

Parish of The Holy Cross
& St Helen

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ASHTON CATHOLIC WOMENS GROUP
Meet every 1st Tuesday 7pm of the month in
the Macnay room

KNIT & NATTER
Meet every Thursday 7pm in the Macnay room

BAPTISM
St Christopher's 2nd & 4th Saturday's 12.45pm
St Ann's 2nd & 4th Sunday's 2.30pm
Baptism Meeting with Parents
4th Sunday of the month after 11am Mass St Ann's

SVP

SVP will open the community café in the Townhouse on the first Tuesday of every month, serving free hot drinks & toast.

| <i>Date</i> | <i>Time</i> | |
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| Mon 18th September | | |
| Tues 19th September | 10am | St Ann's |
| Wed 20th September | 10am | St Christopher's |
| Thurs 21st September <i>St Matthew, Apostle and Evangelist (Feast)</i> | 10am | St Ann's |
| Fri 22nd September | 10am | St Christopher's |
| Sat 23rd September <i>St Pius of Pietrelcina, Priest (Memorial)</i> | 11am 12pm 4.45pm 5.00pm 5.30pm | Adoration & Confession St Christopher's Mass at St Christopher's Confession at St Ann's Rosary at St Ann's Mass at St Ann's |
| Sun 24th September <i>Twenty Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> | 8.30am 9.00am 10.30am 11.00am | Rosary at St. Christopher Mass at St Christopher's Rosary at St Ann's Mass at St Ann's |

PROCEDURE FOR VOTIVE LAMPS

Place £5 donation in an envelope; write the intention on the lists on the table at the back of Church. Write the Intention on an envelope please write the date, which lamp and the intention and leave in the Sacristy. The lamps will burn all week from Saturday Vigil to Saturday Vigil. Lamps for cancer sufferers (tabernacle) and expectant mums (Our Lady) burn at St Christopher's every week. *Stay with us, Lord, on our journey.*

VOTIVE LAMP INTENTIONS

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| Tabernacle | People of the Parish |
| Sacred Heart I | Roy Howarth Anniversary |
| Sacred Heart II | Expectant Mothers |
| Sacred Heart III | School Children |
| Our Lady I | John & Kathleen Down Wedding Ann |
| Our Lady II | The Sick |
| Our Lady III | Bernard Kempster B/day |

I am the light of the world (John 8:12)

Mass Intentions for this Sunday

5.30pm: Evelyn Ramspott

9am: People of the Parish

11am: People of the Parish

| Hymns | 5.30pm | 9am | 11am |
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| <i>Entrance</i> | 707 | 286 | 576 |
| <i>Offertory</i> | 574 | 516 | 286 |
| <i>Communion</i> | 286 | 628 | 164 |
| <i>Dismissal</i> | 131 | 202 | 360 |

MARY'S MEALS

School year 2013-14 - 2021
-22
£86,274
Thank you so very much.
God bless your generosity.
School Year 2022-23
£8410

The Big Feed - Scripture Study & fellowship: A new scripture study will be running on Wednesdays at 7pm at St Christopher's from Wednesday 4th October and we need your help to make it a success! Would you like to be part of the organising team for our new scripture study? Please email Roisin on roisinsmarsh@gmail.com to volunteer. Your help is greatly appreciated!

COFFEE MORNING: The Ashton Catholic Women's Group will be holding a McMillan Coffee Morning on Sunday 1st October, instead of the usual refreshments after Mass (9am. At St Christopher's and 11am. at St Ann's) it will be your chance to support the work of McMillan Cancer Support while enjoying a cuppa and some home baking. There will be other items for sale too. If you cannot stay for a cuppa, you can still show your support by buying a raffle ticket for a luxury hamper (tickets will be on sale at the back of church from this week) The draw will take place at the coffee morning. Hope to see you there!

ALTAR SERVER RETREAT: The Altar Servers will be having their retreat on Saturday 21st October from 10:00am to 11:30am. The retreat will end with Pizza lunch. New members are welcome. Looking forward to seeing you. Sr. Gloria

SECOND COLLECTION FOR HOME MISSIONS: The second collection today supports the work carried out by the Mission Directorate on behalf of the Bishops' Conference.

PARISH HALLS: Please note that Amanda Maddocks is no longer the Parish Hall manager. All enquiries for St Ann's or St Christopher's Parish hall should be made via Krissy only on 07918744169. Please do not enquire via the Facebook page, a new page will be set-up in due course.

GIFT AID/ STANDING ORDERS: Thank you to everyone who supports the Church through collection envelopes and standing order, your support is greatly appreciated. For those who wish to set up a Standing order or make a one-off donation, our account details are: SRCDTR Holy Cross and St Helen Account No: 00446815 Sort Code: 20-55-34

TEA/COFFEE served after 9am Mass on Sundays in the **MACNAY ROOM** downstairs at **St Christophers**, and after 11am Mass at the **Townhouse**. All money raised donated to **MARY'S MEALS**.