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Where there is no love be the one to put it there.

WELCOME TO NEW PARISHIONERS / VISITORS

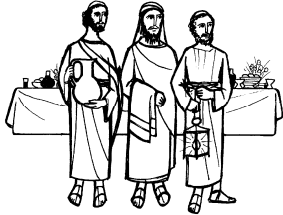
Please fill in our new Record Form, or if you move house within the parish please amend a new form.

Saturday 7th August

6.00 (Vigil Mass) The Parish / Michael Parkinson (recently dead)

Sunday 8th August 19th Sunday of the Year

9.30 E.B.C. / Mills family intention
11.00 Fr Abbot's intentions / William Hunt, (recently dead)



Monday 9th August St Teresa Benedicta of the Cross

9.00 Lily Williams
12.15 Mary McDonald

Tuesday 10th August St Laurence - Rome's most famous post-apostolic martyr. With St Stephen, he is the patron saint of Deacons.

8.00 NO MASS
12.15 Winifred & George Henry



Wednesday 11th August St Clare of Assisi

9.00 NO MASS
12.15 Michael Parkinson



Thursday 12th August

8.00 (Alverna) NO MASS
12.15 Jim Jones

Friday 13th August

9.00 Doris Warren (VHVPR)
12.15 NO MASS – Service of Communion and Word
1.00 Nuptial Mass – Brian Cullen and Jenny McGrath

Saturday 14th August St Maximilian Mary Kolbe

9.00 Gerry Naylor
6.00 (Vigil Mass) E.B.C.

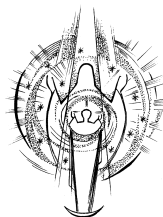
Sunday 15th August Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

9.30 The Parish
11.00 Jenny and Brian Cullen

Confessions Saturday 9.30 - 10.00 a.m. (or when they end) and 5.00 - 6.00 p.m. Also Confessions at any time. Ring for a mutually convenient time with one of the priests.

Last Sunday: **Offertory Loose Plate £599.85**
£424.70 Many thanks!

Gift Aid



For Gift Aid contact Gerry Brown 431002/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.

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SUNDAY 19th of the Year P.55 or 61
Theme: Stay awake and stand ready, because you do not know the hour when the Son of Man is coming.

THE PARISH FAMILY CONGRATULATES:

Anthony Waidson and Kathleen Taylor recently married

BY BAPTISM WE WELCOME:

Sean Antony Benjamin Boylan and Olivia Rose



Campbell

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL OUR SICK

Barbara & Jim Stoney, Natasha Harrison, Andrew Barron, John Southworth, Winifred Parkinson, Mary Nuttall, John Kelly, Barbara Jakeimczuk, Norah Turner, Terry Donnelly, Steve Jones, Patricia Terasina Thompson, Mary Pemberton, Mary Magee, Mary Douglas, John Verner, Jim Derry, Tracey Anne Holly, Norah Platt, Joe Breen, Jenny Finch, Lee Derbyshire, Paul Hewitt, Jim McKay, Agnes Bennett, Lynn Hamer, Joe Copeman, Mark Clements, Dot Reynolds, Susan McCarthy, Walburga Hall, Gordon Cottle, Danny Bonner, Annie Kelly, Eve Hankin, Gerald Ralphs, Eileen Kenyon, Edith Rice, Alice Ogden, Graham Halstead, connected with us, May Watson, Simon Thompson, Harry Culshaw, Teresa O'Hanlon, Chad Macdonald, Andrew Liddell, Susan Davey, Eric Woof, and Frank Dever. *Long-term sick are prayed for each day at mass. Let us know those who you wish to pray for by Thursday of each week for either the bulletin and / or the long term sick.*

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL OUR DEPARTED: Especially those who died recently and the following whose anniversaries occur about this time: Wyn Jackson, Ian Pendlebury, Joseph Whittaker-Hall, Bernard Robinson, Edward Thomas D'Orey, Robert Ure and Maureen Turner.

Flowers on the Altar
are to celebrate the marriage of
Anthony Waidson & Kathleen Taylor



THIS WEEK Today: 19th Sunday of the Year
NO YOUTH GROUP

Family Rota of Prayer: Teresa Kealey, 16 Balshaw Road.

Monday: Church cleaning 9 am 'B' team

Tuesday: S.V.P. Abbot H Room 8 pm

Friday: Divine Mercy prayers 11.00 am in the Adoration Chapel. Everyone welcome.

