

20th July 2025
 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time
 Genesis 18:1-10
 Psalm 14(15):2-5
 Colossians 1:24-28
 Luke 10:38-42

Saint Clare of Assisi

CATHOLIC CHURCH



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July is consecrated to
 the Precious Blood of
 Jesus.

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| Date | Masses, Feasts and Devotions | Intentions |
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| Saturday 19th July | Adoration 4.30pm–5.30pm Confessions 5.30pm–6pm Rosary 5.35pm Mass 6pm | Debbie Dwyer (Birthday) |
| Sunday 20th | Confessions and Rosary 9–9.30am Mass 9.30am | William & Eileen Prendergast (RIP) |
| Monday 21st | - | - |
| Tuesday 22nd | Mass 7.00pm | Intergenerational healing of the Whitlock Family |
| Wednesday 23rd | Rosary 9.05am Mass 9.30am | Eileen Wyatt |
| Thursday 24th | - | - |
| Friday 25th | Day of abstinence from meat Rosary 9.05am Mass 9.30am | Callum Davies |
| Saturday 26th | Adoration 4.30pm–5.30pm Confessions 5.30pm–6pm Rosary 5.35pm Mass 6pm | Eileen Wyatt RIP |
| Sunday 27th | Confessions and Rosary 9–9.30am Mass 9.30am | People of the Parish |

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Announcements

St Clare's SVP Conference

We had a successful Music Night at the Chester CHS last Friday. Thanks for all your support and ongoing support of the Holiday Home. Visiting continues but if there is anyone in need that you know of let us know and we will help if we can? Contact can be made via the website <https://stclaressvp.co.uk> or to Steve on 07838089298. Keep safe and as well as possible. God bless.

Tea & Coffee after Sunday 9.30 Mass

This week it's Catherine & Elaine with proceeds to St Clare's SVP and next week it's Mike & Veronica with proceeds to the Holiday Home.

Foodbank Donations

Thanks to all who donate. Please continue to bring items in and put them on the trolley in the cupboard next to the Altar of the Sacred Heart. They will be taken to the Warehouse when the trolley fills. Regards Steve

Stewards

We are reaching out to invite new stewards to come forward and assist with welcoming people to our Church.

St Clare's Catholic children's group

Our next meeting is Sunday 20th July after mass (every 1st and 3rd Sunday term time only). It will take place in the sacristy (10 mins or so), we will be pondering (and feeding our spirit!) on/(with) the scripture, as well as including craft relevant with the scripture. Children of any age are welcome. This will be our final meeting before summer holidays, our next meeting after this will be on Sunday 7th September. Have a blessed holiday.

Jeremiah 15:16 I discovered your words and I consumed them. And your word became to me as the gladness and joy of my heart. For your name has been invoked over me, O Lord, the God of hosts.

Please Pray for the Sick, Elderly, and Housebound

Including Rosemary Roberts, Veronica Creaney, Geoffrey Prendergast, Cynthia Lloyd, Alan Challinor, Jenny Jarvis, Margaret Russell, Rob Davies and Andrea Burns.

Anniversaries Occurring Around This Time

Ann Evans, Sydney Jones, John Piggott, Catherine Mills, Geoffrey Fozard, John Callaghan, Ruth McDowell, Evelyn Harrison, Rosalind Rowlands

May They Rest in Peace