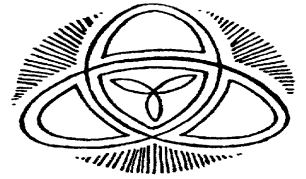


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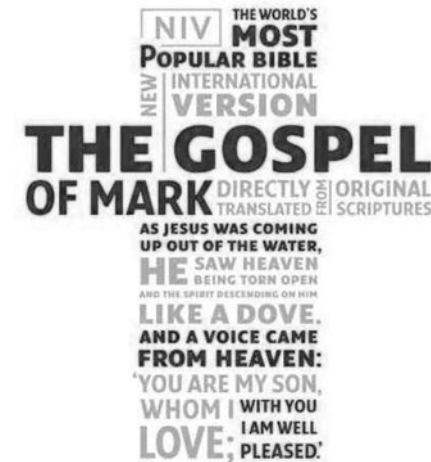


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## Newsletter

### 16th Sunday of Ordinary Time

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16th Sunday in Ordinary Time								
Sat 18th	5.30 pm	Jim Law						
Sun 19th			9.30 am	Winnie & Joe Farrell	11.00 am		Kath King	
Sun 19th			5.00 pm	Tom Magill				
Mon 20th	9.15 am	Eucharistic Service	9.15 am	Eucharistic Service			No Service	
Tues 21th	9.15 am	Eucharistic Service		No Service	7:30pm		Ronnie Glynn & Family	
Wed 22nd	9.15am	Eucharistic Service	7:30pm	Special Intention (BF)	12:15pm		Eucharistic Service	
Thurs 23rd	7.30 pm	Jo Riley & Derek Collins		No Service			No Service	
Frid 24th	9.15 pm	Eucharistic Service	9.15am	Eucharistic Service	12.15pm		Eucharistic Service	
17th Sunday in Ordinary Time								
Sat 25th	5.30 pm	Jim McCann						
Sun 26th			9.30 am	Thomas & Anne McDonagh	11.00 am		Gerald O Keefe	
Sun 26th			5.00 pm	William & Maud Rudkin				

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## REFLECTION

In today's Gospel, we see Jesus inviting his disciples to go with him to a quiet place, to rest and have some quiet time together. But the crowds had gone ahead of them. Jesus took pity on them because they were "like sheep without a shepherd". They needed to be taught, and they needed to be fed, and Jesus did both, and his feeding was for both body and spirit.

We, too, are called to be shepherds. We are called to teach, to heal and to feed, but to do this effectively, we also need to set aside time to pray, reflect and renew our life vision. As shepherds, we have a message to convey- the same message that Jesus brought- the Good News-about making the Kingdom a reality in our world. Only in this way will the peace of Christ reign in our hearts, in our society, and in our Church.

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## **Psalm:**

The Lord is my Shepard;  
There is nothing I shall want

## **Gospel Acclamation:**

Alleluia, alleluia!  
The sheep that belongs to me listen to my voice, says the Lord,  
I know them and they follow me.  
Alleluia!

## **Communion Antiphon:**

The Lord, the gracious, the merciful,  
Has made a memorial of his wonders;  
He gives food to those who fear him.

# NATIONAL GRANDPARENTS PILGRIMAGE

National Shrine of Our Lady

Sunday 26th July 2015

In the presence of chief Celebrant- Bishop Peter Doyle

Bishop of Northampton and Patron of the CGA in England and Wales  
reflection by Catherine Wiley founder of the catholic Grandparents  
association.

A day of Faith and Fun for all the family.

11:00- 11:45 Sacrament of reconciliation

12:00 The Angelus followed by Mass.

1:30 Picnic Lunch, Games and Stalls

16:00 Holy Rosary Procession

16:30 Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction

17:00 The Walsingham Story (Play)

## **CAFOD**

CAFOD Shrewsbury would be delighted if you can join us to celebrate and to  
give thanks for our abundant blessing at:

"A CAFOD Shrewsbury Summer Evening Gathering and Mass of Thanksgiving"

Friday 24 July at 7pm at St Clare's, Downsfield Road, Chester CH4 8HH.  
There will be a gathering and light refreshment afterwards in St Clare's School.

For further details please contact Sue or Liz 01244 677594  
email:shrewsbury@cafod.org.uk

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**OUR LADY OF LOURDES**

**SUMMER FAIR**

Once again can we thank you all for your hard work and for all who attended and supported the fair, it was a great day and a great success.

**MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF ST COLUMBAN**

We have received a letter from St Columban Missions who are extremely grateful for your recent donation . These funds will be used to support the Hangop Kabataan Foundation in Pagadian, Philippines. Thank you once again.

The Offertory Collection was £ 327.00 - **Thanks for all once again for your giving and generosity.**

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**OTHER NEWS**

**TOM MORRIS COMMUNITY AWARD**

**Would you like to nominate someone for an outstanding local community service award?**

Sale Rotary Club is now open to nominations for the third year of its annual ' Tom Morris Community Award'.

This is a "people's honour' for normally unsung heroes who believe in what they do and go the extra mile to help make Sale a better place to live.

The award is named after distinguished former Sale Rotarian the late Tom Morris, who ran a local milk and dairy delivery service. His framed award names each year's winner who also receives a cash award.

It's all about community - for the people, by the people.

The first award winner was Simon Youd whose community scheme 'Skillz FC' was changing the face and the future of Sale's 'racecourse' estate for primary school children to the over 50s and unemployed residents alike.

Last year the winner was Daniel Gallacher whose tireless work for disabled people in Trafford tackles the issues that affect their daily lives.

