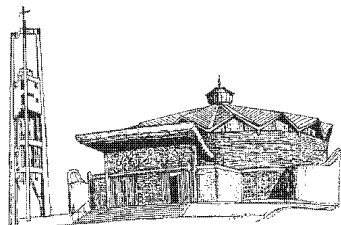


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Let us exercise our Faith in God,
so that we too can be cured of
anything that troubles us

WELCOME TO NEW PARISHIONERS / VISITORS

Please fill in our new Record Form, or if you move house within the parish please amend a new form.

Saturday 12th June The Immaculate Heart of Mary

6.00 (Vigil Mass) / Pauline Hughes RIP / John Smalley RIP / EBC

Sunday 13th June 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9.30 Joint celebration of 1st Holy Communicants / Walker family intentions / George Church RIP
11.00 Fr Abbot's intentions / Doyle family intentions

Monday 14th June

9.00 Special intention
12.15 Requiem Mass for Barbara Edmondson / William & Alice Fowler Anniversaries

Tuesday 15th June

8.00 (with Schools) Bernard Turner
12.15 Fred Wilkinson / Requiem Mass for Denis McDonald

Wednesday 16th June

9.00 Kathleen Grannell
1.15 Good Shepherd Mass with Archbishop Patrick Kelly
(NOTE CHANGE OF MASS TIME)

Thursday 17th June

8.00 (Alverna) Sr Teresa Hughes RNDM RIP
12.15 Catherine Blore



Friday 18th June St John Rigby, Layman

Mass at Mawdesley to be arranged later
9.00 Holland family intention
12.15 Lilian Glancy Anniversary

Saturday 19th June St Romuald

9.00 Sr Sarah Teresa McConigley (RNDM)
6.00 (Vigil Mass) Nelson family intentions / Denis McDonald RIP

Sunday 20th June 12th Sunday of the Year

9.30 E B C / Duckworth family intention
11.00 The Parish / Barbara Edmondson RIP

Confessions Saturday 9.30 - 10.00 a.m. (or when they end) and 5.00 - 6.00 p.m. Also Confessions at any time. Ring for a mutually convenient time with one of the priests.

Last Sunday Offertory Loose Plate £603.27 Gift Aid £299.56

Youth Collection £170.35 Many thanks!

For Gift Aid contact Gerry Brown 431002/John Baggaley 432683

HOLY COMMUNION FOR THE SICK

The Congregation says: May this sacrament unite them with Christ and his Church and give them consolation and peace.

Adoration in the Special Chapel when you can come. Come and spend some time with the risen Lord in peace and quiet, hallowing God's name and praying for all.

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Sr Veronica 424665

SUNDAY 11th of the Year

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Theme: I am the Way, the Truth and the Life, says the Lord; no one can come to the Father except through me.

THE PARISH FAMILY BY BAPTISM WE WELCOME:

Adam Thomas Tucker

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL OUR SICK

Terry Donnelly, Steve Jones, Patricia Terasina Thompson, Mary Pemberton, Mary Magee, Therese Wilkinson, Mary Douglas, John Verner, Jim Derry, Tracey Anne Holly, Norah Platt, Joe Breen, Jenny Finch, Pauline Hughes Lee Derbyshire, Paul Hewitt, Maggie Ashbolt, Jim McKay, Agnes Bennett, Lynn Hamer, Joe Copeman, Mark Clements, Toni Gannon, Dot Reynolds, Patricia Duffy, Susan McCarthy, Walburga Hall, Gordon Cottle, Danny Bonner, Annie Kelly, Eve Hankin, Gerald Ralphs, Eileen Kenyon, Edith Rice, Alice Ogden, Graham Halstead, connected with us, May Watson, Simon Thompson, Harry Culshaw, Teresa O'Hanlon, Chad Macdonald, Andrew Liddell, Susan Davey, Eric Woof, and Frank Dever



PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL OUR DEPARTED:

Especially Barbara Edmondson, Pauline Hughes and Denis McDonald who died recently and the following whose anniversaries occur about this time: Kenneth Blake, Margaret Blackledge, Doris Gallagher, Betty Doyle, Louise Naylor, Celia Grove and Lilian Glancy.

THIS WEEK Today: 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Journey in Faith 5-6pm *Youth Group* 7-9pm

Family Rota of Prayer: D Turner, 8 Long Moss

Monday: Church cleaning 9 am 'B' team

Tuesday: S.V.P. 8 pm Abbot H Room

Wednesday: *Youth Group* skiing 5 pm
Talk for Catenian ladies about Holy Land 7 pm Leyland Hotel

Thursday: Please give blood at South Ribble Civic Centre on 17th June 2 - 4 pm and 5.30 - 7.30 pm. See poster on the Board
Focolare Word of Life Group Wymott Depart 5.45.

Friday: *Divine Mercy prayers* 11.00 am in the Adoration Chapel. Everyone welcome.



Saturday One Voice Community Gospel

Choir are singing at the Methodist Church Turpin Green at 7.30pm. They are a brilliant choir, known on TV, and proceeds to Bay 6 (Young Peoples' homeless Project). Tickets may be available at the door but we are not sure, so to avoid disappointment, contact the Methodist Church.

NEXT SUNDAY: 12th Sunday of the Year

FATHERS' DAY. Prayer books for fathers available
Report at each mass on Priesthood questionnaire
Journey in Faith 5-6pm **NO YOUTH GROUP**

Interested in becoming a Catholic Our Journey in Faith is a friendly team of people that has helped four people this year to enter into full communion with our Church. If you want to find out more then contact John Mills on 498157 or Chris Raven on 454509

Parish Pastoral Council Nominations ended on Friday 11th June. Simon Brown has decided to step down, and one person has applied, Christine Lemmon. We will not need an election. On behalf of the Parish, the PPC and the Parish Priest, many thanks to Simon for his long and very valued service to the PPC that has helped the parish move forward in many ways.

