

Mission and Pastoral Measure 2011

Diocese of Chester

Draft Proposal for a Bishop's Pastoral Order Concerning every deanery and its constituent parishes

SUMMARY OF MAIN PROVISIONS OF DRAFT PROPOSALS

These draft proposals provide for:

- the dissolution of the deaneries of Birkenhead; Chester; Frodsham; Great Budworth; Malpas; Middlewich; Wallasey; Wirral North; Wirral South in the archdeaconry of Chester;
- the dissolution of the deaneries of Bowdon; Chadkirk; Cheadle; Congleton; Knutsford; Macclesfield; Mottram; Nantwich; Stockport in the archdeaconry of Macclesfield;
- and the creation of seven new deaneries in the archdeaconry of Chester and six new deaneries in the archdeaconry of Macclesfield.

1. (1) The deaneries of Birkenhead; Chester; Frodsham; Great Budworth; Malpas; Middlewich; Wallasey; Wirral North; and Wirral South in the archdeaconry of Chester shall be dissolved.

(2) The deaneries of Bowdon; Chadkirk; Cheadle; Congleton; Knutsford; Macclesfield; Mottram; Nantwich; and Stockport in the archdeaconry of Macclesfield shall be dissolved.
2. Seven new deaneries to be named "The Deanery of Chester City"; "The Deanery of West Cheshire"; "The Deanery of Halton and Warrington"; "The Deanery of Central Cheshire"; "The Deanery of North Wirral"; "The Deanery of South Wirral"; "The Deanery of Southwest Cheshire" shall be created and shall belong to the archdeaconry of Chester and shall comprise the parishes specified in Part I of the Schedule hereto.
3. Six new deaneries to be named "The Deanery of South Cheshire"; "The Deanery of North Cheshire"; "The Deanery of Southeast Cheshire"; "The Deanery of East Cheshire"; "The Deanery of Stockport Town"; "The Deanery of Cheshire Peak Edge" shall be created and shall belong to the archdeaconry of Macclesfield and shall comprise the parishes specified in Part II of the Schedule hereto.
4. These proposals shall take effect upon the first day of the month following the date of the making by the Bishop of a Pastoral Order prepared in pursuance of these proposals.

SCHEDULE

Part I – Archdeaconry of Chester

The Deanery of Chester City referred to in clause 2 hereof shall comprise the following parishes:

- Saint John the Evangelist Ashton Hayes
- Barrow
- Chester, Saint Paul with Saint Luke
- Chester, Christ Church
- Holy Trinity, Chester
- Chester, Saint John
- Saint Mary on the Hill Chester
- Chester, Saint Oswald and Saint Thomas of Canterbury
- Chester, Saint Peter
- Christleton
- Dodleston
- Eccleston and Pulford
- Guilden Sutton
- All Saint's Hoole
- Saint Philip, Kelsall
- Lache cum Saltney
- Plas Newton Saint Michael
- Plemstall
- Tarvin
- Holy Ascension Upton

The Deanery of West Cheshire referred to in clause 2 hereof shall comprise the following parishes:

- Backford
- Burton
- Capenhurst
- Dunham-on-the-Hill: St Luke
- Ellesmere Port
- Frodsham
- All Saints Great Saughall
- Saint John the Evangelist Great Sutton
- Saint Paul, Helsby
- Saint Paul Hooton

- Neston
- Shotwick
- Thornton-le-Moors with Ince and Elton
- Willaston

The Deanery of Halton and Warrington referred to in clause 2 hereof shall comprise the following parishes:

- Saint Cross Appleton Thorn
- All Saints, Daresbury
- Saint Andrew, Grange
- Grappenhall
- Hallwood Ecumenical Parish
- Halton
- Christ Church, Latchford
- Saint James, Latchford
- Lymm
- Saint Berteline and Saint Christopher, Norton
- Runcorn
- Holy Trinity, Runcorn
- Saint John, Weston, Runcorn
- Saint Michael and All Angels Runcorn
- Saint Thomas Stockton Heath
- Stretton
- All Saints, Thelwall
- St John the Evangelist Walton

The Deanery of Central Cheshire referred to in clause 2 hereof shall comprise the following parishes:

- Alvanley and Manley
- Saint Mark, Antrobus
- Aston by Sutton, Little Leigh and Lower Whitley
- Barnton Christ Church
- Byley
- Christ Church, Crowton
- Davenham
- Delamere
- Great Budworth
- Saint John Hartford

- Kingsley
- Little Budworth, Saint Peter
- Lostock Gralam
- Middlewich
- Saint Stephen the Martyr Moulton
- Norley: St John the Evangelist
- Holy Trinity, Northwich
- Saint Helen Witton, otherwise Northwich
- Saint Luke, Northwich
- Saint Chad Over
- Saint John the Evangelist Over
- Saint John the Evangelist Sandiway
- Weaverham
- Christ Church Wharton
- Whitegate, Saint Mary

The Deanery of North Wirral referred to in clause 2 hereof shall comprise the following parishes:

- Bidston
- Birkenhead Priory
- Saint James with Saint Bede, Birkenhead
- Saint John the Divine, Frankby with Saint Nicholas, Greasby
- Saint John the Baptist Great Meols
- Hoylake, Holy Trinity
- Saint Chad, Leasowe
- Liscard, The Resurrection
- Saint Thomas, Liscard
- Christ Church, Moreton
- New Brighton Saint James with Emmanuel
- Newton Saint Michael and All Angels
- Saint Luke, Poulton
- Saint Paul Seacombe
- Upton (or Overchurch)
- Wallasey Saint Hilary
- Wallasey Saint Nicholas with All Saints
- Saint Andrew West Kirby
- West Kirby Saint Bridget

