p. 7 of *the Clarion*.

**Missio Red Boxes (Overton):** Many thanks to those who returned their boxes for emptying and who collected them again afterwards. In 2025 a total of £360.00 was sent to Missio.

**CHRISTMAS IS COMING!:** As last year, there is a notice board in the church porch for you to pin Christmas cards wishing the whole parish a happy Christmas.

## LOOKING AHEAD:

### **24th December Christmas Eve**

6.00 pm Vigil Mass  
9.30 pm Carol Service  
10.00 pm Mass during Night

### **25th December Christmas Day**

9.00 am Mass in Polish  
9.00 am Overton  
11.00 am Mass during the Day

### **26th December**

9.00 am Mass in Polish  
10.30 am Holy Mass

*A very Happy, Holy, and Peaceful Christmas*

## PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

Bountiful Father,/ your Son, urged us to pray for labourers for your harvest,/ Grant, we pray,/ an abundance of priests and consecrated men and women/ to care for the needs of your Church/ in the Diocese of Wrexham.

Through the intercession of Our Lady of Sorrows,/ pour out your Holy Spirit upon our families./ May we encourage each person/ to discern and follow the vocation to which you have called them.

We ask this through Christ, our Lord. Amen

# INFORMACJE DLA POLAKÓW

**21 GRUDNIA 2025**  
**IV NIEDZIELA ADWENTU.**

1. W dzisiejszą niedzielę obchodzimy IV Niedzielę Adwentu.

## 2. Msze św. w okresie Bożego Narodzenia

### 24 Grudnia

18.00 Msza w j. angielskim

21.30 Nabożeństwo Kolędowe

22.00 Msza w Nocy w j. angielskim

### 25 Grudnia Uroczystość Bożego Narodzenia

#### 9.00 Msza św. w j. polskim

9.00 Msza św w j. angielskim w Overton

11.00 Msza św w j. angielskim

### 26 Grudnia - drugi dzień Świąt Bożego Narodzenia

#### 9.00 Msza św w j. polskim

10.30 Msza św w j. angielskim

4. Opłatki na stół wigilijny są dostępne z tyłu kościoła.

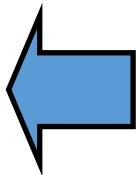


St Anne's Parish  
WhatsApp group



Tea and coffee will be served in the Parish Centre after 11.00 am Mass today - please come along and join us!

**All are welcome!**



Scan this QR code using the WhatsApp camera to join St Anne's Parish WhatsApp group

**HOLY FATHER'S INTENTION FOR DECEMBER 2025: FOR CHRISTIANS IN AREAS OF CONFLICT. LET US PRAY THAT CHRISTIANS LIVING IN AREAS OF WAR OR CONFLICT, ESPECIALLY IN THE MIDDLE EAST, MIGHT BE SEEDS OF PEACE, RECONCILIATION AND HOPE.**

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