



# St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Ansdell

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## 33<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year B

14<sup>th</sup> November 2021

*Heaven and earth will pass away,  
but my words will not pass away.*

### Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> November 33<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ord. time

(Vigil)	6.00pm	Rosemary Marron RIP
	9.15am	The Kendrick Family
	10.30am	Mass at St Peter's
	5.05pm	The Parish
Mon 15 <sup>th</sup>		No Mass
Tues 16 <sup>th</sup>	12 Noon	Requiem: Bryan Finnigan
Wed 17 <sup>th</sup>	9.00am	Mass at St Peter's
Thu 18 <sup>th</sup>	9.00am	Mass at St Peter's
Fri 19 <sup>th</sup>	10.00am	Samantha Rawstron (Ann)
	12 Noon	Memorial Mass: Don O'Toole RIP
Sat 20 <sup>th</sup>	10.00am	Mass at St Peter's
<b>Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> November - Christ the King</b>		
(Vigil)	6.00pm	Stephen Kendrick (Ann)
	9.15am	John McGuirk (Ann)
	10.30am	Mass at St Peter's
	5.05pm	The Parish

**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	Combonis	World Missions
Gift Aid	£1199.69	£385.00	£ 68.00
Non-Gift Aid	<u>£ 377.89</u>	<u>£598.66</u>	<u>£273.33</u>
	<u>£1577.58</u>	<u>£983.66</u>	<u>£340.33</u>

### Other Gift Aid Donations:

Sick & Ret'd Priests:	£5.00
Bishop's Admin	£4.57
Home Missions	£3.00
Cath. Ed Services	£3.00

### Other Donations:

St. Joseph's Care	£350.59
Burkina Faso	£685.00

### READERS

#### For Weekend 20<sup>th</sup>/21<sup>st</sup> November

**Sat Vigil:** C Ralston **Sun 9.15:** R Page  
**Sun 5.05:** A Waters

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

### Please pray for:

**Lately Dead:** Norah Shortt, Bryan Finnigan

**Those who are sick:** Margaret Brindle, Sr. Josephine Mary (Hyning), 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, 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, Christopher Hickson, Pat Moss.

### Those whose anniversaries occur about this time:

Loren Marlton Thomas, Fr. Bill Dowds, Bill Armer, Joanne Lanza, John Wolstonholme, Michael May, Derek Bowker, Sheila Fisher, Catherine O'Malley, Cath Hibbert, Agnes Livingstone, Peter McDonnell, Colin Blundell, Frank Smith, Joseph Patterson, Doreen Fay, Ivy Rankin, Winifred Precious

**BACON BUTTIES ARE BACK!** Simon is back in the kitchen after Mass on Sunday morning, so why not call in for a bite and coffee! The children's craft club is also underway again.

**ST JOSEPH'S CARE:** Do you know of anyone in our community who is in need or might need a little more support? Company or just someone to talk to? Someone who may, at times, need help with things? Please let us know and we can contact them. Or you can give them our St Joseph's Care phone number so they can contact us Tel: 07840112265  
Email: anne.waters@talktalk.net

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

**500 MILES +:** Matt has now completed his 500 mile running challenge! Over £2000 has been raised so far for Get Kids Going. Maria will be pleased to collect remaining sponsorship after 9:15 am Mass. Thank you for your generous support.

**REPOSITORY:** A restocked Repository including cards and gifts for Confirmation is now available. The toys etc currently stored in the Repository have been washed, sanitised and moved on. During this period of the Pandemic, it would be unwise for toys etc to be shared during services.

**CATHOLIC VOICE:** Please take a copy of the November edition home with you this weekend.

**PRAYER FOR 'A NEW CREATION':** This prayer was written by Fr Charles Rue SSC:

Lord, may your promise of a New Creation become a reality in our lives and our world. Help us to be converted to solidarity with your Earth and all it upholds as our kin. May our words of care and love flow through to actions. Amen.

**CHILDREN'S LITURGY** has not restarted yet because it is felt that there is still a high level of infection around, especially in school children. Also, the rooms we use don't have sufficient ventilation. We are also very short of liturgists. If you feel that you would like to join the team, please leave your name with Fr. David.

**CAFOD:** We have received an email from CAFOD thanking us for £1193.13 received from St. Joseph's parishioners.

**NOVEMBER - THE MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS:** Traditionally, November is the month of the Holy Souls. We pray for all those who have died, especially over the last year. There is now a basket at the front of church to put in the lists of those whose souls people wish to be prayed for. Please just write their names on a piece of paper, fold it, and leave it in the basket. All their souls will be remembered at Masses throughout November.

**PARISH PARTY:** We have reluctantly taken the decision to postpone our party (originally scheduled for 26<sup>th</sup> November) until next year sometime. Don't worry, the Party will happen sometime in the New Year.

**UNPICK THE GOSPEL:** Come and reflect on next week's Gospel in the Hall Wednesday 10am until 11am. Listen and consider what Jesus is saying to us today! Come along and just try it, you will be surprised at how the Gospel comes alive.

**THE CHURCH ON A 'SYNODAL JOURNEY':** Pope Francis has called the whole Church to take part in a 'Synodal Journey'. This 'journey' means a period of prayer, reflection, and listening to all voices in the Church, starting at the local level. The pope speaks of the synod as the way of being Church together. The word 'synod' come from the Greek: 'synodos', meaning 'assembly, meeting, coming together'; and 'hodos', meaning 'journeying, a way, road or path'. The idea of the synod is very ancient in the Church. The pope speaks of it also as the way forward. Our bishop, Paul Swarbrick, introduces this initiative in this Sunday's Pastoral letter: 'This first phase of preparation is to take place throughout the Diocese, please God, in all the parishes. We are invited to pray, speaking our mind (with respect and charity of course!), careful listening, discernment and openness to the promptings of the Holy Spirit. The bishops who meet in Rome in 2023 will have received your deliberations on the theme: 'For a Synodal Church: Communion, Participation and Mission.' The bishop also says: 'I am asking all our parishes to pray for the success of the Synod of Bishops due to take place in October 2023. As well as praying for the Synod, I want parishes to meet and actually help form the Church, making it Fit for Mission for these times.' More details will be made known as they come through. In the meantime, material is available from the Holy See at <https://www.synod.va/en.html>

**JOB VACANCY:** House Manager/Carer An opportunity has arisen for an experienced person to provide care and support to the retired priests of St Winefride's House, Bispham, Blackpool. FY2 OPA. We are looking for an enthusiastic and self-motivated, reliable person with a friendly, caring and positive attitude to join the team. The successful candidate would be responsible for the holistic care of the priests (currently 6 in number) and carry out basic day-to-day household tasks including cooking lunch for the priests. Salary to be arranged. Please contact Fr Peter Draper on 01772 725193 or [parish.priest2@btinternet.com](mailto:parish.priest2@btinternet.com) for more information or for an application form/job description/person spec. Arrangements can be made to have a look around.