WEEKLY BULLETIN of ST MARY'S SHRINE

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WELCOME TO ST MARY'S SHRINE!

7/7 Holy Masses: Sunday 11:00am & 6pm; Mon-Sat 12:10pm daily.

Confessions 30mins before *every* Mass *every* day – including from 5:30pm before 6:00pm Sunday Mass and on Saturdays 10:00am-11:45am during Eucharistic Adoration.

Daily Rosary 11:30am Mon-Fri, 11am Sat. Followed by the Angelus.

SUPPORT—Bank details: Account name: **FSSP Warrington**. Account number: **30993368**. Sort Code **30-80-27** Lloyds Bank, Palmerston Road Branch. Ask us for Gift Aid forms and envelopes: warrington@fssp.org

Registered Charity number 1129964

Safeguarding: Children, teenagers and vulnerable adults must be accompanied or supervised at all times within the Shrine. **If you have concerns, please contact the Archdiocesan Safeguarding Department** on 0151 522 1043 or e-mail safeguarding@rcaol.co.uk Thank you for your awareness.

This Week's Mass Intentions

Sun 29	IV Sunday after the Epiphany	O	Ted Taylor Padre Pio Prayer Group
Mon 30	St Martina, Virgin& Martyr	12:10pm	Thomas Fitzpatrick
Tues 31	St John Bosco, Confessor	12:10pm	Colin Jones
Wed 1	St Ignatius, Bishop & Martyr	12:10pm	Michael Keenan, RIP
Thur 2	Purification of the Blessed Virgin Mary (blessing & procession)	12:00noon (for blessing)	Siobhan Doyle
Fri 3	Votive Mass for Vocations	12:10pm	William D'Arcy (anniv)
Sat 4	Eucharistic Adoration for all St Andrew Corsini, Bishop & Conf.		In Honour of Our Lady Confraternity of St Peter
Sun 5	V Sunday after the Epiphany	O	Gary O'Donnell, RIP Matthew

Archbishop McMahon asks for School Governors

Please read the <u>Pastoral Letter from Archbishop Malcolm McMahon</u>, <u>OP</u>, on the notice board in the narthex. The letter observes that the largest voluntary body in this country consists of school governors. Currently there are more than 100 vacancies for Catholic school governors in the Archdiocese. Please read the letter and pray for volunteers and consider volunteering yourself.

Farewell and God bless to Thomas

Thomas O'Sullivan was assigned to Warrington to help his discernment. After much prayer he has, with the help of his spiritual director, discerned he does not have a vocation with the FSSP. He wishes to thank all at St. Mary's for their welcome and generosity and asks for your prayers as he seeks to follow God's will. We are grateful for his prayers, company and hard work.

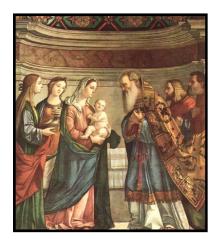
Holy Communion Reminder:

- To receive Holy Communion, one must be 1) a Roman Catholic 2) in state of grace (no grave sin unabsolved on one's conscience) and 3) have fasted for at least one hour.
- In the traditional Latin rite used at St Mary's, Holy Communion is received kneeling (if one can), and in any case on the tongue: thank you very much in advance.
- Please **use the entire width of the Communion rail**, from one wall of the church all the way to the opposite wall, avoiding any gaps. This will make distribution quicker. Thank you.

© Did you know? St Mary's Shrine costs £1,444 a week to run and maintain, but our current income is £835 per week. Please give generously!

Talk on Burma: Tuesday 31 Jan, 7pm at St Benedict's, WA2 7QE

Fr Mawdsley will give a talk on *The Catholic Church in Burma after 500 years*. All are welcome.



Candlemass Blessing & Procession: Thursday 2 Feb, 12noon

On the Feast of the Purification of Our Lady, bring any candles you wish to be blessed and place them in front of the Martyrs Chapel. These will be blessed at 12noon, followed by a procession within the church. As we process with palms on Palm Sunday as witnesses to Martyrdom (and Christ's Passion), so it is fitting at the end of the Christmas season to process with lights as witnesses to Christ's Nativity, Who is the Light of the World. Lighted candles are held during the Procession and the Gospel and from the Sanctus to the priests' Communion. Please help others with lighting their candles at the right times.

Clergy Day: The Divine Aspect of the Internet, Wednesday 15 Feb, 1-3pm

Priests, deacons, friars, seminarians are invited to gather at St Mary's by 1pm; short walk to a local venue for lunch; then a half hour spiritual conference by Fr James Mawdsley, FSSP on '*The Priest and the Internet: Challenges and Opportunities*'; followed by coffee & discussion from 3pm.

2017 SPUC Youth Conference, evening Friday - afternoon Sunday 3 - 5 March

16 - 35 year-olds are invited to form a group to travel from St Mary's to Stone (ST15 0NL) ,just 1 hour south of here, with Fr de Malleray, FSSP as celebrant of both public Masses at the conference. Sponsored (free) places available for some. Otherwise £100 for full board; or £40 without B&B. The conference covers pro-life / family issues, including abortion, euthanasia, IVF, contraception, population control and 'LGBT'. Please contact Peter Boyle: p.boyle400/at/btinternet.com

Forming a Pro-Life Group at St Mary's

With much pro-life experience, Peter Boyle has volunteered to lead a pro-life group at St Mary's. As we search for a time for a group to meet, could you come one Saturday morning each month? Those interested could come during eucharistic adoration and have their Pro-Life meeting during this time in the music room or cloister. Please let Peter Boyle know of your interest and availability.

Short Classes in Simple Latin for following the Mass and the Missal

Would you like to join a small group for short classes in simple Latin, aimed to help you follow Holy Mass better, to use the Missal, to make appropriate responses etc? If so, let Fr Mawdsley know when would be the best time for you, e.g. 11am or 1pm on a particular day of the week, or evenings.