Parish of The Holy Cross & St Helen

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DIVINE MERCY DEVOTION Every 1st Sunday 2.30pm at St Ann's Church

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

KNIT & NATTER Meet every Friday 1.30pm 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 will open the community café in the Townhouse on the first Tuesday of every month, serving free hot drinks & toast.

Date	Time			
Mon 22nd April				
Tues 23rd April St George (Solemnity)	10am	St Ann's		
Wed 24th April	10am	School Mass at St Christopher's Sr Roseline ( <i>Birthday</i> ) Sr Gloria ( <i>Birthday</i> )		
Thurs 25th April St Mark, Evangelist (Feast)	10am	St Ann's		
Fri 26th April	10am	St Christopher's		
Sat 27h April	11am 12pm	Adoration & Confession St Christopher's Mass at St Christopher's		
	4.45pm 5.00pm 5.30pm	Confession at St Ann's Rosary at St Ann's Mass at St Ann's		
Sun 28th April Fifth Sunday of Easter	8.30am 9.00am	Rosary at St Christopher's Mass at St Christopher's		
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## 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.

## **VOTIVE LAMP INTENTIONS**

Tabernacle	Danson & Family	
Sacred Heart I	SR Roseline Aluko <i>B/day</i>	
Sacred Heart II	SR Gloria Olori B/day	
Sacred Heart III	Michael Poulston <i>RIP</i>	
Our Lady I	David Thompson RIP	
Our Lady II	SR Benedicta B/day	
Our Lady III	Lillian McDermott <i>RIP</i>	
·	ght of the world (John 8:12)	

Mass Intentions for this Sunday	Hymns	5.30pm	9am	11am
5.30pm: Albert Adjie <i>RIP</i>				
	Entrance	165	147	147
9am: Michael Poulston RIP	Offertory	273	661	634
11am: Bob Wilson RIP	Communion	661	635	661
	Dismissal	194	439	343
Please could Joan Anton or anyone th	at knows Joar	. contact	the Par	rish offic

PARISH BUILDING
FUND

£6,649.32 Raised to date

Thank you for your continued support

BAPTISM MEETING: there will be a baptism meeting with parents next Sunday 28th April after 11:00am Mass at St Ann's Church.

**SECOND COLLECTION**: today is for our Church building fund.

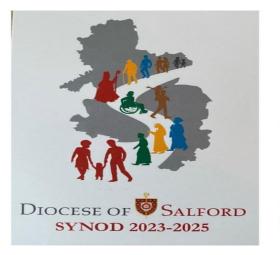
SVP: The SVP afternoon tea is on Tuesday 23rd April at 12.30 in St Ann's Hall. This week we kindly ask you to remember in your prayers Dasan and family in Kerala, India. Details of the family and their situation can be found on the notice boards at the back of both churches.

MONEY BAGS: The Parish is running very low on coin bags. If anyone has any spare they no longer need, we would be very grateful if you could leave them at the back of Church or post through the Presbytery.

**ONE OFF DONATIONS:** Thank you to all who have made donations to our ongoing building fund. If you are donating via cheque, please make payable to Parish of Holy Cross and St Helen.

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.

> "The Ashton Catholic Women's Group are organising a 'Sponsored Family Whit Walk' to raise funds for the Parish Building fund. on Sunday 19th May from 1pm. and will be a gentle walk of about 2miles. All those who wish to take part will assemble at Alan's Cafe in the Daisy Nook Country Park carpark. Pets welcome too (Other parking available on Newmarket Road) Sponsor forms are available at the back of church"



## Diocese of Salford Synod 2023-2025 Prayer

be with us as we seek new ways of being your people in our Diocese. May each new day bring us closer to your son Jesus, as we follow his teaching and become disciples of love.
As we continue our Synodal journey draw us closer to each other. May the truth of your Spirit enlighten us. Open our hearts, as we listen to each other and reach out in love to your people. Stay with us, Lord, on our journey.

Our Lady of Mount Carmel, Pray for Us St Joseph, Pray for Us.