

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

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Fourth Sunday of Lent, 11th March 2018

Saturday	10th Mar	6.30pm	Gordon Woolridge Anniv.
Sunday	11th Mar	9.00am 10.30am	(H Chapel) Priest's Int. The Parishioners
Monday	12th Mar	9.00am 7.30pm	Jean O'Rourke Penitential Service
Tuesday	13th Mar	9.00am	Jean Goulding RIP
Wednesday	14th Mar	7.30pm	Maria Dorsch RIP
Thursday	15th Mar	9.00am	Francie Beirne RIP
Friday	16th Mar	9.00am	Pat Taylor b'day
Saturday	17th Mar	6.30pm	Mary Walshe Anniv. St Patrick
Sunday	18th Mar	9.00am 10.30am	(H Chapel) The Parishioners 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, Tony Darlington, Nathan Carter, Larry Porter, Gillian Robinson, John Davies, Lawrence Bratt, Tim Bradbury, Tony Nicholson, Roy Yearsley, Noah Carrick, Peter Hannon, Margaret Schofield, Stan Rosiak, Sadie Everard, Alex Randall, Tony Morris, Jenny Ogden, Michael O'Keefe, Don Hartill, Frank Cosgrave, Ethan Spann.

ALL who have died recently, especially Frances Milliken, Kevin Duffy & Paul Bailey

ALL whose anniversaries occur at this time: John Evans, Maureen Flynn, Lilian Rota, Carlo Rota, Mary Jane Jennings, Mary Armstrong, John O'Brien, Andrew Frazer, Daniel Murphy, Bridget Egan, Thomas Bannaghan, Margaret Eveline Hartley, Tom Kerr, Canon Joseph Howe



Celebrate North West Weekend 2018

Macclesfield, 28—29 April

A family celebration for children, young people and adults.
See poster. For further information contact 01706 640359,
email northwest@celebrateconference.org,
www.celebrateconference.org/weekends/northwest

The Symposium on the Eucharist, which should have taken place last weekend, is postponed because of the weather. It will now take place on 9th & 10th June

www.dioceseofshrewsbury.org/catholic-faith/the-new-evangelisation/symposium

We welcome into our Parish Family Sophia Moore who will be Baptised this Sunday



Eucharistic Congress, Liverpool: 7-9th Sept. Will those who put their names on the list please collect a booking form from Molly and return it asap. The closing date is 12th March!

Thank you so much for supporting CAFOD Family Fast Day

This Family Fast Day, our parish raised £ 1,838.50, (of which a significant proportion came from one generous parishioner) to help end hunger and poverty around the world. This has been doubled by the UK Government, meaning a total of £ 3,677.00 has been raised so more of our brothers and sisters can live lives free from hunger. Thank you!

Cantores Oecumenica

There will be a presentation of Olivet to Calvary at Holy Angels RC Church, Wicker Lane, Hale Barns WA15 0HF on Palm Sunday 25th March 2018 commencing at 4pm sung by the Cantores Oecumenica choir.

Soloists are Christopher Turner (Tenor), David Le Prevost (Baritone), Jean Tragen (Soprano), Peter O'Connor (Pilate), organist Jonathan Scott and Conductor Neil Provost.

The duration of the work is about 1 hour. Entry is free and a retiring collection is available for donations all of which will go to Christian Aid and the SVP (who will receive a half of the donations each). Please see Poster for full details. Our website is cantoresoec.org and we can be contacted by email at info@cantoresoec.org.

Foodbank Shortages this week: Meat paste, tinned Potatoes, Rice Pudding, Crackers, Ketchup & other sauces

Advance Dates: 18th March Irish Coffee Morning, 19th March Community Mass & Lunch, 1st April Easter Sunday

Next Sunday we celebrate St Patrick with Irish Coffee after 10.30 Mass. If you would like a bacon buttie or veggie alternative please put your name on the list this weekend

New offertory envelopes will be available for collection at all masses this week (10/11 March).

Please sign the list at the back of either church this weekend if you wish to come to the next Community Mass & Lunch on Monday 19th March

Wanted by the Diocese of Shrewsbury : Finance Manager

Salary £40,000-£45,000 dependant on experience. Full details of the post and application form can be found at <http://www.dioceseofshrewsbury.org/about-us/curia/vacancies>

Completed applications should be returned to patline.mcculloch@dioceseofshrewsbury.org
See poster for details

INTO THE DEEP

Saturday March 17th 2018 10 –3
Our Lady Star of the Sea Parish Centre, Ellesmere Port

On behalf of the Shrewsbury Youth Mission Team I warmly invite you to our training and retreat day **Into the Deep**. One of our main goals as SYMT is to support the wonderful existing work that already happens in Parishes. From personal experience we know that exposure to Youth Ministry can be transformative in young people...for us as the team our own faith journey has been. *'The day has been designed for all those who provide catechesis, Sacramental Preparation, lead Youth Groups and work in Schools, or indeed anyone who has an interest in working with young people.'*

Email youth@dioceseofshrewsbury.org to book

Happy Mothers' Day to all Mothers. Please take a prayer card prepared by "Mothers' Prayers"

THIS WEEK

Monday	7.30pm	Penitential Service	St Mary's
Monday	7.45pm	Scripture Group	PC 1
Wednesday	8.15pm	RCIA	PC 1
Wednesday	7.00pm	Stations of the Cross	St Mary's
Friday	9.45am	Mothers' Prayers	PC 1
Friday	10.00am	Parents & Tots	PC 2,3
Sunday	11.30am	Irish Coffee & Bacon Butties	PC 2,3