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

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Easter Sunday, 1st April 2018

Saturday	31st Mar	8.30pm	Paschal Vigil & First Mass of Easter: The Parishioners
Sunday	1st Apr	9.00am 10.30am	(H Chapel) Priest's Int. Harry Hickland Anniv.
Monday	2nd Apr	9.00am	Special Int (W)
Tuesday	3rd Apr	9.00am	Celebration of the Word & Communion
Wednesday	4th Apr	7.30pm	Celebration of the Word & Communion
Thursday	5th Apr	9.00am	Celebration of the Word & Communion
Friday	6th Apr	9.00am	Celebration of the Word & Communion
Saturday	7thApr	12.00pm 6.30pm	Wedding Service for Laura Williamson & Toby Mullins Priest's Int
Sunday	8th Apr	9.00am 10.30am 2.00pm 2.45pm 3.00pm	(H Chapel) The Parishioners McAleer Family Ints Confessions Chaplet Divine Mercy Mass

Sacrament of Reconciliation : On request only next weekendSacrament of Baptismby appointment

Please Pray for

who are sick at home and in hospital: Stephen Grey, Margaret McCallum, Marlene Perry,

ALL 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, Peter Hannon, Margaret Schoffield, 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 Bill Armsden & Noah Carrick

ALL Whose anniversaries occur at this time:Harry Hickland, Margaret Mary Barry, Ada Taylor, Theresa Hazell, Tori Morrey,Wiliam Foley, James Jennings, Joseph Turnbull, Mary Fahey, Eileen Morris, Eileen Gilbert, Ellen Mannion, Susan Higgins, Hazel Smith, Mary Boynton, Janek Mandziak, Frank Reynolds, Tom Kerr, Rev Michael Lloyd, Rev George Crespin, Rev Thomas Osbyrne, Rev Keith Brigham.

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 Foodbank Shortages this week: Crackers, Tinned Fruit, Tinned Potatoes, Packet Potatoes, Rice Pudding, Sauces (ketchup etc) Long life Milk (blue), Toilet Rolls. Thank you for your continued support. There are still lots of new Offertory Envelopes left in church. Please make sure you take yours home today! You need them next week

Divine Mercy Mass next Sunday starting with Confessions at 2pm, Chaplet at 2.45pm & Mass at 3pm, followed by refreshments in the Parish Centre.

The preparation for the **Sacrament of Confirmation** will soon start taking place in St Mary's Parish for anyone who is in Year 8 or above and would like to receive the Sacrament.

If you would like to learn more about our faith and to develop your relationship with Jesus then we would love you to come and be a part of the programme. If you are interested, please either email

the parish at <u>stmarysremid-</u> <u>dlewich@gmail.com</u> or contact Gemma McGrory 01606 837539, Mike Worden 01606 737072 by Monday 9th April 2018.

Our Fundraising efforts during Lent for Mary's Meals have so far raised £609.26. If we could raise a further £89 we could feed 50 children for a year.....

Thank you for your generous contributions to Easter Flowers. £175.25 was donated at St Mary's



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 <u>http://</u> www.dioceseofshrewsbury.org/about-us/curia/ vacancies Completed applications should be returned to pauline.mcculloch@dioceseofshrewsbury.org See poster for details

Caritas Shrewsbury is looking for an experienced and enthusiastic person to be their Volunteer Co-ordinator. The post is for 28 hrs per week and you will be expected to travel extensively across the Diocese. For more information and an application pack please contact Claire Griffiths Tel 0151 652 1281; email

<u>claire.griffiths@caritasshrewsbury.org.uk</u>. Applicat ion packs can also be downloaded from our website <u>caritasshrewsbury.org.uk</u>. Closing date for applications is the 4th April 2018.

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes

This year marks the 160th anniversary of the apparitions of Our Lady to Bernadette in Lourdes. The Diocesan Pilgrimage will take place from 26 July-3 August overland and 27 July-2 August by air. Brochures and booking forms can be downloaded from the Pilgrimage Website <u>www.shrewsburypilgrimage.co.uk</u> or from the Pilgrimage Office: St Alban's, 30 Mill Lane, Wallasey, CH44 5UD. This year flight seats are limited so early booking is recommended.

Best wishes to Laura Williamson & Toby Mullins who will be married at St Mary's next Saturday at 12.00pm



Please continue to pray for James Clews who will be Baptised during the Easter Vigil and for Rachel Davidson and Simon Davis who will be received into full communion with the Catholic Church.

Will the anonymous person who asked for a Mass for Family Unity and recently sent us a reminder please note that it has not been forgotten & was celebrated on Monday 5th February.

THIS WEEK No Meetings or events this week