Car Park Renewal 2021/2022

Application forms to obtain a permit for 2021/2022 are available upon request from the sacristy, after Masses. The cost is still just £15 per vehicle. The new permits will be valid from September 2021 until the end of June 2022 (to avoid the future renewal period coinciding with the summer holidays). Please also note that parking in St. Teresa's car park is done so at the owner's risk.

Praying for the unborn and women facing crisis pregnancies "Today we celebrate the feast of St Mother Teresa of Calcutta, patron saint of the pro-life movement. We ask for her intercession as we, the church, seek to support all pregnant mothers through their pregnancies, and that, like her, we would become models of support and charity to all in society. Lord hear us".

General Guidance & Rules in the Parish

Whilst it is no longer required to stay two metres apart from people you do not live with and there is no limit to the numbers you may meet, the guidance goes on to say "in order to minimise the risk at a time of high prevalence, you should limit the contact you have with those you do not usually live with and increase close contact gradually. This includes limiting the number, proximity and duration of social events." This is a note of caution for us in returning to parish activities. There will no longer be restrictions on group sizes for attending communal worship. This allows a return to pre-Covid-19 safety capacities whilst taking into account the guidance of the Bishops of England and Wales.

General guidance in church:

- Please do not enter church if you are symptomatic.
- Please use hand sanitiser available at the entrance & exits doors of church.
- The wearing of face coverings is encouraged.
- Church stewarding will now end.

• Track/Trace: Parishioners are asked to take personal responsibility by way of scanning the QR code in the church porch on their phones – you will need to download the NHS Covid-19 App to do this.

- The holy water stoop remains unavailable at this time.
- All church pews to open. Socially distanced seating remains available in the two transepts.
- Church windows/doors will remain open to maintain good ventilation.
- Frequently touched areas will be cleaned regularly.

Liturgical Guidance in church:

The physical sign of peace remains suspended in the Liturgy of Mass.

• Offertory collection - this will remain in baskets on the tables at the back of church for you to place donations in as you enter/leave church.

• Holy communion will continue under only one kind with no administration of the Chalice. Ministers are asked to sanitise their hands and wear face coverings as before. Holy Communion is still recommended on the hand, though all who wish to receive on the tongue may do so with special care being taken.

• There is no longer a requirement to have a one-way system or other restrictions on movement within our churches so Holy Communion will be administered at the usual time with parishioners able to return to their seats thereafter. People should exercise good responsible behaviour when moving to receive Holy Communion and should avoid getting too close to each other.

Please Pray for Persecuted Christians in the Middle East

Sacred Heart & St. Teresa's Church, Green Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 1LD



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5th September, 2021 – The Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time **Mass Times & Intentions**

Saturday 4th	6.30 pm	The Parishioners
Sunday 5th	9.00 am	Celebrant's Intention
	10.30 am	Joan Appleton
Monday 6th	10.00 am	Father Joseph Duggan
Tuesday 7th	10.00 am	In Thanksgiving
Wednesday 8th	10.00 am	Private Intention
Thursday 9th	10.00 am	Celebrant's Intention
Friday 10th	10.00 am	Celebrant's Intention
Saturday 11th	6.30 pm	Intentions of the Catenian Association
Sunday 12th	9.00 am	The Parishioners
	10.30 am	Special Intention

(1) Church open daily for private prayer after Mass until late afternoon.

(2) Confession available after any Mass – please ask Father Anthony.

SVP Wilmslow President

Mike Prendiville Swimathon

"Hello, Fellow parishioners, Just a quick note to let you know that I've decided to fundraise for Cancer Research UK, Marie Curie & The Swimathon Foundation, and I'd really appreciate your support. My daughter Elaine underwent treatment for breast cancer throughout the course of 2020/21 and I would like to something practical to help the cause. You can donate to my JustGiving page by clicking here:

https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/help-mike-prendiville-swimathon

Donating through JustGiving is simple, fast and totally secure. Once you donate, they'll send your money directly to Cancer Research UK, Marie Curie & The Swimathon Foundation, so it's the most efficient way to give - saving time and cutting costs for the charity. Thank you, Mike Prendiville"

New Seminarians & Diaconal Candidates

From Bishop Mark, "I have been happy to accept two men to begin their formation for the Priesthood this September. In recent years we have been blessed with a steady stream of new seminarians and we happily saw three new priests ordained for the Diocese this summer. I ask for your continued prayers for these new and generous vocations who will continue our mission. I have also been happy to accept two candidates to begin their training for the Permanent Diaconate for the Diocese following the ordination of two Deacons this summer."

