

ST. ANNE'S NANTWICH NEWSLETTER

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Parish Priest: Fr. Tony Grace

Fr Michael Ryan OMI

Permanent Deacons: Rev. Peter Mascarenhas and Rev. John Penny


The Community Hub is available for private events during term time,

Information and bookings: <https://hallbookingonline.com/stanne>

IN NEED OF A PRIEST Please contact Fr Tony Grace on 01270 877736

Prayer and Mass Intentions can be sent by email to: stannesnantwich@btinternet.com

Saturday 21st December St Peter Canisius	5.00pm	Vigil Mass Fourth Sunday of Advent	Ken Wilcox RIP Anniversary Stevenson Family RIP - Lockerbie Disaster Anniversary Barry Faulkner RIP Recently Deceased Thomas Selby & Mary-Ellen Courtney Marriage Noel & Carmel Spollen at Christmas
Sunday 22nd December Day of Special Prayer for Expectant Mothers	9.30am	Mass Fourth Sunday of Advent Followed by Carols and Refreshments	Denis McGrath (sick) Susan O'Dowd (sick) Barry Faulkner RIP Recently Deceased Teresa Park Hill RIP Recently Deceased Fr Mike's 55th Ordination Anniversary
Monday 23rd December St John of Kanty		No Mass or Service Today	
Tuesday 24th December	5.00pm	Nativity of the Lord Vigil Mass	Stanley Moss RIP Anniversary Barry Faulkner RIP Recently Deceased
	9.00pm	Nativity of the Lord Vigil Mass	Ann Price RIP & Kathleen Murphy RIP
Wednesday 25th December The Nativity of the Lord	9.30am	The Nativity of the Lord	The Parish
Thursday 26th December St Stephen	10.00am	St Stephen's Day Mass	Norris Cooper RIP Anniversary Natalie Procter RIP Myra McGill RIP Recently Deceased
Friday 27th December St John		No Mass or Service Today	
Saturday 28th December The Holy Innocents	5.00pm	Vigil Mass The Holy Family	Gwen and Jim Muskin RIP Barry Faulkner RIP Recently Deceased
Sunday 29th December	9.30am	Mass The Holy Family	The Sick of the Parish

Our Christmas celebration of carols and refreshments is after mass on Sunday the 22nd of December. All welcome 

*Fr. Tony, Fr. Michael, Deacon Peter and Deacon John
Thank you for all your cards, gifts and best wishes*

And

Wish you all

A Very Happy Christmas

And a Peaceful New Year



Requiem Mass for Barry Faulkner RIP on Friday 3rd January at 10.00am. Please pray for the repose of his soul and keep Barry's family and friends in your prayers



OFFERTORY

Last week's Envelope & Loose Plate - £565.46
Offertory received by Bank transfer in Nov = £2163

Thank you



The Card machine at the back of church has been changed to a new updated version. It is a convenient way of making donations to support the Mission of the Church in St Anne's, or there are options to support the **Red Boxes/ Missio or the SVP.**

Alternatively, please scan QR code to take you to our donation web page or use the link. Many thanks. [https://](https://donate.myдона.com/st-annenantwich)

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Missio Red boxes— Please bring your boxes for year end counting by handing them to Pauline Binnie our Missio Local Secretary.

The SVP annual New Year Dinner has been scheduled for Tuesday, 14 January 2025 at Richmond Village. 6.00pm for 6.30pm
 Please sign up at church entrance

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FOOD BANK
 Donations can be made at St Anne's (box in Porch, at Morrisons, Sainsbury's, Nationwide, M&S and Elim Church.
Thank you for your support

Preparation for the Sacraments of Reconciliation and First Holy Communion

Sacramental preparation will begin in January.

If you wish your child(ren) to participate but your child(ren) do not attend St Anne's School please contact Letitia Selby (letitia@selby.tv) and provide a copy of your child's Baptism certificate.

A handout with programme dates and can be found at the church entrance.

- Sunday 19th January 2025 **Enrolment Mass** 9.30am followed by a talk after Mass

The clergy team would like to thank all of the volunteers who work so hard to ensure that we can continue to provide an attractive welcoming place of worship that is safe, clean and warm. We are very grateful to our front of house and behind the scenes volunteers who give up their precious time for St Anne's parishioners who come to Mass and for those who are housebound. Happy Christmas and Thank you.

The SVP is offering support to anyone who is in debt or struggling with energy bills. For confidential assistance please contact a member of the SVP or Deacon John.

Christmas Fun Run Friday 27th December in Bollington

Join CAFOD for the annual Christmas Fun Run in Bollington! Wear your festive fancy dress and take on this joyful run to support communities around the world to lift themselves out of poverty. This is a great opportunity to enjoy the great outdoors over the Christmas period, whilst also contributing to a good cause. Adult, child and family entrance fees are available. Whether you walk, run or jog, every step makes a difference. We are also in need of volunteers to help out on the day. If you can spare a few hours, please contact events@cafod.org.uk or kkeenan@cafod.org.uk for more information.

Pope's December Prayer Intention We pray with Pope Francis that the forthcoming Jubilee may strengthen us in our faith, helping us to recognise the Risen Christ in the midst of our lives, transforming us into pilgrims of Christian hope. <https://youtu.be/LEs2XA-PuuU>

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