REGULAR PARISH GATHERINGS/MEETINGS

All meetings take place in the St John Vianney Meeting Room Weekly:

Monday 1.00pm-3.30pm Craft Group
Tuesday 10.00am-12.30pm Deaf Craft Group

Wednesday 7.00pm Faith, Seeking, Understanding

Friday 1.00pm UCM Meeting

Monthly:

1st Monday 1.00pm-3.45pm Millennium Group
Last Tuesday 6.00pm Baptismal Meeting
Last Friday 10.30am- 12.30pm Bereavement Drop-in

1st & 3rd Saturday 10.00am SVP Meeting

St Vincent de Paul

If you or someone you know is in need of a helping hand or listening ear, please contact the parish SVP on our confidential Phone line 07562 694 624

Parish Team

Parish Priest: Father Colin Fealey

Deacons: Rev Adrian Anwyl and Rev Sean O'Donovan Sister Pat Redgrave CP and Sister Maureen McNally CP

Parish Office Administrators Robert Kidd and Brenda Williams

 $\textbf{Office Hours:} \ \text{Monday 9am-3.45pm} \ \text{, Tuesday 9.30am-3.30pm, Thursday 9am-3.45pm}$

and Friday 9am-3.45pm CLOSED ALL DAY WEDNESDAY and WEEKENDS Contact information Tel 0151-722-2231 Email ctkandol@rcaol.org.uk

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Schools

Christ the King0151-722-3462Head TeacherMr D DelaneyOur Lady of Good Help0151-733-6937Acting HeadMr M McQuistonSt. Paschal Baylon0151-722-0464Head TeacherMr E Flood

Parish Centre Christ the King 0151-722-3110

Gift Aid

Anyone who pays tax can Gift Aid to the parish. For every £1 you give the parish can claim 25p from the HMRC with no expense to you. Standing orders can be organised via the parish office.

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The Fifth Sunday of Lent 3rd April 2022 Psalter week 1

A prayer for Ukraine

Loving God, We pray for the people of Ukraine, for all those suffering or afraid, that you will be close to them and protect them.

We pray for world leaders, for compassion, strength and wisdom to guide their choices.

We pray for the world that in this moment of crisis, we may reach out in solidarity to our brothers and sisters in need.

May we walk in your ways so that peace and justice become a reality for the people of Ukraine and for all the world.

Amen



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Masses etc.

Fifth Sunday in Lent						
Saturday	2nd	5.30pm	Matthew Kennedy RIP			
Sunday	3rd	9.30am	People of the Parish			
		11.00am	Nazareth Family RIP			
Monday	4th	7.00am	Sarah Richardson Special Int			
		10.00am	Requiem Anne Moore			
Tuesday	5th	10.00am	Requiem Eileen Grant			
Wednesday	6th	NO MASS				
Thursday	7th	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 10—11 am				
		6.00pm	Stations of the Cross			
		6.45pm	Maria Hughes Birthday			

Palm Sunday

Robert de Asha RIP

Saturday	9th	5.30pm	Helen Daly Birthday
Sunday	10th	9.30am	Danny Hastings RIP
		11.00am	People of the Parish

12.00pm

8th

Confession: from 4.45 pm to 5.10 pm each Saturday evening.

Masses received this week: Adrian Williams & Jo, Special Intention, Elizabeth Fardey successful op, Ellen Cassidy speedy recovery, Departed Souls x 10, Linda Parkinson's intentions, Eileen Grant RIP, Laurence D'Annuzio RIP, Leah Baldwin Special Intention, Pat Hollaran RIP, Vic Thorp RIP, Theresa Hayes RIP

Enrolled into our Mass Association this week: *Lyndon Eleady-Cole RIP, Dora Cuffe RIP.*

The Sanctuary Lamp burns this week for:

Donald Sellers

The Marian Lamp burns this week for:

Mass Association

The St Paschal Baylon Lamp burns this week for:

Duffy Family



Ukraine Appeal—Update 29th March 2022

From Liverpool Archdiocesan Office—St Margaret Clitherow Centre

Dear all,

This morning, after travelling for three days, for 1,400 miles and through six countries; our drivers arrived at the Polish border and successfully delivered the donated goods for the people of Ukraine.

