

Parish of St Mary, Middlewich & St Margaret Ward, Holmes Chapel

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Second Sunday in Lent 21st February 2016

Saturday	20th Feb.	6.30pm	Bob Milliken
Sunday	21st Feb	9.00am 10.30am	(H Chapel) Priest's Int . The Parishioners
Monday	22nd Feb	12.00pm	Dillon Family <i>Chair of St Peter</i>
Tuesday	23rd Feb	9.00am	John Ford Anniv. <i>St Polycarp</i>
Wednesday	24th Feb	7.00pm 7.30pm	Stations of the Cross Thelma Woolridge RIP
Thursday	25th Feb	9.00am 9.30am	(School) Bishop Ian Murray RIP (School) Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
Friday	26th Feb	9.00am 9.30am	Celebration of the Word & Communion (H Chapel) Stations of the Cross
Saturday	27th Feb	6.30pm	Tom Stoneley Anniv.
Sunday	28th Feb	9.00am 10.30am	(H Chapel) The Parishioners Priest's Int.

Sacrament of Reconciliation : Saturday 11.30am—12.15pm

Sacrament of Baptism by appointment

Please Pray for

ALL who are sick at home and in hospital: Stephen Grey, Margaret McCallum, Marlene Perry, Sara O'Brien, Jamie Connor, John Bomford, Terry O'Rourke, Peggy O'Dea, Tony Darlington, Nathan Carter, Carol Bagshaw, Larry Porter, Gillian Robinson, Ellen Bagshaw, Beryl Bradburn, John Davies, Lawrence Bratt, Tim Bradbury, Tony Nicholson, Frances Milliken, Roy Yearsley, Sam O'Rourke, Noah Carrick, Carol Morrison, Patricia Lewis, Lilian Kavanagh, Howard Elliott, Peter Hannon, Don Loran, Lena Cotton, Fiona Martin, Peter Cox, Peter Bradshaw



ALL who have died recently, especially Sue Mason.

ALL whose anniversaries occur at this time: Eleanor Hind, Katherine Lawrence, Susan Penny, Arthur Battersby, Christopher Callaghan, Rose Raftery, James Challinor, Renee Lomas, Declan McIlroy, Myles Costello, John Buffini, Norah Gilligan, Seconda Washington, William Edwards, Trudie Duddy, Winifred Reid, Bernard McManus, Catherine Higgins, Roger Cregg, Tom Stoneley, Rev Breandan McDonald.

Nomination forms for proposed members of the Parish Pastoral Team are available at both churches. Please let us have your suggestions this weekend or next.

Advance Dates: Community Mass & Lunch Mon 21st March, Irish Night Sat 12th March. Family Bingo & Beans night, Sat 16th April

Celebrate N. W charismatic conference weekend 23/4April in Macclesfield. David Wells, Linda Stalley, Ros Powell, children and youth sessions for all ages, Adult £35, child £5 includes Saturday evening meal. Ring 01706 640359 or see www.celebrateconference.org.

Please bring back **CAFOD Fast day** envelopes asap & Gift Aid if possible. Remember the Government is matching your donations this Lent

Amy will be selling Raffle Tickets for a very beautiful hand quilted throw and cushion after Mass for the next month, to raise funds for World Youth day

The Service for Woman's World Day of Prayer will be held at St Mary's on Friday 4th March at 1.30pm. There is also a service at Goostrey Methodists, at 7pm on Friday March 4th (address Main Road Goostrey CW4 8PA).

Year of Mercy Youth Event, Sun 20th March, 1.30-5.30pm at St Chad's High School Runcorn. For year 11 and above. Speakers, prayer & reflection, Adoration & Reconciliation. Details on Notice boards or website www.dioceseofshrewsbury.org/youth

Please sign the list at the back of church if you would like to do a "Turn" at the Irish Evening on Sat 12th March

As part of the Holy Year Of Mercy, as requested by Pope Francis, we are having an all night Prayer Vigil with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and a priest available for the Sacrament of Reconciliation from 8.00pm on Friday 4th March to 8.00am on Saturday 5th March in St Mary's Please sign the list at the back of church if you are willing to "keep watch" for half an hour or more during this time. It will conclude with Mass at 8.00am

There will be a **Gift Sale** at St Margaret's next Sunday , proceeds to the Building Fund, and a **Craft Sale** after both Masses at St Mary's, profits to Mary's Meals. Why not buy your Mothers day gifts? Flowers fade but these last!

Our Craft Group stall at the Made in Middlewich exhibition made £74 for Mary's Meals, and the café raised £80 for St Luke's Hospice. Thank you all who helped or supported us.

Pilgrimage Visit of the Miraculous Relic Image of our Lady of Guadalupe to St Mary's Crewe
This will take place from 6.30pm, Friday 22nd April until Sunday 24th April. There will be veneration until 9.00pm on all three days. Soup and sandwiches will be offered on the Saturday

SPUC Regional Conference—Changing Minds-Saving Lives, Saturday 16th April 10.30am—3.30pm. Speakers include Rt Rev Bishop Mark Davies and Fiona Bruce MP Cost £10 includes buffet lunch—see poster/flyer for booking details

Food Bank Items needed : deodorant, shampoo, meat paste, jelly, angel delight

Catholic Women's League meet at 7.30pm in the Parish Rooms, Gatefield Street Crewe . All ladies are welcome. Future dates for your diary are:-21st March Spiritual Talk for Easter and Celebrate Women's Day of Prayer 18th April Mass followed by our AGM and a shared table. 16th May "Operation Christmas Child" presentation by Pat Welch 20th June End of year celebration. Wine and Strawberries.

THIS WEEK

Monday 12.00pm
Monday 6.15pm
Monday 6.30pm
Monday 7.45pm
Wednesday 7.00pm
Wednesday 8.15pm
Thursday 1.00pm
Friday 9.30am
Friday 9.45am
Friday 10.00am
Saturday 10.00am

Community Mass & Lunch
PEP Children
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
Scripture Study Group 1, Session 2
Stations of the Cross
RCIA
Craft Group
Stations of the Cross
Mothers' Prayers
Parents & Tots
Scripture Study Group 2, Session 1

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