



St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Ansdell

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27th Sunday in Ordinary Time- Year B

3rd October 2021

*As long as we love one another
God will live in us
and his love will be complete in us.*

Please pray for:

Lately Dead: Michael Wren-Hilton.

Those who are sick: Anne Cawthorn, Margaret Brindle, Nora Shortt, Sr. Josephine Mary (Hynning), Brid José, Kitty O'Dea, Michael Cookson, Simon Muller, Susan Standing, Margaret Spillane, Maureen Lundy, Christopher Hill, Christopher Hunter, Pat Marion, Paul Meskell, Anne Meyer, Phil Winstanley, Judith Cross, Andrew Cox, Roseanne Evans, Alex Walker, Emmanuel Zammit, Bob Osachuk, Rosaline Fox, Alan Watkins, Alison Singleton, Rod Beirne, Molly Murphy, Sr Kay, Elaine Acton-Reid, Richard Smith, Teresa Mulvey, Patrick Gilligan, George Morgan.

Those whose anniversaries occur about this time:

Betty Tattersall, May Whittle, Betty McNamara, Brent Karman, John Thacker, Elizabeth Gilbey, John Moss, Peter Valentine, Anne Salthouse.

ST JOSEPH'S CARE: Your kind offerings are enabling us to continue to provide help to the young families associated with St Cuthbert's Primary School in South Shore. We have also donated £250 to the St Bede's Impact Group to help them with costs involved with a weekend at Castlerigg.

FOODBANK: Thank you for your continued generous donations. All items go to support people in our local community.

DONATION BY STANDING ORDER: If you wish to donate to the parish by Standing Order, please email us at st.josephs_andsell@btinternet.com, requesting a standing order form. If you are a taxpayer and are not already Gift-aiding your contributions, please consider this. It is a great support to the parish. Forms for Gift-aid are available as above.

BURKINA FASO: Our 2021 appeal is now closed. We will provide a final total very soon.

500 Miles +: please see the sponsorship form at the back of church. Joy and David Warwick's son in law and Maria's husband is running 500+ miles in support of a children's charity. Full details with the sponsorship form.

CATHOLIC VOICE: Please collect your copy of the October edition as you leave church this weekend. Have a look at the item on page 6 about St Bede's Action Impact Group.

Sunday 3rd October 27th Sunday in Ord. Time

(Vigil)	6.00pm	The Parish
	9.15am	Marie Davis RIP
	10.30am	Mass at St Peter's
	5.05pm	Special Intention
Mon 4 th		No Mass
Tues 5 th	10.00am	Margaret McKeon (Ann)
Wed 6 th	9.00am	Mass at St Peter's
Thu 7 th	9.00am	Mass at St Peter's
Fri 8 th	10.00am	Martin Appleby RIP
Sat 9 th	10.00am	Mass at St Peter's

Sunday 10th October 28th Sunday in Ord. Time

(Vigil)	6.00pm	The Parish
	9.15am	Raymond Ashton (Ann)
	10.30am	Mass at St Peter's
	5.05pm	Bill Drake RIP

CONFESSIONS: Available after the 10am Saturday Mass at St Peter's, and the 10am Masses at St. Joseph's on Tuesdays and Fridays. Also, by arrangement with Fr David. Tel. 737037

ONLINE MASSES:

For live-streamed Sunday Mass, go to:
<https://bit.ly/3fkB30I> or
<https://st-josephsansdell.net/videos/> recorded videos

COLLECTION COUNT: for recent weeks:

	Offertory
Gift Aid	£723.52
Non-Gift Aid	£764.76
	£1488.28

Bishops Admin Fund	£37.80	
Catholic Education	£66	
Home Missions	£62.86	
Catholic Trust	£3	All Gift Aid

Burkina Faso	£150.00
St. Joseph's Care	£281.25
August Standing Orders	£1611

NEXT WEEKEND:

There will be a Mission Appeal by the Comboni Fathers at all the Masses.

READERS

For Weekend 9th/10th October

Sat Vigil: K & T Godden **Sun 9.15:** L & E Doyle

We need more readers for the three Sunday Masses. If you are interested please ring David Warwick on 733897.

“CLIMATE CHANGE: Together We Can Make a Difference.” The 26th UN Climate Change Conference of the Parties [COP26] is being held in Glasgow 31/10/21 to 12/11/21. In support of COP26 and CAFOD’s Family Fast Day appeal, here at St. Joseph’s there will be events over the weekend of Friday 15th - Sunday 17th October. Take some time to look at the Display Boards at the back of church.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT starts after Mass on Friday 15th October and ends after Sunday Mass on 17th October at noon. Please pray for the World and that all Nations will unite in the battle against Climate Change. The sign up sheet for “watching” is at the back of church.

