## Prayer for the Extraordinary Month of Mission (EMM)

The Pope asks us to pray with him at midday every Friday in October, saying the EMM 2019 prayer after the Angelus (World Mission Sunday: 20<sup>th</sup> October 2019):

God our Father, when your Son Jesus Christ rose from the dead, he commissioned his followers to 'qo and make disciples of all nations'.

Through our Baptism you send us out to continue this mission among all peoples.

Empower us by the gifts of the Holy Spirit to be courageous and enthusiastic
in bearing witness to the Gospel, so that the mission entrusted to us, which is still far from
completion, may bring life and light to the world.

May all peoples experience the saving love and generous mercy of Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen.

<u>Appeal for transport to Sunday Mass</u> A lady parishioner, who is soon to give up her car, would be most grateful for a lift to our 10.30 am mass each Sunday. She lives in Wilmslow near Stanneylands Road. If you can help, please see Father Anthony.

<u>Food Link, Colshaw – Food Appeal</u> The need to contribute food continues. Could you help to donate food to struggling families? We are very grateful to receive the following food donations: dried pasta, pasta sauces, cereals, tea, coffee, sugar, and tinned foods (pies, soups, beans, fruit, veg, meat, fish, etc.). Please leave donations in the box at the back of church.

<u>Going into Hospital?</u> If you are, please let Father Anthony know, otherwise the Chaplain will not know you are there. Do not forget to let him know if you change ward & please let Father know if you would like a visit.

<u>St Teresa's Living Flame Prayer Group</u>
The group meets on Wednesdays at 11 am in the parish hall until 12 noon for prayer, scripture, intentions, rosary and music. All are most welcome to join.

Please Pray for Persecuted Christians in the Middle East

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## 20<sup>th</sup> October, 2019 – The Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time Mass Times & Intentions

Saturday 19th	6.30 pm	Intentions of Kath Gee
Sunday 20th	9.00 am	The Parishioners
	10.30 am	Dale Langham
Monday 21st	9.30 am	Special Intention (JQ)
Tuesday 22nd	9.30 am	Florence Hough
Wednesday 23rd	9.30 am	Dorothea Westray
Thursday 24th	9.30 am	Intentions of Kath Gee
Friday 25th	9.30 am	Mary Guinan-Casey
Saturday 26th	9.30 am	Intentions of Christopher Heath
Saturday 26th	6.30 pm	Intentions of Felicity & Michael Cafferata
Sunday 27th	9.00 am*	The Parishioners
	10.30 am*	Intentions of Madeleine & Tony Van Steene

\*Clocks go back 1 hour to GMT from British Summer Time on Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> October Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament & Confessions: Saturdays 10.15 – 11.00 am

## NSPCC announce the following fundraiser:

**CAKES & COMIC SONGS hosted by David Sedden**...accompanied by Josie Gibbs on piano. To be held in the Hall WEDNESDAY 6th NOVEMBER commencing at 2.00pm. Tickets £8 price includes tea and cakes. Lovely raffle. Tickets available after 10.30 am Mass or from me Maggie Turnbull on 01625 586272. Your support for this worthy cause is always so generous and very much appreciated love and God Bless Maggie.

<u>First Sacraments 2020</u> — Nicola Cowell will again kindly be leading the programme and asks anyone wishing their child to enrol on the parish First Holy Communion course to contact Father Anthony as soon as possible so that the preparation material can be sent to them. The course is ideally suited to children from Year 3 upwards (aged 7+ at the start of September this year). Classes will begin after half term in the week commencing 4<sup>th</sup> November, 2019.

<u>Your prayers are asked for the repose of the soul of Audrey Holley</u> whose funeral will take place at St Benedict's, Handforth on Tuesday 22nd October at 12 noon. May she rest in peace.

## St. Teresa's Senior Citizens Christmas Party 2019 - Date for your diary

Please note this year's Christmas party will take place on Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> December, 2019. Further information will follow closer to the time. There will be a meeting for helpers and volunteers on Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> November at 2 pm in the parish hall.

