

St Agnes Church,

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25th Sunday of the Year

23rd September 2018

SAT: 5.30pm Jim Gerrard **SUN: 10.30am** Parishioners **5.30pm** Barney & Gerald Crowe
MON: Service of Word and Communion at 10am *Our Lady of Walsingham*
TUE: Service of Word and Communion at 10am
WED: Service of Word and Communion at 10am
THU: Service of Word and Communion at 10am *St Vincent de Paul*
FRI: No service today
SAT: No morning service *Ss Michael, Gabriel & Raphael*
SAT: 5.30pm Parishioners **SUN: 10.30am** Julie Sanderson **5.30pm** Special Intention

Sacrament of Reconciliation will not be celebrated next Saturday

Holy Hour: Thursday from 10-11am Thank you for last weekend's Offertory

Society of St Vincent de Paul – September is **Awareness Month for the SVP**

Our aim is to tackle poverty in all its forms through the provision of practical assistance to those in need.

Charity must never look to the past, but always to the future. Blessed Frederic Ozanam.



COFFEE MORNING today after 10.30am Mass. **Please do pop in** even for a few minutes to have a look at the stalls and enjoy a cup of tea or coffee and a biscuit.
THE FOOD COLLECTION this weekend is for Asylum Link.

At a recent J and P meeting the group decided to observe the Season of Creation by responding to the Pope's call in 'Laudato Si' to make shopping a moral act. So, in the next few weeks there will be some pointers you might like to consider when you next go to the supermarket or greengrocer.

Consider buying something with less plastic packaging, locally produced or with a Fairtrade mark on it



FUN QUIZ AND GRAND RAFFLE raising money for Friends of the Holy Land.

Sat 6th Oct. £5pp 7/7.30 bring your own drinks and nibbles. Donations of raffle prizes welcomed – to get in touch with quizmaster Peter on 625 5158

Kerala Flood appeal – thank you for **£1691.32** you donated to this appeal.

Throughout the country the SVP has already raised over **£100,000** for those affected and these vital contributions will go towards rebuilding homes, providing food, water and medical care.

Thank you also for £270 for the Indian Student Programme.

Wirral District SVP president, Rose, says that thanks to your regular donations to our SVP the 2 parishes most in need in our area have been able to provide much support to those struggling.



Benediction at the Carmelite Monastery, Birkenhead on Sun 30th Sept 3pm. All welcome

READING GROUP will meet in The White Lion Pub, West Kirby at 7.30 pm, Thu 4th Oct to discuss **Fools of Fortune** by **William Trevor**. All are welcome, including members of other parishes.



Youth to Lourdes Registration Meeting If you are interested in travelling to Lourdes with the Diocesan Pilgrimage next July to help the sick and elderly please come to our registration meeting in the parish room **after 5.30 mass on 30th September**. To work in Lourdes you must be 16 years old by the end of July. If you are older and want to come as a **youth leader** please come along to the meeting. **We are in need of extra help.**

Youth volunteers need to live in St Agnes, St Catherine's, Our Lady of Pity or Sacred Heart Parishes. If you have any questions please call Jo Fear on 07525 356523.

Anselmian Dinner Fri 28th Sept at the college – 7pm for 7.30pm. Tickets £35pp available from anselmianassociation@st-anselms.com

CATHOLIC SINGLES is an organisation which helps single Catholics of all ages over 18 years meet other single Catholics, either one to one or through social events. For further information see www.catholicsingles.org.uk or tel. 0161 941 3498