

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

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Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time, 3rd October 2021

Sat	2nd Oct	6.30pm	Deceased Rel & Friends of Nan Croucher <i>Guardian Angels</i>
Sun	3rd Oct	9.00am 11.00am	Priest's Int (H Chapel) The Parishioners
Mon	4th Oct	9.00am 6.30pm	Private Int.SH Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
Tues	5th Oct	9.00am	Dec. members Collins & O'Shea Families
Wed	6th Oct	7.30pm	Peter Wrigley RIP
Thurs	7th Oct	9.00am	Thanksgiving EJ
Fri	8th Oct	9.00am	Hugh Patrick Murray RIP
Sat	9th Oct	6.30pm	Priest's Int
Sun	10th Oct	9.00am 11.00am	The Parishioners Dmytro Maletsy b'day

Sacrament of Reconciliation: By appointment
 Sacrament of Baptism: By appointment

Please Pray for

who are sick at home and in hospital: Stephen Grey, Margaret McCallum, Sara O'Brien, Jamie Connor, Gillian Robinson, Tim Bradbury, Peter Hannon, Stan Rosiak, Sadie Everard, Alex Randall, Jenny Ogden, John Evans, Shirley Gaskell, Joan Upton, Jan D, Margaret Scarlett, Fr Paul Hughes, Fr Jim McGrath, Ursula Finn, Mike O'Hare .



who have died recently, especially Hugh Patrick Murray

whose anniversaries occur at this time: Doris McSpadden, James Malone, Bernard Barnes, Jane Sponge, Norman Charles Rota, Carol Webster, Francis Horricks, Ernie Nicholson, Norman Bailes, Anthony Ruane, Bridget Doolan, Wilfrid Whittingham, Margaret Daniels, John Egan, Arthur Adderley, Rev Patrick Brizzell, Rev Vincent J Davenport

A PARISH TRIP TO WALSINGHAM ~ Which was due to take place in March last year, has now been rescheduled for: Mon. 14th – Thurs. 17th March 2022. Please contact the Parish Office at St John Vianney if you have already paid a deposit or if you would like to attend. Places are restricted. The price will be £240 which includes coach travel & three nights half board accommodation at the Anglican Shrine. Parish Tel: 01606 42440 Parish Mob: 0748 385 7218 Email: info@stjohnvianney.co.uk

Children's Liturgy starts again this Sunday at 11.00am Mass, and then every two weeks.
 The children who are enrolled on this year's First Sacraments Programme will also be presented at 11.00am Mass today

The foodbank are requesting the following items for their harvest Parcels to be distributed to needy families: Tinned ham, Custard, Rice pudding, Macaroni cheese, Ravioli, Spaghetti in tomato sauce, Tinned vegetables, Tinned potatoes, Fruit juice, Tea & Coffee. Food can now be left in the box in St Mary's church porch.

We welcome into our parish Family Esther Margaret Browne who will be Baptised this Sunday at St Mary's



Great News: Mary's Meals have reached a spectacular milestone: They are now feeding over two million children worldwide every school day thanks to your support!

Men's Breakfast at MCC, Sat 9th Oct 9am To Book: info@middlewich.org See poster for details

Numbers at Mass are gradually increasing. At both churches you are asked to continue to social distance. We request that you wear masks and sanitise your hands on entry. Singing by the congregation will be allowed. We will continue with Communion under one kind only. Please note that the morning Mass at St Mary's will remain at 11.00am. Mass on Wednesday evenings will no longer be streamed and 11.00am Mass on Sundays will only be streamed on the first Sunday of each month. There will be no limit on numbers so please encourage everyone to be part of the real, not just virtual, community again. Tea & coffee after 11.00am Mass will begin again on Sunday 3rd October, but we have decided to postpone Bacon Butties until Advent, as very high numbers of secondary school students have Covid. Tea & coffee after Mass at St Margaret's will begin again when we have had a couple of weeks to assess the situation. Thank you for your patience. We hope the "new regime" will be able to continue, but remember that this is dependant on the local situation and it is possible that some restrictions may have to be re-introduced, so please be sensible to help prevent this happening!
 Fr Peter, Deacon Tony, Deacon Chris.

HOLMES CHAPEL CHRISTIAN AID AUTUMN QUIZ SHEET. WATER WATER EVERYWHERE!!!!

We are running our annual Quiz Sheet fundraiser again this year during October on the theme of Rivers and Lakes of the World. Quiz sheets are available for a donation of £1 from Anne O'Keefe Or by email on request to anneokeefe@gmail.com. They will also be available at our Autumn Coffee Morning at St Lukes Church Hall on Saturday 2nd October from 10am-12. Donations for the quiz requested by email may be sent directly to our Bank Account: Account name - Holmes Chapel Christian Aid Group Barclays Holmes Chapel – Sort Code 20-24-09 Account Number 43608107 Please quote 'Autumn Quiz' as the reference when making the payment. If you require a paper quiz sheet, or have any queries, please phone Caroline Wood on 01477 535746. The Quiz sheets are available now and the closing date for your answers will be Monday 1st November. Instructions for your completed entries are at the bottom of the quiz sheet.

Our Scripture Group is taking place on Tuesdays at 7.00pm. We meet for about an hour using Zoom. If you would like to join the group please contact Deacon Chris (deaconchriswells@gmail.com)

Appeal for Help with Ministries: Church Cleaning at St Mary's:

If you would like to help or want to know more please ring Steph McAleer on 07801 241717. You would be on a rota every few weeks to clean St Mary's towards the end of the week, at a time to suit you, either alone or in twos. We also need volunteers for Tea & Coffee after 11.00am Mass (Contact Debbie Stevens on 01270 761907) and at St Margaret's after 9.00am Mass (contact Pat Martin on 01477 532009) At both churches you would be part of a rota, on duty once every few weeks.



St Mary's Parish Reconciliation and Eucharistic programme September 2021 – May 2022

If you have any queries about this please contact: Teresa Wells: Tel: 07596 408581 or Fr Peter on 01606 832359

CAFOD's Harvest Fast Day, Friday October 1st 2012

.Our local experts are helping people all over the world to adapt to climate change and protect our common home. By donating to CAFOD this Family Fast Day you can help communities affected by the worst impacts of the climate crisis. Donate by using a CAFOD envelope available at church or through the CAFOD website. You can also easily give via text. Text CAFOD10 to 70580 to donate £10*. Or choose to give any whole amount between £1 and £20 by texting CAFOD, followed by the amount you would like to donate, to 70580
 *Texts cost £10 plus one standard rate message and you'll be opting in to hear more about our work and fundraising via telephone and SMS. If you'd like to give £10 but do not wish to receive marketing communications, text CAFODNOINFO to 70580. For more information, please see our Privacy Policy: cafod.org.uk/privacy

St Nicholas Catholic High School Open Evening will take place on Thursday 7th October, 6-8pm Places can be booked online at

www.st-nicholas.cheshire.sch.uk

Mococo House are seeking a Youth Support Worker. See Notice Board for details. If you are interested send CV to nicola@middlewich.org

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