

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

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Twenty Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time, 1st October 2017

Saturday	30th Sept	6.30pm	Paul & John Jordan <i>St Jerome</i>
Sunday	1st Oct	9.00am 10.30am	The parishioners Priest's Int.
Monday	2nd Oct	9.00am 8.00pm	Peggy Flynn RIP <i>Guardian Angels</i> Ints of Sr Ruth
Tuesday	3rd Oct	9.00am	Canon Donald McKay RIP
Wednesday	4th Oct	7.30pm	Private Int. <i>St Francis of Assisi</i>
Thursday	5th Oct	9.00am 9.30am	(School) Private Int <i>St Thomas of Hereford</i> Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
Friday	6th Oct	9.00am	Ukrainian People
Saturday	7th Oct	6.30pm	John & Paul Jordan <i>O.L. of the Rosary</i>
Sunday	8th Oct	9.00am 10.30am	(H Chapel) Priest's Int The Parishioners

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, Tony Darlington, Nathan Carter, Larry Porter, Gillian Robinson, John Davies, Lawrence Bratt, Tim Bradbury, Tony Nicholson, Frances Milliken, Roy Yearsley, Noah Carrick, Patricia Lewis, Peter Hannon, Don Loran, Margaret Schofield, Stan Rosiak, Sadie Everard, Alex Randall, Tony Morris, Jean Loran, Tracy Simpson, Bill Etherington, Jenny Ogden, Michael O'Keefe, Fred Trim, Don Hartill,



ALL who have died recently

ALL Whose anniversaries occur at this time: Ellen Gallagher, Val Costello, Bert Whitehead, James Heyes, Fred Fletcher, Doris McSpadden, James Malone, Bernard Barnes, Jane Sponge, Norman Charles Rota, Carol Webster, Francis Horricks, Ernie Nicholson, Norman Bailes, Rev James Savage, Rev Patrick Brizzell.

LPA 8 Pilgrimage to the Shrine of Our Lady of Walsingham will take place from Mon 5th March – Thurs 8th March 2018. The anticipated cost £200 each. A none refundable deposit of £10 will be required as soon as possible. Please make cheques payable to St John Vianney. Please sign the list at the back of church if you are interested in coming. Contact Deacon Tony 01270 759511

As part of their Harvest weekend celebrations, Queen Street United Reformed Church in Middlewich are holding a Coffee and Cake Afternoon on Saturday 7th October from 2.00pm to 4.00pm. This will take place in the church itself so that people can view the harvest displays. As in previous years, there is no charge for any of the delicious homemade refreshments, but donations can be made to support St. Luke's Hospice

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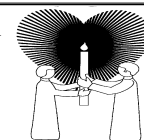
You are invited to join us at Our Power to be Service in the Parish Centre on Monday October 16th at 7.30pm. God through his infinite power and love created heaven and earth, the sun and the stars, people and all living creatures. Yet the poorest of our brothers and sisters are still living without electricity and are being held back from living life to the full. The Power to Be Liturgy is a journey of prayer and reflection where together we pray in hope that the children will have the power to fulfil their dreams and flourish.

You and your family are warmly invited to the Annual Diocesan Mass celebrating the important vocation of Grandparents in the life of the family, and of the Church.

The Mass will be celebrated at St Columba's, Plas Newton Lane, Plas Newton, Chester CH2 1SA on Saturday 14 October at 11am followed by light refreshments. Please keep the vocation of grandparents in your prayers, they are often essential in assisting parents with childcare and passing on the beauty of the Catholic Faith to their grandchildren.

"Exploring our Catholic Faith through the Arts". **ACTS'** (ADULT CATHOLICS TOGETHER SPIRITUALLY) annual retreat is taking place from Fri 20th Oct (pm) until after lunch Sun 22nd Oct 2017. If you are aged between 20 – 35 you will be very welcome. Canon David Roberts will lead the retreat which will take place at St Winefride's, Holywell (N. Wales). Payment will be by anonymous donation (suggested cost £100). Please contact Siobhan Cartwright at siobhanbc@gmail.com / 0161 477 2783 / 07761 138947. Lifts may be available if required.

Best wishes to Kathleen Lee and Sam Johnson who will be married at St Mary's on Saturday at 1.00pm



CAFOD Harvest Fast Day Friday October 6th. This Harvest Fast Day we are standing with Edelmira, a farmer in El Salvador, as she works to sustain her family with good crops and harvests. With your help, CAFOD is giving her fruit trees, training, and strong seeds. Please pick up a Fast Day envelope, fast this Friday and give what you can.

The next **Community Lunch** will be on Monday October 23rd. There is a list at the back of both churches for people who intend coming to give us an idea of numbers for catering.

Pie Sunday is 8th Oct. Please put your orders on the lists at the back of church this weekend, collect and pay in the Parish Centre after 10.30 Mass on 8th

FOOD BANK:

This week's shortages are Meat, Meat paste, snack meals, coffee, rice, crackers, biscuits. Thank you for your continued support. Extra Volunteers are needed. Ring Gennie on 07712 279949

Shop online and help the Foodbank: We are very pleased to announce that we are now registered with www.everyclick.com/middlewich--district-foodbank. If you follow the link it will allow you to sign up and browse from there. When you purchase something online from the companies signed up to it they will then give us a percentage and it will not cost you, the consumer, anything. It takes 2 minutes to sign up and you will be supporting a very worthy cause that directly helps those in your local community

THIS WEEK

Monday	6.15pm	PEP Catechists	PC 1
Monday	6.30pm	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	St Mary's
Monday	8.00pm	House Mass	1 Beech St
Monday	8.00pm	Scripture Group	PC 4
Wednesday	8.15pm	RCIA	PC 1
Thursday	7.00pm	Confirmation Group	PC 1,2,3,4
Friday	9.45am	Mothers' Prayers	PC 4
Friday	10.00am	Parents & Tots	PC2,3