

Confessions Saturday 12 July 9.30 - 10.00 am (S) (or when they end) and 5.00 - 6.00 pm (P). Also Confessions at any time. Ring for a mutually convenient time

Last Sunday: Offertory Loose Plate £ 953.19

For Gift Aid contact John Baggaley 432683

Many thanks!

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 Church. St. Joseph's Adoration Chapel

Exposition is at any time that you can make it. We have the rota for watching and we hope it covers much of the week. You are welcome to pop in any time.

500 CLUB' CONGRATULATIONS TO F Rice!

£100 Winner Week 25 -No .27 Agent M Giles

QUOTE OF THE WEEK: One kind word can change someone's entire day

St Benedict's Feast day on Friday The pen drawing on the front of the bulletin shows a famous episode in the life of St. Benedict and his twin sister St. Scholastica. It was the custom of the brother and sister (she had become a nun following Benedict) to meet annually. They spent the day in sharing the life of the gospel and all that God was working in their lives, and had not finished by the time Vespers came along. Benedict insisted on leaving; Scholastica begged him to stay longer but Benedict got up to go with his companions. Whereupon Scholastica prayed to God, and out of the clear blue sky came such a thunderstorm that it was impossible to venture out. They stayed talking and sharing for the rest of the night, and three days later Scholastica died and Benedict saw her soul going up to heaven in the form of a dove. Here we see the power of prayer of a good woman, and although Benedict appeared peeved, he gave way to his sister. Read the account on the front of the website as written by St. Gregory the Great, Pope and monk who sent St. Augustine to England in 597.

WORD OF LIFE

Truly I tell you, if two of you agree on earth about anything you ask, it will be done for you by my Father in heaven. For where two or three are gathered in my name, I am there among them. (Mt. 18:19-20)

This is one of the things Jesus said that most fill our hearts with joy. How many needs in life, how many good desires we don't know how to satisfy! Possibly you feel sure that only divine intervention, a grace from heaven, can gain what your whole being longs for. And now you hear words of amazing clarity and absolute certainty coming from Jesus' lips.

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14th Sunday of the Year (Year A) 2014

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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.

MASS TIMINGS

Saturday 5th July

6.00 (Vigil Mass) The Parish

Sunday 6th July 14th Sunday of the Year

9.30 Bond family intentions

11.00 E.B.C.

Monday 7th July

9.00 Margaret Sach

12.15 Anthony Ashton

Tuesday 8th July

8.00 John & Phyllis Neil

12.15 Requiem Mass for June Esme Pawlowski

Wednesday 9th July

9.00 Sr Josephine FMSJ Diamond Jubilee

12.15 Julie & Keith Mayor

Thursday 10th July

8.00 (Alverna) Sr Anne McCafferty FMSJ Diamond Jubilee

12.15 Martin Rose (M & K)

Friday 11th July *Our Holy Father St Benedict*

9.00 Maurice Grannell

12.15 Requiem Mass

for Veronica Newsome

Saturday 12th July

9.00 Sally Livesey

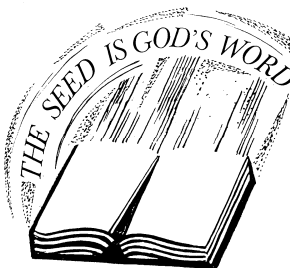
6.00 (Vigil Mass) E.B.C.

Sunday 13th July 15th Sunday of the Year

9.30 The Parish / June Pawlowski and

Veronica Newsome both recently dead

11.00 Fr Abbot's intentions



THE PARISH FAMILY

CONGRATULATIONS TO: Joshua Thistlethwaite and Louise Craven who were married recently

