

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

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Twenty First Sunday in Ordinary Time , 21st August 2016

Saturday	20th Aug	6.30pm	Madie Devaney b'day <i>St Bernard</i>
Sunday	21st Aug	9.00am	(H Chapel) The Parishioners
		10.30am	Priest's Int
Monday	22nd Aug	9.00am	Denis Parry RIP <i>Queenship of Mary</i>
Tuesday	23rd Aug	9.00am	Ints of Anne McGill
Wednesday	24th Aug	7.30pm	Thelma Woolridge RIP <i>St Bartholomew</i>
Thursday	25th Aug	9.00am	Anita McArthur RIP
Friday	26th Aug	9.00am	Pamela Dunn RIP
Saturday	27th Aug	6.30pm	Anne Casey Anniv.
Sunday	28th Aug	9.00am	Priest's Int
		10.30am	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, 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, Peter Hannon, Don Loran, Lena Cotton, Fiona Martin, Peter Cox, Peter Bradshaw, Harry Hickland, Derek Ryder, Margaret Schofield, Nancy & Stan Rosiak, John Stoneley, Sadie Everard, Keith Atkinson

ALL who have died recently, especially John Kenealy

ALL Whose anniversaries occur at this time: Edward McGarvey Jnr., Margaret Bailey, Thomas Shannon, James O'Grady, Elizabeth Edwards, Monica Horricks, Patrick Jordan, Daniel O'Brien, Ted Hughes, Rene Costello, Thomas O'Keefe, George Dean, David Hughes, Patrick Kelly, Maggie Battersby, John McAleer, Peter Worthington, John Kehoe, Wesley Johnston, Rev Patrick O'Brien, Rev Christopher Jenkins.

FOOD Bank: We need sponge puddings, custard, rice, gravy granules, packet soup, meat paste, tinned and packet potatoes, cordial, noodles and jam.
Thank you for your generosity

We welcome into our Parish Family Naomi Rae Camacho who will be Baptised this Sunday



Best wishes to Georgina Kimberley Arden & James Anthony Sherratt who will be married on Friday at 1.00pm and to Emily Hill & James Wells who will be married on Saturday at 3.30pm



Thank you for your response to the Parish need for a lawn mower. I am pleased to say that we shall not now need the sheep!



Lampedusa Cross Pilgrimage Reflection

A Lampedusa cross, made by Sicilian carpenter Francesco Tuccio from the wreckage of a refugee boat is on display at St Mary's church this week.
You are invited to join us on Monday August 22nd at 7.30pm in the Parish Centre for a pilgrimage reflection. It will last about an hour including an act of commitment (sending a message of hope for refugees) followed by tea and coffee.
If you are unable to join us on Monday but would still like to send a message of hope for refugees then cards will be available for you to complete after masses this Saturday and Sunday at St Mary's and at St Margaret's on Sunday August 28th. Many Thanks.



LPA Pilgrimage to Walsingham. NB CHANGE OF DATE

Will take place between 6th & 9th March 2017 (3 nights). Cost is £200 per person including transport and half board accommodation. A deposit of £10 is required. Please sign the list at the back of Church or

Mass Intentions: If you want a particular date at the weekend for your intention you need to ask at least three months in advance.
We are very short of Mass intentions for weekdays Remember that all Mass offerings (there is no fixed amount) go to pay Fr Peter's allowance,It doesn't have to be for someone who has died.....Masses can be offered in thanksgiving or as birthday presents etc.

In September we shall start training a new group of Altar Servers for the parish If you have a son or daughter who would like to become a Server and who has already received Holy Communion, please get in touch with Fr Peter on 01606 832359 for

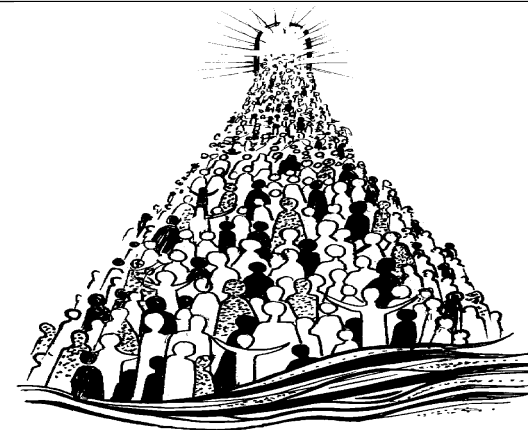
St Mary's Parish Forgiveness and Eucharist Programme Sept. 2016/May 2017

Dear Parents
We would like to invite you to enrol your child in this year's Parish Forgiveness and Eucharist Programme which will take place this September for children in Year 3 and above. You can enrol after Mass over the weekends of: **10th/11th, 17th/18th, 24th/25th** of September. The programme prepares children to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation (Forgiveness") in early December 2016 and the Sacrament of The Eucharist ("First Holy Communion") which takes place May 2017. We look forward to meeting with you.

If you have any queries you can contact us on:
Fr Peter: Tel: 01606 832359 ,
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Facts about our Diocese:

Permanent Deacons have become an indispensable part of parish life in our Diocese in the past twenty years. This parish needs no explanation of what they do as you all see Tony & Chris in action. Training a Permanent Deacon costs the Diocese £20,000 a year. Each one is trained for three years. We currently have 50 Permanent Deacons in the Diocese and several more in training



Would you like to find out more about the Catholic Faith, with a view to possibly becoming a catholic? If so please contact Fr Peter for an initial meeting before joining our RCIA group which meets every Wednesday evening starting in September.

THIS WEEK			
Friday	9.45am	Mothers' Prayers	PC 4