



New Church 1964 – 2014
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WELCOME TO NEW PARISHIONERS / VISITORS

*If you are new to the parish or have moved to a new house within the parish
please contact the church by phone or email*

THIS WEEKEND	5th SUNDAY OF EASTER	Year A
DATE		MASS INTENTIONS
Saturday 9 th May	Mass streamed 10.00	Fr Jonathan's intentions / EBC
Sunday 10 th May	Mass streamed 10.00	The Parish / Grandsons 4 th birthday / Peter Boggan recently died
Monday 11 th May (Ss Odo, Maieul, Odilo, Hugh & Bl Peter the Venerable)	Mass streamed 10.00	Kathleen Wood 20 th anniversary / Monica Cox's intentions
Tuesday 12 th May	Mass streamed 10.00 3.30pm Cremation service	Frank Kellet RIP / Terence Donnelly anniv Mary Harrison at Charnock Richard
Wednesday 13 th May (Feast of Dedication of Liverpool Cathedral of Christ the King)	Mass streamed 10.00 3.30pm graveside service	Joan Fowler (AEP) Pat Leach at St Mary's churchyard
Thursday 14 th May (St Matthias)	Mass streamed 12.00	Joe Kealey (Prayer group)
Friday 15 th May	Mass streamed 10.00 3 pm graveside service	Dunstan Watson birthday remembrance Colin Armer at St Mary's churchyard
NEXT WEEKEND	6th SUNDAY OF EASTER	Year A
Date		MASS INTENTIONS
Saturday 16 th May (St Pachomius)	Mass streamed 10.00	Janice Wardley RIP Wedding anniversary / Mary Harrison recently died
Sunday 17 th May	Mass streamed 10.00	The Parish / EBC / Pat Leach and Colin Armer recently died

Confessions – if desperate please contact us; otherwise make a perfect act of contrition.

Last Sunday: Offertory Loose plate £50 Gift Aid £293 Many thanks.
For Gift Aid contact John Baggaley 432683

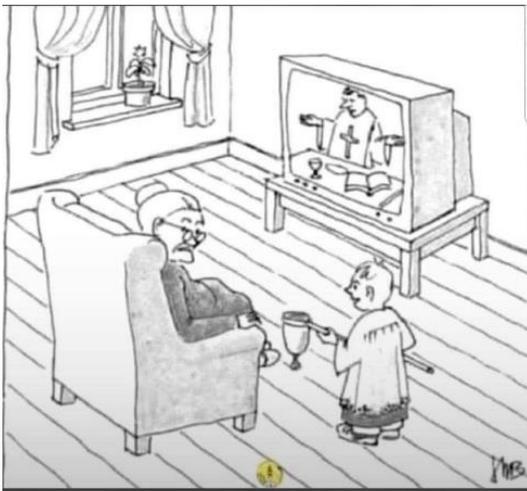
PLEASE PRAY FOR St Kevina FMSJ, Allen Withnell, Faith Higham, Keith Croasdale, Richard Daniels, Josette Bradbury, Gordon Moore, Dorothy Knight, Geordie Adams, Olivia Catterall, Fr. Cassian, Chris Macro, Pamela Ball, Brian Reed, Glenda Kelly, Anne George, Bernie Wilson, Gaynor Hilliard, Patricia Hayes, Harry Embery, Tony Kerrigan, Bernadette Clarke, Colin Bennett, Frank King, Vanda Brown, Pat McMahon, Bernadette Thompson, Matthew Cox, Tony Loftus, Eileen Standing, Pat Clensey, Maurice Green, Margaret Evans, Carol Parkinson, Marjorie Parr, Margaret Booth, Rebecca Coates, Joan Sullivan, Derek Taylor, Catherine Breen, Eileen Hilliard, Peter Beatty. Connected with us, Jim W, Joe Busby, Margaret Dixon, Shaun Shaw, Lily Burrows, Elaine Brown, Malcolm Wright, Kevin Barnes, and for all sick people, especially from the covid-19 pandemic.

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL THE DEPARTED: Colin Armer, Joyce Elder, and for the following whose anniversaries occur currently Lydia Key, Michael Sheridan, Jackson Aidan Bullock, George Hughes, Michael Delaney, Gerard Brown, Abigail Brown, Eddie Purcell, Derek James Bagley and Louise McNulty. Let us pray for all who died recently in violence, poverty or war: and those dying from the Coronavirus and other diseases and all the bereaved.

