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Please pray for all our young adults as they start/return to college or university, and those embarking on a new path in their lives

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 17th September

6.00 (Vigil Mass) The Parish / John Kelly

Sunday 18th September 25th Sunday Garden Party

10.00 Robert Howard's 90th Birthday/ Emily Glover and Ida Swann recently deceased

6.00 Thanksgiving (KD) / Brother Jim (Lisieux) RIP

Monday 19th September

9.00 NO MASS

12.15 Craven family intentions

Tuesday 20th September *Ss Andrew Kim Taegon, Paul Chong Hasang & Comp.*

8.00 (With Schools) Thanks for prayers answered for baby Finley

12.15 Mannion family in England & Ireland

Wednesday 21st September *St Matthew*

9.00 Sr Eileen Golden

12.15 Hilda Gallagher (Martha)

Thursday 22nd September

8.00 (Alverna) Margaret Riley (sick)

12.15 Mary & Michael McNulty Ruby Wedding

Friday 23rd September *St Pius of Pietrelcina Padre Pio*

9.00 Pat Bibby (Divine Mercy)

12.15 Thelma Walmsley

Saturday 24th September *Our Lady of Walsingham*

9.00 Fr Ambrose

1.00 Nuptial Mass James Turnbull & Rebecca Davies

6.00 (Vigil Mass) E.B.C.

Sunday 25th September 26th Sunday of the Year

9.30 The Parish / Jean Hardman's intentions

11.00 Chippendale family intentions

Confessions Saturday 9.30 - 10.00 am (or when they end) and c 5.15 - 6.00 pm. Also Confessions at any time. Ring for a mutually convenient time with one of the priests.

Last Sunday: Offertory Loose Plate £530.02 Gift Aid £343.52 Many thanks!

For Gift Aid contact 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.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH, BROADFIELD DRIVE, LEYLAND

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25th Sunday of the Year 2011

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Theme: Open our heart, O Lord, to accept the words of your Son.

THE PARISH FAMILY

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL OUR SICK Tony Cox (operation; dad of Louise Martin), Jean Hardman, Eddie Turner, Jim and Joyce Smith, Margaret Miller, David Lowe, Frances Hart, Martin Glancy, Joe Breen, Rebecca Shanks, Max Copeman, Carmel Spiers, Vincent Nelson, Tony Lyonette, Keith Mayor, Wanda Brown, Betty Kelly, Fr David Morland OSB (Ampleforth), Denis Chatburn (operation), Lee Derbyshire, Gaynor Hilliard, Eric Woof, Lynn Hamer, Gordon Cottle, Patricia Thompson, Alan Newby, Vincent McFarlane, May Stromberg, Robert Williams, Joan Walmsley, Anne Smith, Henry Deacon, Sheila Latham, Kathleen Heywood, Maria Whitfield, Elle Miller (High School), John Southworth, John Kelly, Terry Donnelly, Mary Magee, Mary Douglas,

Tracey Anne Holly, Jenny Finch, Paul Hewitt, Jim McKay, Dot Reynolds, Susan McCarthy, Walburga Hall, Danny Bonner, Gerald Ralphs, Graham Halstead, Andrew Liddell, Beryl Appleton, Eoin Byrne (baby) Maria Llweyllyn (connected with us) **Please tell us those for prayers by Thursday.**

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL OUR DEPARTED: Especially Fr. Frederick Callon from the diocese of Liverpool who died recently and the following whose anniversaries occur about this time:

Francis Joseph Gallagher, Peter Orrell, Margaret Nightingale, Teresa Christopher and Jim Derry.

THIS WEEK Today: 25th Sunday of the Year Garden Party

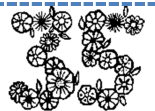
Please pray for good weather! Come and support us – this is our major fundraiser

Lourdes Treasurers will be in the Library after 9.30 am Mass today

Family Rota of Prayer: D Turner, 8 Long Moss



Flowers on the Altar are to celebrate the 35th Wedding Anniversary of Ron and Pat Rhodes



Monday: Church cleaning 9 am 'B' team

Thursday: St Mary's Scout Group Exec Mtg 7.15 pm (Library)

Please give blood between 2 – 4 pm and 5 – 7.30 pm at S.R.B.C. Please see poster for more details.

Friday: Age Concern Chair Based Exercises in the club 10.30 11.30am £2.50

Divine Mercy prayers 11.00 am in the Adoration Chapel.

Saturday: St Mary's Scout Group Car Boot Sale 9 am – 1 pm – Priory Club. **Youth for Unity** 3 – 5 pm in the Library **Churches Together One Voice Choir** – 'Songs for Harvest' at 7.30 pm. Please see poster for more details. The A.G.M. is Tuesday 27th September, 7.30 pm at U.R.C. All welcome.

NEXT SUNDAY: 26th Sunday of the Year

Journey in Faith restarts this Sunday 25th September 5-6pm. If you are interested in the Catholic faith, not baptised or baptised in another denomination, the contact John Mills 498157.

