

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

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Twenty Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time , 2nd October 2016

Saturday	1st Oct	6.30pm	Harry Hinderer <i>St Theresa of the Child Jesus</i>
Sunday	2nd Oct	9.00am 10.30am	The Parishioners Priest's Int.
Monday	3rd Oct	9.00am	Jane Laverack
Tuesday	4th Oct	9.00am	Kathleen Cheetham RIP <i>St Francis of Assisi</i>
Wednesday	5th Oct	7.30pm	Celeb of the Word & Communion <i>St Thomas of Hereford</i>
Thursday	6th Oct	9.00am 9.30am	(School) John Stoneley RIP (School) Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
Friday	7th Oct	9.00am	Sheila Ombler <i>O.L of the Rosary</i>
Saturday	8th Oct	6.30pm	Paul & John Jordan
Sunday	9th Oct	9.00am 10.30am	Priest's Int. The Parishioners

Sacrament of Reconciliation : On request only this week
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, Larry Porter, Gillian Robinson, Ellen Bagshaw, John Davies, Lawrence Bratt, Tim Bradbury, Tony Nicholson, Frances Milliken, Roy Yearsley, Noah Carrick, Patricia Lewis, Lilian Kavanagh, Peter Hannon, Don Loran, Lena Cotton, Fiona Martin, Peter Bradshaw, Harry Hickland, Margaret Schofield, Nancy & Stan Rosiak, Sadie Everard, Alex Randall.

ALL who have died recently.

ALL Whose anniversaries occur at this time: Bert Whitehead, James Heyes, Fred Fletcher, Doris McSpadden, James Malone, Bernard Barnes, Jane Spenge, Norman Charles Rota, Carol Webster, Francis Horricks, Anthony Ruane, Bridget Dolan, Wilfrid Whittingham, Margaret Daniels, Rev James Savage, Rev Patrick Brizzell



YOUNG ADULTS RETREAT FOR THE JUBILEE YEAR - "Reflecting on Mary, Mother of Mercy" A.C.T.S' ('Adult Catholics Together Spiritually') annual retreat is taking place from Fri 28th Oct (evening) until after lunch on Sun 30th Oct 2016. If you are aged between 18 – 35 you will be very welcome to join us. Fr Tony McGrath will lead the retreat which will take place at Savio Hse, Bollington (near Macclesfield). Payment will be by anonymous donation (suggested cost £95). Please contact Siobhan Cartwright siobhanbc@talktalk.net or tel: 0161 477 2783 / mobile 07761 138947

Aid To The Church in Need Annual North West International Speakers to be hosted this year in the Diocese in St Columba's, Chester, on Tuesday 11th October from 7.30pm – 9.30pm
All are most welcome. Please see poster at back of church for more information.

FOOD BANK:
DUE TO CHANGE OF PREMISES
PLEASE DO NOT BRING ANY ITEMS
FOR THE FOOD BANK UNTIL
FURTHER NOTICE.

Surplus Beans & Pasta are available at the back of church. Please take them home.

We do not have room to store them.

If you wish you can replace them with any of the following: **Cup a Soup, Tinned**

Potatoes, Tinned Meat, Tinned Fruit, Biscuits, Sugar, Long Life Fruit Juice,

Sponge Puddings, Custard, Jelly, Angel Delight, Jam, Meat Paste, Cream Crackers, Savoury Rice, Stuffing and Ketchup/ Brown Sauce.

The food bank is moving to temporary premises the week beginning 11th October.

Lots of help will be needed for this.

Please contact David Cooke on cooked@talktalk.net if you are able to help in any way.

Best wishes to Kerry-Louise Freer and Vincent Keith Jones who will be married at St Mary's next Saturday at 12.00



CAFOD Harvest Fast Day is Friday 7 October 2016. This Harvest Fast Day we are invited to join 32-year-old Nicanora, from Bolivia, on her journey from poverty to abundance. We can stand alongside Nicanora as she learns new skills and receives materials and seeds that will enable her to grow enough food to feed her family. Please pick up a Fast Day envelope and give what you can

On Saturday 8th October, as part of our Harvest Weekend Celebrations, Queen Street United Reformed Church in Middlewich are opening the church between 2pm and 4pm for a Coffee and Cake Afternoon so that people can call in and view the harvest displays whilst enjoying the refreshments. The theme of the displays this year is 'Harvest Hymns Old and New' The coffee, tea and delicious home-made cake are free, but donations can be made to St. Luke's Hospice.

Diocesan Symposium: The place of Mercy in end-of-life Care. Saturday 15th Oct at St Ambrose College, Hale Barns, & Sunday 16th Oct At St Winefride's school, Shrewsbury. See poster for details.

Advance dates: Community Mass & Lunch 17th October Confirmation Friday 25th Nov

ACTA Shrewsbury Gathering in Chester - Saturday 22nd October, 2016 "All is Grace"

You are warmly invited to this important ACTA (A Call to Action) event at St Columba's Church Hall, Chester, CH2 1SA on 22nd October (11m -3pm). This will be a wonderful opportunity to find out more about ACTA, to meet others who want to promote dialogue in the Church, and to help take ACTA forward in the Shrewsbury diocese. We have two excellent speakers lined up: Fr Daniel O'Leary, well-known author, teacher and theologian, and Kathy Bamber, National Vice-Chair of ACTA
Registration is from 10.30am. No charge (donations welcome on the day). Tea/coffee provided. Bring a packed Lunch. You are also invited to bring with you an object or keepsake that reminds you of a special time or moment of grace, such as a photograph of a sunset, or maybe something that you have made. If you are planning to attend, to help us have an idea of numbers, please contact Dave Thomas davevanthomas@yahoo.co.uk For more details, including a location map, visit the ACTA website: www.acalltoaction.org.uk (Use [View Full Calendar](#) link on Homepage).

THIS WEEK		
Monday	6.15pm	PEP Parents & Children
Monday	6.30pm	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
Wednesday	8.15pm	RCIA
Thursday	1.00pm	Craft Group
Thursday	7.00pm	Confirmation Group
Friday	9.45am	Mothers' Prayers
Friday	10.00am	Parents & Tots
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		St Mary's
		PC 1
		PC 1
		PC1,2,3,4
		PC 4
		PC 2,3