Archbishop Malcolm is praying this prayer every day. He asks us to say it ourselves: God Our Father, each person is precious to You. You are the Giver of life. Have mercy on us and protect us at this time, as the coronavirus threatens health and life. You are an ever-present Helper in time of trouble. Watch over those who are suffering, give strength to those who are aiding the sick and give courage to all in this time of anxiety. We ask this of you in the name of your Son. Jesus Christ. Amen.

Parish bulletin if you struggle with the parish website and would like the bulletin emailed instead please email Teresa Smith teresaannsmith@blueyonder.co.uk who will send you a copy of the current parish bulletin

The SVP also needs help: contact Martin Smith on 01772 452745 if you wish to help. Thanks for help received.



Granny watching mass on tv & grandson taking collection 🤔

The Parish: Donations to support the parish are most helpful: to donate by internet banking contact Lesley 455955 or John Baggaley 432683. Thanks to those who have supported us to far.

Daily Bidding prayers and private intentions If you would like to contribute to daily mass through the bidding prayers please send prayers to Teresa Smith at teresaannsmith@blueyonder.co.uk or on 01772 452745, who will collate them and send them to Fr Jonathan. If you have an intention that you do not wish to be publicised in the bulletin please forward these to Fr Jonathan jonathancotton43@gmail.com for inclusion in daily masses.

A Spiritual Communion Prayer. *My Jesus, I believe that you are present in the most Holy Eucharist. I love you above all things, and I long to receive you. Since I cannot now receive you sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart and my life. I embrace you as if you were already there, and unite myself wholly to you, Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.* You can make such a prayer often during the day, not just once. It is the prayer we make at mass from the chapel in our Priory House each morning at 10.00

(in the main at 10.00 am. but check on the bulletin) for all who are receiving Spiritual Communion.

Ampleforth Abbey has started a new initiative: Every Saturday at 11.00 am a short retreat: there will be a **10-15-minute reflection**, given every Saturday morning at 11am by various members of the monastic community. Each reflection will conclude with a series of suggestions for activities and further reflection throughout the day, wherever you are. We hope you will then join us at **8:15pm to pray Compline together.** Go to this website: <https://www.ampleforth.org.uk/abbey/news/home-retreats-every-saturday-1100am>

The Archdiocese has produced beautiful prayers and helps for the 5th Sunday of Easter Click on this link to see them: <https://www.liverpoolcatholicresources.com/> Apart from a way of praying and help with the liturgy of the 5th Sunday, there are other resources that you can down load that are related to the lockdown situation we are in.

- **Pastoral care includes:** Prayer resources for the Eucharistic Ministers (speaking over the phone to those they used to give Holy Communion to); A service for those unable to attend a funeral; Prayers and activities to help those with mental health problems; Different kinds of help for those with Dementia; Help with those who are bereaved; Support for those suffering Domestic Abuse.
- **Family life includes:** Christian home making; how to communicate to children about Covid-19; Children's books; Family prayer ideas.
- **Sustaining Prayer Life includes:** The Resurrection Appearances; Sustaining Faith in difficult times; The Word of God.
- **Other resources:** look up yourself for good ideas.

Mary's meals update with video link "The coronavirus pandemic is causing challenges for us all, and we are very sorry that we cannot visit your church at this time to share the Mary's Meals story. Until we can be together again, our founder, Magnus MacFarlane-Barrow, has recorded a special message for your parishioners. You can find his message, filmed outside the shed in Argyll where it all began for Mary's Meals, here: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=h9e_zhu98HY&feature=youtu.be We hope you will help to spread the word about our beautiful mission.

Our Way of Life I am the Way, the Truth and the Life says Jesus.

A Reflection Jesus also wants Peace and Unity. Pray for Peace every day at TimeOut; this is organised by Youth for a United World, and be sure you will be praying with thousands of people each day

WORD OF LIFE *You have already been cleansed by the word I have spoken to you (Jn 15:3).*

After the Last Supper with the apostles, Jesus left the Upper Room and walked towards the Mount of Olives. The Eleven were with him: Judas Iscariot had already gone away and was soon to betray Jesus. It was a solemn and dramatic moment. During the supper, Jesus had given a long farewell speech because he had wanted to say important things to his closest followers and deliver words not to be forgotten. His apostles were Jews who knew the Scriptures and Jesus had reminded them of the very familiar image of the vine. In the sacred texts, this represents the Jewish people who were the object of God's care. In fact, God is an attentive and expert farmer. Now it is Jesus who speaks of himself as the vine that transmits the lifeblood of the Father's love to his disciples. They must, therefore, focus above all on remaining united to him.

Find the full text of the Word of Life on the website under the bulletin tag