The Catholic Parish of St Chad, Cheadle

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Priest: Fr. Louis Charuvila Pappy **Parish Secretary** – Victoria Holmes: 07905 519322

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

Sunday 5th November October 2023 – 31st Sunday Ordinary Time A

Hymn Numbers: Entrance: 69, Offertory: 145, Communion: 473 Recessional: 771

Mass Times & Intentions

Sat 4 th Vigil	St Ann's	5pm	Maureen Grayer RIP
Sun 5 th 31 st Sunday Ordinary Time Year A	St Chad's St Ann's	9.30am 11am	Joe Reilly RIP For the parishioners of St Ann's & St Chad's
Mon 6 th	St Ann's	10am	Pat Freebody RIP
Tues 7 th	St Ann's St Chad's	10am 6.30pm	Brendan O'Sullivan RIP John James Tonra RIP
	No Mass		
Wed 8 th			No Mass
Wed 8 th Thurs 9 th	St Chad's	9.30am	No Mass John Moran RIP
	St Chad's St Ann's	9.30am 10am	
Thurs 9 th			John Moran RIP

Mass Intentions: Envelopes available at the back of the church. Please post the envelope through the presbytery door once completed. Thank you.

Please pray for all those who are sick. We pray for all those who have died recently. We also remember: Thomas Bennett, Thomas Ward, Mary Tracey, Marian Hughes, Margaret Barrans, Claire Tallents, Gerry Barker, Marie Kelly, Mary Houlihan, Mary Moore, Patrick Kelly, Alice Ward, Joan Clancy, Stanley Shaw, Anne McHale, Mary Aspinall, Tony Gilligan, Winifred Donlan, All who died in War, Eva Counter, Bernard Rutledge, Michael Coll, Wilfred Donlan, and all those who anniversaries occur at this time. May they rest in peace.

The Funeral for Esther Boles will take place at 10am on Thursday 16th November at St Ann's. Please note there will be no Mass or Coffee Morning at St Chad's that day.

Adoration before the Blessed Sacrament: every Thursday 10am-6pm. We are in need of people to sign up regularly for a slot otherwise we will need to look at reducing the time for Adoration. Please sign up for a slot.

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

Money Matters: next weekend we will have a second collection for the Clergy Education & Training Fund. You can put your donation in the basket or donate online here https://www.dioceseofshrewsbury.org/clergy-education-and-training-fund/.

November List: During November we remember all those who have died and especially those who have died in the past year. If you would like someone to be remembered at this time, please write the name(s) clearly and place in the 'November List' box on the altar.

Remembrance Sunday: there will be an Act of Remembrance at the Cenotaph on Cheadle Green to remember all those who have died in war. The parade leaves Massie Street Car Park at 10.45am, led by Northenden Pipe Band, the service on the green begins at 10.55am with two minutes silence and the last post at 11am.

Advent Mission Day: Saturday 9th December from 9.30am-3.45pm with keynote speakers Gary Stephens and Daniella Stephens. The day will include praise and worship, inspirational talks, prayer ministry, Eucharistic Adoration and Confession. Bring your own packed lunch. Tea/Coffee will be provided. All welcome.

St Chad's Singers: next concert 'Anything Goes!' is on Friday 10th November at 7.30pm. Join us for an evening of songs from the shows and easy listening music. Tickets £5 for adults, £3 for children. Tea/Coffee and nibbles provided. Bring your own 'other' drinks. Tickets will be on sale Sunday Mass or by phoning 07905 519322.

Christmas Fair: Saturday 25th November 12noon-2pm. We will have the usual raffle, if you would like to donate any items for this please sign up on the sheet at the back of church. We are also in need of bottles/chocolate/toiletries for the Tombola and any Bric-a-Brac – but please no electrical items. Please place any donations either in the cupboard at the back of church or on the table outside the hall. Thank you.

SVP: If you are lonely and would like to receive regular visits from members of St. Chad's SVP, and/or you know of other people in this position, please speak to any member of St. Chad's SVP.

Knit and Knatter: This Wednesday 8th November 1pm-3pm in the church hall. All welcome.

Ladies Group: Meeting tomorrow (Monday 6th) 7pm in the church hall. This week they will have a talk from Wellspring.

300 Club: October Winners are: 124 Bernadette McCrory, 149 Mary Maher, 2 Gillian Coley.

St James Catholic High School Christmas Social: once again, St James High School are arranging a Christmas social for the retired parishioners of our local parishes and would like to invite those of you who are eligble to attend. This will take place on Friday 15th December 9.30am until 11am at St James' Catholic High School. It will be an opportunity for you to meet some of the children, listen to some music and have the opportunity to relax in a festive atmosphere. If you would like to attend, please could you email the parish, or speak to Victoria by 24th November at the latest. Thank you.

Cheadle Catholic Infant School Open Evenings: for 2024 prospective parents will be held on: Tuesday 7th November 6-7pm, Tuesday 14th November 5-6pm, Tuesday 6th December 6-7pm. If you know anyone who may be interested in a Reception or Nursery place for September 2024 please ask them to email admin@cheadle_inf.stockport.sch.uk in order to book a place.

First Communion: If you have a child year 3 or above, who is not at Cheadle Catholic, and you would like them to prepare to celebrate their 1st Holy Communion in 2024, please contact us as our programme run jointly with St Ann's will begin soon. Preparation starts on Monday 6th November with a family meeting at St Ann's 7pm for parents and children. The preparation for the children will be 6.30-8 pm (with parents returning at 7.30pm for the last half hour) each Tuesday in term time, starting 14th November. 1st Reconciliation will be arranged during one Tuesday meeting. First Holy Communion 11am Saturday 25th May 2024. For more information please either email the parish or email Carol carollovestea@yahoo.co.uk.

Vacancies:Director of Property: to provide leadership, vision, professional advice and strategic direction, to support the Bishop and Diocesan Trustees in their oversight and management of the Diocesan Property Portfolio. Completed applications should be sent to recruitment@diocesofshrewsbury.org. Closing date **10 November 2023.** Further details on: www.dioceseofshrewsbury.org/latest-vacancies/

Baptisms: Next course will be Thursday November 9th at 7pm at St Ann's. You can book a place by emailing stannscheadlehulme@gmail.com. Please bring the completed Baptism Request Form (download on 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.

The Holy Father's Prayer Intention, November: For the Pope

We pray for the Holy Father; as he fulfills his mission, may he continue to accompany the flock entrusted to him, with the help of the Holy Spirit.