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LEyland St Mary's RC Church 2020

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

The Church is open 4 times a week. Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Sundays **at 10.00** Saturday night **at 18.00**
See below: **All services are streamed. Avoid the front rows not to be on the camera**

THIS WEEKEND	11TH SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME	Year B
Flowers on the altar this weekend are in memory of Fr Ambrose		
Saturday 12 th June (Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary)	10.00 Novena 18.00 Novena	Anne George RIP / Allan & Jean Ribchester RIP In thanksgiving for Baby Harriette Gardner going home. Thanks for everyone's prayers and the amazing work of the NHS / EBC <i>For each parishioner to have a personal relationship with Jesus</i>
Sunday 13 th June	10.00 Novena	The Parish / Anthony Cave's intentions <i>For parishioners to be so united that Jesus is in our midst.</i>
Monday 14 th June	NO MASS Novena <i>For all those who are lapsed or have forgotten God completely</i>	
Tuesday 15 th June	10.00 Novena	Fr Ambrose 10th anniversary RIP (T&MS) / James Jordan RIP <i>For all to start again when they fail God and others.</i>
Wednesday 16 th June	12.00 Novena	Requiem Mass for Vanda Brown <i>For all families in our parish and in the Archdiocese</i>
Thursday 17 th June	10.00 Novena	Catherine Blore / Luke Wareing RIP <i>For young people and young families to grow in their faith.</i>
Friday 18 th June (St John Rigby)	10.00 Novena	Paid Carty / Anne George RIP <i>For God to give us good lay, priestly & religious vocations</i>
NEXT WEEKEND 12TH SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME Year B (2nd Collection this weekend in aid of 'Day for Life')		
Saturday 19 th June (St Romuald)	10.00 Novena 18.00 Novena	Domenica de Palma / John & Mary Turner (Catholic Marriage Care) The Parish / Special intention <i>For our schools to be places where Jesus is alive</i>
Sunday 20 th June	10.00 Novena	EBC / For Family and Friends (HA) / Vanda Brown died recently. <i>For all other Christians, all others who believe in God, all of good will who do not believe in God to work together for the common good. Continue in your own way.</i>

Confessions Ring to make an appointment if necessary for a time to celebrate the sacrament.

Last Sunday: Offertory loose plate £293.94 Envelopes £298 Thank You for those who support us with money at Church or gifts, & those giving through Gift Aid. Contact John Baggaley 432683 for Gift Aid.

Donations to the Parish Go to <https://donate.liverpoolcatholic.org.uk/st-mary-leyland> Thank you.

Week 23 500 CLUB - Congratulations! to M Wilson Winner (No 29) **Agent:** M McNulty
If you would like to become a member or have another number please contact E Ellison 422544

Preparation for Parishioners for the Synod The Synod will happen on 19 June 6 days from this Sunday. Please hand in your priorities as soon as possible.

PLEASE pray for all the departed: for Vanda Brown and all who have died including the following whose anniversaries occur at this time: Jean Edith Moss, James McKay, Hilda Gallagher, Bishop Ambrose Griffiths, Gertrude Evelyn swarbrick, Daron Lee Salmons, Lionel Francis Edwards, Lawrence Wilson, Tess Edmundson, Harry Embery, Ethel Cecilia Stevenson, Noreen Clitheroe, and Margery Harrington. Let us pray for all suffering in violence, poverty, war: those dying from the Coronavirus or other diseases.

PLEASE pray for: Evelyn Berry, Ron Boardman, Kathryn Boulton, Josephine Davies, Brian Smith, Maggie Halliwell, Baby Harriette Gardner, Madeleine Jones, Maureen Dignon, George Purse, Pauline Agnew, Tom Dacosta, Brian Reed, Fr Cassian Dickie OSB, Bernadette Clarke, Tony Clarke, Michael Beardsworth, Bob Howden, Marionette Holland, Margaret Anthony, Elspeth Duckworth, Colin Bennett, Catherine Minshall, Allen Withnell, Faith Higham, Keith Croasdale, Eileen Hilliard, Josette Bradbury, Dorothy Knight, Geordie Adams, Olivia Catterall, Glenda Kelly, Bernie Wilson, Gaynor Hilliard, Pat McMahan, Matthew Cox, Tony Loftus, Eileen Standing, Maurice Green, Carol Parkinson, Marjorie and Harry Parr, Margaret Booth, Joan Sullivan, Peter Beatty. We pray for all connected with us especially Esther Pope and all in need.

