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Mass is on page 66 in the parish mass book

WELCOME TO NEW PARISHIONERS / VISITORS

If you are new to the parish or have moved house within the parish please ask a collector for a Record Form, complete it and return it to the collector

THIS WEEKEND		21st SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME		Year C
DATE		MASS INTENTIONS		MEETINGS / EVENTS
Saturday 24th August	6pm	The Parish/Valerie Spencer recently deceased		Please pray for Cathal Treacy and Lisa Smith married at St Joseph's Church Galway City today.
Sunday 25th August	10am	Walmsley Family Intention		No Youth group Family Rota of Prayer Connolly Family Crosslands Wigan Rd
Monday 26th August	10am	Maurice and Kathleen Grannell RIP		Church Cleaning 9am 'B' team
Tuesday 27th August (St Monica)	9am 12.15	No Mass Dave Turner Anniversary		
Wednesday 28th August (St Augustine of Hippo)	9am 12.15pm	Betty Fisher Anniversary No Mass		
Thursday 29th August (The Passion of John the Baptist)	8.00 12.15	(Alverna)No Mass Jim Doherty RIP (In Ireland)		
Friday 30th August	9am 12.15pm	No Mass Catherine Minshull 90th Birthday		

NEXT WEEKEND		22nd SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME		Year C
Date		MASS INTENTIONS		MEETINGS / EVENTS / ADDITIONS
Saturday 31st August	9am 9.30 till ends 5-5:45pm 6.00 pm	Slawomir Przyjemski Anniversary Confessions will be in the Cry chapel. Confessions will be in the Cry chapel. The Parish		
Sunday 1st September	10am	Geoff & Eileen Craven Diamond Wedding Anniversary		No Youth group Family Rota of Prayer Helme Family 8 Windsor Rd

Confessions are available at any time. Ring to arrange
Adoration in church, St Joseph's Chapel You are welcome to pop in any time

Last Sunday: **Offertory Loose Plate £413.90** **Gift Aid £482.97**
 or Gift Aid contact John Baggaley 432683 **Many thanks**

Week 33 500 CLUB Winner 11 K Flanagan **Agent** L Raven

COMMUNION FOR THE SICK The Congregation says:

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



Rosary for the Unborn The Knights of St Columba and SPUC pray the rosary
Intention for August - For the Church that its witness for life touches the hearts of people



THE PARISH By Baptism we welcome : Ethan William Michael Moss and Isaac David Francis Moss.

PLEASE PRAY FOR Janice Wardley, Chris Macro, Matthew Hale, Pamela Ball, Gabriel Beirne, Brian Reed, Glenda Kelly, Anne George, Bernie Wilson, Gaynor Hilliard, Patricia Hayes, Brian Cowdall, Bessie Beardsworth, Harry Embery, Geordie Adams, Paul Falcone, Carol Wright, Joe Mullin, Tony Kerrigan, Rosalia Lakot (Fr Leonsyo Akena's mother) Monica Maguire, Bernadette Clarke, Colin Bennett, Frank King, Vanda Brown, Pat McMahon, Bernadette Thompson, Matthew Cox, Tony Loftus, Eileen Standidge, Pat Clensey, Maurice Green, Margaret Evans, Allen Withnell, Carol Parkinson, Marjorie Parr, Margaret Booth, Rebecca Coates, Vi Gardner, Joan Sullivan, Pauline Robinson, Philip Watson, Derek Taylor, Catherine Breen, , Eileen Hilliard, Peter Beatty, and connected with us, Shaun Shaw, Anne Sprowall, Ann Davis, Lily Burrows, Elaine Brown, Malcolm Wright, Chris Berry, Alison Gardner, Kevin Barnes, and for all sick people known to parishioners and connected with us, Jean Fow.

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL OUR DEPARTED and those following whose anniversaries occur at this time, Ann Shaw, Margaret Winifred Benson, Margaret Mary Crichton, and Marie Josephine Eccles.

NOTICES

New Readers Rota - for Sunday 10am mass now ready for collection from the readers pigeon hole. Many thanks

Blessed Sacrament Chapel - Work in the Blessed Sacrament continues approximately until 18th September. Mass will be in the library each day

Welcome Notice - Welcome to the New Minister at Leyland Methodist Church on 29th August at 7pm at Leyland Methodist Church. All Parishioners are invited. See poster in Narthex for more details.

Lancashire Lifesavers - Free Course - Tuesday 12th November 6pm - 8pm St Marys Priory House. Please see poster in Narthex for more details.

New Bereavement Training Course - at LACE on 16th October please see poster in Narthex.

Bidding Prayer Rota - due to illness, some bidding prayer writers have had to retire. If you would like to join the small group to write the bidding prayers for weekend masses and Feast days please contact Teresa Smith on 452745.

'Red' Mission Box Collection - Due to ill health there is a vacancy for a 'Red' box collector. Collections twice a year, March and September and delivery of calendars in December. If you are interested in helping please contact Teresa Smith on 452745. Many thanks.

If anyone has lost a Rosary please see Lesley

A date for your diary Come and See Conference 12 & 13th October in Southport. More details nearer the time.

LEYLAND ST MARYS YOUTH GROUP We have decided that, with so many young people away on their family holidays during August, that it would be a good idea to close until the schools resume for the Autumn Term. We plan to have a **Youth Group 'Party Night'** to re-start the group on Sunday 8th September, when we hope to attract quite a few of the new Year 7 students from St Mary's High School. From 7pm until 9pm we will be having games in the gardens and a BBQ. Staff will also take the opportunity to discuss the programme and activities/events to be organised in the future months.

If you are High School age come down, or you have family in that age bracket, encourage them to attend that night. It will be great fun! The event will be FREE to all young people attending. See you there!

Further details from Steve McBride on 07580496292

Safeguarding A card is available for anyone who would like one giving Ampleforth's latest statement about Safeguarding. Copies are available in the Narthex.

WORD OF LIFE For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also. (Luke 12: 34)

Marisa and Agostino, who have been married for thirty-four years, told us their experience, 'After eight years of marriage, everything was going well for us: the house and our jobs were just as we wanted them. But then we were asked whether we could move from Italy to a Latin American country, to support a young Christian community. Among the thousands of different voices we heard within that expressed concern about an unknown future and the comments of people who told us we were crazy, both of us were aware of one voice in particular that gave us a great peace. It was Jesus who was saying, "Come, follow me." So we did. We found ourselves in a completely different environment from what we were used to. Although we had much less than we had before, we felt that we received many other things in exchange, such as wonderful relationships with many people.

The experience of God's providence was also very strong. One evening we had organized a small party and each family was going to bring typical dishes for the meal. We had just returned from Italy with a big piece of Parmesan cheese. We felt torn between wanting to share a part of it with the other families and the thought that there would be little left for us, but we remembered Jesus' words, "Give, and it will be given to you." (Lk 6:38). We looked at each other and said: we've left our country, our jobs and our relatives, and now we are attaching ourselves to a piece of cheese! So we cut a lump of cheese and took it with us. Two days later the doorbell rang; it was a tourist that we didn't know, a friend of some friends of ours, and he gave us a package from them. We opened it and found a big piece of Parmesan cheese. Jesus' promise, "...a good measure, pressed down, shaken together, running over, will be put into your lap" is really true.'

^[1] C. Lubich, *Word of Life* September 2004.

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