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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 **6** times a week. Tuesdays, **Wednesday**, Thursday, **Friday**, and Sundays **at 10.00** Saturday night **at 18.00**

We are hoping that keeping the social distancing and wearing masks we can open the Church for every mass
See below: **All services are streamed. Avoid the front rows not to be on the camera**

THIS WEEKEND 23RD SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME Year B

St Mary's Community Centre. Parishioners have worked hard to refurbish the old Priory club. At each mass there will be an explanation about the new Community Centre and an invitation to visit it after each mass. We will bless the new centre after Mass at 10.00 on Sunday. You are all welcome to come and see.

Saturday 4 th September (St Cuthbert)	10.00	45th wedding anniversary of Phil & Carmel Pearman / 50th wedding anniversary of Madeleine & Tony Jones
	18.00	Health & wellbeing of Withnell family & friends (DW) / EBC
Sunday 5 th September	10.00	The Parish / Hogan family intentions.
Monday 6 th September (Dedication of the Church)	10.00	NO MASS
Tuesday 7 th September	10.00	Knowles & Bilsborrow family / Michael Devlin (successful op)
Wednesday 8 th September (Nativity of Blessed Virgin Mary)	10.00	Siobhan Mannion / Bert Hurford
Thursday 9 th September	10.00	Eileen Harrison RIP / Mike Fitzpatrick RIP
Friday 10 th September (St Ambrose Barlow)	10.00	Jim Hilliard RIP & all relatives & friends RIP / Bernard Rigby RIP
NEXT WEEKEND 24TH SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME Year B		
Saturday 11 th September Education Day. <i>Retiring collection.</i>	10.00	Liam Linden anniversary / Peter Day RIP (PC)
	18.00	Very Special intention / The Parish
Sunday 12 th September	10.00	English Benedictine Congregation

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

Last Sunday: Offertory loose plate £484.05. Envelopes £678 (2weeks). Thank You for those who support us in so many ways. Contact John Baggaley 432683 for Gift Aid.

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

Week 35 500 CLUB - Congratulations! to J Eastham Winner (No 159) Agent: J Purse
If you would like to become a member or have another number please contact E Ellison 422544

We Welcome to the Parish by Baptism Beau Bridget Freeman

PLEASE pray for all the departed: For Fr James Leachman osb (Ealing Abbey) and connected with us, Deacon James Armstrong, and Peter Day, and all who have died including the following with anniversaries at this time: Mary Edna Glading, Gaye Beirne, Joan Hookens, Emily teresa Glover, May Almond, William Godfrey Huntington, Pauline Loftus, Agnes Schultz and John Francis Kelly . We pray for all dying from the Coronavirus or violence and poverty. We pray especially for those who are dying in countries under tension like Myanmar, Afghanistan, Tigray and Western Cameroon.

PLEASE pray for: Mike (Shaun) Devlin, Teresa Tugwell, Martina Louise Crompton, Terry Howarth, Joe McAleer, Kathryn Boulton, Josephine Davies, Maureen Dignon, Tom Dacosta, Doris Reed, Brian Reed, Fr Cassian Dickie osb. We pray for all connected with us especially Michael McLaughlin, and all in need.

Long term sick list Those names no longer on the bulletin are not forgotten, each person is on the long term sick list which is on both altars and is prayed for daily.

Advance notice for Parish Remembrance Services in November Sunday 7th November for the Parish Bereaved Mass at 10.00 am and Tuesday 16th November at 7 pm for the Photographic service. Civic Remembrance Service here at St Mary's Sunday 14th of November

Congratulations to the new Bishop of Plestia and Auxiliary Bishop of Liverpool. On Friday 3 September. Archbishop Malcom McMahon ordained Bishop Tom Neylon. We welcomed Apostolic Nuncio, the Pope's representative in GB, Archbishop Claudio Gugerotti, Cardinal Vincent Nichols, Bishops from England and Wales as well as priests and parishioners from other dioceses and the archdiocese. Ordination cards are available this weekend to celebrate this special occasion for all in the Archdiocese. Visit www.flickr.com/liverpoolcatholic to see photographs of the ordination, and there will be an ordination special in September's edition of the Catholic Pic. It was a wonderful experience of the Church locally in the Archdiocese with the Church Universal all over the world rejoicing at what had happened in Liverpool on Friday last. Many people were visibly touched especially by the words of Bishop Paul Swarbrick who preached, and the Apostolic Nuncio who spoke. Archbishop Claudio Gugerotti pointed out that Pope Francis was present in him as his ambassador and so the whole Church was there rejoicing with us.