Visiting an old friend - on a recent trip to Ireland we called to see Sr Anna in Dundalk, Co. Louth. She was delighted to see us and greeted us with that lovely smile and a big hug. We enjoyed having a chat and reminiscing about her time in Leyland and all her friends at St Mary's, she sends you all her love and best wishes. After a prayer in the chapel, we left Sr Anna smiling and waving us off, on our way to Co. Mayo. Please remember her in your prayers. *Maggie and George Halliwell*

Fairtrade - there is some new stock in the Piety Shop following the successful stall last Sunday. We have sweets, chocolate, muesli, cookies, tea, sugar, etc.

Ashes of some of our loved ones in our Cemetery

We are aware of the ashes of loved ones buried behind the cross whose names are not recorded in the cemetery. They are recorded in the memorial book in Church in the Holy Souls' Chapel if they are not on the slate at the back of the cross. We would like to know if relatives want to have the names of these loved ones on a new slate (or the old one) behind the cross. If so please write your name and telephone number and the name of the person whose ashes are buried there (or email us with this information see the website) by the end of July and we will work out how best to respond.

Leyland St. Mary's Cemetery Committee

Papal Visit On Thursday evening 16 September the Holy Father will celebrate an open air Mass in Bellahouston Park, Glasgow, If anyone is interested to attend, there are a small number of tickets. Please apply asap with Name, Address & phone. There are still places available for young people in London for the weekend, 18 - 19 September. Please see the notice explaining about it on the Youth Notice board. You must see Fr. Jonathan immediately if you wish to go.

Everyone welcome to COME AND SEE at St Andrew's Church (near Leyland Cross) which will be open on Friday 18th June from 4 - 7 pm. This is an opportunity to see the changes recently made and find out what goes on and hopes for the future.

Chorley and District Choral Society presents 'Music for a Summer Evening' on Saturday 19th June, 7.30 pm at the URC Church, Leyland. Please see poster on the Notice Board.

Cushion Project The final meeting will take place on Wednesday 23rd June at 2pm in the library. NOTE CORRECTION!!

Charity Quiz night Friday 25 June in our Parish centre 7.30pm including hotpot supper. Tickets £5 organised by the Catenians.

South Ribble Borough Council Armed Forces Day

Saturday 26 June 2.30pm followed by afternoon tea, in our Church. Bearing in mind Archbishop Patrick's plea for us to pray for and remember our armed forces at war, and Fabio Capello's message that these men are the real heroes, this will be a good chance to

do so. Please let us know you are coming, so there are enough cakes for afternoon tea!



500 CLUB CONGRATULATIONS!

£100 Winner W E Waring Week 21 No. 213 Agent M Courtney

Lark Hill get together - Saturday 26th June at 2.30 pm in the chapel at Lark Hill. Bring a friend and have a look round the old school. 'The History of Lark Hill, Preston 1797 - 1989' has been reprinted to meet ongoing demand. Cost £6.00 (£7.50 inc p & p) Contact Christine Fitzpatrick on 01772 424189

Charity Music Night @ The Priory Club, Leyland 7:30pm on Saturday 26th June 2010. - There is to be a music night at The Priory Club It will feature TopMarks Band & Radioactive Mutton as well as students taught by Philip Quigley. Tickets £3, reductions for concessions, all proceeds to Caritas and Mariapolis. Cakes will be on sale during the interval. Support for the night will be much appreciated! Poster on the Notice Board.

Advanced Notice. Tuesday 29th June is the feast of Sts Peter and Paul, a day of celebration in our Catholic Church, and this year with our country being graced by the visit of our Holy Father Pope Benedict XVI, a special day for us all to pray for him and the Papal Visit. It is also a Holy Day of Obligation. There will be only two priests here that day. We have decided with our three Schools to invite pupils (and their parents) to come to mass in the Parish. ***There will be no mass in any of our schools.*** Mass will be at 9.15am to which pupils from any of our schools may attend and then they will be registered in school when they arrive there after mass. Pupils and parents could also attend the 7.15pm vigil mass on Monday 28th June, or the 7.15pm evening mass on Tuesday 29th June. There will also be a 12.15pm mass, but NO 8am MASS THAT DAY. On that day we will serve the prisoners of Wymott (2 masses) and Garth prison (1 mass) as well. Each priest will celebrate 3 masses.

Family Fun Day 17th July. This will be another **free** family fun day on Worden Park on the Saturday afternoon. We would appreciate help from a group of people to set up and take down the stalls, help with hospitality and supervising games. Contact Agnes Chester or Lesley after the 9.30am Sunday mass



WORD OF LIFE

Those who find their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake will find it. (Mt 10:39)

When Jesus said these words he was thinking of martyrdom. We, like every Christian, have to be ready, in order to follow the Master and stay faithful to the Gospel, to lose our lives, dying, if needs be, even a violent death. With that, by God's grace, we will be given true life. Jesus was the first who 'lost his life', and he regained it glorified. He warned us not to be afraid of those who 'kill the body but cannot kill the soul' (Mt 10: 28).

If you read the Gospel carefully, you will see that Jesus goes back to this thought as much as six times. This shows how important it is and how much Jesus values it.

But Jesus does not only see urging us to be ready to lose our life as an invitation to accept martyrdom. It is a key law of the Christian life. We must be ready to give up making our own self the ideal of our life and to give up our own self-centred independence. If we want to be true Christians we must make Christ the centre of our existence. And what does Christ want from us? Love for others!

Full text available in front of the Piety Shop