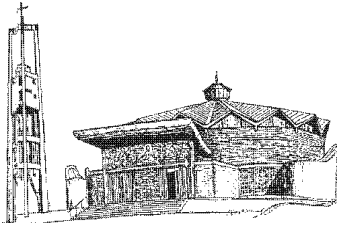


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What the mind of man  
can conceive and  
believe, the mind of a  
man can achieve.

## 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.

### Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> September

6.00 (Vigil Mass) E.B.C. / Frances Ramsdale 100 years

### Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> September 25<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the Year

9.30 The Parish / Bond family intention  
11.00 Fr Abbot's intentions

### Monday 24<sup>th</sup> September Our Lady of Walsingham

9.00 Frances Ramsdale (KK)  
12.15 Mary Teresa Dever Birthday Remembrance

### Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> September St Ceolfrid

8.00 (With Schools) Eddie Purcell (AH)  
12.15 Sydney Knowles  
3.00 Funeral Service (Charnock Richard Crem) for Ilian Jakiemczuk

### Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> September

9.00 Fr Romuald Simpson OSB (Douai Abbey)  
12.15 Denis & Michael Butler

### Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> September St Vincent de Paul

8.00 (Alverna) Michael Lavelle (L-J)  
12.15 Sr Aloysius F.M.S.J.  
6.00pm Year 7 Welcome Mass

### Friday 28<sup>th</sup> September

9.00 Maire Jones 1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary  
12.15 Tony Jones recovery

### Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> September St Michael, Gabriel & Raphael.

9.00 John Procter  
6.00 (Vigil Mass) The Parish

### Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> Sept 26<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the Year

9.30 E.B.C. / Carol Martin & family  
11.00 In thanksgiving /  
Delia Withnell 70<sup>th</sup> Birthday

Confessions Saturday 9.30 - 10.00am and  
5.00 - 6.00pm. Also Confessions at any  
time. Ring for one of the priests.

Last Sunday: Offertory Loose Plate £467.63 Gift Aid £295.84  
Home Mission £119.16 Many thanks!

For Gift Aid contact John Baggaley on 432683

## HOLY COMMUNION FOR THE SICK

The Congregation says: May this sacrament unite them with Christ and his Church and give them consolation and peace.

Adoration in the Special Chapel when you can come. Come and spend some time with the risen Lord in peace and quiet,

Ministers of Holy Communion: the new rota, beginning this weekend, is available from the pigeon-hole in the Sacristy.



Flowers on the Altar are to celebrate the marriage of Matthew Eaves and Laura Clarkson



## ST. MARY'S CHURCH, BROADFIELD DRIVE, LEYLAND

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25<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the Year 2012

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Theme: I am the light of the world, says the Lord, anyone who follows me will have the light of life.

## THE PARISH FAMILY

BY BAPTISM WE WELCOME: Ellie Louise Allsopp and William Martyn O'Malley CONGRATULATIONS TO: Matthew Eaves and Laura Clarkson who were married this weekend

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL OUR SICK Baby Holly, Elizabeth Stordy, Karen Porter, Mary Fong, Gillian Sergeant, Ted Barnish, Joan Madden, Bernie Banks, Sister Veronica, Angela Waddilove, Peter Walmsley, Anthony Calvert, Archbishop Patrick Kelly's sister, Ian Tupling, Janet Turner, Connie King, Kathleen Walsh, Marie Johnson, Alan Williams, Mary Pemberton, Sarah Latham, Dale Zaparowski Terry Donnelly, Chris Atkins, Simon Brown, Sr Susan FMSJ, Pam Barron, Jackie Holly, Len Rice, Maureen Howard, Frank Calderbank, Gerry Heywood, Joe Breen, Georgia Martin, Sandra Parsons, Maree Coan, Miller girls, Margaret Miller, Frances Hart, Rebecca Shanks, Mary Magee, Mary Douglas, Tracey Anne Holly, Danny Bonner, Graham Halstead, and connected with us, Ray Branston, Jack Madigan, Lilian (Pibby) Heyes, Graham Salisbury, Joe Lennart, Rose Marie Foster, Maureen and Andrew Liddell, Frank Turner, John Jennings, Dorothy Hesford, Tony Knight, Mike & Lorraine Bennett.



PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL OUR DEPARTED: Especially those who died recently and the following whose anniversaries occur about this time: Agnes Cooke, John Dickinson, Joseph Nigel Blake Morgan, Movita Sharpe, John Thomas Brown, Frank Jackson, Tracey Watkinson, Kathleen Ormesher and Olivia Mae Collinge.

## THIS WEEK Today: 25<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the Year

Journey in Faith re-starts at 5-6pm. If anyone is interested in entering into full communion with our Church contact us.  
Curry Night tickets on sale, organised by Scout Group

Lourdes 2012 – deadline for petitions is today

Family Rota of Prayer: The statue is not available this week due to repairs.

Monday: Church cleaning 9 am 'A' team

Widows Welcome Club 7.30 pm Catenian Council 7.30 pm

Tuesday: Beavers in Church 6 – 8 pm

CTIL AGM at URC 7.30 pm S.V.P Abbot H Room 8 pm

Wednesday: Catechists meeting 7 pm (see over)

The Fashion Show and Sale Company – fund raising fashion show tonight 7.30 pm in the Priory Club in aid of Broadfield House. See poster.

Friday: Divine Mercy prayers 11.00 am in the Adoration Chapel. Jazz' it live music tonight at 8 pm in the Priory Club. See poster

## NEXT SUNDAY: 26<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the Year

Safe journey to all our Parishioners as they travel to Lourdes for our annual pilgrimage.