The NHS, Social Care and Frontline Services Day 2021 Monday 5 July 10 – 11.00am in the South Ribble Borough offices. This national day will be celebrated with our South Ribble Borough Council flying the specially commissioned flag and a short ceremony. We have treasured the NHS since 5 July 1948 and ever since, never more so since March 2020 when the Coronavirus pandemic gripped the UK and utterly changed our lives. We were suddenly at war with a ruthless, invisible enemy and on the front line were our NHS doctors, nurses and paramedics, plus platoons of critical workers keep our shops open and stocked, our streets safe and our essential services (especially Nursing homes and the like) running.

This is the chance to show our gratitude to all NHS and front-line staff with an annual day of thanks, and remembrance of those who lost their lives because of this dreadful disease. (In the UK 850 NHS workers alone so far have given their lives in this cause). This day will be the first NHS, Social Care and Frontline Workers' Day to take place. It is also a day when there will be a series of events to involve every aspect of our society to raise money for two excellent causes – NHS Charities Together, which supports 250 hospitals and their charitable trusts, and the National Care Association, representing 1.6 million workers caring for some of society's frailest citizens. They suggest if families, schools, businesses gave £5 it would be a great deal of money that could be used for the common good of those who are on the front line.

The Revd David Whitehouse and Fr Jonathan (St Andrew's and St Mary's are the two nearest places of worship to SRBC) have been asked to say a prayer each for this occasion. We have agreed that the prayers will be inclusive, representing CT in South Ribble as CTL is linked to all Churches together, and so to all Christians; to all those of other faiths who believe in God, to all those who have no belief in God, and to all especially of Good Will. All these different groups are represented in South Ribble and in the NHS, and some from all groups will have given their lives working in the NHS or as other Carers or in essential services.

Daring to Care This last week before the Synod we would like to thank the many people who have dared to spend time helping the Church discern what is the Church that we are meant to be in the Archdiocese. It is much appreciated.

We will this week as a parish spend the next 9 days, Friday 11 to Sunday 20 June to have our own novena for the Church in the Archdiocese and the Church in St Mary's Leyland. Please also include the Church in Ampleforth Abbey as well. ***The Novena begins praying for the Archdiocese to be renewed.***

The Church is not complicated, because it is the place where Jesus lives. It is different to every other institution, because where Jesus lives is the whole Church. Therefore, each little Church is the whole Church; and the whole Church needs each little Church as much as each little Church needs the whole Church. A Christian family is a Church! That is why we say in our prayer for the Synod: *"We thank you for the gift of the Church, through which you show us that you are always with us and always at work in our lives."*

On the front page you will see what Fr Jonathan as the centre of unity of this local Church would suggest we pray for as he thinks about the present and future of our Parish within our Archdiocese.

People can pray in their own way and make some sacrifices doing so. For instance, a greater effort to love our neighbours, to come to a mass in the week; to say an extra decade of the rosary; to pray for 10 minutes using scripture, to be self-giving to somebody we find a human nuisance. Let our spirit be that we are united with each other in these prayers and sacrifices. May the Synod be another experience of Pentecost in our Archdiocese, our parish and our monastery for the good of the whole Church and World.

Available for those who wish are the 19 recommendations printed to be voted for on Saturday 19 June

St John Rigby's feast day is this Friday. He was a layman born at Harrock Hall on the edge of Parbold and Mawdesley and one of at least 6 other brothers and some more sisters. He was cruelly hung, drawn and quartered at the young age of 30 for his faith. May he pray for us just before the Synod day.

Word of Life **Not everyone who says to me, 'Lord, Lord', will enter the kingdom of heaven, but only the one who does the will of my Father who is in heaven.**

Chiara Lubich shared her discovery in this way:... *"God's will is God's voice that continually speaks to us, inviting us. It is a thread, or rather, a divine golden filament that weaves through all our earthly life and beyond. It is God's way of expressing his love, a love that asks for a response so that he can accomplish his wonders in our lives. God's will is what we should be, our true being, our fulfilment... Let us always repeat, 'Let it be done' before every painful, joyful or indifferent will of God... We will discover that these four simple words will be a powerful impetus, like a launch pad, to do whatever we must do with love, with perfection and with total dedication...Moment by moment, we will compose the marvellous, unique and unrepeatable mosaic of our life that the Lord has always thought of for each of us. Just as the tiny and multicoloured flowers have their meaning within the boundless beauty of nature, so even the smallest thing, like an act of love, has meaning and shines forth in the beauty and immensity of God."*

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