Our four drivers - Mike Sharkey, Andy Coley, Dave Lyon and Chris Joynt - met Bishop Gregory Komar, and students for the priesthood from the Holy Spirit Seminary in the Ukrainian diocese of Sambir-Drohobych, who will take the goods for distribution in the Lviv region of western Ukraine.

Images of the handover and videos (including a thank you message from Bishop Gregory to the people of the archdiocese) can be found on our <u>YouTube page</u>.

Please continue to pray for our drivers as they start their journey home.

In terms of financial donations, we have now raised over £60,500 for the #Liverpool4Ukraine appeal.

Thank you all for your continued support, we are truly grateful for everyone's overwhelming generosity throughout this appeal.

The retiring collection for the Ukraine Appeal here at Christ the King & Our Lady raised £2017.52

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT AND GENEROSITY

Mums and Tots Group

We are pleased to announced that Liz Scrutton has kindly agreed to re-establish the Mums and Tots group on a Thursday morning 9—11 am in the St John Vianney meeting room.

If anyone would be willing to help out please ring the Parish Office. Liz is hoping the Group will be up and running after the Easter break.

A.P.F/MILL HILL

The Red box collection will take place in the next few weeks.

Thanks for your generosity.

Parish Walking Group

Saturday 9th April, Lydiate Loop, meet 9.30am Church car park, flat fields & canal tow paths, CAR SHARE ESSENTIAL. Contact Jacqui 07864 511 807.
Wednesday 13th April, Sefton Park & Cuppa, meet at 10am fairy Glen Bridge car park. Check newsletter next week for meet time.
Contact Norman on 07914315240

Food Bank Donations

Please, if you can, continue to give generously. We would be grateful for items of food, toiletries, etc. Thank you

Parish Social Events

- Rock 'n' Roll Red Riding Hood Panto at the Everyman Theatre Friday, 25th November 2022 at 7pm. £12.00 per person.
 Tickets are extremely limited, so please contact the Parish Office as soon as possible to reserve a place.
- Afternoon Tea Jubilee Celebration Thursday 3rd June
 If you would like to help organise this event there will be a meeting in the St John Vianney room on Friday 8th April at 1 pm.

Readers Rotas

The new Readers Rotas beginning 2nd/3rd April are now available at the back of church.

The **Millenium Group** will be holding a *Craft Sale* after all Masses this weekend with many Easter items. Some samples of our goods which will be on sale are displayed on the bookshelf outside the Piety Stall.

Our Project at the moment is to support the work of the Butterfly Suite at Claire House which cares for bereaved families.

Thank you for your continued support.

SICK AND HOUSEBOUND

Please remember in your prayers the sick, housebound and all in our hospitals and homes.

Clare Battiste, Patricia Prentice, Julian James, Pauline Roberts, Scarlet Cook, Pat Brumskill, Connie McCarten, Winnie Tague, Kath White, Danny Smith, Margaret O'Connor, Ann Martin, Residents of Oak Springs Care Home, John Rix, Kath Brumskill, Keith Nieman & Adrian Williams.

If you know of any Parishioner who would like to be remembered in the prayers of the Parish please pass the details into the Parish Office.

Lately Dead: William Severs, *Anne Moore & Eileen Grant* We offer our prayers and sympathy to their families and friends.

Anniversaries: Josephine Johnson, Kathleen Coyle, Mary Quirk. We pray for all those whose anniversaries occur around this time.

Baptisms: This week we welcome into the Church

Orla Poppy Duggan

Weekly Collection: Thank you for your contribution to the work of the Parish which raised: £ 637.65plus the Standing Orders £845.40

Total: £1,483.05

The Retiring collection for the Ukraine Appeal raised £2017.52

Lenten Services

Stations of the Cross: Every Thursday at 6.00pm

followed by Mass at 6.45pm

Early Riser Mass 7.00am every Monday morning

Followed by tea and toast in the St John Vianney room. All welcome

During Lent a box for Lenten Alms will be out in the church porch.

