Knit and Knatter: This Wednesday 13th July 1pm-3pm in the Church Hall. All welcome to knit and or knatter. Refreshments will be served! **Foundation Governors:** St Philip's Catholic School require Foundation Governors for the beginning of September. By law diocesan schools have governing bodies made up of various categories of governor - the majority of which are Foundation Governors. Foundation Governors are practising Catholics who are appointed by the Bishop to help support him in ensuring the 'Catholicity' of a school amid all the other objectives that are required by Law. If you feel able to offer your services please contact Sue Blackwell, Governance Support Officer for the Diocese, via <u>sue.blackwell@dioceseofshrewsbury.org</u> or talephane 0151 652 0855 should you require any further information before

telephone 0151 652 9855 should you require any further information before applying. The required forms can also be downloaded from the diocesan website www.dioceseofshrewsbury.org Click on main Education heading and click on Foundation Governors from the drop-downs which will appear on the left hand side. If you do have any problems please contact Sue using the contact details above.

Thursday Coffee morning raised £77.00 for The Little Sisters of the Poor. *A message from Catholic Young* Adult's *Charity - Youth 2000:* Are you wanting to explore faith, improve your relationship with Jesus, and make loads of new friends at the same time? Youth 2000 are preparing to welcome hundreds of young people from all around the UK to pray and praise together over the entire Bank Holiday weekend (Fri 26th - Mon 29th August at Ampleforth College, York). Families and under 18s are welcome! Go to

www.youth2000.org/events/summerfestival to book.

Please pray for all those who are sick and for all those who have died recently. We also remember: Alice Smith, Stella Molloy, Peter Connor, Rosemary Stevenson, Thomas Henshall, Elsie Whelan, Kathleen Martin, Wilfrid Croft, Anne Potts, Lawrence O'Brien, Joan Parker, Catherine Halstead, Lucy Jolley, Michael Black, John Connell, Mary Sefton, Sheila Frith, Joseph Byrne, Margaret Taylor, John Madden, John Chatburn, Alfred Harvey, Martin McGranaghan, Liz Rawlings and all those who anniversaries occur at this time. May they rest in peace.

Parish Safeguarding Reps: Noel Russell and Bernadette McCrory. If you have any concerns about safeguarding of children or vulnerable adults, please speak to them or contact them via the presbytery, in the strictest confidence.
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The Catholic Parish of St Chad, Cheadle



Priests: Fr. Sean Davidson & Fr. Louis Charuvila Pappy Sunday 10th July 2022 - 15th Sunday Ordinary Time Year C

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ,

I interrupt our study of the Ten Commandments to confirm the announcement made at the end of the Masses last weekend. Bishop Mark has asked me to begin a new mission as of the 1st of September in St Joseph's Church in Stockport. Building upon the ministry of the Sacred Heart Fathers and their devotion to the Eucharistic Heart of Jesus, the bishop would like to give that church a new mission. It will remain a parish, but it will also be a diocesan shrine of the Blessed Sacrament. It will be a place of perpetual adoration and prayer for all of the needs of the Church and the world, but it will have a special mandate to pray for vocations to the priesthood. It is an old and beautiful church which will be in need of a lot of work over the coming months and years, so there will be much to do in this regard. Since the shrine will serve the people of the whole area, I hope that you will all be able to come there to pray from time-to-time. After our discussions with the Vicar General, Canon Michael Gannon, this week, please find below a message about St Chad's and St Ann's parishes. We congratulate Fr Louis on his new appointment and let us pray for him as he goes forward. He has had much pastoral responsibility during the course of his ministry. Before his arrival here, he had the care of two parishes, while also teaching several courses in the seminary and being involved in its administration; so he has been well prepared for this mission.