This year it could be anyone from any area of local life. If you know someone who is worth a special 'thank you' please use the attached nomination form to let

Sale Rotary Club know who they are ... and send it

**[tograhamking@btinternet.com](mailto:tograhamking@btinternet.com)**

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**Next Week s Readings:**

First Reading      A reading from the book of kings      4: 42-44

Psalm                      144:10-11. 15-18.R.v16

Second Reading      A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Ephesians 4:1-6

Gospel                      John 6:1-15

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**ALL PARISHES**

**SCHOOL HOLIDAYS**

Can we wish the staff and young people in our parish schools a good summer holiday. Be safe have fun and see you all back at school in September.

**SUMMER FAIRS**

Big thank you to all of you who worked hard at the three parish fairs and of course to all of you who supported them. Three great community days were had by all with the advantage of so much money raised. We now have the final totals for the fairs:

ALL SAINTS:                      £7027.56

ST MARGARET WARD:              £2343.40

OUR LADY OF LOURDES:          £1551.20

Thank you to everybody for your help and support.

**SR JOANN**

We would like to thank all of you who turned up on Tuesday night. We never expected so many and it was great to see you all. Thanks for the many positive things you said about the evening. In the next few days the full talk will be on our parish website ourparishes.church. Thanks to all of you.

**THE VOICES**

Copies are available in all three parishes and we ask if you take one to just leave a donation of £1. They are available at the back of the church as you leave.

**REFERENCES**

We do not have any problems writing references for anybody who might need them, but we would appreciate being inform before we are contacted for a reference. So please just have a word with us before hand. Thank you.

## RCIA

That time of year again, do you want to know more about the Catholic Faith, or do you know someone who might be interested in knowing more. The programme will begin in September and if you know of someone who might be interested then give the secretary a ring on 962 4444 on a Wednesday and we can sign you up.

## TRAFFORD SOUTH FOODBANK

Once again we are collecting for Trafford food bank and will make a delivery at the end of July. Thank you once again who have and still support this.

## CHARITY AUCTION

We have booked the charity auction to be held at the parish centre on the 30th October. Viewing will begin at 7:30 and the funds will go to All Saints roof fund. Please leave any items at any of the parishes that will be acceptable for the auction. Thank you

## GOSPEL PRAYER GROUP

### **Embodying the Gospel in our lives:**

Now that the Prayer Group has become established, publicity about it will be presented in the Parish Bulletin for the next three weeks.

In the current issue of the parish Journal "The Trinity" there is an article describing the parish Gospel Prayer Group which was initiated two years ago. Have a look at this article (there are still copies available and you can also access it on the Parish Website) because it provides an overview of how as a parish we are responding to Pope Francis' first Apostolic Exhortation "Evangelii Gaudium". The Prayer Group is currently focusing on the Gospel of Mark (Year B), and in Advent this year, when the new liturgical year starts, the focus on the Gospel of St Luke (Year C).

The Gospel Prayer Group meets the last Wednesday every month immediately after the evening Mass at 7.30 pm in All Saints and the meeting lasts just half-an-hour. We focus on a text from the liturgical readings of the year using the process of the prayer is the ancient Lectio Divina – which is a very gentle and calming process. Lectio Divina can be practised in whatever time is available to you and in any setting – and it is a wonderful antidote to stress in modern life! In the newsletter next week, we will provide a deeper explanation of Lectio Divina.

The Prayer Group will re-convene after the summer break on Wednesday, 9<sup>th</sup> September, at All Saints following the 7.30 evening Mass. The meeting will take just 30 minutes of your time. You do not have to make a commitment to come every month, just come when you can, you will always find the dates of meetings in the Parish Bulletin. Come and encounter the peace of Christ!

## CANON J CAHILL

The 29<sup>th</sup> of March next year will mark 5 years since the death of Fr Cahill. It would, therefore, seem an appropriate time to arrange a trip over to Ireland to see where he grew up, to meet some of his family and to visit his grave, which is 75 miles SW of Dublin. There are lots more to see and do in the surrounding area. It's likely to be a 4 or 5 day trip, departing in April 2016 with travel by coach and ferry. If enough

people are interested an itinerary will be drawn up and a price set. If you knew Fr Cahill and are interested in going, then please email [johnfinnan@hotmail.com](mailto:johnfinnan@hotmail.com) (of St Vincent's Parish, Knutsford) or Phone/Text him at 07763 403 531

## TEA & COFFEE S

Just a reminder that after most Masses at the weekend we have team of people who serve Teas/Coffees. It's a great chance to socialise and get to know other people in your Parish Community. Why not pop in after Mass

All Saints	Parish Centre	Morning
St Margaret Ward	Staff Room	Evening
Our Lady Of Lourdes	Behind the Altar	Morning.

## NEWSLETTER ITEMS

Each week we try to provide useful information and articles for our Newsletter. If you should have any items you wish to put in the Newsletter please send a email to [parishes3@yahoo.com](mailto:parishes3@yahoo.com) by 3.00pm on a Wednesday , and we will try our best to make sure your item is put in the newsletter for that weekend. There are on occasions when its is not possible to fit everything in. In this case we will make sure it goes in the following week. Thank you

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## ALL SAINTS

### ALL SAINTS BIDDING PRAYERS

Here is a reminder to those of you who volunteered to write bidding prayers for July. Many thanks for offering to do so.

### **July**

19th Moley family  
26th Smalley family

Please drop your contribution into the sacristy or email to: [parishes3@yahoo.com](mailto:parishes3@yahoo.com) by the Friday before. Many thanks.

The Offertory Collection was £693.51 - **Thanks for all once again for your giving and generosity.**

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## ST MARGARET WARD

### SUMMER FAIR

Thank you to all the helpers to making this fair a great success, it is very much appreciated . Thank you also to all those who attended and supported the fair.

The Offertory Collection was £ 370.69- **Thanks for all once again for your giving and generosity.**