

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.

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14TH SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME – YEAR C

6th / 7th JULY 2025

Day	Time	Service	Intention
Saturday 5 th July	17.00	Exposition & Confession	
	18.00	Mass	Special intention / Timothy O'Brien (Service to the SVP) / Joseph Arnfield (anniv)
Sunday 6 th July	10.00	Mass	Damian Cox (anniv) / Parishioners
Monday 7 th July	10.00	Mass	Priest's intention
Tuesday 8 th July	10.00	Mass	Helen Jones (Thanksgiving)
Wednesday 9 th July	10.00	Mass	Priest's intention
Thursday 10 th July	10.00	Mass	Jim Richards (RIP)

NEXT WEEKEND – 15TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Saturday 12 th July	17.00	Exposition & Confession	
	18.00	Mass	Teresa Smith's intentions / Parishioners
Sunday 13 th July	10.00	Mass	Pauline Pope (RIP)

Total Offertory Collection: £602.03 Standing Orders £682.00

Peter's Pence £370.97

Gift Aid For information contact John Baggaley 07763423230

Week 27 300 CLUB – Congratulations to C Fitzpatrick (No.311) Agent: Elizabeth Ellison

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

BONUS DRAW

Winner: E Lavelle (No 43)	Agent: E Ellison	Winner: Jo Bradbury (No 13)	Agent: L Raven
Winner: C Pearman (No 23)	Agent: J Steventon	Winner: M Mc Nulty (No 24)	Agent: M Mc Nulty
Winner: C Raven (No 13)	Agent: L Raven	Winner: D Kirkman (No 226)	Agent: E Ellison

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



PLEASE pray for all the departed: and all those whose anniversaries occur about this time: Joseph Grant, John Thomas Daly, Vincenza Borg.

PLEASE pray for the sick: Teresa Smith, 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.**

Lourdes Petition Envelopes: These can be returned via the collection or to the parish office. During the Archdiocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes, Fr Joe will place your petitions at Our Lady's Grotto. Any offerings will be used to buy a large candle in the name of the parish, and any surplus money will be donated to the Shrine of Lourdes.

Catholic Pic: July's edition of the Catholic Pic is now available.

New altar server training: This will take place from 7.00pm – 7.30pm on the following Wednesdays – 9th, 16th July; 3rd, 10th, 17th September.

Archbishop's Pallium: Last Sunday, the Feast of Saints Peter and Paul, Pope Leo gave all recently appointed Archbishops their pallium, which is a band of lambswool worn on the shoulders over the chasuble. It symbolises the communion between the Bishop of Rome and the Metropolitan Archbishops whom he has appointed to oversee the Church. Our Archbishop was one of 54 to receive the pallium in St Peter's Basilica.

Mass of Anointing: 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.

Catholic Association for Racial Justice: At a recent conference, which was attended by some of our parishioners, parishes were invited to look at how the different cultures and ethnic backgrounds of parishioners are recognised and valued. In our parish we have a good cross section of people involved in the different ministries of Word, Altar, music, welcome, etc. But one area that has not been addressed is images of saints. Whilst the architecture of our church does not lend itself to having lots of statues, the architect's vision was to have mosaics of saints in the side chapels of St Joseph and St Anne. As that would be prohibitively expensive, we will place three framed images of saints from across the world in each side chapel to help us in our prayer and devotion.

St Anne's Chapel: St Josephine Bakhita - Sudan (1869-1947)
St Andrew Kim Taigon – South Korea (1821-1846)
St Oscar Romero – El Salvador (1917-1980)

St Joseph's Chapel: St Charles Lwanga – Uganda (1860-1886)
St Maximilian Kolbe – Poland (1894-1941)
Blessed Carlo Acutis – UK (1991-2006)

How to become a Catholic: Once again, as a Family of Parishes, we will be organising a Journey in Faith course for anyone who has an interest in becoming a Catholic. The course will begin on 12th November. Information flyers are available at the back of church.

Parish Summer Fair: Sunday 13th July following the 10am Mass. Thank you for donating items to our Summer Fair; still more items needed. We are short of jars containing sweets and other small items for the jar pull. Raffle tickets are on sale after Masses.

Family of Parishes: A Working Group has been set up to help us look at how we can prepare for the future. The group is comprised of the four priests, the two deacons, the four Deanery Synodal Representatives and four parishioners. The members from parish are Fr Joe, Kevin Flanagan (Deanery Synod), and Kate Wilkinson (Reader). The first meeting is on 19th July. Please keep this group in your prayers.

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

Dates for your diary

Tuesday, 8th July	1.15pm	Town Prayers at Leyland Methodist Church, Turpin Green
Sunday, 13th July	11.00am – 2.00pm 5.00 pm	Parish Summer Fair Archdiocesan Lourdes Mass in the Metropolitan Cathedral
Tuesday, 15th July	9.15 am	St Anne's Primary School Year 6 Leavers' Mass in school
Thursday, 17th July	2.00 pm	St Mary's Primary School Year 6 Leavers' Mass in church
Weekend 19th/20th July		St Vincent de Paul retiring collection
Thurs, 24th – Thurs, 31st July		Archdiocesan Lourdes Pilgrimage
Weekend 26th/27th July		Mission Appeal and collection by the Spiritan Fathers
Saturday, 2nd August	11.00am	Parish Mass of the Anointing of the Sick
Saturday, 27th 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