As regards my final Masses at our parishes I would like to propose the following: I had already planned to take my annual two weeks of summer holidays in the middle of August, and with my flights already booked, I plan to still go ahead with that if possible. This means that I will celebrate my last Sunday Mass at St Ann's on the 7th of August at 11am. Perhaps we could have some refreshments together just after Mass on that day. I will then be absent for two weekends before having my final Mass at St Chad's on the 28th of August at 9:30am, also followed by refreshments. I look forward to spending some time with you after my final Mass in thanksgiving for all the graces of the past couple of years. It has been a great gift for me to have been here with you. I have learned a lot and feel privileged to have been able to minister and pray with you. Thank you sincerely for all the kindness and love that you have shown me since

my arrival. We have been through a lot together over the past couple of years. I will certainly continue to pray for you every day and I entrust myself to your prayers too.

May God bless you all. Fr Sean

Sunday 10th of July 2022

Following the appointment of Father Sean Davidson to St Joseph's, Stockport, the Bishop has invited Father Louis Charuvila Pappy to undertake the pastoral care of St Ann's Cheadle Hulme and St Chad's Cheadle from 1st September, as Parochial Administrator resident at St Chad's presbytery with an office at St Ann's presbytery. The life of the two churches and parishes will be sustained by Father Louis's support and leadership and will continue to work closely with Christ Church parish, Heald Green.

Fr Louis will continue his chaplaincy work for the Syro-Malankara community in the Northwest of England. It may be necessary to make some changes to the parish schedules from the beginning of September in order to facilitate Father Louis's ministry with the Syro-Malankara Mass Centres in Sheffield, Liverpool and Northenden. Further information will be provided closer to the time.

Confirmation: Will take place this Tuesday 12th July's 7pm at St Ann's. **Please note there will not be a Tuesday evening Mass at St Chad's this week.** You are all warmly invited to come to St Ann's to celebrate the confirmation of the 16 young people. There is also Mass at Christ Church at 6.30pm as an alternative.

Cheadle Catholic Infant School Staff Vacancies The governors are seeking to appoint a new Learning Support Assistant, an After School Club Assistant and a Midday Assistant to start in September. More information and details how to apply are onour school website. <u>https://www.cheadle-inf.stockport.sch.uk/news-and-events/vacancies</u>

St. Chad's Players: The parish drama group, will recommence activities in September. We will be rehearsing ahead of three performances of our 2023 pantomine at the end of January. We rehearse for a couple of hours each Sunday evening with additional/longer rehearsals, coming up to the first performance. please contact Karl Collinge on 07976 784952 ASAP if you wish to be on stage in the pantomine and in the case of children, please advise their ages. Please pass on this information to others who may not see the newsletter. Thank you.

Mass Times & Intentions

Sat 9 th Vigil Mass	St Ann's St Chad's	5pm 6.30pm	Eileen O'Donoghue RIP PJ & Ann Duffy
Sun 10 th 15 th Sunday Year C	St Chad's St Ann's	9.30am 11am	Peter G. Connor RIP For the parishioners of St Ann's & St Chad's
Mon 11 th St Benedict	St Ann's	10am	Edith Maher RIP
Tues 12 th	St Ann's St Chad's St Ann's	10am 7pm	Sarah Lees RIP NO MASS THIS EVENING Mass of Confirmation
Wed 13 th	No Mass		
Thurs 14 th	St Chad's	9.30am	For successful treatment & healing of Cora Tierney
Fri 15 th St Bonaventure	St Ann's	10am	David Scott
Sat 16 th Vigil Mass	St Ann's St Chad's	5pm 6.30pm	Patricia Thornhill RIP For the parishioners of St Chad's & St Ann's
Sun 17 th 16 th Sunday Year C	St Chad's St Ann's	9.30am 11am	Brian Devince RIP David McKenna RIP

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament: Will take place before Mass on Sundays and Tuesdays and from 9am-6pm on Thursday.

Confessions: Available on request by phoning the presbytery a minimum of 24 hours in advance to arrange.

Mass Intentions: Envelopes are available at the back of the church. Please post the envelope through the presbytery door once completed. Please note that we are now up to October with Mass Intentions.

Perpetual Adoration: Every Thursday 9am-6pm. There is a sign up sheet at the back of church. You are welcome to come along at any time during the day.

Children's Adoration: This Tuesday 12th July at 4.15pm. Please come along and spend a short time of prayer with your children / grandchildren in front of the Blessed Sacrament. Refreshments available in the hall afterwards.