Youth Group 7 pm





The Newman Fund

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We

are already helping people regularly and one means is to support Local Businesses



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Supporting our Community

All who have given and those who will give their emails **will enter a prize draw** for gifts donated by some local businesses to be drawn by the end of Half Term. The prizes include: £25 voucher for Paul's Farm Shop; a £50 vouchers from Reynolds carpet cleaning; a foam pillow from Mobility 2000, a litre bottle of whisky from our Parish centre; a family portrait photograph from Lawrence Clift photography and we hope more to come. Please let us have your emails at the Garden Party for you to learn about offers and other things on a fortnightly basis: or go on the website and enrol yourself!

CONFIRMATIONS 2012 Next year ONLY the diocese will be offering the sacrament of Confirmation to children in Primary Schools years 4, 5 and 6; and in High Schools years 7, 8 and 9. This will lead to the NEW ORDER OF SACRAMENTS with Confirmation preceding First Holy Communion in 2013. All parents of children in our schools will receive a letter about this new initiative so we can plan for what will be large numbers. Confirmations in 2012 will at present be on four consecutive evenings 14th - 17th May 2012 inclusive. If there are any parent parishioners with children in other schools, **they need to pick up a letter** from the Parish administrator and register by September Friday 30th September 2011, in two weeks time.

NEW WORDS FOR MASS Sunday 2nd October. We have bought response cards for the entire congregation and also about 50 small books called "The Order of the Mass" including the Eucharistic Prayers. These cost £2 each and are available from this Sunday. Please put the money in the basket nearby. If they are popular we will acquire some more.

After School Club St Mary's Primary - vacancy for person qualified Level 2 in childcare or in training for it. Hours 2.45 pm - 6 pm. Also looking for Deputy Manager for same, Level 3 or in training. Contact Jean Hodges 07791178224

Mission Boxes - these will be emptied during the next 2 weeks. Thank you to all concerned.

Chess Club Paul Hardwick is willing to start a chess club for all ages and to teach people to play. Contact him on 464421 or paul.hardwick@blueyonder.co.uk He will have a stall at the Garden party with some chess games, and take names too..

Sister Pauline McDonald thanks the many Parishioners who shared in her Golden Jubilee celebration: also for the beautiful floral arrangements, the organist and choir for the joyful; music at the Mass and for the many Masses, prayers, cards and gifts received on this special occasion.

H.C.P.T Grateful thanks to all who supported the recent cake stall. £140 was raised. God bless you all.

500 CLUB CONGRATULATIONS!

£100 Winner C Whittle Week 35 No. 164 Agent A Anthony

Forthcoming Events

Women's Prayer group -at 73 Runshaw Lane, Euxton. on the second Thursday in each month at 7.30pm for a 7.45 pm start. To pray, share and reflect on worries, concerns and blessings as seen by women. If you want more information please contact Angie Bolton 07815148551 or Sharon Beirne 01257232479



A Pause for Hope - an Ecumenical Service for all people affected by cancer. Sunday 25th September at 3 pm in Liverpool. Please see poster.

Sing a new song to the Lord: Music for the new texts



A music workshop will take place in our Church on Saturday 1st October at 10.30 am. Bring a packed lunch. Please see poster on the Notice Board.

HCPT Group 56 are having a Ceilidh at St Pius X school, Garstang Road, on Saturday 1st October at 7.30 pm. Tickets £10 (family ticket for 2 adults 2 children £30). Hot pot supper, live band. Tickets and further details contact Evelyn Berry on 01772 424037.

Cafod Harvest Fast Day Friday 7th October. More details nearer the time.



Parish Catechist's Day with Bill Huebsch Saturday 8th October 2011 at St Teresa's Parish Hall Upholland. 10.30am - 3.30pm. Bring a packed lunch. Cost £10 per person. See the board for details. Probably very inspiring!

A rehearsed reading by the Lancaster Cathedral Players of Peter Hardwick's play 'Campion' on Saturday 29th October. Please see poster.

Churches Together in Leyland -CTL has been invited to take part in Preston Guild; the Churches Procession on Monday 3rd September 2012. Our float will depict 'The Lord's Prayer'. If you are interested in helping with this project please contact Margaret Dixon on 01772 457029, or email margaret.dixon38@sky.com or Robert Haydock on 01772 431979, or email roberthaydock@btinternet.com. We would particularly like to hear from the lady who offered help after the Good Friday service in the URC as her name wasn't written down! We will give you regular updates in the future.

WORD OF LIFE

But we had to celebrate and rejoice, because this brother of yours was dead and has come to life; he was lost and has been found. (Lk 15:32)

The love of the father and his joy at the return of his prodigal son serve to emphasize even more the feeling of the other son. His anger betrays a cold, and you could say false, relationship with his father. This son cares most about work, about carrying out his duty, but he does not love his father as a son. Rather, you could say, he obeys him as an employer.

Copies of the full text are on the table in front of the Piety Shop. Please help yourself