

The Catholic Parish of St Chad, Cheadle

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Office Hours: Thursdays 11am – 1pm - St Chad's and Mondays 10.30am-1pm – St Ann's

Sunday 13rd September 2023 – 23rd Sunday Ordinary Time A

Mass Times & Intentions

Sat 9 th Vigil	St Ann's	5pm	For the parishioners of St Ann's & St Chad's
Sun 10 th 23 rd Sunday Ordinary Time Year A	St Chad's St Ann's	9.30am 11am	Alfredo Sanedrin Senior RIP For Joan Wadcock & family
Mon 11 th	St Ann's	10am	Service of the Word & Holy Communion
Tues 12 th	St Ann's St Chad's	10am 6.30pm	Service of the Word & Holy Communion Service of the Word & Holy Communion
Wed 13 th	No Mass		
Thurs 14 th	St Chad's	9.30am	Canon Paul Daly
Fri 15 th	St Ann's	10am	Margaret Cunningham RIP
Sat 16 th Vigil	St Ann's	5pm	Colin McNicholls RIP
Sun 17 th 24 th Sunday Ordinary Time Year A	St Chad's St Ann's	9.30am 11am	Kevin Doyle RIP For the parishioners of St Ann's & St Chad's

Mass Intentions: Envelopes available at the back of the church. Please post the envelope through the presbytery door once completed. Please note we do currently have a lot of Mass Intentions and will list them as soon as possible. If you would like a Mass on a specific date please let us know asap and we will try our best, we are already into the New Year with Intentions. Thank you.

Please pray for all those who are sick. We pray for Maura Costello, Vincent Booth and all those who have died recently. We also remember: Theresa Beckett, Gerard Morrissey, George Simpkin, John Devitt, Agnes Deignan, John Conroy, Fr. Frank Gordon, Anne Childs, Reg McKenna, Diane Evans, Elizabeth O'Dowd, James Turner, Agnes Whelan, Elizabeth Hughes, Rita Loney, Angela Brett, Fr. Bernard Houghton, Hilda Lennard, Gerard Dillon and all those who anniversaries occur at this time. May they rest in peace.

Adoration before the Blessed Sacrament: every Thursday 10am-6pm. Please sign up for a slot on the sheets at the back of church.

Rosary: on Thursdays and Sundays at 9am.

Confessions: every Tuesday 6pm-6.25pm. At other times on request.

For Sunday Readers: if you have not received your new rota please email Mary m.mcpeake@btinternet.com her emailer has been updated and she is aware that she may have lost some of your email addresses.

Dates for your Diary: St Chad's Singers Concert Friday 10th November at 7.30pm, Christmas Fair 25th November 12 noon-2pm, Advent Retreat day Saturday 9th December 10am-3pm.

RCIA Programme: We will begin our RCIA programme on Monday 25th September 7pm-9pm. The programme will be run jointly with St Ann's, with the venue (either St Chad's or St Ann's) to be confirmed. The programme is for all those who would like to be received into the Catholic Church at Easter 2024 and will last 19 weeks (12 weeks up to December and 7 weeks in Jan-Feb). Any parishioners who would like to deepen their understanding of the Catholic Faith are also welcome to come along. If you would like to join the programme, or would be interested in helping to lead the programme, please speak to Fr Louis or Victoria or email the parish.

Special Blessing: during Mass on Sunday 17th September, we will have a special blessing and celebration for all Grandparents.

MISSION APPEAL: This Weekend The Missionary Sisters of England & Wales will be making an appeal next weekend for the work of missionaries throughout the world.

Children's Liturgy: resumes today, Sunday 10th September. Please take a look at the noticeboard in the hall foyer to see what our children have been learning in their liturgy.

Anointing Mass: our next Anointing Mass will take place at our 9.30am Mass on Thursday 14th September.

Thursday Coffee morning: Raised £50.70 for CAFOD. Thank you very much

Knit and Knatter: this Wednesday 1pm-3pm in the church hall. We have been knitting all summer for The Fuel Poverty Campaign. We will be displaying all the baby jackets at Wednesday's meeting. Please bring in any jackets you have completed. We have also been knitting for the Refugees in Wythenshawe and will also be displaying these. Please bring anything you have completed. We look forward to seeing you all. Thank you for all your hard work! All welcome to knit or knatter!

Shrewsbury Cathedral: More information on dates and costs: We now have an idea of the dates available for this trip. If you are interested in coming, please can you add your name to the sheet and tick your preferred date or dates (you can tick all you can do) as soon as possible. We will go with which date suits the majority. The cost will be £12 for the Cathedral tour and lunch plus approx £15-£20 for the coach (this will depend on how many go). The coach would leave St Chad's at 8.45am and pick up at St Ann's at 9am. The plan would be to arrive in time for Confessions/quiet prayer before Mass at 12.15pm, Lunch 1pm, Tour from 2pm - lasts about an hour. The place where a coach can drop off is approximately a 10 minute walk from the Cathedral (on the same road but has to stop further down). We would leave Shrewsbury around 3.30pm to return approx 5.30pm. Thank you.

Catholic Certificate in Religious Studies: The diocesan Catholic Certificate in Religious Studies (CCRS) will resume this month, with both an online course or daytime classes in Wythenshawe. Details are at: www.educationshrewsbury.org/ or enquiries to ccrs@dioceseofshrewsbury.org

St. Chad's Players: Pantomime rehearsals begin on Sunday 10th September at 5pm in the church hall and then continue every Sunday evening between 5 pm and 7 pm with longer Sunday rehearsals, and possibly some rehearsals on other days, near the time of the performances. We would welcome new members of all ages for both on-stage and off-stage. The Pantomime will take place 26-28 January 2024. Please contact John Murray on 07836-355182 if you are interested or require more information.

Holywell Weekend Retreat: 'Mary Mother of the Word in Sacred Scripture' from 6pm on Friday 27th October to 4pm on Sunday 29 October 2023. Led by Fr Neill Robb and Barbara Davies. Cost is by voluntary contribution. For more information contact Barbara Davies 07450 252733 or barbara.davies@dioceseofshrewsbury.org and see poster at the back of church.

Pause for Hope, Chester: 17th September at 3pm at Saint Columba's Church, Plas Newton Lane, Chester. Pause for Hope is an ecumenical service for those affected in any way by cancer; those suffering from cancer, those supporting those living with cancer, and those who have lost loved ones to cancer. It is an opportunity to come together to support and pray for each other. More information is available on the website <http://www.pauseforhop.org.uk>

Baptisms: Both parents must attend an evening course, either separately or together, before the baptism of their child. The course takes place on the first Thursday of each month at 7pm, so the next one will be on Thursday October 5th at 7pm in the Parish Room at St Ann's. You can book a place by emailing stannschadlehulme@gmail.com. Please bring the completed Baptism Request Form (downloadable from our website) with you to the course and only then will the date for the baptism be confirmed.

We will pray the Prayer for Vocations to the Priesthood at the end of Sunday Mass: Eternal Father, We thank you for every priest who has faithfully given his life for the salvation of his brothers and sisters. We give thanks to those priests who have brought us your Word of truth, the grace of the Sacraments and, above all, the supreme gift of the Holy Eucharist. Father through your Son Jesus Christ, who called the Apostles to follow him, we ask you to raise up new and generous vocations to the priesthood in our time. Send forth the Holy Spirit to open the hearts of a new generation to your call and enable them not to be afraid, but to recognise the joy of giving their whole lives in love. Through Jesus Christ, your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns forever and ever. Amen

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.