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Parish Priest: Fr. Tony Grace

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9<sup>nd</sup> February 2020 – Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday	8	6.30 pm	Vigil Mass	Anne Bendall & Berthold Bendall RIP Ann Jervis RIP Anniversary
Sunday	9	9.30 am	Mass Racial Justice Sunday	Guy Baccelliere RIP Anniversary
Monday	10	No Mass or Service Today		
Tuesday	11	8.45 am	Morning Prayer	
		9.00 am	Mass World day of prayer for the sick	The sick of the Parish
Wednesday	12	9.00 am	Service of the Word & Holy Communion	
Thursday	13	8.45 am	Holy Rosary	
		9.00 am	Mass	Tom Lennon RIP Anniversary
Friday	14	9.00 am	Service of the Word & Holy Communion	
Saturday	15	6.30 pm	Vigil Mass	John and William RIP Anniversary
Sunday	16	9.30 am	Mass	Priest's Intention

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturday 6.00pm or on request

**IN NEED OF A PRIEST** Please contact the Presbytery 01270 625494 or Fr Grace at St Gabriel's 01270 877736

**Day of Special Prayer for Racial Justice** The Catholic Church in England and Wales will celebrate Racial Justice Sunday. The theme this year is "You are at the heart of the Church" and will celebrate the contribution Travelling Communities make to the Church in England and Wales. It is an opportunity for all Catholics to pray for, reflect on and respond to racial justice matters within the church and wider Society.

**The Year of the Word 2020:** Meeting *the God who speaks* in his word must surely be a priority for all of us.

**Year of the Word Diocesan Spring Talks.** Everyone is welcome to come and reflect on the Word of God; no prior study needed. The same talk is given in 3 different areas of the diocese, as follows:

**Talk 1. Fr Nick Kern on *Dei Verbum/ Word of God (Vatican II)***

Sun Feb 16 Sacred Heart and St Peter's, Baguley 19:00-20:30 (registration 18:30)

Wed Feb 19 St Columba's, Chester 19:00-20:30 (registration 18:30)

Sat Feb 22 Shrewsbury Cathedral 11:00-12:30 (registration 10:30)

**New Dementia Friendly Nantwich social...** The Nantwich Thursday Club opened the 30<sup>th</sup> January at St Marys Church Hall Nantwich - Fortnightly sessions especially for those experiencing early onset dementia, their carers and family. Next meeting is on 13 February.

**St Patrick's Missionary Society (The Kiltegan Fathers).** On the weekend of 22&23 February we will be hosting a visiting Priest from the Society. Fr John Garry has worked in Kenya, Uganda, South Sudan and now in the UK and will be sharing his life as a St Patrick's Missionary.

**200 club** Subscriptions for 2020 are now due. They remain £52 for the year or 2 instalments of £26. Please see the notice by the church door or contact Michael Wilcock on 01270 842175 for further details.

**Nantwich Foodbank Storeroom Vacancy** The Friday store room team are looking for a team member. Based in Stapeley, the work is behind the scenes and the ideal candidate would have a good sense of humour, be tall enough to reach top shelves (!) and with no pre-existing muscular-skeletal issues. The commitment is mainly Friday am. If this is you please email [info@nantwich.foodbank.org.uk](mailto:info@nantwich.foodbank.org.uk) or [storemanager@nantwich.foodbank.org.uk](mailto:storemanager@nantwich.foodbank.org.uk)

**Confirmation - Young people of St Anne's parish who are in Year 9/10 in September 2020** are asked to give their names to the Parish Office ([stannesnantwich@btinternet.com](mailto:stannesnantwich@btinternet.com)) or Deacon Peter or Mary Leigh ([marytleigh@outlook.com](mailto:marytleigh@outlook.com)), by 1st July 2020, if they wish to be Confirmed on 9<sup>th</sup> October 2020 at 7.00pm. Parents please note, your support in encouraging these young people to be confirmed is a very important parental responsibility.

**Holy Scrubbers** Would you like to join our merry band of volunteer cleaners? Can you spare half an hour? We get together on Friday mornings to clean and brighten up the church followed by a rewarding coffee and a chat. If you would like to know more, feel free to pop into the church at 9.30am on a Friday morning to meet us. Or contact Deacon Peter or the Presbytery for further details.



## Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Entrance Antiphon** O Come, let us worship God and bow low before the God who made us, for he is the Lord our God.

**First Reading (Isaiah 58:7-10)** We are called to serve the hungry, the homeless, and the destitute; to act in ways that prevent oppression, anger and harsh words.

**Responsorial Psalm** The good man is a light in the darkness for the upright.

**Second Reading (1 Corinthians 2:1-5)** We are called to speak, not out of our own goodness or holiness, but in the power that comes from the Holy Spirit

**Gospel Acclamation** **Alleluia, alleluia**  
I am the light of the world, says the Lord,  
Anyone who follows me will have the light of life.  
**Alleluia!**

**Gospel (Matthew 5: 13-16)** We are called to become like lights shining in the darkness, so that our good works encourage others in their journey towards the praise of God in their own lives.

**Communion Antiphon** Let them thank the Lord for his mercy, his wonders for the children of men  
For he satisfies the thirsty soul, and the hungry he fills with good things.

For further prayer resources visit: <http://pathwaystogod.org/>

### **ROTAS FOR WEEK COMMENCING 15th February**

<u>Mass</u>	<u>Reader</u>	<u>Communion Ministers</u>		<u>Altar Servers</u>	
6.30 pm	A Baxter	F Birnbacher	F Smith	J Stopworth	
9.30 am	S Burns	M Rogers	A Pearson	A Fairhurst	R T-L

**Linen Rota** From 26 January: Mrs J Booth

**Children's Liturgy** Half Term

### **Rosary Intention for the Coming Week**

#### **The Joyful Mysteries**



Monday	The Family
Tuesday	Vocation
Wednesday	Peace
Thursday	The Sick and the Suffering
Friday	Christian Unity



## **OFFERTORY**

Last Week's Collection

£696.56

Priests Retirement Collection

£968.34

Thank you

**THIS WEEK Tuesday** – St. Vincent De Paul Society Meeting 6.30pm in the Parish Meeting Room. **Tuesday** – Pray the Rosary with the Rosa Mystica Prayer Group 12 noon in Church.

**FEAST DAYS** Mon: St Scholastica, Tues: Our Lady of Lourdes, Fri: Sts Cyril and Methodius

**MASSES** Envelopes are available in the rack at the back of the church. Please print clearly.

**WELCOME** If you are a visitor to St. Anne's we invite you to sign our Visitor's Book at the back of the church.

**NEW PARISHIONER?** You are very welcome. Please complete a New Parishioner Form from the rack in our meeting room.

Completed forms should be handed to an apparator or placed on the collection plate.

**SAFEGUARDING** St Anne's safeguarding officer is Michael Kilcourse: [mkilcourse@hotmail.com](mailto:mkilcourse@hotmail.com) Tel. 07942 114145