

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

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Baptism of the Lord, 8th January 2023

Sat	7th Jan	6.30pm	Priest's Int
Sun	8th Jan	9.00am 11.00am	(H Chapel) The Parishioners Dmytro Maletlyz Anniv
Mon	9th Jan	9.00am 6.30pm	Michael Hannon Anniv. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
Tues	10th Jan	9.00am	Noel Hulme Anniv.
Wed	11th Jan	7.30pm	Pam Devine RIP
Thurs	12th Jan	9.00am	(School) Special Int. Holbrook
Fri	13th Jan	9.00am	Giacinto (Bill) Billotta RIP
Sat	14th Jan	6.30pm	The Parishioners
Sun	15th Jan	9.00am 11.00am	(H Chapel) Priest's Int. John Fazackerley RIP

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturday 11.30am—12.15pm
 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 Ogdan, Shirley Gaskell, Joan Upton, Margaret Scarlett, Fr Jim McGrath, Mike O'Hare, Robert Harrington, Jean Royle, Cath Price, Lawrence Glenn, Michael O'Keefe, Betty Hickland, Christine McHugh



ALL who have died recently, especially Pat Wells & Giacinto (Bill) Billotta

ALL whose anniversaries occur at this time: Thomas Morris, Stephen Farrington, Stanley Smith, Jack Farrington, Michael Hannon, Sydney Thomas Flaherty, Leonard Joseph Storrow, James Kelly, John Killinger, Frank Worden, Eileen Margaret Spenceley, Paul Verechia, Jim Bannaghan, David Maher, Margaret Clarke, Amy Sandbach, Canon Maurice Stone, Rev John McDonald, Rev Raphael Velarde, Rev David Morriss

Donations to Mary's Meals between now and the end of January will be doubled by private donors. We now have exceeded our aim of £500 by Christmas and have sent a total of £748.30. Well done everyone!

We used to have an occasional Piety Stall in St Mary's. If anyone would like to take on responsibility for organising this, please contact Molly

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Thank you for your donations to both churches for the Christmas Flowers. £198.30 was given at St Mary's & £30 at St Margaret's

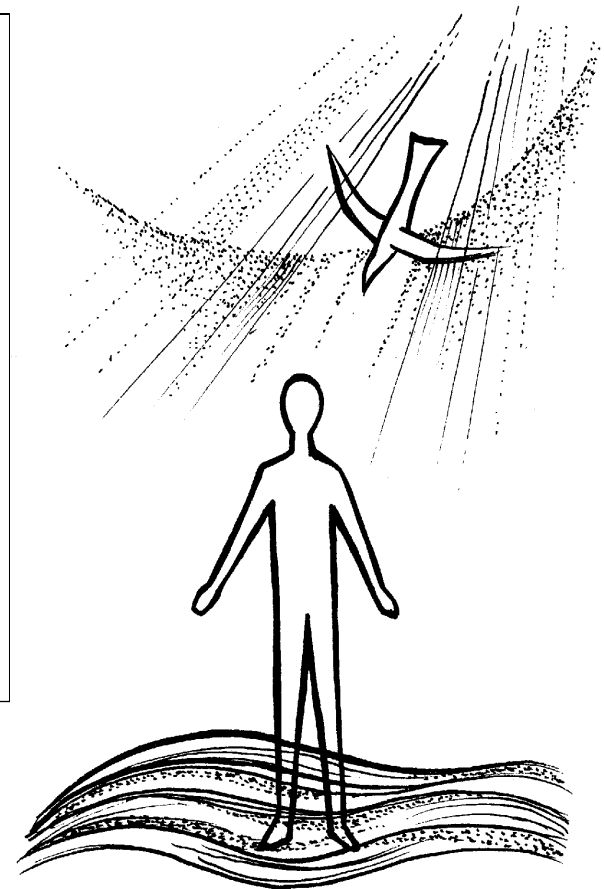
Parish Fatima Pilgrimage 2023: Dcn Chris & Fr Peter are organising a pilgrimage to Fatima for Oct 4th-11th this year. The itinerary is excellent (see poster at back of church). Cost is £799pp Full Board. It may seem a long way off but there is a £100 discount if you book and pay early. 50 places available. Contact Dcn Chris for booking forms (stmarysmiddlewichvents@gmail.com)

The group of children who received the Sacrament of Reconciliation for the first time before Christmas are now starting their preparation for first Holy Communion. In the past we have had individual prayer sponsors for the children, but this has become increasingly difficult because of data protection laws, so we have decided this year to invite members of the congregation who are interested to sponsor the whole group. You are invited to take a book mark from the back of church, to pray for the children regularly, and if possible, to make a small donation to a fund which will be used to buy bibles for all the children.

If you would like more details please ask Teresa Wells or one of the catechists.

Crib Offerings will be sent to Caritas Shrewsbury after this weekend to help families who are struggling, not only at Christmas, but every day

Escorted Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine, Ireland, 27th March 2023. £699.00 per person sharing. Price includes flight, all transfers, 4 nights' in Knock House Hotel with full board. All entertainment and excursions included. Day trips to Westport, Ballintubber Abbey, Croagh Patrick, Fr. Peyton Centre & National Museum. Single supplement £150.00. Contact Patricia on 01268 762 278 or 07740 175557 or email knockpilgrimages@gmail.com.



This Week

Wednesday	8.15pm	RCIA	PC Room 1
Friday	9.45am	Mothers' Prayers	PC Room 4
Friday	10.00am	Toddler Group	PC Rooms 2 & 3