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**7th March 2010 – Third Sunday of Lent – C
Mass Times for this Week**

Saturday 6 th	6.30 pm (Vigil)	Jack Guest & Molly Johnson
Sunday 7 th	10.30 am	Parish & The Sloan Family
Monday 8 th	9.00 am	Service of The Word & Communion
Tuesday 9 th	8.45 am	Morning Prayer
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Wednesday 10 th	11.00am	Holy Hour, Exposition, Stations, Reflection
	12 noon	Tony Miller & Family
Thursday 11 th	8.45 am	Rosary
	9.00am	Special Intention
Friday 12 th	* 8.30 am	Special Intention
Saturday 13 th	6.30 pm (Vigil)	Ken & David Wilcox
Sunday 14 th	10.30 am	Mothering Sunday Marjorie Sweeney

Sacrament of Reconciliation – Saturday 6.00pm or on request.

LENT 2010 Masses will be at 12 noon each Wednesday in Lent preceded by Holy Hour at 11.00am Exposition, Reflection, Stations, time for quiet prayer. During Lent please pray especially for Claire Baxter and Jean Mirilow from St. Mary's, Crewe who are being received into the Holy Catholic Church at Easter.

RETIRED PRIESTS' COLLECTION last weekend £488.69. Many thanks for your generosity.

AID TO THE CHURCH IN NEED collection amounted to £1111.70. Many thanks for your generosity.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL 350th ANNIVERSARY MASS will be held on Saturday 24th April at Liverpool Metropolitan Cathedral. Mass will commence at 2.30 p.m. A coach will be organised to attend. If you are interested in going, please sign the form at the back of the church. For further details contact Denis McGrath or Mercia Davies.

WALSINGHAM PILGRIMAGE 2010 will take place from Saturday 16th October until Monday 18th October, 2010. Accommodation will be in Elmham House, the Catholic Hospice in Friday Market in the village of Walsingham. The total cost will be approximately £120. If you are interested in joining parishioners from St. Anne's, Nantwich and St. Mary's, Crewe, please sign the form at the back of the church. If you require any information, please contact Denis McGrath or Mercia Davies.

CATHOLIC CHILDREN'S SOCIETY Grand National Draw 2010. 40 winners guaranteed. Tickets 50p each (Five for £2) will be available soon and will be on sale after the weekend Masses.

MARIS STELLA HIGH SCHOOL, New Brighton. A reunion for all former pupils will take place on Saturday 20th March at 12 Noon at New Brighton Cricket & Bowls Club, Rake Lane, Wallasey. Anyone interested can obtain further details, including the cost, from Sheila Mahoney 0151 6384629 or Carol McWatt 0151 6303501.

NANTWICH CHRISTIAN COUNCIL LENT PROGRAMME 2010 'Through Words & Through Our Actions' – Living out Mark's Gospel. Mondays 1.30 p.m. – Nantwich Methodist Church, Tuesdays 7.30 p.m. Nantwich Elim Centre.

ANNUAL DIOCESAN MASS FOR JUBILARIANS will be held at St. Columba's Chester on Friday June 11th at 7pm. If you are celebrating a significant anniversary this year and wish to be included please give your details to Fr. Daly before 10th April.

200 CLUB subs are now due for 2010 and new members are always welcome. It only costs £48 per year/£12 per quarter, that's less than £1 per week and you might win £100. We are now entering our 7th year and have raised over £13,000 for our Parish. Subscribing is easy put your subscription in an envelope with your name address and contact number and pop it in the collection box, or see notice at the back of the church.

FAIRTRADE FORTNIGHT Shopping bags designed by a former pupil of St. Anne's School are on sale at the back of the church. £2 each.

MARIE CURIE DAFFODILS on sale at the back of the church.

SAINSBURY'S VOUCHERS FOR SCHOOL St. Annes School will be very grateful for your vouchers, please put them in the box at the back of the church or in the collection plate.

Introduction

HEADING FOR READINGS

We meet today a God who acts to release his suffering people from their slavery – a caring God who will deliver his people and lead them to a land of plenty.

First Reading (Ex 3:1-8, 13-15). At the Burning Bush God calls Moses to liberate his people from slavery. And he reveals his name to him.

Second Reading (1 Cor 10:1-6, 10-12). Paul reminds the Corinthians not to be complacent about their salvation. He cites the examples from the history of Israel that serve as a warning. No one is exempt from ongoing conversion.

Gospel (Lk 13:1-9). Tragedies and accidents are not sent by God. Such events however are a call to repentance. And God is patient.

Responsorial Psalm **The Lord is compassion and love.**

Gospel Acclamation **Glory to you, O Christ, you are the Word of God!**
Repent, says the Lord
for the kingdom of heaven is close at hand
Glory to you, O Christ, you are the Word of God!

ROTAS FOR NEXT WEEK

<u>Mass</u>	<u>Reader</u>	<u>Communion Ministers</u>	<u>Altar Servers</u>
6.30pm	A Mann	PC & UH	Patrick B, Cecily H, Annabelle D
10.30am	M Mason	CMcK & CT	Mairoisa H, Finnula H, Rachel Mc
<u>Linen Rota</u>	7 th March – Mrs. F Smith		

Rosary Intention for the Coming Week

The Sorrowful Mysteries

Monday	Vocations
Tuesday	Families
Wednesday	The Christian Community
Thursday	The Sick & Suffering
Friday	Peace



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Thank You

THIS WEEK Tuesday – Pray the Rosary with the Rosa Mystica Prayer group 11.45pm in the Church.

Tuesday – St. Vincent De Paul Society Meeting 6.45pm in the Parish Meeting Room.

FEAST DAYS THIS WEEK Monday – St. John of God, **Tuesday** St. Frances of Rome, **Wednesday** St. John Ogilvie, **Thursday** St. Angus of Keld, **Friday** St. Maximilian, **Saturday** St. Gerald of Mayo

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.

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.

CHURCH CAR PARKING Parishioners are politely requested to take note of the Church car parking signs for the Disabled and Emergency vehicles. It is also necessary to leave the car park entrance clear for emergency vehicles.