

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

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Twenty Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time 24th September 2023

Sat	23rd Sept	6.30pm	Thanksgiving KY <i>St Pius of Pietrelcina</i>
Sun	24th Sept	9.00am 11.00am	(H Chapel) The Parishioners Priest's Int.
Mon	25th Sept	11.00am 6.30pm	Requiem Mass for Joan McGrory Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
Tues	26th Sept	9.00am	Ints of Monica Spalding
Wed	27th Sept	7.30pm	Thanksgiving MD <i>St Vincent de Paul</i>
Thurs	28th Sept	9.15am	(School) Private Int Y
Fri	29th Sept	9.00am	Thanksgiving for family blessings <i>Ss Michael, Gabriel & Raphael</i>
Sat	30th Sept	6.30pm	Dec Mem Whittingham family
Sun	1st Oct	9.00am 11.00am	(H Chapel) Priest's Int. The Parishioners

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturday 11.30am—12.15pm
 Sacrament of Baptism: By arrangement

Please Pray for

ALL who are sick at home and in hospital: Stephen Grey, Margaret McCallum, Sara O'Brien, Jamie Connor, Gillian Robinson, Peter Hannon, Sadie Everard, Alex Randall, Jenny Ogden, Joan Upton, Margaret Scarlett, Fr Jim McGrath, Mike O'Hare, Robert Harrington, Jean Royle, Cath Price, Michael O'Keefe, Christine McHugh, Edward Evans .



ALL who have died recently, especially Joan McGrory

ALL whose anniversaries occur at this time: Kathleen Bomford, Joseph Costello, 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, Canon Patrick Healey, Rev John Lennon, Rev John P Lynch, Rev John Michael Dyson, Pope John Paul I, Canon Christopher Hickey, Rev Michael Cupit

Middlewich & District Foodbank: This week's shortages: Sponge Puddings, Crackers, Toilet Roll, Angel Delight, Jelly.

CAFOD's Harvest Fast Day is on Friday October 6th 2023. Next weekend there will be a short talk at all masses about this year's appeal and envelopes will be available for donations. CAFOD have produced a short video at cafod.org.uk/fastday about how with the generosity of people like you, local experts like Dr Nasha can help people when they need it most.

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Parish Finances: Thank you to those who have increased their weekly giving. Thanks to your generosity, the July Bank statement has showed a further increase! We now have £10,000, an increase of £2,000 last month. We do not expect such an increase in August/September as things which have been on hold for months will now have to be done & paid for, but hopefully this will not result in a drop in reserves.

Our monthly "Rescue Fund" collection will take place next weekend

St Mary's Parish Reconciliation and Eucharistic programme September 2023 – May 2024

Dear Parents

If you were unable to attend the enrolment Masses over the last two weekends, and want your child to join the programme, please contact: Teresa Wells: Tel: 07596 408581 or Clare Bloor on [Tel: 07901 816157](tel:07901816157) as soon as possible.

Our prayers go with those who are returning to school or college this month, and especially with those who are moving on to "Pastures New"

Thursday Masses and Services will be in church until Thursday 28th September, when there will be a whole school Mass in St Mary's

Are you affected by someone else's drinking? You are not alone. Find out more at www.alanonuk.org.uk or call helpline 0800 0086811.

Scripture Group is restarting on Tues 5th September. We meet via Zoom for approximately an hour every Tuesday. If you would like to join the group please let Deacon Chris know (deaconchriswells@gmail.com)



		This Week	
Tuesday	7.00pm	Scripture Group	Zoom
Friday	9.45am	Mothers' Prayers	Parish Centre room 4
Friday	10.00am	Toddler group	Parish Centre room 2,3