The Threat of Assisted Suicide

From Bishop Mark, "A Second Reading of the Assisted Dying Bill is expected in the House of Lords. The Bishops' Conference has made an urgent appeal for the faithful to write to peers, particularly if they have stories they are able to share, to give voice to the concerns and fears of disabled people and to offer personal stories of those with medical expertise in end of life care. I share with you Miro Griffiths' story which can be found on our own Diocesan website by following the link below:" http://www.dioceseofshrewsbury.org/news/wirral-disability-rights-expert-urges-catholics-toheed-bishops-call-to-urgently-oppose-assisted-suicide-bill

PRISONERS' SUNDAY – 11th October

Prisoners' Sunday marks the first day of the ecumenical Prisons Week, a week of prayer which has been raising awareness of issues faced by those affected by the criminal justice system. Founded in 1975, for over forty years, Prisoners Week has prepared prayer literature to enable the Christian community to pray for the needs of all those affected by prisons: prisoners and their families, victims of crime and their communities, those working in the in the criminal justice system and the many people who are involved in caring for those affected by crime on the inside and outside of prisons. For more information see: www.prisonadvice.org.uk/prisonerssunday

Society of Saint Gregory The Society of Saint Gregory are beginning a new online study course 'Taking Liturgy Seriously' starting on 30th September via Zoom. Further information, including details of the course leaders and online booking, is available on their website at <u>www.ssg.org.uk</u>

Parish 150th Anniversary Celebrations & Memorabilia

As recently stated, this year, we shall be celebrating the 150th anniversary of our parish. The formal celebration will be held on Friday 15th October, the feast of one of our parochial feasts, St. Teresa of Avila and Bishop Mark will be celebrating Mass with us on that day. As well as the usual celebrations of Mass & food/refreshments afterwards, we would also welcome your own memories of the parish over the years be it old photographs, order of services, or any other memorabilia.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR MIGRANTS AND REFUGEES – Sunday 27th September

The Holy Father has sent a message for the 107th World Day of Migrants and Refugees (WDMR), which will be celebrated on 27th September. In the light of the disturbing scenes broadcast from Afghanistan, this day for migrants and refugees will have special poignancy. The theme for this year is "Towards An Ever Wider We" which is a major theme in Fratelli Tutti and the Declaration on Human Fraternity. The message can be downloaded here:

https://www.vatican.va/content/francesco/en/messages/migration/documents/papa-francesco 20210503 world-migrants-day-2021.html

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY - 24th October

The Holy Father's message for World Mission Day 2021 entitled "We cannot but speak about what we have seen and heard" (Acts 4:20) can be downloaded by following this link: <u>https://www.vatican.va/content/francesco/en/messages/missions/documents/papa-francesco_20210106_giornata-missionaria2021.html</u>

<u>Caritas - Refugees</u> Ben Gilchrist of Caritas Diocese of Shrewsbury writes: "Based on our local work with refugees, Caritas Shrewsbury are supporting the Jesuit Refugee Service (JRS) and many other charities in raising concerns about the UK Government's Borders Bill so together we can speak up for dignity and solidarity." If you wish to download the briefing below to be sent to your local Member of Parliament, please visit <u>https://www.jrsuk.net/wp-content/uploads/2021/07/JRS-UK-</u> Nationality-and-Borders-Bill-briefing-for-second-reading.pdf

Lourdes Fundraising Campaign From Bishop Mark, "I have received a letter from Bishop Antoine Herouard, the Apostolic Delegate for the Lourdes Sanctuary regarding urgent works necessary in the Upper Basilica, the Crypt Chapel, and particularly the belltower and spire. The Shrine team also want to take the opportunity to bring the Upper Basilica up to 21st century expectations, with new heating, wiring, sound, disabled access. Personal donations can be made directly to the Sanctuary online by the following link": https://www.lourdes-france.org/en/faire-un-don/

Pilgrimage of Reparation & Prayer for the Sanctity of Human Life

Bishop Mark will be leading this national pilgrimage to Walsingham on Saturday 23rd October 2021. The theme will be 'The Courage to Proclaim the Gospel of Life in Post-Pandemic Britain'. The organisers have asked anyone or any groups who wish to attend to contact them directly as it would be helpful for them to know of any arrangements made. The Shrine also needs to be informed of coach numbers. Telephone 01858 571242 or visit www.prolifepilgrimage.org