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20th Sunday of the Year (Year C) P.58 or 64

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

Last Sunday: Offertory Loose Plate £468.64 Gift Aid £432.61
For Gift Aid contact John Baggaley 432683 **Many thanks!**

SENDING OUT OF EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS WITH HOLY COMMUNION FOR THE SICK

(After Holy communion of the Congregation) **The Congregation says:** May this sacrament unite them with Christ and his Church and give them consolation and peace.

Adoration in Church. St. Joseph's Adoration Chapel

Exposition is at any time that you can make it. We have the rota for watching and we hope it covers much of the week. You are welcome to pop in any time. -Contact the Priory for enquiries

500 CLUB' CONGRATULATIONS TO G Beirne!
£100 Winner Week 31 -No 75. Agent L Raven

MESSAGE FOR THE WEEK: We need to learn to listen to God. Perhaps we could set aside time to pray every day, spending time alone with God on a very regular basis. A sense of the presence of God becomes more and more difficult to recover once it is lost.

QUOTE OF THE WEEK: Live simply, expect little, give much

WORD OF LIFE

If you love those who love you, what credit is that to you? For even sinners love those who love them. (Luke 6:32)

Our heavenly Father does not love us because we are good or spiritually beautiful and so deserve his attention and kindness. On the contrary, by loving us, he himself creates in us the goodness and spiritual beauty and grace, making us his friends and his children. Another characteristic of the love of God the Father is its universality. God loves everyone without distinction. The measure of his love is to have no limit or measure. Besides, his love couldn't be free and creative if it weren't completely poured out wherever there is a need or a void to fill. This is why our heavenly Father also loves those children who are ungrateful, far from him or rebellious. Indeed, he feels particularly drawn to them.

Copies available from the cupboard by the Piety shop window or on our website

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.

MASS TIMINGS

Saturday 17th August

6.00 (Vigil Mass) In Thanksgiving / Teresa Stanton recently deceased.

Sunday 18th August 20th Sunday of the Year

9.30 The Parish / Fr Rupert Everest RIP /
11.00 E.B.C./Molly Dewhurst recently deceased.

Monday 19th August No 9.00am Mass.

12.15 Martin Rose

Tuesday 20th August St Bernard 9.00 Dominic Cullen (sick)

12.15 Requiem Mass for Robert Nuttall

Wednesday 21st August St Pius X 9.00 Teresa & Frederick Bray

11.00 Burial of ashes for Brenda Leonard

12.15 Requiem Mass Kevin Barrett

Thursday 22nd August The Queenship of Mary

8.00 Many blessings on the marriage of Angela & Mark

10.30 Requiem Service for Frank Connell

12.15 Maclachlan family intentions

Friday 23rd August 9.00 John Stringfellow anniversary

12.15 Sarah Raven & Andrew Kitchener's intentions

Saturday 24th August St Bartholomew

9.00 Agnes Goulding anniversary

12.30 Wedding of Andy Kitchener & Sarah Raven

6.00 (Vigil Mass) E.B.C. / Kevin Barrett recently died

Sunday 25th August 21st Sunday of the Year

9.30 Gough family intentions Robert Nuttall recently died

11.00 The Parish / Frank Connell recently died.



Flowers on the altar this week celebrate the wedding anniversary of Peter and Margaret Hollinhurst