A Memorial Event will be held here at St Mary's on Tuesday 12th October 2021 at 7.00pm Harveys Funeral Directors invite you to join them for a 'Service of Remembrance' for all those who have passed away during the recent Covid 19 pandemic. The service will be led by a number of different faith ministers, priests and local celebrants, with a variety of songs, hymns, poems and prayers to remember those who have passed away. There will be a slide show of the names of those who have passed away during the pandemic. Bring photos along; place them on our memorial collage (all photos can be taken home after the service).

Magnificat is a monthly booklet with the mass on each day & other reflections and prayers. You can get a digital copy free during the month of September. Visit the poster on the bulletin tag Parish Website months.

Daring to Care Pope Francis has dared us to care by praying and fasting. the traditional way for Christians to implore God for help in desperate circumstances, as Afghanis & others are in grave danger in Afghanistan.

CAFOD Day of Action focussing on the Climate Crisis 11th September is part of 'Great Big Green Week' ahead of the Cop 26 meeting in Glasgow (October 31 to November 12), see the poster in the narthex. CAFOD have a petition for the Prime Minister to make sure communities hardest hit by the climate emergency are listened to at COP26, please sign online cafod.org.uk/reclaim

The Season of Creation: (From September 1st to October 4th) is to promote the protection of our common home, as Pope Francis calls the earth. <https://www.facebook.com/leylandstmaryschurch/> is our parish Facebook page with the title also in Facebook of [LEyland St Marys RC Church 2020](#). In this period of time till the 4 October we will be using our Parish Facebook page with daily messages about this Season of Creation; ideas about how we can do something ourselves, cutting our energy consumption, eating less meat, walking or cycling instead of the car when possible:

.... human life is grounded in three fundamental and closely intertwined relationships: with God, with our neighbour and with the earth itself. these three vital relationships have been broken, both outwardly and within us. This rupture is sin. The harmony between the Creator, humanity and creation as a whole was disrupted by our presuming to take the place of God and refusing to acknowledge our creaturely limitations. Laudato Si' 66

St Vincent de Paul (SVP) Awareness Month September is usually the month when the work of SVP is highlighted in parishes. This year '***the need is greater than ever***'. Government supports for those in need are being withdrawn, having been in place for the last 18 months. The added £20 Universal Credit ends in September, putting as many as half a million more people into poverty and protection against eviction for renters will be withdrawn. In addition refugees from Afghanistan are expected to be resettled in our area.

Do you know someone who needs help and support? If so please contact church on 455955 and leave a message, one of the parish St Vincent de Paul group will then get in touch. Would anyone like to know about the SVP and to become a member to dare to care for those on the margins in Leyland? Contact Church.

Word of Life Whoever wants to be first must be last of all and servant of all (Mk. 9:35). The disciples were having a lively discussion amongst themselves as they travelled with Jesus to Capernaum. However, when Jesus asked them what they were talking about, they did not dare answer him, perhaps because they were ashamed. The fact was they were trying to prove who among them was the greatest. Jesus had spoken several times about his mysterious appointment with suffering but for Peter and the others it was too difficult to understand and accept. In reality, it was only after the experience of Jesus' death and resurrection that they discovered who he really is: the Son of God who gives his life out of love. That is why, to help them truly be his disciples, Jesus sat down, called them to come close to him and revealed the true nature of "evangelical primacy": *The Word of Life is published on our St Mary's Website under the Bulletin tag.* For the video of the Word of Life Ctrl and Click on: [Word of Life September 2021 \(ENG\) Parola di Vita | Whoever wants to be first must be last of all... - YouTube](#)