

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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15TH SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME – YEAR C

12th / 13th JULY 2025

Day	Time	Service	Intention
Saturday 12 th July	17.00	Exposition & Confession	
	18.00	Mass	Teresa Smith's intentions / George Culshaw (birthday remembrance) / Parishioners
Sunday 13 th July <i>Baptism Presentation</i>	10.00	Mass	Pauline Pope (RIP) / Fr Raphael's intentions
Monday 14 th July	10.00	Mass	Priest's intentions
Tuesday 15 th July <i>St Bonaventure</i>	9.15	Mass (St Anne's School)	Year 6 Leavers' - St Anne's Primary
Wednesday 16 th July	10.00	Mass	Priest's intention
	11.30	Funeral Service	Martin Andrews
Thursday 17 th July	14.00	Mass	Year 6 Leavers' - St Mary Primary
Friday 18 th July	12.30	Mass	Whole School Mass in Church - St Mary's High

NEXT WEEKEND – 16TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – YEAR C

Saturday 19 th July	17.00	Exposition & Confession	
	18.00	Mass	Catherine Minshull – (Birthday remembrance) / Doug Morphew (RIP)
Sunday 20 th July	10.00	Mass	Margaret Richards and family intentions / Parishioners
	12.00	Baptisms	

Total Offertory Collection: £566.44 Standing Orders £682.00

St Mary's Local Charity Fund: £145.68 Thank you

Gift Aid For information contact John Baggaley 07763423230

Week 28 300 CLUB – Congratulations to M Knight (No.240) Agent: Kate Jordan

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



PLEASE pray for all the departed: Martin Andrews, Teresa Tugwell, Steven Dickinson and all those whose anniversaries occur about this time: Susan Mawdesley, Connie Moat and George Adams.

PLEASE pray for the sick: Stephanie White, 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.**

Second Collection: Next weekend for Priests in Retirement.

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.

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

Relic of St Benedict: This is kept in St Benedict's Chapel but will be on display on the sanctuary during Mass this weekend as it was his Feast Day on 11th July. The veneration of relics is a practice where physical objects associated with saints are treated with reverence as a way to remember them. Relics are a tangible reminder and physical link with a saint's life and holiness. The relic that we have is a small piece of eye tissue of St Benedict (480-547).

Jack Traynor "Lourdes Miracle" Prayer Cards: These have been designed by a Year 3 pupil from St Austin's Primary School, Liverpool and are available at the back of church.

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 household of the parish.

Devotions and Rosary: As part of our preparation for the Archdiocesan Lourdes Pilgrimage (24th-31st July) there will be a time of prayer, reflection, and rosary in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel at 6.00pm on Monday, 21st July. All parishioners are welcome.

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.

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.

Second Collections: There are a series of obligatory **SECOND COLLECTIONS** that will take place after Holy Communion at Mass on the following weekends:

19 th /20 th July	-	Priests in retirement
26 th /27 th July	-	Mission Appeal Spiritan Fathers
13 th /14 th September	-	Catholic Education
20 th /21 st September	-	Home Missions
18 th /19 th October	-	World Missions
22 nd /23 rd November	-	Animate Youth

Dates for your diary

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 Year 6 Leavers' Mass in church
Weekend 19th/20th July		Second collection for Priests in Retirement St Vincent de Paul retiring collection
Monday 21st July	6.00 pm	Reflection and Rosary in Blessed Sacrament Chapel
Thurs, 24th – Thurs, 31st July		Archdiocesan Lourdes Pilgrimage
Weekend 26th/27th July		Mission Appeal and 2 nd collection by the Spiritan Fathers
Saturday, 2nd August	11.00 am	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