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& 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.

Date	Time	
Mon 25th September		
Tues 26th September	10am	St Ann's
Wed 27th September <i>St Vincent De Paul, Priest (Memorial)</i>	9.30am	St Christopher's
Thurs 28th September	10am	St Ann's
Fri 29th September <i>SS Michael, Gabriel and Raphael, Archangels (Feast)</i>	10am	St Christopher's
Sat 30th September <i>St Jerome, Priest</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 1st October <i>Twenty Sixth 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

Tabernacle	Maggie Delaney RIP ANN
Sacred Heart I	SSMA Ashton
Sacred Heart II	All Associated with the SVP
Sacred Heart III	James Slattery
Sacred Heart IIII	Frank & Agnes Brocklehurst
Our Lady I	SSMA Ashton
Our Lady II	Canon Kevin Kenny RIP
Our Lady III	Vincentian Priests

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

Mass Intentions for this Sunday

5.30pm: People of the Parish

9am: Holy Souls Purgatory

11am: Feast day of SVP

Hymns	5.30pm	9am	11am
Entrance	604	121	461
Offertory	175	131	662
Communion	267	141	557
Dismissal	178	361	489

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

FEAST OF ST VINCENT DE PAUL: Wednesday 27th September is the feast of St Vincent De Paul, the founder of the Vincentian priests who work in our parish. Mass will be 9.30am, so our priests can join a Celebration of the Vincentians in Chorlton.

BAPTISM MEETING: for parents intending to have their children baptised holds today after 11am Mass at St Ann's Church.

SECOND COLLECTION FOR HOME MISSIONS: Thank you everyone for your contribution last Sunday for the Home Mission. £278 was raised.

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**.

Wednesdays at 7pm from
4th October at the MacNay Room
at St Christopher's Church,
Lees Road, Ashton-under-Lyne
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The Big Feed
Scripture Study
Join us for food and fellowship as we study the
Sunday Gospel and Readings and pray for our
parish.



Children from secondary
school age are very welcome
but should be accompanied
by an adult.