

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

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T wenty F ifth S unday in O rdinary T ime, 22nd S eptember 2019

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| Saturday | 21st Sept | 6.30pm | John and Mary Comer |
| Sunday | 22nd Sept | 9.00am 10.30am | (H Chapel) Priest's intention Parishioners |
| Monday | 23rd Sept | 9.00am | Mass <i>St Pius of Pietrelcina</i> |
| Tuesday | 24th Sept | 9.00am | Service of Word and Communion |
| Wednesday | 25th Sept | 7.30pm | Mass |
| Thursday | 26th Sept | 9.00am | (School) Mass <i>Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament till 2pm.</i> <i>Ss Cosmas & Damian</i> |
| Friday | 27th Sept | 9.00am | Mass <i>St Vincent de Paul</i> |
| Saturday | 28th Sept | 6.30pm | Mary Hannon Anniv. |
| Sunday | 29th Sept | 9.00am 10.30am | (H Chapel) Parishioners Priest's intention |

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, Nathan Carter, Larry Porter, Gillian Robinson, Tim Bradbury, Roy Yearsley, Peter Hannon, Stan Rosiak, Sadie Everard, Alex Randall, Jenny Ogden, John Evans, Shirley Gaskell, Joan Upton, Christopher Marland, Karen Potts, Poppy Johnson, Fr Pat Munroe, Mary Morris, Michael McCluskey, Paddy Traynor, Jan D, Angela Goodwin, Margaret Scarlett

ALL Who have died recently.

ALL Whose anniversaries occur at this time: Mary Mills, Ellen Maher, Lilian Worthington, John Fahey, Ellen Hughes, Kathleen Bomford, Joseph Costello, Anne Bratt, Edward Maksimowicz, Joanne Newman, Sheila Woods, Denis Alcock, Mary Barry, Bill Griffiths, John Davies, Garth Walker, Canon Clement Turner, Canon Francis Murphey, Rev William Mellor, Canon Patrick Healey, Rev John Lennon, Rev John P Lynch, Pope John Paul I, Canon Christopher Hickey.



Day of Reflection and Healing for those affected by mental health issues and their families. On 5th October, Bishop Richard Moth, who leads the ministry to those affected by mental health issues, will lead a day of reflection and celebrate Mass with anointing of the sick at St Columba's Church, Plas Newton, Chester CH2 1PL from 11am to 5pm. More information in Sept.

Lenten Walsingham Trip. Depart Monday 16th and return Thursday 19th March 2020. Cost is £220 which includes coach transport and three nights half-board accommodation. Letters containing full details available at back of church. Contacts: Fr Paul Standish or Deacon Tony Ford

Items for the bulletin for next weekend should be sent to Mary Ford: honoraford@gmail.com

The Holy Family Icon

Many parishioners have experienced blessings whilst hosting the Icon in their homes. Some did not want to part with it at the end of the week! This is a good opportunity to pray for your family, your parish and your neighbourhood. If you would like to host the Icon in your home for one week or for more information please contact Mary Ford on 01270 759511. There are dates available from October 13th.

The Bishops' Conference would like to hear from Catholics who have engaged in environmental projects in support of the "season of creation"
Email: environment@cbcew.org.uk

Catechists & Lay Ministers, please keep 19th October available so you can attend the Diocesan day which is being put on specially for our parish

Food Bank Shortages
Tinned Tomatoes, Tinned Potatoes, Rice Pudding, Milk, Cordial, fruit juice, tinned fruit, hotdogs and pasta Sauce (no pasta required, we have plenty).

The RCIA Group this year will start at the beginning of October.

Please sign list for Sept 30th **Community Lunch** by Sun 22nd Sept

Footsteps Event 26th September.

The next event in the Footsteps series of presentations is on Thursday 26th September at 7.30pm in St Peter's Parish Centre, Green Lane, Hazel Grove, SK7 4EA. Come and hear David O'Neill talking about "...not knowing God". It is a café style, informal evening with insight, inspiration and plenty of refreshments, so do come along.

We are now collecting **backpacks for Mary's Meals** at St Mary's Church from Sunday September 8th until Sunday September 29th. Backpacks are for children aged 4-12. They can be second hand but need to be in good condition but please don't use drawstring gym bags. The only items that must be new are soap, toothbrushes and toothpaste. They should contain the following items spoon, notepad/ exercise book, pencils/ pens/ crayons, eraser, sharpener, ruler, pencil case, shorts/skirt & t-shirt or dress, flip flops or sandals, small ball, soap, toothbrush, toothpaste, towel. Please label the backpack with the age of the child and whether it is for a boy or girl. If you have extra items from the list or wish to donate but do not want to do a complete backpack, please leave the items in the box at the back of St Mary's Church. It is important to only include items that are on the list, for customs reasons and to ensure fairness during distribution. Many Thanks for your support. Further information can be found at <https://>



Please not there will be NO Mothers Prayers this week.

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| This Week | | | |
| Thursday 1.00pm | Craft Group | 9 Hadrian Way | |
| Thursday 7.00pm | PCP | | |
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