

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

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Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time , 3rd July 2016

Saturday	2nd July.	6.30pm	Mary & James Malone
Sunday	3rd July	9.00am (H Chapel))	Priest's Int.
		10.30am	The Parishioners
Monday	4th July	9.00am	Mary Longworth
Tuesday	5th July	9.00am	Celebration of the Word & Communion
Wednesday	6th July	2.15pm	Funeral Service for Anne Kenny
		7.30pm	Anthony Williams
Thursday	7th July	9.00am	(School) Paul Dobson RIP
		9.30am	(School) Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament until 3.00pm
Friday	8th July	9.00am	Holy Souls
Saturday	9th July	6.30pm	Maggie Hannon, b'day
Sunday	10th July	9.00am (H Chapel)	The Parishioners
		10.30am	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, John Davies, Lawrence Bratt, Tim Bradbury, Tony Nicholson, Frances Milliken, Roy Yearsley, Noah Carrick, Carol Morrison, Patricia Lewis, Lilian Kavanagh, Howard Elliott, Peter Hannon, Don Loran, Lena Cotton, Fiona Martin, Peter Cox, Peter Bradshaw, Harry Hickland, Derek Rvder, Margaret Schofield, Timothy Shaw

ALL who have died recently, especially Anne Kenny

ALL whose anniversaries occur at this time: Joseph Costello, Mary Jump, Henry Garritty, Ted Reid, Cathy Boughen, Roger Hazel, Margaret McNeela, Leonard Glynn, James Griffiths, Nora Mitchell, Bridget Clewes, Thomas Loughlin, Gustav Emil Nehrlich, Thomas Cannon, Maud Griffiths, Veronica Ward, William Maddock, Constance Mary Cornwell, Canon Maurice Abbot.



**GAME, SET ,
MATCH: WOOLLY HAT !**

Please help yourself to a very easy pattern. Knit a woolly hat or neck warmer for a sailor. Good Wimbledon-watching activity! Box at back of St. Margaret's. Donations of dark-coloured DOUBLE knitting wool, gratefully received. Thanks.

We have two Parish Social events to look forward to: On Sunday 10th July we have **Strawberries & Champagne in the Parish Centre after 10.30 Mass**. Come and get into the mood for watching the Wimbledon Men's final that afternoon! Please sign the list at the back of church if you are thinking of coming, so we know how many strawberries we need! Soft drinks also provided. Contributions to Parish Funds .The following Sunday, 17th July, we have the Annual **Parish Barbecue at 12.30pm**. Bring burgers etc. to barbecue and salads & puddings to share and let's relax together. All welcome. Please pray for fine weather!!

There will be an appeal at all Masses this weekend on behalf of the Sacred Heart Priests & Brothers of Betharram. It will be made by Brother Andrew Ferris who is a local lad from Congleton whom we have known since he was at school at All Hallows in Macclesfield ! Please be your usual

Diocesan Certificates for Extraordinary Ministers of Communion have arrived for those ministers who attended one of the the Diocesan training days and were commissioned by Bishop Mark to serve this parish. They will be distributed at all Masses next weekend. Certificates for Ministers of the

Street Pastors: We urgently need volunteers to join our loyal band of street pastors. Full training will be given to those who would be willing to join the group. They do so much to support the young people on the streets of our town and receive many blessings in return. The commitment is only once a month for approx. 4 hours. Please pray & ask Jesus to let you know if he is calling you into this **ministry**. **For more info ring Norah on 01606 832756**



Auction: As this event was not well attended (Only half the people who bought tickets actually came) several lots were not sold, so they are being offered for auction to the parish by sealed bid.

The goods on offer are **Large Teddy, Deep Fat Fryer, Signed Cricket Bat & Lap Quilt**. These are on display at the back of St Mary's. The services for auction are: **An evenings baby sitting, A Digital Camera Learning session & two rounds of Golf**. There are reserves on some of these. If you wish to make a bid, take a form from the back of either church, fill in the appropriate item(s) with your bid, add your name and phone no, seal it in one of the envelopes provided and put it in the offertory collection or through the

Wanted: Welfare Officer for Diocese. This new post has been created following the success of the pilot phase of the Our Mission Together fundraising campaign, which has provided the funding for this much needed support worker. The Campaign Advisory Committee are grateful for the generosity of the faithful in the seven pilot parishes which has enabled the post to be created so quickly. *The successful candidate will support retired priests in living an independent, dignified and fulfilling life, to help them adapt to a life of retirement, and supporting those who require additional assistance through age or infirmity, as well as assistance to any priest still in ministry who requires similar support through periods of prolonged ill health. See Poster for details*

We welcome into our Parish Family Zachary Malcolm Spann & Lucas William Jennings-Meakin who will be baptized this Sunday.



Advance Dates: Barbecue Sunday 17th July, Community Mass Monday 18th July, Confirmations Friday 25th November

THIS WEEK

Monday	6.30pm	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	St Mary's
Monday	8.00pm	CAFOD Group	Presbytery
Thursday	1.00pm	Craft Group	PC 1
Thursday	7.00pm	PCP Candidates	PC 1,2,3,4
Friday	9.45am	Mothers' Prayers	PC 4
Friday	10.00am	Parents & Tots	PC 2,3
Sunday	11.45am	Strawberries & Champagne	PC2,3