The Deanery of South Wirral referred to in clause 2 hereof shall comprise the following parishes:

- Barnston
- Bebington
- Birkenhead Christ Church
- Bromborough
- Eastham
- Heswall
- Christ Church Higher Bebington
- St Mark the Evangelist, New Ferry
- Saint Saviour, Oxtan
- Holy Trinity Poulton Lancelyn
- Saint Stephen Prenton
- Saint Peter, Rock Ferry
- All Saints, Thornton Hough
- Thurstaston
- Saint Catherine Tranmere
- Saint Paul with Saint Luke Tranmere
- Woodchurch

The Deanery of Southwest Cheshire referred to in clause 2 hereof shall comprise the following parishes:

- Aldford
- Holy Trinity, Bickerton
- Saint Wenefrede, Bickley
- Bruera
- Bunbury
- Burwardsley
- Coddington Saint Mary
- Farndon Saint Chad
- Handley
- Saint Peter, Hargrave
- Parish of Saint Oswald Malpas and Saint John Threapwood
- Marbury
- Shocklach
- Tarporley
- Tattenhall
- Tilston
- Saint Jude Tilstone Fearnall

- Saint Chad, Tushingham
- Waverton
- Whitewell, Saint Mary

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Part II – Archdeaconry of Macclesfield

The Deanery of South Cheshire referred to in clause 3 hereof shall comprise the following parishes:

- Acton with Worleston
- Audlem St James
- Baddiley
- Burleydam
- Church Minshull
- Coppenhall
- Crewe Green
- Crewe, All Saints
- Crewe Saint Andrew
- Saint Barnabas Crewe
- Crewe, Saint Peter
- Doddington Saint John
- Haslington
- Leighton-cum-Minshull Vernon
- Nantwich
- Warmingham
- Weston
- Wettenhall
- Wheelock
- Wistaston
- Wrenbury
- Wybunbury Saint Chad

The Deanery of North Cheshire referred to in clause 3 hereof shall comprise the following parishes:

- Saint George Altrincham
- Saint Elizabeth Ashley
- Saint Mary Magdalene Ashton upon Mersey
- Saint Martin Ashton upon Mersey
- Bowdon
- Saint Alban Broadheath
- Saint Margaret Dunham Massey
- Dunham Massey: St Mark
- Hale Barns with Ringway
- Hale Saint Peter
- High Legh

- Saint Cross Cross Town Knutsford
- Saint John the Baptist Knutsford
- Mobberley
- Saint Peter Oughtrington
- Rostherne with Little Bollington and Over Tabley
- Partington and Carrington
- Saint Anne Sale
- Saint Paul Sale
- Christ Church Timperley
- Saint John the Evangelist Toft
- Warburton

The Deanery of Southeast Cheshire referred to in clause 3 hereof shall comprise the following parishes:

- Christ Church Alsager
- Alsager with Hassall Green
- Astbury
- Barthomley
- Brereton
- Chelford and Lower Withington
- Church Hulme
- Congleton
- Saint James Congleton
- Eaton with Hulme Walfield
- Elworth
- Goostrey
- Church Lawton
- Lower Peover
- Marthall
- Marton
- Odd Rode
- Over Peover
- Saint Mary and Saint John Sandbach
- Siddington with Capesthorpe
- Smallwood
- Swettenham

The Deanery of East Cheshire referred to in clause 3 hereof shall comprise the following parishes:

- Alderley Edge
- Alderley
- Saint Catherine Birtles
- Bollington
- Bosley Saint Mary
- Gawsworth
- Saint Thomas, Henbury
- Holy Trinity Hurdsfield
- Saint Barnabas, Macclesfield
- All Saints, Macclesfield
- St John the Evangelist, Macclesfield:
- Saint Michael and All Angels, Macclesfield
- Saint Paul Macclesfield
- Saint Peter, Macclesfield
- North Rode Saint Michael
- Saint Christopher Pott Shrigley
- Prestbury
- Rainow with Saltersford and Forest
- Sutton, Saint James
- Upton Priory
- Whaley Bridge (Taxal Saint James and Fernilee Holy Trinity)
- Wildboarclough Saint Saviour
- Wincle Saint Michael

The Deanery of Stockport Town referred to in clause 3 hereof shall comprise the following parishes:

- Saint Michael and All Angels Bramhall
- All Saints Cheadle Hulme
- Saint Andrew Cheadle Hulme:
- Cheadle All Hallows
- Cheadle
- Edgeley and Cheadle Heath
- Saint James Gatley
- Saint Chad Handforth
- Saint Catherine, Heald Green
- Saint John Lindow
- Saint Thomas Norbury
- Offerton
- Saint George, Poynton

- Stockport and Brinnington
- Stockport St George
- Saint Peter, Stockport
- Saint Saviour Stockport
- Wilmslow
- Christ Church Woodford

The Deanery of Cheshire Peak Edge referred to in clause 3 hereof shall comprise the following parishes:

- Bredbury Saint Barnabas
- Saint Mark Bredbury
- Saint Mary Disley
- Saint John the Evangelist Dukinfield
- Saint Mark, Dukinfield
- Holy Trinity Gee Cross
- Hattersley
- Saint Thomas High Lane
- Saint Mary Hollingworth
- Hyde, Saint George with Saint Thomas
- Saint Martin Low Marple
- All Saints Marple
- Mellor
- Saint James, Millbrook
- Mottram-in-Longdendale
- Newton with Flowery Field
- Romiley
- Holy Trinity and Christ Church, Stalybridge
- Saint Paul Stalybridge
- Christ Church Tintwistle
- Saint Paul Werneth