## **UPDATE: Fundraising Appeal: Urgent Parish Maintenance Work**

The parish has now undertaken the urgent repair and maintenance work detailed below.

These repairs have cost the parish a total of over £10,000.

We are very thankful to have now received £5.435 from parishioners over the last 6 weeks!

<u>Presbytery Front Doors</u> – The front doors of the presbytery have now been replaced owing to over warping of the previous doors.

<u>Parish Hall Boiler</u> – Work was completed recently to install a new boiler in the parish hall after the previous one had failed beyond repair. Central heating/Hot water is now back available.

<u>Church Roof Repair</u> – Work has recently been completed to repair a break in the seal of the church roof, which caused a leak with the heavy rainfall over recent months.

We are always grateful to the ongoing generosity of our parishioners.

If you are able to help us cover these costs, any donation would be most gratefully received. (Cheques should be made payable to "Sacred Heart & St. Teresa's Church")

If you are a UK Taxpayer and would like to gift aid your donation, please see Father Anthony to pick up a one-off declaration form.

## World Mission Sunday: 20th October, 2019: Retiring Collection This Weekend

World Mission Sunday supports missionaries who work alongside communities that are poor or in need, regardless of their background or belief. By supporting Missio, the Pope's charity for world mission, you will help missionaries like Sr Clara share the love of Christ with those most in need. Please pray for the mission of the Church throughout the world and give what you can. If you are a taxpayer, please use the Gift Aid envelopes.

For more information, please visit www.missio.org.uk. Thank you.

#### Invitation to All at St. Teresa's – Sunday 20th October

"Come and celebrate Kath Gee's 70<sup>th</sup> Birthday in the parish hall after 10.30 am mass on Sunday this weekend and during the afternoon for those who can't make that. Tea, coffee and food will be provided. I will be delighted to see all who can make it. Kath"

#### Wilmslow Wells for Africa AGM: Monday November 4th 7.30pm

at Wilmslow Methodist Church – an evening of two journeys. Alice Gathoni, a district Special Needs Coordinator in Kenya – her story of coming to England to study. Following a visit home Alice sought our help. In August she came to thank us for our support of water-related projects for young people with special needs in Kenya. Chris and Malcolm Haigh from the Wirral to Uganda as volunteers. Hear about their experiences at Rushararazi School where we helped to fund water harvesting and sanitation. Refreshments will be served.

<u>Catholic Singles</u> is an organisation which helps single Catholics of all ages (over 18 years) meet other single Catholics, either one to one or through social events. For further information visit <u>www.catholicsingles.org.uk</u> or tel. 0161 941 3498.

The Annual Diocesan Mass for Grandparents will take place at 12 noon on Saturday 2nd November at St Alban's, Mill Lane, Liscard, CH44 5UD. Please bring your family to celebrate and give thanks for the part you play in the lives of your grandchildren. All priests are welcome to support grandparents in their parish by concelebrating. Afterwards there will be refreshments. The nearest car parking is in the shopping precinct opposite the Parish Hall in St Alban's Road, Liscard.

## SHREWSBURY CATHEDRAL AUTUMN & CHRISTMAS 2019-2020 CONCERT SEASON

\*FREE ADMISSION\* SUNDAYS 2.00 - 2.45 pm: 27th October Jon Barton Organ Recital; 3rd November Polyphonica Recorder Trio; 10th November John Godwin Organ Recital; 17th November Glyn Mon-Hughes Organ Recital; 24th November Shrewsbury High School Instrumental.

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FRIDAY 20th DECEMBER Shrewsbury Cathedral Choir Concert: 18:45 - 20:30 'Il est né le divin Enfant' - CATHEDRAL CHOIR CONCERT TICKETS £6 - to include a festive drink & mince pie from the Orchard Café. Tickets available from 15th October from Orchard Café. Cathedral Stewards and Parish Office. Limited car parking available on-site or please use St. Julian's Friars Car Park SY1 1XL.