The money raised will be sent to Asylum Link Merseyside.

Those living in this part of Liverpool will have three opportunities for an early morning Mass during the weekdays of Lent: Christ the King - 7.00am Monday; Bishop Eton - 7.00 am Wednesday; and St Mary's, Woolton - 7am Friday.

Saints of the Day

4th April—St Isidore. St Isidore of Seville, a scholar and, for over three decades, archbishop of Seville, is widely regarded as the last of the Fathers of the Church. Born:560AD, Cartagena, and died April 4,636AD,Seville. St Isidore wrote a 20 book opus Etymologies, also known as the origins, in which he tried to record everything that was known. Published after his death in 636, it was for a thousand years considered the encyclopaedia of all human knowledge. Written in simple Latin, it was all a man needed in order to have access to everything he wanted to know about the world but never dared ask, from the 28 types of common noun to the names of women's outer garments.

5th April– St Vincent Ferrer. Famous Dominican missionary, Vincent was born at Valencia 1350. In 1367 he entered the Dominican Order and showed great apostolic zeal. At Valladolid he converted a Rabbi, later well known as Bishop Paul of Burgos. At Salamanca Queen Yolanda of Aragon chose him for her confessor. St Vincent felt that he was the messenger of penance sent to prepare men for the judgement. His austere life was but the living expression of his doctrine. The floor was his usual bed; perpetually fasting, he arose at two in the morning to chant he office, celebrating Mass daily, afterwards preaching, sometimes three hours, and frequently working miracles. After his midday meal he would tend the sick children; at eight o'clock he prepared his sermon for the following day. He died April 5th 1419.

7th April-St John Baptist de la Salle 1651 1719. John Baptiste de la Salle was born in Rheims, France known as the Father of Modern Pedagogy. He opened three schools for poor children, introducing new teaching methods. He organised the congregation called the Brothers of the Christian schools which made great contributions to popular education. Patron of Teachers.

8th April– St Julie Billiart. St Julie Billiart was a French religious leader who founded, and was the first Superior General of the Congregation of Sisters of Notre Dame de Namur. She was born on 12th July 1751, at Cuvilly, Picardy, Beauvais, Oise, France, the sixth of seven children of Jean-Francois Billiart and Marie-Louise-Antoinette. By the age of seven, she knew the catechism by heart, and used to gather her companions around her to hear her recite it and to explain it to them. Her education was confined to the rudiments obtained at the village school kept by her uncle, Thibault Guilbiert. In spiritual things her progress was so rapid that the parish priest, Father Dongicourt, allowed her to make her First Communion and to be confirmed aged 9. She took a vow of chastity five years later. She died on 8 April 1816, at the motherhouse of her institute, Namur, Belgium, aged 64.

With You Always Programme

Palm Sunday Activity Day - Sunday 10th April (children only) 1-3pm

Parents will need to complete the Parental Consent forms available from our catechists for the activity day this weekend.

CHRIST THE KING AND OUR LADY HOLY WEEK SERVICES 2022

Thursday 14th April

7.30pm Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper

Watching until 10.00pm—ending with Night

Prayer

Good Friday, 15th April

10.00am Office of Readings and Morning Prayer

11.00am Stations of the Cross

(led by Children of the Parish)

3.00pm Solemn Liturgy of the Passion

6.30pm Meditations at the Cross

Holy Saturday, 16th April

8.00pm Solemn Vigil of Easter (*First Mass of Easter*)

Easter Sunday, 17th April

9.30am Holy Mass for Easter Day

11.00am Holy Mass Easter Day

Easter Flowers

As Easter approaches we turn our thoughts to the decoration of the church to mark this great feast of new life in a fitting manner. If you would like your loved ones remembered in our Easter List Masses, please list the names of your loved ones to be remembered on an Easter Flowers slip and place it in the printed envelopes at the back of church.