



St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Ansdell

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Weekend 8th / 9th June Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sat 8 th	6.00pm	St. Joseph's	People of the Parishes
Sun 9 th	9.15am	St. Joseph's	John Hallian
	10.30am	St. Peter's	Intentions of St. Peter's C.W.L.

Mon 10 th	9am	St. Peter's	Kath Tomkinson <i>followed by Exposition and Confessions till 10am</i>
Tues 11 th	10am	St. Joseph's	Siobhan Smith <i>followed by Exposition and Confessions till 11am</i>
Wed. 12 th	9am	St. Peter's	In recognition of Spiritual Guidance
	2pm	St. Peter's	Funeral Service for Brian Watson
Thurs 13 th	10am	St. Joseph's	Roseanne and Patrick Scott

Weekend 15th / 16th June Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sat 14 th	6.00pm	St. Joseph's	Patricia Conroy
Sun 15 th	9.15am	St. Joseph's	People of the Parishes
	10.30am	St. Peter's	For the Family and Mr. Augustine Tang

Sacrament of Reconciliation & Exposition: Monday 9:30-10am St. Peter's, Tuesday 10:30-11am St. Joseph's
Confession is also available by arrangement with Fr. Peter. Tel. 737037

COLLECTION COUNT: for May:
Gift Aid £356.00 Non Gift Aid £1188.32
Special Collections £86.00
Standing Orders £2903.50 St. Joseph's Care £298.20
Boat Money £3470.00 Burkino Faso £3.00

Please pray for all who have died recently, especially Fr. Bob Halshaw, Brian Watson, Elizabeth Bowles, Dennis Peyton, and Midge Vile, and those whose anniversaries occur about this time especially, Jack Fallon, Mary Murray, Dulcie Haig, Bill Drake, Fr. Geoghan, John Guest, Sheila Chong, Greta Nixon, Sheila Henvey, Bishop John Brewer, Annie Sumner and Eileen O'Neill

Please pray for the sick and housebound of the Parish, especially: Paul Bunyan, Michael Cookson, Andrew Cox, Judith Cross, Rosaline Fox, Cathy Gaughan, Patrick Gilligan, Pat Heeny, Christopher Hill, Harry Holden, Christopher Hunter, Peter Jones, Sr Kay, Caroline Ledward, Margaret Long, Maureen Lundy, Pat Marion, Paul Meskell, Anne Meyer, George Morgan, Pat Moss, Simon Muller, Molly Murphy, Zivile Petraviciute, Bob Osachuk, Alison Singleton, Margaret Spillane, Susan Standing, Sr Michaela Toulmin (Hynning), Greta Turner, Alan Watkins, Mary Whittle, Phil Winstanley, Kath Woods, Albert Zammit, Emmanuel Zammit.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY at Sunday Morning Mass!

COFFEE & BACON BUTTIES after 9.15am Mass this week.
(Phew! No Bran Flakes today. FrP)

This Week's Readings:

Our actions have consequences – and our faith should have the consequences of us wanting to live out what we have to come know through the Spirit.

First Reading: Genesis 3:9-15 The consequences of the Fall of Mankind, as Adam and Eve admit of eating the fruit from the Tree of Knowledge.

Second Reading: Corinthians 4:13-5:1 Paul reminds us of the great joy and gift of faith in Christ, and how it should make us want to live fruitful lives.

Gospel: Mark 3:20-35 There is great misunderstanding about who the person of Jesus Christ really is – but those who do so, will always do the will of His Father in Heaven.

ST JOSEPH'S CARE: Do you know of anyone in our community who is in need or might need a little more support, and would like either a friendly a visit, or Holy Communion at Home? Please let St. Joseph's Care Visiting Team know by emailing or phone the Parish on the above contact details.

BELL RINGING PRACTICE every Thursday from 7-8.30 pm. If you are interested in learning to ring the bells at St Joseph's, please get in touch with Tower Captains James (07743684900) and Stacey (07921032390) and they'll show you the ropes!

REPOSITORY: Cards and gifts for different occasions available, including first communion cards and Rosary beads. Orders for other items can be taken, too. If you are interested in joining a rota for either of the weekend Masses please contact Margaret on 07711698195

LECTIO DIVINA Scripture prayer and discussions in the hall on Wednesdays at 10am.

THE HOLY ROSARY: every Thursday after Mass in Church, for this beautiful prayer. All welcome.