Garden Party – a very big thank you to all who helped in any way to make the Garden Party such a wonderful success (despite the challenge of the weather). We raised the magnificent sum of £2,633.10. Well done and thank you – you are all amazing.



**Each week in the bulletin** there will be a short section to prepare for the Archdiocesan Assembly "The Lord's Day" November 2012.

The 3<sup>rd</sup> commandment is a call to remember - remember the work of God in creating, a remembrance which must inspire the entire religious life of men and women. (Dies Domini 16)

*In Exodus Chapter 20 verse 8 we are told to "remember the Sabbath day and keep it holy." There is a key connection between remembering and keeping holy. We remember what God has done and so our response is to make holy. We remember God's saving acts and so we give thanks and praise.*

The topic for thought and response this week is:

- How has God acted in your life?
- How have you heard the voice of God speaking to you?

*You are invited to think together or individually and let us have your responses.*

**Sacramental Programme** This year we begin the new Archdiocesan Sacramental Programme. It involves those in year 4 and above if there are any older ones who have made Holy Communion but not yet been confirmed. There will be a meeting for our catechists to prepare ourselves for the sessions on **Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> September at 7pm** If there are children of that age in Church not attending our schools whose families would like them to join our sacramental programme please make yourselves known to us as soon as possible. Our programme for parents and children will start in October and letters have gone to the schools last week about it.

**Catechists for the Parish** Please do not be shy to come forward to be a catechist: we always need extra. There is an Archdiocesan course available at LACE (Liverpool) for those who want to learn about being a catechist on **Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> October** from 9.30am-1.00pm. There is a cost of £20 per participant, and the parish will help with that cost if any wish to go. Please let us know as soon as possible.

**Carbon Free heating in our Church** A small group researching this feels we can make our building a warm and friendly place at minimum running costs. Using the Solar Photovoltaic Panels as a free source of energy we will drive a 'heat pump' to heat the Church. In winter we will be warm at very little cost God willing! We want to apply for a grant of 100K to achieve this: we have to find 10K from sources outside normal Church revenue to give to the funding organisation as a guarantee of our intent. All gifts little or large will be gratefully accepted. If 100 parishioners were able to afford £100 we would have made the £10,000 or 200 with £50 or ..... If you think you can help please use an envelope, write on "Carbon Free Heating" and hand in to Church or through the letter box. Thank you and bless us all.

**Washing machine** needed for a young lady with 4 children. If you can help please contact the Priory house.

**Bible Alive** October edition is now available for subscribers.

**St. Anne's Catholic Primary School.** Welfare Assistant needed for children lunchtime support. Ring School [Tel:422769](tel:422769)



**St Mary's Scout Group** is currently looking for people to become leaders to help in the running of the group. If you have any spare time, and would like to volunteer, please contact Jackie Lee on 01772 434118 for more details.

## **500 CLUB CONGRATULATIONS!**

**£100 Winner B Charnock Week 36 No. 90 Agent H Gardner**

**Mission Boxes** - these will be emptied during the next 2 weeks.

**International Aid Trust** needs volunteers. Please see poster.

**Class of '67 Reunion** - a reunion is being planned for classmates who left St Mary's RC Secondary School in Leyland around 1967. If you are interested in joining us, please contact Carole McKay for further details on 07708324364 or email [cazy1234@gmail.com](mailto:cazy1234@gmail.com) I look forward to hearing from you.

**Sr Joan has asked** can anyone make use of large candles to be melted down to make into new candles. Please let Lesley know.

## **Forthcoming Events**



**Please give blood** on Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> October. See poster

**Leyland St Mary's CTC Open Evening** is on Wed 3<sup>rd</sup> October from 6 - 8.30 pm. See poster for details

**Mother's Prayer Group** to start on Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> October, 7 pm for 7.15 pm start in St Anne's Chapel here at St Mary's. It will run weekly for all mothers or those who wish to pray for mothers. For information 'phone Angie 01257 231169 or Sharon 01257 232479. All are welcome.



**Cafod Harvest Fast Day 5<sup>th</sup> October.**

**Country Fair with Pumpkin Patch 7<sup>th</sup> October** 11 am - 4 pm at Pauls Farm Shop, Dunkirk Lane, Leyland. All proceeds to Midge Hall Chapel Development Fund and My Life C.I.C. See poster for more details.

**First Aid Course** 10am - 4pm<sup>h</sup> Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> October in the Priory House. If you would like to attend see Lesley.

**Pastoral Council and Finance Committee** please note that these two committees will have a joint meeting on Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> October at 7.30 pm.



**Sisters of Our Lady of the Missions** celebration  
Mass will be on Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> October at 12.15 pm.  
Please see notice on the board.

**Ministry of the Word** - one day course for readers at St Teresa's on Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> October, 10 am - 3 pm. Coffee and light lunch provided. Please confirm attendance by email: [patriciafitz@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:patriciafitz@hotmail.co.uk) or tel: 01772 742605. See poster.

**Golden Jubilee Celebration of Our Church** Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> October 6.30-7.30 we celebrate 50 years since the foundation stone was laid. Afterwards for those who wish, some refreshments in the club and entertainment.

*Keep the date free in your diary. It will be a great evening!*

## **WORD OF LIFE**

**Everyone who drinks of this water will be thirsty again, but those who drink of the water that I will give them will never be thirsty. The water that I will give will become in them a spring of water gushing up to eternal life (Jn 4:13-14)**

All that is needed, sometimes, is a word, a smile, a simple sign of solidarity, to give us a new feeling of fullness, of deep satisfaction, a surge of joy. And if we carry on giving, this foundation of peace and of life will pour out water evermore abundantly and never dry up.

*Copies of the full text are on the table in front of the Piety Shop.  
Please help yourself*