BY BAPTISM WE WELCOME: Rowan Anthony Whelan and Amelia-Rose Alty

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL OUR SICK: Jacob Privett (premature baby) Rita Bleasdale, Alison Gardner, Ann Hanlon (Dever), Peter Beatty, Brian Cottam, John Doyle, Margaret Miller, Anthony Wadeson, Derek Kedward, Marjorie Hart, Jim Philips, Joe Burgess, Eileen Whelan, Brian Keeping, Sr. Mary Feane, Marjorie Parr, Tracey Marie Simpson, David Drake, Anna Worsfold, Bill Waring, Kath Tomkin Margaret Watson, Brendan Agnew, Terry Donnelly, Janet Turner, Brian Greenman, Bernard Nuttall, Fr Theo, Bethany O'Reilly, Fran Butler, Virginia Stanton, Jim McKay, Tony Adamson, Kathleen Walsh, Dale Zaparowski, Simon Brown, Jackie Holly, Miller girls, **and connected with us:** Margaret Fox (Ireland), "Michael", Ann Evans, June Barker, Kay Campbell, Matilda Moffatt (4 years old), Graham Skeoch, Dave Wilson, Marie Barnish, Marie Purslow Penny Devaney, Maureen & Andrew Liddell, Iain Murray Kit Halliwell, Baby Isla Jones, Michael Morgan, Victor Hill, Sandra Harrison, Agnes Salisbury.

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL OUR DEPARTED: Especially those who died recently and the following whose anniversaries occur about this time: Annie Josephine Glynn, Margaret (Peggy) Berry, Chloe and Rachel Mulkern, Arthur Blackledge, Betty Melling, Walburga Hall, Ann Josephine Gibson, Mary Teresa Parker, Catherine Sheila Drake and Eileen Newman.

THIS WEEK Today: 14th Sunday of the Year

Archbishop's Pastoral Letter printed out for parishioners today.

Parish Pastoral Council initiative at all masses "A Way of Life". / *Cake Stall* today

Family Rota of Prayer: Kevin and Kate Jordan 5 Parkgate Drive

Monday: *Church Cleaning* 9 am 'B' team

Year 10's in the High School go to Ampleforth for a week: Pray for them and all pupils, staff and parents in our High School. Especially pray that our students waiting for public exam results amid all the difficulties of this last year may have done as well as possible

Tuesday: *S.V.P. meeting* 7.30 pm

Baptism Course 8 pm

Friday: *Divine Mercy prayers* 11.00am in the Adoration chapel; all welcome

NEXT SUNDAY: 15th Sunday of the Year **Sea Sunday**

Retiring Collection for Sea Sunday.

Parish Pastoral Council initiative continues today at all masses "A Way of Life".

Thank you to all who helped to make last Sunday's Golden Jubilee celebration such a moment of God's love and presence with our Primary Schools especially the teachers and the heads of the Primary Schools. It was a very happy and God-filled occasion of much joy.

Fairtrade Stall - Thank you to all those who have supported the monthly Fairtrade stall. I am currently unable to continue this project at the present time.

Angie Bolton.

Assisted Dying Bill - Please write to a member of the House of Lords

The Bill to legalise "assisted dying" - meaning assisted suicide - will be debated in the House of Lords on 18th July 2014. There will be a free vote because it is not government legislation. If passed, this Bill would place vulnerable people at serious risk. Especially if you have direct experience of caring for a dying person, either as a family member or as a health or social care professional, please write before 18th July to a Peer to tell them your views. For more information, including details of how to write to a Peer, please visit:

www.catholicchurch.org.uk/assisted-dying-bill IT IS VERY IMPORTANT TO WRITE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AND CERTAINLY BEFORE 18TH JULY.

Postal Address is: The House of Lords, London, SW1A 0PW We have a list of all the members of the House of Lords in alphabetical order in the Narthex. Choose your person or persons to whom to write.

Peers leading the opposition to the Bill are concerned about the number of 'Dignity in Dying' supporters writing to the House of Lords and are keen that Peers receive more countervailing letters.

The Manchester to Blackpool bike ride event 13th July 2014 next Sunday

We could do with another 4 to 6 people. The scheme helps to raise money for Mariapolis 2014...last year over £500 was raised. A person (or two) looks after a junction near Leyland (5 to 10 minutes from Church by car: Dunkirk Lane, etc.) from 07.45am to 13.15 and their work is paid. Please give it a thought as we hope to subsidise people to attend who cannot afford easily. Please contact Geoff Holmes on 01772 456744 or geoffholme@blueyonder.co.uk for details.

Unify Credit Union - A talk by Angela Fishwick CEO of the Unify Credit Union on Monday 21st July, 7.30 - 9 pm at Leyland United reformed Church. See poster. Please make use of the Credit Union for saving money (for Christmas?) or for a rainy day when you may need money but without the heavy interest rates of some money lenders. Tuesdays: 2-3pm in Quinn Street at the side of the URC Church.