Parish of Saint Mary, Leyland

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To arrange a baptism or wedding, please contact the Parish Office.

South Ribble Family of Parishes, part of the Lancashire Deanery

St Mary's, Leyland; Our Lady's, Tarleton; St Mary Magdalen and St Teresa's, Penwortham; St Oswald's, Longton. PART OF THE ARCHDIOCESE OF LIVERPOOL (REG. CHARITY 1199714) www.liverpoolcatholic.org.uk

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY – YEAR C			14 TH / 15 TH June 2025				
Day	Time	Service	Intention				
Saturday 14 th June	17.00	Exposition & Confession					
	18.00	Mass	Mrs Bernadette O'Brien and the				
			Cartwright family / Michael and Delia				
			Lavell (RIP) / Parishioners				
Sunday 15 th June	10.00	Mass	Geoff Craven (anniversary) / Jack				
			Cookson (RIP) / David Lee (RIP)				
Wednesday 18 th June	14.30	Funeral	John Cookson				
		Charnock Richard					
		Crematorium					
NEXT WEEKEND - THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST – YEAR C							
Saturday 21 st June	18.00	Mass	Peace in war zones / Veronica Naylor				
			(anniversary) / Maureen Courtney				
			(b'day remembrance)				
Sunday 22 nd June	10.00	Mass	South Ribble Catenians /				
Baptism Presentation			Clare Rice (RIP) / Cox Family intentions				

Total Offertory Collection: £542.12 Standing Orders £682.00 First Holy Communion collection: £455.24

Gift Aid For information contact John Baggaley 07763423230

Week 24 300 CLUB – Congratulations to E Jackson (No.95) Agent: M Halliwell

If you would like to become a member or have another number, please contact E Jackson 07902 098798

Communion for the sick:

May this sacrament unite them with Christ and his Church and give them consolation and peace.

Jubilee Prayer:

Father in heaven, may the *faith* you have given us in your son, Jesus Christ, our brother, and the flame of *charity* enkindled in our hearts by the Holy Spirit, reawaken in us, *Pilgrims of Hope*, a yearning for the treasures of heaven.



You who live and reign for ever and ever. Amen

<u>PLEASE pray for all the departed:</u> Jim Richards and all those whose anniversaries occur at this time: Harry Embery, Maureen Skelly, Bill Silcock, Margaret Mary Smith and Barbara Wiggins.

<u>PLEASE pray for the sick:</u> Amelia Maher, Kath Cox, Rachel Hewitt, Mavis Walmsley, Jim Coan, Matthew Cox, Helen Jones, Maggie Halliwell, Anthony Dempsey, Patrick Cahill, Maurice Green, Kathryn Boulton, Terry and Ann Smith, Edward 'Roy' Thompson. **To add a name, "Sick List" forms are available at the back of church.**

<u>Welcome:</u> Next weekend we welcome Fr Des Seddon, a retired priest of the Archdiocese, who will be celebrating the weekend Masses.

Stop assisted suicide - sign the local petition! Only 28 MPs need to change their minds to defeat the Leadbeater Assisted Suicide Bill on Friday 20 June – several already have. Sign the petition to your local MP to stop the Bill! Please take action now and sign this petition to your local MP: www.righttolife.org.uk/petitions - it takes just 30 seconds!

40th Anniversary of Ordination to the Priesthood: This year seven priests of the Archdiocese celebrate their Ruby Jubilee, and Fr Joe is one of them. He will celebrate a special Mass in St Mary's church at 12.00 noon on Saturday, 27th September followed by a buffet reception in St Mary's Community Centre. Archbishop John Sherrington will be joining us for the Mass. Please put the date in your diary!

Recovering the heritage of our church: The baptismal font of the original St Mary's church, which was on Worden Lane, has spent the past 60 years as a birdbath in a local garden. It has recently been returned to us and will be used as a holy water stoup at the side entrance by the glass corridor. Also, St Anne's Chapel will soon be returned to its original use as a place of prayer where parishioners can light votive candles. The children's "cry room" will be restored to its original location next to the Piety Shop in the narthex.

New altar servers: Letters have been sent to the parents of the children who made their First Holy Communion last week inviting them to train to be altar servers. If any other children or any adults would like to become altar servers, please speak to Fr Joe. Also, at the 10.00 am Mass on Sunday, 12th October, we will celebrate the 75th anniversary of the founding of the Altar Servers' Guild of St Stephen in our parish.

<u>Parish Summer Fair:</u> Sunday 13th July following the 10am Mass. Please start bringing good quality bric-a-brac, unwanted gifts, bottles, chocolate, jewellery, books, jigsaws, plants and cuttings for the plant stall. We also need jars filled with sweets, crayons and other small items for the jar pull. Raffle tickets will be on sale after Masses.

<u>Mass of Anointing:</u> This year's Mass of the Anointing of the Sick will take place at 11.00am on Saturday, 2nd August. Eucharistic Ministers will be given invitation letters to give to the housebound of the parish.

<u>LARKHILL</u> <u>get—together:</u> Saturday 28th June @ 2 pm in the chapel @ Larkhill (Newman College). Bring a friend and have a look round the old school and gardens. Open 1–5.30 pm. Contact Christine Fitzpatrick 01772 424189.

New to the parish: Parishioner contact, Gift Aid, and Standing Order forms are available at the back of church.

Dates for your diary:						
Weekend 21 st / 22 nd June		St Vincent de Paul collection				
Monday, 8 th July	1.30pm	Town Prayers at Leyland Methodist church, Turpin Green				
Sunday, 13 th July	11.00am – 2.00pm	Parish Summer Fair				
	5.00 pm	Archdiocesan Lourdes Pilgrimage Departure Mass in the				
		Metropolitan Cathedral				
Tuesday, 15 th July	9.15 am	St Anne's Primary School Year 6 Leavers' Mass in school				
Thursday, 17 th July	2.00 pm	St Mary's Primary School Year 6 Leavers' Mass in church				
Thurs, 24 th – Thurs, 31 st July		Archdiocesan Lourdes Pilgrimage				
Weekend 26 th /27 th July Mission Appeal and collection		Mission Appeal and collection by the Spiritan Fathers				
Saturday, 2 nd August	11.00am	Parish Mass of the Anointing of the Sick				
Saturday, 27 th September	12.00 noon	Fr Joe's 40 th Anniversary Mass in church. Followed by a buffet				
		in St Mary's Community Centre				

Sunday Masses in our Family of Parishes:							
Vigil/Morning Mass	Our Lady's Tarleton. PR4 6BP	St Mary Magdalen's Penwortham. PR1 9QD	St Teresa's Penwortham. PR1 0DS	St Oswald's Longton. PR4 5EB			
Saturday			18.00	17.00			
Sunday	10.00	11.00	09.30	08.30			