

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

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Twenty Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time, 20th October 2019

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| Saturday | 19th Oct | 6.30pm | The Parishioners St Peter of Alcantara |
| Sunday | 20th Oct | 9.00am 10.30am | (H Chapel) Priest's Int. Jean & Oliver Taylor |
| Monday | 21st Oct | 12.00pm | Joe Baccelleri RIP |
| Tuesday | 22nd Oct | 9.00am | Special Int. |
| Wednesday | 23rd Oct | 7.30pm | Ann Hough Anniv. |
| Thursday | 24th Oct | 9.00am 9.30am | (school) Special Int. (school) Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament until 2.00pm |
| Friday | 25th Oct | 9.00am | Baccelleri Family |
| Saturday | 26th Oct | 6.30pm | Priest's Int Ss chad & Cedd |
| Sunday | 27th Oct | 9.00am 10.30am | (H Chapel) The Parishioners Alison Browne b'day |

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, Karen Potts, Fr Pat Munroe, Mary Morris, Michael McCluskey, Paddy Traynor, Jan D, Margaret Scarlett



ALL who have died recently

ALL whose anniversaries occur at this time: Catherine Down, Bridget Casey, John Payne, Ted Jinks, Ann Hough, Mabel Spilsbury, Margaret Costello, Sarah McGlinsky, John Telfer, Joan Thackwell, Michael Glynn, Terry O'Rourke, Myles Costello, Mary Friery, Thomas Hodgkinson, Elsie Smith, Mike Mc Crystal, Rev Percival Bailey, Canon Louis John St John, Rev Oswald Calderbank.

A Message from St Mary's School

October is the month of the Holy Rosary and this entire month is dedicated to Our Lady. We will be praying a decade of the Rosary every afternoon before school ends in the Chapel between 2.40 and 2.50pm so if anyone from the parish could join in or volunteer to lead one day we would be very grateful. Please join us to pray that world leaders tackle climate change together.



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

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).

Work on the church ceiling at St Mary's continues for at least 6 more weeks. Weekday Masses will be in Room 1 in the parish centre. Weekend Masses will be in church, but access during the week will be impossible. If you have any questions ring Molly..

The **Annual Diocesan Mass for Grandparents** will take place at 12 noon on Saturday 2nd November at St Alban's, Mill Lane, Liscard, CH44 5UD. Please bring your family to celebrate and give thanks for the part you play in the lives of your grandchildren. All priests are welcome to support grandparents in their parish by concelebrating. Afterwards there will be refreshments. The nearest car parking is in the shopping precinct opposite the Parish Hall in St Alban's Road, Liscard.

We are having a parish Coffee Morning once a month in the Parish Centre. The first one will be on Monday 4th November, drop in any time from 9.30—11.30am, bring friends and neighbours for a drink, a cake and a chat. Each month it will be organised by two people. If you would like to help in the future let Molly know.

Best wishes to Katie Price and Dennis Orr-McGuinness who will be married next Saturday at St Anne's Nantwich by Fr Peter



Thank you for your contributions to Cafod Fast Day. £744.90 was collected.

On Friday 31st October at 7.30pm Fr Peter is giving a talk on Newman & Elgar: The Dream of Gerontius at St John Henry Newman Church, Latchford WA4 1JE. Any home supporters will be very welcome!



Today is World Mission Sunday. It is the start of the weeklong Churches Together in Middlewich Mission, led by Max Ford & friends. **Max will be at 10.30 Mass this Sunday and will lead a Healing Service at 6.30pm at St Mary's.** This will be the beginning of a week of events in the churches and schools of our town. Everyone is welcome at any of the public events. Flyers listing all events are being distributed today. Don't miss this chance to take a new look at your faith!

There is a list at the back of church to sign if you want to go to the Afternoon Tea with Max at the Methodists on Tuesday at 2.30pm. The other events which need pre-booking because of Catering are The Men's Breakfast at MCC on Saturday 8.30-10.30am, ring 01606 835928 and the Ceilidh at the Civic hall on Saturday, tickets £10 for adults, from no.28 or ring 01606 738005 Do try to attend as many of the public events as you can, and please pray for the success of the Mission.

'ACTS' (ADULT CATHOLICS TOGETHER SPIRITUALLY) 2019 residential retreat will take place on Fri 25 Oct – Sun 27 Oct. Deacon Andrew Morrow will lead this retreat entitled '**God is Love - The Holy Trinity and the Christian Life**'. Venue: St Winefride's Guest House in Holywell, North Wales. Attendees will be invited to give an anonymous donation (suggested £120). For further information contact Siobhan Cartwright Tel: 0161 477 2783 / mobile 07761 138947 or email siobhanbc@gmail.com.

Advance Dates: Nov 4th Parish Coffee Morning, Nov 7th Confirmation, Nov 18th Care Group & Community Mass & Lunch, 24th Nov. Bacon Butties and Stalls, 30th Nov First Forgiveness

This Week

| | | Healing Service | St Mary's |
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| Sunday | 6.30pm | | |
| Monday | 12.00pm | Community Mass & Lunch | PC 1 |
| Wednesday | 8.15pm | RCIA | PC 1 |
| Thursday | 9.45am | Sr Ruth's Prayer Group | PC 1 |
| Thursday | 1.00pm | Craft Group | PC 1 |
| Thursday | 7.00pm | PCP Practice & Reconciliation | PC1,2,3 |
| Friday | 9.45am | Mothers' Prayers | PC 4 |
| Friday | 9.45am | Parents & Toddler group | PC1,2 |