NEXT SUNDAY: Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
NO YOUTH GROUP

500 CLUB CONGRATULATIONS!
£100 Winner J Coan Week 29 No. 151
Agent E Ellison
New members most welcome.

Fr. Jonathan writes from Slovenia There are 61 men from different Religious Orders here in a house run by the Vincentians and we are together because we have all been touched by the great gift of unity of the Focolare Movement. I am the only one from Britain: there is an Irish missionary who is working in Mexico, a Divine Word Missionary. Otherwise people come from South America, USA, all of Europe, Africa (Kenya and Sierra Leone) and Asia (Hong Kong and Philippines). There are some distinguished men with important jobs like Provincials or Novice Masters, and others, ordinary brothers more like myself. A few are Parish Priests. Our programme is a very positive one, to see what the good Lord himself among us (ref. Mt. 18: 20) would have us do to promote God's Kingdom in our Religious Families, in the Church and in the World. What has also struck me is the concern that these good men feel about Pope Benedict's visit to our country in September. They have all heard in their local newspapers that there is much opposition in Britain to the Pope's visit, and they are afraid Pope Benedict will have a hard time in England. This encourages me to write to you to do what the Pope and our Bishops ask for, to pray for this visit that it may bring about fruits of growing understanding and love among all the people in our country. I would add to pray that the forces of those who want to make it difficult for the Pope will become less strong. If these Religious from many different countries know the visit is a difficult one, the Pope himself might have the same feelings, and we can at least support him by praying. After all he is 83 years of age, and at that age all of us would probably find it quite hard work to undertake a programme like the one chosen for him. He puts himself out for us, and we can help him by our prayers.

Sister Pauline would like to thank the many friends and parishioners who attended her mother's Requiem Mass. Thank you also for the numerous Masses, sympathy cards and donations received in memory of Mary McDonald. Mass will be offered for your intentions.

Forthcoming Events

Please give blood - Tuesday 17th August between 2 - 4 pm and 5.30 - 7.30 pm at South Ribble Civic Centre. Please see poster on the Notice Board.

Lourdes Trip 2012 - there will be a meeting on Thursday 19th August at 7.30 pm in the Priory Library for anyone who is interested. Deposits will be required.



CaL Mc CARTHY is arranging a school reunion for St Mary's High School, Leyland for leavers of 1981. The Reunion will take place at the Railway Pub on the 27th August 2010 Friday at 7.30pm RSVP to calmccarthy1@mac.com or ring 07949501755

Annual Pilgrimage to The Holy Hand of St Edmund

Arrowsmith on Sunday 29th August. See poster on the Notice Board.

Fr Stephen's retreat at Caldey Abbey, Tenby, South Wales is from 11 - 14 September. It is the third of his Benedictine retreats in 2010. There are still places left and he may have 2 spare seats in his car. If you would like to join him, pick up an application form in the Narthex or contact him on 01772 455955

Nugent Care charity golf day with host, Liverpool legend, Phil Thompson on 30th September. Closing date for entries is 20th August. See poster on the Notice Board for more details.

Garden Party 26th September - wanted good quality jewellery, bottles for the tombola, unwanted gifts. **NO JUMBLE PLEASE.** These are the only things we want at this time. Thank you. There is a list in the Narthex for volunteers to sign up. If you have helped before please state which stall by your name. If you are a new volunteer we will allocate you were the greatest need is.

Loyola Hall Jesuit Spirituality Centre - there will be a non-residential Spiritual Accompaniment Course beginning on 4th October. Fr Stephen is thinking of going on this course. If anyone would like a lift please let him know. See poster on the Notice Board for more details.

Climate Change lobby on Wednesday 20th October, 11 am, Methodist Central Hall, London. See poster on the Notice Board for more details.

St Joseph's Hospice (Jospice) is organising a 6 mile scenic walk along the 'Tolkien Trail' on Saturday 9th October to raise much needed funds for the hospice and clinics that they run in Honduras. Names of anyone wishing to take part must be given to Fr Jonathan by 27th August. More details of the walk and the work of Jospice are on the Notice Board.

Vocation Discernment Group 'Here I am Lord' - Our monthly discernment meeting for those considering a vocation to the Priesthood and Religious Life will resume on Friday 24th September 2010 at St Bede's Presbytery, Appleton Village, Widnes, WA8 6EL. Archbishop Kelly will be joining us this month. The meeting will begin with the celebration of Mass, followed by a talk or discussion, a meal and concludes with Night Prayer. For more information please contact Fr. James Preston on 0151 424 2738.

Lourdes one day pilgrimage

for the Feast of the Immaculate Conception on Wed 8th Dec. By air from Manchester £239. See poster on the Notice Board



for more details.

WORD OF LIFE

And blessed is she who believed that there would be a fulfilment of what was spoken to her by the Lord. (Luke 1:45)

These words belong to an event that is simple and sublime at the same time: it is the meeting between two expectant mothers whose spiritual and physical harmony with their children is total. They speak for them and express their feelings. When Mary speaks, Elizabeth's child leaps with joy in her womb. When Elizabeth speaks, it seems that her words are put on her lips by John the Baptist. But while the first words of Elizabeth's hymn to Mary are directed personally to the mother of the Lord, her final words are said in the third person: 'Blessed is she who believed.' So Elizabeth's affirmation takes on the character of universal truth: the beatitude applies to all believers. It concerns those who accept the word of God and who put into practice and who find in Mary their ideal model.

Copies of this word of life are available from the top of the cupboard by the Piety shop window in church.