

## 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
Thursday	9.00-11.00am	Baby & Toddler Group
Resumes 15th September		

### 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

**Office Hours:** Monday 9am-3.45pm , Tuesday 9.30am-3.30pm, Thursday 9am-3.45 pm and Friday 9am-3.45pm CLOSED ALL DAY WEDNESDAY and WEEKENDS

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### Schools

<b>Christ the King</b>	0151-722-3462	Head Teacher	Mr D Delaney
<b>Our Lady of Good Help</b>	0151-733-6937	Head Teacher	Mr M McQuiston
<b>St. Paschal Baylon</b>	0151-722-0464	Head Teacher	Mr 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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# CHURCH OF CHRIST THE KING

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## The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary 14th August 2022 Psalter Week 4 Year C

Today we celebrate the sacred Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Although our separated Protestant brethren are unfortunately often hesitant to venerate the sweet Virgin Mother of Christ as a result of the persistent attitudes of 16th century revolutionaries who held to a strict and unbiblical “Bible alone” construct, one which jettisoned the Tradition of the Church and the beliefs of early Christians, setting aside the beautiful and singularly unique role of Mary, Catholics around the world celebrate with joy this wondrous day, since we owe it to Mary’s virtues of faith, hope and love, along with her unwavering fidelity to God the Father, that redemption was won and salvation was made available to humankind.

Mary’s role in the work of salvation is unique, unrepeatable and essential: in virtue of her “yes” to the angel Gabriel (see Lk 1:26 ff.), Christ was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit in her womb. At that very instant is found the first moment of the redemption of humankind, for the Son of God had assumed an individual human nature to himself within her precious, holy womb; God and man were united, and thus men were raised to the heavenly realm. In virtue of Mary’s “yes” to the salvific plan of God, Christ was born into the world and a wondrous unity of God and man became a reality. History would never be the same.

**In honour of the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, there will be a Holy Hour of Eucharistic Adoration concluding with Benediction at 4.00pm**  
**All are welcome to attend.**

We apologise when times and Mass intentions occasionally need to be changed at short notice for Requiem Masses

## The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Saturday	13th	5.30pm	Frank & Tony Hunter RIP
Sunday	14th	9.30am	Geraldine & Ken Roberts RIP
		11.00am	People of the Parish

**In honor of the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, there will be a Holy Hour ( 4-5pm) of Eucharistic Adoration concluding with Benediction All are welcome to attend.**

Monday	15th	9.00am	Derek Greer RIP
Tuesday	16th	7.00am	Michael McDonald: Spec Intention
Wednesday	17th		NO MASS
Thursday	18th	7.00pm	Tatenda Bako: Special Intention

### Exposition of Blessed Sacrament 9.30 - 10.30am

Friday	19th	12.00pm	Stella Murphy RIP
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## Twenty-First Sunday of Ordinary Time

Saturday	20th	5.30pm	People of the Parish
Sunday	21st	9.30am	Ron Kelly RIP
		11.00am	Cathy Steyne RIP

**Confession:** Saturday evening 4.45 pm to 5.10 pm

**Masses received this week:** *Anthony Caslin RIP*

**Enrolled into our Mass association this week:** *Cathline Carney x 3, Maureen Walker RIP x 2, Kristy Parker-Boss*

**The Sanctuary Lamp burns this week for:**  
People of Ukraine

**The Marian Lamp burns this week for:**

*Anne McGuinness*

**The St Paschal Baylon Lamp burns this week for:**

*Thanksgiving for safe arrival of Freddie Findlay Mullin*



**THE UKRANIUM FAMILY Hub:** The hub in Warrington is looking for volunteers and hosts to support individuals and families in Ukraine who are seeking safety from the war. More details are in the poster at the back of church.

## A Day of prayer for Ukraine

The Council of the Bishops' Conferences of Europe has proposed a day of prayer across Europe for Ukraine on Wednesday 14 September. The Council has asked that cathedrals and other major churches host a period of Eucharistic adoration. In response, the Metropolitan Cathedral will be having a period of exposition from 4pm-5pm that day and then Mass for peace in Ukraine will be celebrated at 5pm.

**Our parish will be participating in this special day of prayer with Eucharistic adoration and a Mass for peace. Further details to follow.**

## 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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### **Parish Coach Trip to York**

A coach has been booked to take us to the bustling city of York where there's always something to see and do whatever the weather.

Departing from Church on Saturday, 1 October at 9am, seats £20.

To reserve yours ring Jacqui on 07864 511 807.

