

10<sup>th</sup> August 2025  
 19<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time  
 Wisdom 18:6-9  
 Psalm 33  
 Hebrews 11:1-2, 8-19  
 Luke 12:32-48

# Saint Clare of Assisi

CATHOLIC CHURCH



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August is dedicated to  
 The Immaculate Heart  
 of Mary

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Date	Masses, Feasts and Devotions	Intentions
Saturday 9th	Adoration 4.30pm–5.30pm Confessions 5.30pm–6pm Rosary 5.35pm <b>Mass 6pm</b>	People of the Parish
Sunday 10th	Confessions and Rosary 9–9.30am <b>Mass 9.30am</b>	People of the Parish
Monday 11th	-	-
Tuesday 12th	Mass 7.00pm	Martin and Victoria Hunt
Wednesday 13th	Rosary 9.05am <b>Mass 9.30am</b>	Eileen Wyatt RIP
Thursday 14th	<b>Mass 9.30am</b>	Anniversary Bob Green RIP
Friday 15th	Day of abstinence from meat Rosary 9.05am <b>Mass 9.30am</b>	Angela Walshe intentions
Saturday 16th	Adoration 4.30pm–5.30pm Confessions 5.30pm–6pm Rosary 5.35pm <b>Mass 6pm</b>	Kevin Langan RIP
Sunday 10th	Confessions and Rosary 9–9.30am <b>Mass 9.30am</b>	People of the Parish

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# Announcements

## St Clare's SVP Conference

We have had contact from the Social Prescribing Link Worker for Chester South. It seems there may be lonely people in our area who need befriending which is the main reason for the St Vincent de Paul Society. Let us know if there is anyone who needs our help? Contact can be made via the website <https://stclaressvp.co.uk> or to Steve on 07838089298. Keep safe and as well as possible. God bless.

## Tea & Coffee after Sunday 9.30 Mass

This week it's Sue with proceeds to CAFOD and next week it's Catherine and Elaine with proceeds to St Clare's SVP.

## Foodbank Donations

Thanks to all who donate. Please continue to bring items in and put them on the trolley in the cupboard next to the Altar of the Sacred Heart. They will be taken to the Warehouse when the trolley fills. Regards Steve

## Eucharistic Minister

We need help with taking the Eucharist to the housebound. The present small team needs support and we would, be grateful for more help. Please speak to either Father Patrick or Steve Bonsall.

## Stewards

We are reaching out to invite new stewards to come forward and assist with welcoming people to our Church.

## Angela Mays RIP

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Angela Mays, a former active member of St Clare's parish, who died recently. Her funeral will be at St Werburgh's, on Friday 15 August, at 10.00 am.

## St Clare's Feastday

St Clare's Feast Day which falls on August 11th will be celebrated in the parish on Sunday August 17th this year as is usual, in either parish grounds or parish room, depending on the weather. The event will commence at 10.30am, after the 9.30 Mass and help with this event would be greatly appreciated? List for food donations is at the back of Church.

## Altar Servers

We're looking for more Altar Servers. Anyone that's completed their First Holy Communion is eligible. If you're interested, please contact Mike 07808 476299, or [mike.darby@appliedsoftware.co.uk](mailto:mike.darby@appliedsoftware.co.uk).

## Lost Something?

A piece of jewellery has been found. Please direct any enquiries to the ladies at the Repository at the back of church.

## Please Pray for the Sick, Elderly, and Housebound

Including Rosemary Roberts, Judy Kearney, Veronica Creaney, Geoffrey Prendergast, Cynthia Lloyd, Alan Challinor, Jenny Jarvis, Margaret Russell, Rob Davies and Andrea Burns.

## Anniversaries Occurring Around This Time

Ann Evans, Sydney Jones, John Piggott, Catherine Mills, Geoffrey Fozard, John Callaghan, Ruth McDowell, Evelyn Harrison, Rosalind Rowlands

## May They Rest in Peace