

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

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The Baptism of the Lord, 10th January 2021

Sat	9th Jan	6.30pm	Michael Hannon Anniv.
Sun	10th Jan	9.00am 11.00am	Priest's Int The Parishioners
Mon	11th Jan	9.00am	Ints of Mike O'Hare
Tues	12th Jan	9.00am	DRF Bratt Family
Wed	13th Jan	7.30pm	Ints of Kay & Richard Gee
Thurs	14th Jan	9.00am	Leanne Collins RIP
Fri	15th Jan	9.00am	Christine Pickles
Sat	16th Jan	6.30pm	Thelma Woolridge Anniv.
Sun	17th Jan	9.00am 11.00am	The Parishioners Priest's Int.

Sacrament of Reconciliation: On request only .
 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, Gillian Robinson, Tim Bradbury, Roy Yearsley, Peter Hannon, Stan Rosiak, Sadie Everard, Alex Randall, Jenny Ogden, John Evans, Shirley Gaskell, Joan Upton, Michael McCluskey, Jan D, Margaret Scarlett, Fr Paul Hughes, Deacon Philip White, Fr Jim McGrath, Ursula Finn, Simon Finn, Mike O'Hare



ALL who have died recently, especially Mary Morris

whose anniversaries occur at this time: Sydney Tomas Flaherty, Leonard Josph Storror,
 ALL James Kelly, John Killinger, Frank Worden, Eileen Margaret Spenceley, Paul Verechia, Jim Bannaghan, David Maher, Margaret Clarke, Amy Sandbach, Charles Craven, Margaret Ruddy, Terence Mulhearn, Thelma Woolridge, Don Loran, Rev David Morriss, Rev Thomas Fee

GOOD NEWS: From now until the end of January Donations to Mary's Meals will be doubled by the government. You can give online, in church or put an envelope through the presbytery door. We have sent them a cheque for £715, donated since October and have another £157 ready to send and this will be doubled by the Government. Thank you all who have given.

There will be no Rosary or Mothers' Prayers in church until further notice. There will be zoom Rosary at 10.30 on Mondays. If you wish to join in contact Madelyn Devaney on 01606 833497



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Thank you those of you who have continued to join us, in person or online. Despite the Lockdown we are still allowed, at the time of writing, to gather for public worship .If this continues we need to show the government that we are deserving of this by being especially vigilant and thorough in our safeguarding. In order to help towards that, from Monday 11th we shall only have public masses on Monday and Thursday and at the weekend. Masses on Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday will be streamed only and there will be no Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament for the time being. Public Masses will be kept as short As possible, with shorter sermons and no prayers of the faithful. Please ensure when you leave that you do not group together at the back of church or outside. We hope that these measures will only be necessary for a short time . In the meantime Fr Peter is available by appointment for any pastoral need. Let us pray that the new lockdown measures will be successful, that we will keep everyone safe and that the most vulnerable amongst us will soon be protected by the vaccine.

Fr Peter, Deacon Tony, Deacon Chris.



The Drama Displayed: A Journey of Salvation A free series of online talks offered by the Christian Heritage Centre. A range of excellent speakers will examine the key moments of salvation history, with the aid of great works of art. At 7:30pm every second Thursday, from 14th January to 25th March. For info and registration:

<https://christianheritagecentre.com/events/the-drama-displayed/>

Requiem Mass for Mary Morris will be on Thurs 21st Jan at 11.30am at O.L. & St Christopher, Romiley. To follow streaming: Google Church services TV: Search Romiley. This will be followed by Cremation at Vale Royal. There are 10 spare places at Vale Royal. If you would like to go ring Stephen Morris on 07831 619871

RETIRED PRIESTS' FUND - SPECIAL COLLECTION

Next weekend the annual Collection for the Retired Priests' Fund will be held. With your help, we can build up the Fund to help meet the future needs of our sick and retired priests.

If you wish to Gift Aid your donation, please make your donation Online. To donate Online please go to www.dioceseofshrewsbury.org/retired-priests-fund

An electronic version of a leaflet about the Fund is available at www.dioceseofshrewsbury.org/retired-priests-fund , and also on the Parish Website, and this also explains how you can donate to the Fund by Standing Order or Cheque and how to Gift Aid donations made using these methods.