Payments to be handed in to the parish office in an envelope clearly marked **'York' with your name and telephone number on.**

### **Relics of St Bernadette**

The relics of St Bernadette will be journeying to England, Scotland, and Wales for the very first time. This very special once in a lifetime event will provide an opportunity for people of all ages and backgrounds to experience the special gifts and charisms of Lourdes, in a cathedral near them.

### **Liverpool venues and times:**

#### **Anglican Cathedral**

17th September 11.00am—2.30pm

#### **Metropolitan Cathedral of Christ the King**

17th—20th September 3.30pm until 7.00am

There will be Masses, anointing of the sick, confessions and torchlight processions during this time.

To view the whole schedule, visit:

<http://www.liverpoolcatholic.org.uk/StBernadettesRelics->

### **Millenium Group**

At 12.30pm on Saturday 8th October the Millennium Group are hosting a fundraising Lovely Ladies Lunch at Eton Place on Woolton Road. For only £25 a two course lunch, including a complimentary welcome drink, is offered. This is our 33<sup>rd</sup> project and we are responding to a request from **Habibti** a local group supporting the work of a maternity hospital in Yemen.

For full details see poster at the back of church.

Enquiries to Val on 07954419819.

**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, Garry Hilton, Anne King, Margaret Hopkins, Frank Barnwell, Sean Burn & Kaleigh Prentice.

*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.*

**Anniversaries: Winifred Collins, Michael Sloan, Thomas O'Malley.**

*We pray for all those whose anniversaries occur around this time.*

**Wedding: Leanne Rose Therese Talbot & Andrew Thomas Morris**

We offer our congratulations and very best wishes for a long and happy marriage.

**Baptisms:** This week we welcome into the Church

**Albie Henry Rooney and Polly Adele Blake**

**Weekly Collection:** Thank you for your contribution to the work of the Parish which raised: £735.52 plus the Standing Orders £845.40

**Total: £1,580.92**

**Thanks to everyone who takes part in the CTK Makeover Fund Tote**

**The AUGUST draw has taken place and the winning numbers were 22 and 72.**

If you would like to join in with the Tote please set up a Standing Order to CTK Makeover Fund. Sort code 53-70-44. Account 8541 1434. £5 on the first of each month. See more information in the Church Porch.

## Saints of the Day

**Solemnity of the Assumption of Mary:** August 15. The doctrine of the Assumption of Mary is recent: 1950. But the belief among the faithful that Mary was assumed body and soul into heaven at the time of her death dates to the early Church. Mary is also the summation of all Christians — what happened to her, will happen to us. Thus, she is the testimony of our own resurrection at the end of time.

**Saint Stephen of Hungary:** August 16. Saint Stephen was both a king and a Christian. So, he embodied both the civil and the religious aspects of life in his person. Saint Stephen expressed those aspects in the best way he knew how according to his culture and period of history. He serves as proof that the faith is definitely rooted in the persons who believe.

**Saint John Eudes:** August 19. Saint John Eudes was a noted preacher and confessor. He founded several seminaries because he saw the need for clerical formation. He also founded a couple of religious communities to address the needs that he saw. Saint John had a great devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of Mary.

**Saint Bernard of Clairvaux:** August 20. Wanting to be a simple monk in the quiet of a monastery, Saint Bernard of Clairvaux was called upon to be a very active member of the Church in his day. Preacher, reconciler, adviser, healer—just a few of the roles he was called to play. A man of many talents, he used his abilities for the service of the Church.

**Saint Pius X :** August 21. A man of humble background, and wanting to maintain a simple lifestyle, Saint Pius X endured the trappings of the papacy as best he could. Known for encouraging frequent reception of Holy Communion, and concerned about world affairs, he led the Church in holiness and grace. He was undoubtedly one of the greatest popes of the 20th century.

## Rite of Catholic Initiation in Adults (RCIA)

If you, or anyone you know, would be interested in finding out more about the Catholic Faith why not join our next program commencing in October 2022? To register your interest please contact the Parish Office—722 2231

## Parish Defibrillator

We have a life-saving defibrillator located in the church porch by the main entrance. Several of our parishioners have been trained in its use. However, no formal training is required to use one. In the event of a life threatening situation they are designed to be used by anyone—even children—as full visual and verbal instructions are given upon opening and activating the device.

## Parish Coffee Morning

Our first coffee morning will take place on Friday 9th September between 9 and 11 a.m in the church Porch. Open to all, we are hoping our coffee mornings will provide an opportunity to relax and catch up with others from the local community.

## Food Bank Donations

Please remember to continue with your generous food donations, especially during the school holidays when many families with young children may have difficulties making ends meet. Thank you

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