

St Thomas' Tean and St Giles' Cheadle

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This Parish operates in accordance with statutory Safeguarding and the national and Archdioceses policies & procedures at all times. Our Parish Safeguarding representatives are Peter Lucas and Elizabeth Croft who can be contacted at sg.stgiles.cheadle@rcaob.org.uk - or alternatively the Diocesan Safeguarding team can be contacted on 0121 230 6240 or safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk if you have any concerns.

St Giles				
Date	Time	Service	Liturgical day	Intention
Sat 27 th April	4.30pm	Mass	Fifth Sunday of Easter	Dame Gertrude Baker RIP
Sun 28 th April	10.30am	Mass	Fifth Sunday of Easter	People of the Parishes
Sun 28 th April	3.00pm	Baptism		Isabella Jackson
Mon 29 th April	9.15am	Mass	St Catherine of Siena	Intentions of Jane Thorley
Tue 30 th April	9.15am	Mass	Easter Week 5	Cath Lucas RIP
Thurs 2 nd May	9.15am	Mass	St Athanasius	Holy Souls
Fri 3 rd May	6.30pm	Mass	St Philip and St James	Fr Sandy Brown RIP
Sat 4 th May	4.30pm	Mass	Sixth Sunday of Easter	George Hall RIP
Sun 5 th May	10.30am	Mass	Sixth Sunday of Easter	Norman T Walsh RIP
Sun 5 th May	3.00pm	Baptism		Elijah Clowes
St Thomas				
Sun 28 th April	5.30pm	Mass	Fifth Sunday of Easter	Cliff Parker RIP
Wed 1 st May	9.15am	Mass	St Joseph the Worker	Intentions of Veronica Lovatt
Fri 3 rd May	9.15am	Mass	St Philip and St James (School Mass)	Holy Souls
Sun 5 th May	5.30pm	Mass	Sixth Sunday of Easter	People of the Parishes

Holy Rosary: St Thomas', Tean Wednesday 8.45am

Confessions: St Giles, 26th April 6.00pm-6.15pm; Saturday 27th April 3.45pm-4.20pm or at other times by request.

St Thomas' after Sunday Mass or at other times by request.

Please Remember in Your Prayers

The work of the NHS and all involved in caring for others

Those in the Developing World, all in poverty

All the sick, troubled and anxious and those who mourn

All in authority, who are making significant decisions

The Peace of the World; for Ukraine, for the Middle East

All those who have died: Among them:

Clifford Parker, Fay Walker, Yvonne Hathaway, George Hall, Mary Elks, Barbara Cooper, Frank Titterton, Bernard Geoffrey (Geoff) Brookes, Neville Pepper, Alan Brattley, Caroline Hunt, James Keates, Alan Nickerson, John Beaumont, Fr Sandy Brown, Peter Capewell, Janet Malbon, Dame Gertrude Baker, Barbara McCausland.

Diocesan Annual Walsingham Pilgrimage Saturday May 11th Leaving Cheadle at 7.00am

We had an excellent pilgrimage last year and have booked a coach for this year. Please sign the list at the back of the Church to join the pilgrimage. Cost: £25 for adults; accompanying children free. Please place payment in an envelope with your name on and give to Fr Eric or place in the baskets at the back of Church. People will need to bring sufficient food for two packed meals: lunch and tea. Pick up points: Cheadle: Well Street near the entrance to the Well Street Car Park; Tean: St Thomas' Church.

Thanks to those who gave to the Second Collection

20th-21st April Clergy Training Fund: St Giles': £136.00; St Thomas': £60.10

Second Collections in May

11th-12th May Catholic Communications

18th-19th May Christian Aid (Christian Aid Week collection)

Christian Aid Week 12-18 May

Envelopes will be available at St Giles' on the weekend of 11/12 May. These will be collected in again weekend 18/19 May.

Christian Aid Coffee Morning/ Cake Sale/ Bring and Buy

Fundraiser for Christian Aid on Monday 13th May from 10am-12 noon in Cheadle Methodist Church to which everyone is welcome.

CAFOD and the SVP: A Year of Encounter

With a general election due sometime this year, politicians will be looking for our votes. We have a responsibility as Catholics to make sure that parties commit to tackling issues such as poverty and injustice. Raising our voices and contacting parliamentary candidates as a parish community will send a strong signal to those standing for election in our local constituencies. A Year of Encounter is a joint initiative between CAFOD and St Vincent de Paul Society (SVP), equipping Catholics to ask key questions of local candidates at the key moments. Please see cafod.org.uk/encounter for more information, including an online session on 4th May to learn more.

Edge@Alton

Is a youth group for young people across the parishes of the Staffordshire Moorlands in school years 6-9. We meet once a month in Alton on a Sunday afternoon from 3.15pm to 5.15pm. In order to enable our committed young people to continue to meet for fun, friendship and faith we need more adult helpers. Please could you volunteer to help us? We are looking for core team who will be at most monthly meetings, as well as adults to occasionally help – perhaps just twice a year. If you feel you could help, please contact us by emailing edgeatton@gmail.com We'd love to hear from you! Anna, Jane, Filip and Grace.

Official Prison Visitors

Official Prison Visitors (OPVs) befriend prisoners, at the prisoner's request, during their time in custody. If you might be interested in becoming an OPV, please take a leaflet from the back of Church. Further information is also available on www.naopv.com.

Childrens Liturgy at St Giles' 10.30am Sunday Mass

Most Sundays. Childrens Liturgy is for Reception age children and above. Children who are happy to join on their own are encouraged to do so. An adult is welcome to accompany any children not confident to join on their own.

Coffee, tea, squash, biscuits and conversation after 10.30am Sunday Mass in the Presbytery

Downstairs through the front door. All are welcome.

FOODBANK IS OPEN OAKLEY ROOM GUILD HALL

Wednesday 9.00am-11.00am Friday 1.00pm-3.00pm

Donations can be taken to the Foodbank at these times. Donations can also be left at Morrisons or the Presbytery. The following items are especially needed this week: Toilet rolls, Tinned vegetables, ladies' Shampoo, Ladies deodorants, Shaving soap/ cream, Strong carrier bags.