THE PARISH FAMILY



BY BAPTISM WE WELCOME: Ella 'Jo Louise' Battersby and Harrison Peter Dawson

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL OUR SICK: Bethany O'Reilly, Fran Butler, Virginia Stanton, John Little, Bernard McWilliam, Jim McKay, Tony Adamson, Kath Tomkin, Joe Sloan, Virginia Stanton, Cyril and Agnes Chester, Sister Veronica, Sister Meir and Sister Beatrice FMSJ, Catherine Lomas, Bridget Whelan, Marie Farrer, Jack Hardwick, Tommy Bellamy, Mary Commons, Peter Gleave, Baby Holly, Kathleen Walsh, Dale Zaparowski, Terry Donnelly, Simon Brown, Jackie Holly, Len Rice, Maree Coan, Miller girls, Margaret Miller, **and connected with us**, Pauline Loftus, Brian Cottam, Sean McCarthy (Australia), Maureen & Andrew Liddell, Maura Whitfield, Iain Murray Kit Halliwell, Baby Isla Jones, Michael Morgan, Victor Hill, Sandra Harrison, Ann Easton, Agnes Salisbury, Jack Madigan, Lilian Heyes, Rose Marie Foster. *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 Kevin Barrett, Frank Connell and connected with us, Dinah Nickson who died recently and the following whose anniversaries occur about this time: Pat Damp, Timothy Cleveland Brown, Dorothy Kelly, Harold Philips, Albert Waidson, Henry Brian Lambert, Eric Albert Rawcliffe, Catherine Joyce Airey, Elizabeth Ellen Tattersall, Keith Bretherton, Albert Hyams, Terence Muckian, Jack Kelly, Richard Craven, Thomas Peter Parkinson and Gerald Ralphs.

THIS WEEK Today: 20th Sunday of the Year

Family Rota of Prayer: Johnson family

Monday Church Cleaning 9am 'B' team

K.S.C. Darts & Trivia Quiz 8 pm at K.S.C. Club, Leyland

Thursday: *Please give blood today.* See poster for times

Friday: *Divine Mercy prayers* 11.00am in the Adoration chapel; all welcome

NEXT SUNDAY 21st Sunday of the Year

Recovering and Moving on after Divorce There is a series of six weekly meetings in Liverpool beginning Monday 16th September, or a one day meeting on Saturday 14th September, all without cost. Booking is essential. See the board for information.

Divorced or Separated A week-end of affirmation at Loyola Hall, Rainhill. Suggested cost is £104. Book on line or phone. See the board for details.



Parishes and Deaneries as Communities of welcome for people with Dementia

Keynote talks, topical workshops. This event takes place at St. Francis Xavier Church, Salisbury Stree, Liverpool ON Wednesday 2nd October. See the board for details. Cost is £35 including lunch.

Fr Cyril Victor on supply from India and Rome has been a very good help this summer. He carefully prepared the parish novena before our feast day last week, for which all who attended are very grateful. We are also grateful for his cheerful help in our parish house especially mucking in with us to look after Fr. Theo and many other things. He has been with us since late June and will stay until 16 September. He has humbly explained his circumstances in Rome: there studying on an 80% scholarship; the authorities in his diocese do not cover any costs. His superiors expect him to find the 20% shortfall which comes to some 1200 Euros. He is not pressing the parish for money but wonders if anyone would like to support him? If you wish to do so, use the parish envelopes marking them Fr. Cyril. We will as a parish and with other help, hope to make up any shortfall for him.

Update magazine - anybody interested please contact Edward Almond (01772 432983) with a view to coming together to discuss it and resolve how we can produce a magazine or something equivalent again.

Heating Update - The anticipated delivery date for the Air handling unit is the first week of October. So there will be no heating in the main church or the Blessed Sacrament chapel until the end of October. Please keep up the prayers. There will be further updates in due course on progress on phase 1 and about phase 2 of the project.

Class of 1980 St Mary's High School Reunion **6th September** 2013 7.30 pm at Farington Social Club. For more information ring Elaine 01257 453803.

African Children's Choir in concert hosted by CTIL here at St Mary's, Friday **4th October** at 7.30 pm. Tickets are available from the Parish office.

Lourdes Pilgrimage for the Feast of the Immaculate Conception. Please see posters as there are a few travel options available

We are very short of Mass intentions at present. So any Masses handed in will be said within a week or so. We will do our best to fulfil any requests.

Saturday Vigil and Sunday Masses have to be a living intention except for our masses for those who have recently died in the parish.