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

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# Pentecost 9th June 2019

Saturday	8th June	6.30pm	Rex Lloyd B'day
Sunday	9th June		( Holmes Chapel) Parishioners Priest's Intentions Reception of Lawrence Bratt RIP
Monday	10th June	11.00am	Funeral Mass Lawrence Bratt
Tuesday	11th June	9.00am	Celebration of the Word & Communion
Wednesday	12 June	7.30pm	Mass Parishioners
Thursday	13th June	9.00am	Celebration of the Word & Communion
Friday	14th June	9.00am	Mass -Priest's intentions
Saturday	15th June	6.30pm	Lou Costello – birthday
Sunday	16th June		(Holmes Chapel) <b>Priest's Intentions Parishioners</b>

Sacrament of Reconciliation: None this week Sacrament of Baptism by appointment

## Please Pray for

- ALL who are sick at home and in hospital: Stephen Grey, Margaret McCallum, Sara O'Brien, Jamie Connor, John Bomford, Tony Darlington, Nathan Carter, Larry Porter, Gillian Robinson, Tim Bradbury, Roy Yearsley, Peter Hannon, Stan Rosiak, Sadie Everard, Alex Randall, Jenny Ogden, John Evans, Shirley Gaskell, Olga Dobson, Rebecca Lafferty. Joan Upton, Iwonna Francis, Christopher Marland, Karen Potts, Poppy Johnson, Fr Pat Munroe, Mary Morris
- ALL who have died recently, especially Lawrence Bratt.
- ALL Whose anniversaries occur at this time: Tony Evans, Madie Devaney, Martin Groarke, Francis Braniff, Frank McAleer, Rose McHugh, Mary Lannon, Peter McAleer, Patrick Leddy, Mary Hartley, Clarence Costello, Kay Hartley, George Dean, Margaret Connolly, Lilian Mary Clarke, Frances Twiss, Phyllis Regan, Raymond John Davies, George Neild, Catherine Cannon, George Atkinson, Fr Peter Down Canon James O'Grady, Rev. K. Moorhouse, Mgr John Williams

NOW IS THE TIME: Mass Lobby of Parliament and Climate Pilgrimage Wednesday June 26th 19: Climate change affects our health, our homes and our beautiful landscapes and things are getting urgent now. It's time to tell our leaders that enough is enough. This is not the legacy that we want to leave for our grandchildren; this is not the future we want. On Wednesday 26 June Cafod supporters will come together with over 100 like-minded organisations – members of The Climate Coalition - to speak to our politicians and make our voices heard. We'll be gathering at Westminster to connect the poor to the powerful by sharing our concerns on climate change and the environment with leaders who can make a difference. Politicians will only increase their ambition if they see that we care. They will act if their constituents tell them that they want change. Join the Pilgrimage by booking via the Cafod website onto one of the coaches that are departing from various locations across England and Wales including Knutsford.

### **Churches Together in Middlewich**

There will be a Pentecost Praise service on Sunday 9th June at 6.30pm as part of the Ecumenical venture "Thy Kingdom Come" and all are invited to attend.

Weekend Festival WYD at Home: See details on Noticeboard or WYD@Home

Food Bank Shortages: Tinned potatoes, fruit juice, shampoo, shower gel, tinned fruit. More volunteers needed. If you can help or would like to know more: volun-

teers@middlewichdistrict.foodbank.org.uk.

Supporting Hope for Justice & Fight Against Modern Slavery: Coffee & Cake Morning, Thurs 13th June 10.30am—1.00pm at 8 Helton

Close CW4 7JZ. Reply 07739388714 Bren Shackleton. Bring your own mug please. No charge. Donations.www.hopeforjustice.org.uk

MISSIO Summer Mass celebrated by Bishop Mark Davies and Fr Tony Chantry MHM with talks by Mill Hill Missionaries and Missio's APF. Sat 29 June at 12 Noon. Open to all and especially Red Box volunteers and supporters. Church of St Michael & All Angels, Woodchurch, CH49 5LE. An opportunity to meet fellow volunteers and refresh fundraising activi ties plus refreshments in the primary school.

Sr Ruth will be giving a presentation on God's gift of grace at Pentecost on Wednesday July 10 at 8.15pm. Her talk will be on the 'Humanity of Jesus and the Grace of God'. She will encourage us to think about what God has done for us in giving us the precious gift of grace through the work of His Son. How can we respond to His immense gift? We will include music and readings. Donations Welcome

Rosary for the Unborn, during Exposition, on the first Monday of each month at 6.45pm

Items for the bulletin for the next week should be sent to Carole Worthington at caroleaworthington @hotmail.co.uk, and for the weekend of 22/3rd June to Mary Ford at honoraford@gmail.com

During Fr Peter's absence Fr Jim McGrath will celebrate weekend Masses and also Lawrence Bratt's Requiem Mass. Deacon Tony will be available during the whole of Fr Peter's absence, and Deacon Chris most of the time.

Cafod Needs You. Could you give a little time to help? We are looking for people to visit schools in the area to explain our work. Our teams will give all the help and resources needed. Your support will help young people find out about our wonderful work all over the world. shrewsbury@cafod.org.uk, 01244 677 594 or www.cafod.org.uk

**SAVE THE DATE:** Fr Peter will be 70 in June and would like to invite everyone to celebrate with him on the evening of 29th June. If you intend to come please write family name and number of people on the list to help us with catering.—also

Fr. Peter Birthday collection—Although Fr Peter has asked for donations to Mary's Meals for his birthday, it has come to our knowledge that, one day, he would love to ride on the footplate of a steam train! Can we help to make this a reality for his 70th.?. Should anyone wish to make a donation towards this there will be a basket at the back of church this week and next only. Alternatively you can either post your donation through the presbytery door in an envelope marked "Fr Peter Collection" or alternatively see Bronach Scott. Many thanks

### Help needed for our Baby and Toddler Group

Each Friday in term time we welcome our young families with pre-school children for a time of fun and friendship and we share simple snacks, some creative craft time and a short but lively song time.

These sessions enable us to welcome our young families and gives them an opportunity to get to know each other. From September our small willing team will need help to ensure that the group is able to meet. We need help to set up at 9am on Friday mornings, and also help to provide hospitality during the sessions, and occasionally help preparing a craft activity. If you can help in any way or would like more information please ring Norah—Tel: 01606 832756/Mob: 07530225955

This Week

6.30pm Monday **Thursday** 7.00pm **Thursday** 

**Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament** No craft group this week Youth Alpha Meeting

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