

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

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>	
Mon 15th April		
Tues 16th April	10a	St Ann's
Wed 17th April	10am	St Christopher's John Paul Cooper & family (Healing)
Thurs 18th April	10am	St Ann's
Fri 19th April	10am	St Christopher's
Sat 20th April	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 21st April <i>Fourth Sunday of Easter</i>	8.30am 9.00am 10.30am 11.00am	Rosary at St Christopher's 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.

VOTIVE LAMP INTENTIONS

Tabernacle	Thankarajan
Sacred Heart I	Peter Rooney
Sacred Heart II	Maria & John Rooney
Sacred Heart III	George & Ethel McCall
Our Lady I	People of Ukraine
Our Lady II	Whelan Family
Our Lady III	Zanga Family

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

Mass Intentions for this Sunday

5.30pm: Mary Whelan

9am: Mc Cluskey Family

11am: David Crawshaw

Hymns	5.30pm	9am	11am
Entrance	333	583	389
Offertory	362	247	678
Communion	678	209	731
Dismissal	147	259	309

PARISH BUILDING FUND

**£5,803.81
Raised to date**

**Thank you for your
continued support**

WALK WITH ME BOOKLET: for Easter season is still available at the back of the Church. Please take one
for £1 donation.

SECOND COLLECTION: today is for our Church building fund.

SVP MEETING: On Tuesday April 16th at 7pm in the McNay room. Everyone is welcome.

SVP ANNIVERSARY: On Tuesday 23rd April the SVP will be hosting afternoon tea in St Ann's Hall at 12.30
to celebrate the anniversary of the St Vincent de Paul Society. Everyone is welcome to join us at no charge
please let us know you are coming for catering purposes, please contact Pam Dakin 07769900972 or Lynn Da-
vidson 07787228255. This week we kindly ask you to remember in your prayers Thankarajan and family in Ker-
ala, India. Details of the family can be found on the SVP 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

Loving Father,
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.
Amen.

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