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Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time 8th August 2021 - Psalter Week 3

First Mass of the Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday	7th	5.30pm	People of the Parish	
Sunday	8th	9.30am	Joe Davies RIP	
		11.00am	Tom Hennessey Birthday	
Monday	9th	7.00pm	Brian Tolen RIP	
Tuesday	10th	9.00am	Helen McDonald RIP	
Wednesday	11th		NO MASS	
Thursday	12th	9.30am	NO MASS	
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 10.00 - 11.00am				
Friday	13th	12.00noon	NO MASS	

First Mass of Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Saturday	14th	5.30pm	Dorothy Lawson 100 th
			Birthday RIP
Sunday	15th	9.30am	Marie Nugent RIP
		11.00am	People of the Parish

Confessions commence at 4.45pm and finish at 5.10pm each Saturday.

Masses received this week: Joan Lambert RIP, Rita Crummey: Get Well, Gerard Ruane RIP, Mary Reavey RIP, Fred Lawson RIP, Keith prentice Jnr, Alfie Hagan; Spec Intention.

Enrolled into Mass Association this week: Bob Davies RIP, Jane Goulding RIP, Cecilia Wilkinson RIP.

The Lamps this week burning for:

Sanctuary Lamp:Andrew and David GaleSaint Joseph's Lamp:Thanksgiving

Anniversaries: Elaine McGinn.

With You Always 2022

To all parents and guardians of Year 4 September children; a letter was sent out to you in June asking if you wished your **baptised** child to receive the Sacraments of Reconciliation and First Holy Communion. The deadline was the end of July, but this has now been extended to 15th August. If you have not yet enrolled you will need to complete your enrolment form which will be available at the end of our weekend masses from our catechists who will be available in the Lady Chapel. We look forward to meeting you and welcoming you as you embark upon this stage of a journey in faith with your child. Please be assured of our prayers for you and your families.



Please remember in your prayers the sick, housebound and all in our hospitals and homes. Mrs Sue Williams, Matthew Goodwin, Michael Fardey, Clare Battiste, Patricia Prentice, Julian James, Keith Nieman, Pauline Roberts, Scarlet Cook, Pat Brumskill, Ellen Davies, Connie McCarten, Winnie Tague, Paul Phillips & Baby Meadow.

Millenium Group

Many thanks to everyone who supported our recent Craft Sale. We raised £361 which will go to Moving Senses to buy outdoor play equipment. Thanks for your continued support.

Saints of the Week

Saint Teresa Benedicta of the Cross

August 9. The story of Edith Stein begins with her life as a noted philosopher raised in the Jewish faith. Edith ended her life story as a Catholic Carmelite nun with the name Sister Teresa Benedicta of the Cross. She died in the gas chambers of Auschwitz in 1942. A complicated story involving two faiths and many political events which swirled around her. She who was born Edith Stein is now known as Saint Teresa Benedicta.

Saint Lawrence

August 10. Devotion to Saint Lawrence dates back to the earliest days of the Church. While we do not know many facts about him, his courageous witness to the faith is well known, as well as some interesting legends which, as legends, may or may not be true. They show the fascination with Saint Lawrence and his testimony to the faith. Saint Clare of Assisi

August 11. Saint Clare referred to herself as a little plant. In many ways, she was a strong oak. The first woman to write a Rule of Life for her sisters, she insisted on the privilege of poverty until her dying breath, getting papal approval of her Rule just days before she died. A model of humility, Clare cared for her sisters even through her own years of illness. Her devotion to Jesus was extraordinary.

Saint Jane Frances de Chantal

August 12. Saint Jane Frances de Chantal was a wife and the mother of six. When her husband was killed, Saint Jane took a vow not to remarry and sought to join a religious community. She was dissuaded by her spiritual director, Saint Francis de Sales. Eventually, she and two others founded a community intended for those who could not join the established congregations. They wanted to actively engage in the works of mercy, but social circumstances forced them to live a cloistered life.

Saints Pontian and Hippolytus

August 13. Today we celebrate two men who were at odds most of their lives. Saint Pontian was a pope who abdicated his office when he was sent into exile. Saint Hippolytus had himself elected an anti-pope and opposed not only Saint Pontian, but others as well. Eventually, these two were exiled together where they reconciled and became good friends.

Saint Maximilian Mary Kolbe

August 14. Saint Maximilian Mary Kolbe, a Conventual Franciscan, is best known for volunteering to take the place of a condemned prisoner in the death camp. But he also worked tirelessly for the spiritual welfare of people through a deep devotion to the Blessed Mother. His whole life seemed to revolve around Mary as the path to God.

AUTUMN PRIZE DRAW

As part of our fundraising effort to finance the makeover of the church porch and the St John Vianney room, and following on from the hugely successful cake sale, we will be holding a prize draw in the autumn. Donations of prizes will be most welcome, we are hoping for bottles and boxes of chocolates/biscuits etc. If you feel able to donate an item please leave it in the box in the church porch where it can be collected and made up into prizes. We will be collecting prizes from this weekend until 22nd August. Thank you for your support.

PARISH WALKING CLUB

Our first walk will be on Saturday 14th August. Meet outside Childwall Fiveways Health Centre at 10 am. The walk will take in Childwall Woods and then for the more experienced walkers, who want a longer walk, carry on along the Allerton Trail. Why not come along for some company, fresh air and exercise? Please wear suitable footwear and clothing. Future walks will be organised on a fortnightly basis and advertised in the parish newsletter and on the Facebook page.

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