FAMILY QUIZ NIGHT on Friday October 15th at 7.00pm in the Hall – bring your own drinks and nibbles. The quiz will be preceded by a short presentation by Dr. Paul Kelly to think about what changes we can make as individuals, as church and as a country, to help our planet. There will be no tickets but there is a sign up sheet at the back of church.

We will end the weekend with Climate Sunday Mass on Saturday and Sunday.

MISSION APPEAL: Next Weekend, we will have a Mission appeal by the Comboni Fathers. They request your help in supporting their work of building churches and chapels, training catechists, preparing local clergy and Religious, building and running schools, clinics and hospitals, in parts of the world where the needed resources are often scarce, but the hunger for God’s Word is great. Please be as generous as you can with support, both spiritual and material.

ADVANCE NOTICE: We have a full programme of parish social events lined up, please see the posters at the back of church. Please block out your diary for Friday 26th November for a full parish event which will be held at Fylde Rugby Club - everyone is invited, further details later.

ST JOSEPH’S CARE: We are hoping to have a meeting of all those involved with St Joseph’s Care, or those interested in getting involved, to plan the way forward. This will take place after the 9.15 am Mass next Sunday, 10th October in the parish hall (should be about 10.15am). All are welcome.

CATH KELLY: This last Summer, Cath Kelly retired as the Deputy Head at St Peter’s School. In thanksgiving for her time and all her great work at our school, there will be a Mass here at St Joseph’s this Wednesday, 6th October at 7pm.

LIVING ‘LAUDATO SI’ - YOUR PARISH & YOUR PLANET: There is still one long weekend left of talks and discussions on zoom, and practical activities, on living the message of *Laudato Si’* (Pope Francis’ Letter on our stewardship of the environment) in and through your parish. Cost - voluntary donations gratefully accepted, but there will be no fee for the weekend. 15th - 18th Oct. Sessions will be on Friday evening, Saturday morning, late afternoon and evening, Sunday late afternoon and evening night and Monday evening (leaving people free during the day on Monday). For more info, email Sr Margaret Atkins on margaret@boarbankhall.org.uk

HELP FOR AFGHAN REFUGEES: Fylde Borough Council is planning to take five Afghan families who have fled the recent Taliban takeover in their country. The Council will be working in partnership with charity Home-Start Blackpool Fylde & Wyre to co-ordinate the collection of items needed to support these families. This will be done through the Home-Start shop at 135 St Alban’s Road, St Annes, FY8 1UY. Items required are: nappies, children’s books, children’s clothing, sanitary products and toiletries. These can be dropped off at the shop when it is open Mon - Fri 10am - 4pm. Home-Start are looking for volunteers to help process and sort the items donated. If you would like to be involved, please see Sue Uttley at the shop, or contact Gill at the charity office on (01253) 728615 or at enquiries@homestartbfw.org.uk.

GUIDE TO THE ROSARY FROM THE CATENIANS: October is the month for The Rosary. The Catenian Association has produced a simple guide to praying The Rosary in a handy A4 folded pamphlet. The pamphlet is for parishioners and their families. Available at the back of the church.

OPPOSING THE ASSISTED DYING BILL: Earlier this year, a Private Members Bill on ‘Assisted Dying’ was introduced in the House of Lords by Baroness Molly Meacher, Chair of Dignity in Dying. It is due its second reading mid-October 2021, where there will be a full debate in the House of Lords. The Bill is almost identical in form to the ‘Marris Bill’, which was overwhelmingly defeated by 330 votes to 118. In the House of Commons in 2015. None of the serious concerns raised at the time have been factored into this new piece of legislation. In essence it permits an adult who is terminally ill (less than 6 months to live) to be assisted in ending their life, provided a declaration is signed by them, a witness, two doctors (one attending and one independent) and a Judge of the High Court Family Division has then consented to the request. The main concerns with the Bill can be summarised as follows: Protecting the Most Vulnerable, The Experience of Other Countries and Investing in Care and Not Ending Care. To find out more go to the Bishops’ Conference Website at <https://www.cbcew.org.uk/life-issues/>.

WANTED: Trees, shrubs, spring bulbs, etc for St Joseph’s garden. Please leave near the bins, (behind the parish hall). Many Thanks.