Rotas for weekend 15th / 16th June

Readers

Sat Vigil: Richard Golding Sun 9.15am: The Children

Meet and Greet

Sat Vigil: M & D Ghee

Sun 9.15am: W & E Doyle

Message from Fr. Peter: It was lovely to see a good group of people at SPs on Monday evening for our first Evening Prayer in preparation for the Diocesan Centenary. Evening Prayer is actually one of the so called 'hours' of the Church, the 'Liturgy of the Hours' which make up a whole day (and night) of prayer. The hours of prayer officially take place every three hours, beginning with Lauds, at three am in the morning, followed by Prime, Terce, Sext at Midday, None, Vespers in the evening, with Compline before bed, and finally Matins at Midnight. Whilst the Hours were originally based on prayer times for Monasteries (which in some are still prayed at the actual hours), Vatican II encouraged certain Hours to be prayed by all, especially Morning and Evening Prayer. These two prayer times consist of the recitation of Old Testament Psalms, a New Testament Cantic, a little passage of Scripture, and Bidding Prayers, as well as the Benedictus in the morning (Zachariah's prayer of praise at the birth of his son, John the Baptist), the Magnificat (Mary's prayer of praise at the coming of her son, Jesus) in the evening, and at Night Prayer, a short time of reflection on the day before bed, we pray the Nunc Dimittis (the prayer of Simeon as he prepared himself for a happy death, having seen the child Jesus at his Presentation in the Temple). You will see me wandering around the Church like a monk (the beard helps, I guess) saying the Hours before Mass, fulfilling the promise I made at my ordination to ground - or elevate - the day in a spirit of prayer. I use the 'Universalis' App on my Kindle (which also includes all the texts of the Mass). **Our next Evening Prayer, celebrating the Precious Blood of Jesus, will be on Monday 1st July at 7pm at St. Joseph's.** Everyone, as always, is more than welcome. *God our Father, you separated light and darkness to bring us night and day. May our words and actions every single hour confess your name and profess your glory. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.*

Safeguarding: many thanks to all our volunteer parishioners who have helped us to compile an updated parish list as required by the Diocese. We now come to STEP 2. We need to ensure that all volunteers who DO NOT require a DBS check receive and sign for a **Safeguarding information sheet. Please note that this is mandatory.** Safeguarding representatives will attend all masses to give out the leaflets to people such as Bell ringers, cleaners, counters, collectors and greeters. Many thanks. *The Safeguarding Team.*

Burkina Faso. Our 2024 appeal will run through to the end of August. We are still waiting on news of which project the Sisters would like us to help with this year but we can make a start with our collection. There are envelopes on Our Lady's stand at the back of church, simply place your donation inside and return via the offertory collection. Thank you. *Edwina Gillett.*

The Ukulele Orchestra of St. Joseph's and St. Peter's continue to meet on Monday evenings at 7pm in St. Peter's Hall. New strummers always welcome!

The naming of boats is a difficult matter, it isn't just one of your holiday games... (with apologies to T.S. Eliot). Having raised so much money, we have four boats, which we are able to name. Any suggestions to go with 'St. Peter's, Lytham' and one 'St. Joseph's, Ansdell'? Please come up with some suggestions and let FrP know, as soon as possible. (I was thinking of 'St Cuthbert of Lytham Sands' after the picture. FrP)

Saint Bede's Catholic High School, Lytham, has a vacancy for a Foundation Governor. Foundation Governors have a particular responsibility within Catholic schools in preserving and developing the distinctive Catholic character and ethos of the school. To apply, or for further information, please contact Mrs S Kelly, Headteacher's PA, on 01253 667 526 or skelly@stbedeslytham.lancs.sch.uk

It's Race Night at St. Peters on Friday 19th July at 7pm.

Bring your drinks and nibbles, and get ready for the tote!

Eight Races with Eight Horses, which you can sponsor and bet upon on the night!

Tickets for the Race Night will be available after mass on Sunday, price £1

SJSP's Got Talent has been postponed until the Autumn to give us all a little more time to practice our party pieces! *(Thank heavens. Have you ever tried to play 'Dream of Olwen' on the flute and saxophone with piano accompaniment singlehandedly at the same time?! Fr.P)*

Mass Intentions, for the deceased, the bereaved, for the sick, the Holy Souls, are always welcome, and offering envelopes are available at the back of Church, and Mass cards are available from the Holy Shops after Sunday Masses.

Sanctuary Lamp: If you would like to sponsor the Sanctuary lamp in memory of a loved one or for a special intention, please place the details and date wanted in an envelope with a £20 donation and clearly note Sanctuary Lamp on the outside. This can be placed in the offertory collection basket. The lamp will burn for a full week From Sunday to Saturday, and the intention will be published on the Newsletter.