

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

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Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time, 25th September 2022

Sat	24th Sept	6.30pm	The Parishioners Our Lady of Walsingham
Sun	25th Sept	9.00am 11.00am	(H Chapel) Priest's Int. Richard & Anne Sturman, 35th Wedding Anniv.
Mon	26th Sept	12.00pm 6.30pm	Margaret Gray RIP Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
Tues	27th Sept	9.00am	Holy Souls in Purgatory
Wed	28th Sept	7.30pm	Caroline Stone RIP
Thurs	29th Sept	9.00am	(School) Jennifer O'Reilly RIP.
Fri	30th Sept	11.00am	Requiem Mass for Tom O'Hare
Sat	1st Oct	6.30pm	Priest's Int.
Sun	2nd Oct	9.00am 11.00am	(H Chapel) The parishioners Ints of McAleer family

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturday 11.30am—12.15pm & on request
 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, Gillian Robinson, Tim Bradbury, Peter Hannon, Sadie Everard, Alex Randall, Jenny Ogden, John Evans, Shirley Gaskell, Joan Upton, Jan D., Margaret Scarlett, Fr Jim McGrath, Mike O'Hare, Robert Harrington, Jean Royle.



ALL who have died recently especially Tom O'Hare, Brian Harry Warden & Mary Upton

ALL whose anniversaries occur at this time : Anne Bratt, Edward Maksimowicz, Joanne Newman, Sheila Woods, Denis Alcock, Mary Barry, Bill Griffiths, John Davis, Garth Walker, Tom Ryan, Damian Garnett, Harry Sandbach, Janet Teresa Fry, Gerry Brophy, Hugh Patrick Murray, Ellen Gallagher, Val Costello, Rev John Lennon, Rev John P Lynch, Rev John Michael Dyson, Pope John Paul 1, Canon Christopher Hickey

Our monthly Midday Community Mass & Lunch will re-start this Monday, 26th September. Thank you to those who have signed the list. There is till time to join in. We look forward to seeing you there. If you need a lift please let Molly know asap.

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An Afternoon of Song

Sunday 9th October at 3.00pm at St Mary's
 A relaxed Recital of songs and duets, followed by Tea & Cake in the Parish Centre. Tickets £10 from St Mary's, at the door or from LJ Little Dancewear, 99 Chester Rd Northwich 01606 75770

BOOK OF CONDOLENCE ON THE DEATH OF THE QUEEN Please sign a book in St. Mary's or St. Margaret's on the death of the Queen. If you wish to write a message at home then we can stick your paper in the book. If children want to make a picture we can stick it in the book as well. There is no rush. The books will be available for several weeks

St Mary's Parish Reconciliation and Eucharistic programme September 2022 – May 2023

If you would like your child to enrol on the programme and were unable to attend one of the enrolment Masses, please ring Teresa Wells: Tel: 07596 408581 asap

Foodbank Shortages this week : Jam, Tinned Fruit, Tinned vegetables, Bags for Life.
The Foodbank has had a very busy week and given out lots of parcels, so stocks are very low. All contributions welcomed!

Headteacher Vacancy: St Nicholas High School. Closing date 3rd October, to start January 2023 or later. See poster for details.

We welcome into our Parish Family Mena Rae Lloyd who will be Baptised this Sunday



Escorted Pilgrimage to Knock 3rd October 2022. For details please contact Patricia Ronane on 01268 762278 or email: knockpilgrimages@gmail.com

Head teacher vacancy at St Monica's Catholic Primary School, Appleton, from January. Closing date 5th October. See poster for details.

DEC Pakistan Floods Appeal

Devastating floods have hit Pakistan, leaving millions in urgent need of help to survive. A third of the country is now underwater (that's an area almost the size of Great Britain). Your donation will help CAFOD's local partners support communities with clean drinking water, food, emergency medical assistance and shelter. Please pray for those affected and donate now at cafod.org.uk/give

We have sent a cheque for £328.60 to Cafod, money raised in the collection in church.

Prayer for those affected by the Pakistan Floods

O Lord,
 in the goodness of your constant love, be with the people of Pakistan as they face devastating floods.
 At this time of great loss – loss of lives, homes and crops – may we be filled with your compassion and moved to reach out in love.
 As we stand alongside our sisters and brothers, we pray that they may find consolation in their sorrow, strength as they seek shelter and safety and courage to carry on.
 Forgive us, O Lord,
 for our part in the climate crisis, and inspire us all to play our part in protecting the earth, our common home.
 So that together we may build a world that reflects your glory,
 where hope drives out despair and all things are made new.



At a meeting last weekend with Cardinal Nichols, King Charles specifically asked him, on his behalf, to thank the Catholic People of the kingdom for their prayers for the late Queen Elizabeth and for himself and the Royal Family, which are much appreciated.

This Week

Monday	12.00pm	Community Mass & Lunch	St Mary's & Parish Centre
Monday	6.00pm	PEP Parents & Children	Parish Centre
Wednesday	8.15pm	RCIA	Parish Centre Room 1
Thursday	1.00pm	Craft Group	Parish Centre Room 1
Friday	10.00am	Parents & Tots	Parish Centre Rooms 2 & 3
Friday	9.45am	Mothers' Prayers	Parish Centre Room 4