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

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Twenty Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time , 18th September 2016

Saturday	17th Sept	6.30pm	John & Mary Comer Wedding Anniv			
Sunday	18th Sept		(H Chapel) The Parishioners Priest's Int			
Monday	19th Sept	9.00am 6.00pm	Celebration of the Word & Communion Derek Ryder Reception into Church			
Tuesday	20th Sept	11.00am	Requiem Mass for Derek Ryder			
Wednesday	21st Sept	7.30pm	Priest's Int. St Matthew			
Thursday	22ndSept	9.00am 9.30am	(School) John Stoneley RIP. (School) Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament			
Friday	23rd Sept	9.00am	Celeb of the Word & Comm. St Pio			
Saturday	24th Sept	6.30pm	Mary Hannon, Anniv. Our. Lady of Walsingham			
Sunday	25th Sept		Priest's Int. The Parishioners			
Sacrament of Reconciliation: none this week						

Please Pray for

by appointment

- 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 Cox, Peter Bradshaw, Harry Hickland, Margaret Schofield, Nancy & Stan Rosiak, Sadie Everard Alex Randall, Ellen Bickerton.
- ALL who have died recently especially Paul Nicholls

Sacrament of Baptism

ALL Whose anniversaries occur at this time: Norman Callister, Elsie Bratt, James McAleer, Wait, Samuel Higgins, Kathleen Costello, Mary Hannon, Jim McHale, Vistor Roe, Bridget Jordan, Kevin Cannon, Mabel Hambley, Rosalie Sivills, Mary Mills, Ellen Maher, Lilian Worthington, John Fahey, Ellen Hughes, Kathleen Bomford, Joseph Costello, Ellen Hughes, Rev Frank McManus, Rev John Corcoran, Rev Gerald McDonald, Canon Peter Coughlan, Canon Clement Turner, Canon Francis Murphy, Rev William Mellor, Canon Patrick Healey

Amy will come home from University on Saturday 1st October to host an evening in the Parish Centre to say thank you to the parish for fundraising and to share her wonderful experience of World Youth day. All welcome!

Advance dates: Community Mass & Lunch Monday 26th Sept., An Evening with Amy Saturday 1st Oct., Confirmation Friday 25th November.

Crab Apple Jelly sale raised £38 for Marys Meals. A big thank you from Annette Morris

Today is a special Day of Prayer for Home Missions

Items for next weeks bulletin to Mary Ford 01270 759511 or honoraford@gmail.com.

DO NOT send them to the parish email as they will not be read

Explore IV. 'Be Apostles of Mercy' is an opportunity to celebrate being a young Catholic in the year of mercy. Open to all those in year 10 and above, the event is being held at Our Lady's Church Ellesmere Port. From 1.30pm. the afternoon will include the celebration of Mass with Bishop Mark. Registration is essential, please email helen.jones@dioceseofshrewsbury.org or youth@dioceseofshrewsbury.org
And let us know your coming.

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. Bishop Mark Davies will be main celebrant at the Mass, which will be hosted by St Joseph's, North Road, Birkenhead, CH42 7JU on Saturday the 1st of 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.

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, Teresa Wells: Tel:01606 738030 Sharon Covne:Tel:01606 841 083

REGISTRATION CONTINUES THIS WEEKEND

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. The group will start on Wednesday 28th

FOOD Bank: We urgently need sponge puddings, sweet & Sour sauce, Jelly, Angel delight, pasta snack meals, couscous, nappies size 4, pull ups size 4,5,& 6, Cordial, jam, noodles, pot noodles, ketchup, brown sauce, gravy mix & soap. The Food Bank has been very busy over the summer and many of the above items are totally out of stock. Thank you so much for your continued support. It is your generosity and kindness that enables the foodbank to help those in our community who are most in need.

Re-advertisement The Catholic Diocese of Shrewsbury wishes to recruit a welfare officer to support its retired priests in time of illness. For more information please see notice at back of Church. CVs to be sent to Pauline.mcculloch@dioceseofshrewsbury.org by 30th Sept 2016

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