#### 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 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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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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## Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time 2nd October 2022 Psalter Week 3 Year C

#### **Background on the Gospel Reading**

In today's Gospel we hear Jesus teach about faith and service to God. The context is a continuing dialogue between Jesus and his followers about what it means to be a disciple of Jesus. Jesus has just finished an instruction on sin and forgiveness. There are two related teachings that Jesus offers to his disciples when they cry out for an increase in faith. The first is the familiar reminder that faith, even just a little, will enable the followers of Jesus to do wondrous things. But this uplifting and inspiring teaching is quickly followed by the second teaching, a caution about knowing one's place in God's plans. The disciples of Jesus are to understand themselves as servants to God and his plans. Even when God works wonders through us, with our mustard seed-sized faith, we must not seek praise. Our participation in God's plans is God's grace to us—nothing more, nothing less. When we are graced enough to cooperate with God, the work we do is nothing more than our obligation to God as faithful stewards. And yet, our faith enables us to believe that what we have offered in service to God, as his servants, can be made to produce a hundredfold.

### **Next Friday is CAFOD Harvest Fast Day**

Millions of families are facing a food crisis that could be the worst in living memory. Your donations can help CAFOD's local experts to provide emergency food supplies to families in the worst affected countries in East Africa and support communities around the world working hard to put food on the table.

Please give today or start a regular gift to CAFOD. Use the envelope or go to cafod.org.uk/fastday

Sr Maureen will be available after each Mass next weekend with a QR-code, if anyone wishes to scan their donation.

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notice for	Wednesday	5th		NO MASS		
Requiem	Thursday	6th	9.30am	Danny Hastir	ngs RIP	
Masses	Exposition of Blessed Sacrament 10.00–11.00am					
	Friday	7th	12.00pm	Neil Foran RIF		
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### Twenty-Eighth Sunday of Ordinary Time

Saturday	8th	5.30pm	Norah Feenan
Sunday	9th	9.30am	People of the Parish
		11.00am	Emma & Sydney Burke RIP

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

Masses received this week: Tony Butler RIP X2, Walter Crummey RIP, Ron Kelly RIP, Alicia Butler & family, Jess James, Liam Harkin, Frank & Tony Hunter RIP, Suzanne Williams RIP 100th Birthday, Betty Sager RIP & Barbara Fairclough

#### **Enrolled into our Mass association this week:**

**B&C 50th Wedding Anniversary** 

## The Sanctuary Lamp burns this week for:

Nancy Minski RIP

### The Marian Lamp burns this week for:

Mass Association

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

Sheila & Jim Moonan RIP



### **Walking Group Update**

The Parish Walking Group has now been formed for just over 12 months and we have enjoyed regular Saturday walks together, some close to home and others further afield. All walks are planned to include people who are not 'seasoned walkers' and there is always the opportunity for people to shorten or lengthen their walk. We will always welcome newcomers and on every walk we include a contact's name who can give further details and arrange transport if necessary.

**15<sup>th</sup> October** Lydiate Loop. Meet at Church at 9.30 am. This walk is on the flat, through fields and along canal paths, can be muddy after rain. Should take approx. 3 hours. Contact Jacqui for further details or to arrange car shares - 07864 511807

**29**<sup>th</sup> **October Sefton Coastal Walk.** Approx 6 miles, a flat walk mostly along Promenades. Meet at Liverpool South Parkway at 9.30 am for 9.39 am train to Hightown. Contact Angela for further details or to arrange a lift to the station - 07870 931977

12<sup>th</sup> November Otterspool Prom to town and back. Meet at Red Sitting Bull on prom at 10 am, walk to town, cuppa in Tate Gallery and then walk back. 10 miles round trip or you can catch the bus home from town. Contact Jacqui for further details or to arrange a lift - 07864 511807

**26<sup>th</sup> November Childwall Circular**. Childwall Valley Road – Score Lane Park – Childwall Woods – Childwall Priory Road. Stopping for a cuppa at Zara's Hub then back to church. Approx 3-4 miles on pavements and footpaths. Contact Norman for further details 07914 315240

### Parish Pilgrimage to the North East update.

For those who are booked onto the pilgrimage in October please note that the remaining balance is now due. As a result of increased costs, particularly regarding catering, there is now a additional supplement of £20 per person.

Sorry for this increase due to circumstances beyond the control of Ushaw college. Please note that the pilgrimage is running at cost price without any profit being made.

### **SVP Meeting**

The next meeting will take place on Saturday, 8th October 2022 at 10 am in the St John Vianney meeting room.

#### SICK AND HOUSEBOUND

#### **MASSES IN OUR 3 PRIMARY SCOOLS**

From this coming Monday a weekly mass will recommence on a weekly basis in one of our 3 primary schools. This will take place each Monday at 9.15am on a Rota basis. The first celebration will be with the staff and children of CtK school. This will be a daily mass for the parish and all are welcome to attend.

# Possible Parish Coach Trip – Christmas at Castle Howard LAST CHANCE TO REGISTER INTEREST!

Jacqui has enquired about hiring a coach to take a group to Castle Howard to enjoy their 'Into the Woods, A Fairytale Christmas Experience' on Monday, 28 November. Tickets would cost £38 to include the coach and entry into the event. The event will transform grand rooms into magical forests and faraway kingdoms.

Expect to be enchanted by theatrical installations and projections that bring to life your favourite fairytales as the sounds of glass slippers on ballroom floors and horse-drawn pumpkins echo through the great halls via state-of-the-art soundscapes. During the festive period, visitors can indulge in Christmas shopping, from unique gifts to delicious local produce.

To gauge interest, please leave your name and number only with the Parish Office asap, we need 37 and only have 12 at present. If this number is not reached by Friday the trip will not go ahead.

Many thanks.

#### **Coffee Morning**

The next Coffee Morning will be held on Friday 7th October 2022 from 9.30 to 11.30 am

#### **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.

## 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.

**Lately Dead:** Geraldene Peacock

We offer our prayers and sympathy to her family and friends.

**Anniversaries:** Marion Foster, Annie Brown

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

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

## Jacques Noah & Emmie Nova Davies River Rose O'Donnell Michael Andrew & Miley Joanne Askew-Gannon

Weekly Collection: Thank you for your contribution to the work of the

Parish which raised: £937.31 plus the Standing Orders £845.40

Total: £1782.71

## Thanks to everyone who takes part in the CTK Makeover Fund Tote The September draw has now taken place.

The winning numbers were 14 & 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.

#### A.P.F. MILL HILL

Mission boxes are due to be emptied during the next few weeks.

Thank you for your generosity.

## Saints of the Day

4th October– St Francis of Assisi (1181-1226) On a pilgrimage to Rome Francis was moved by compassion for the beggars before St Peter's and exchanging his clothes with one of them, he spent a day himself begging for Alms. He returned to Assisi, gave up his inheritance and set about ministering to lepers. In church one morning he heard the Lord's words read, bidding His disciples to leave all. He then put on a long dark garment girded with a cord and set out to save souls, attracting a little band of like-minded followers. The result was the Franciscan order.

**5th October– St Faustina** (1905 –1938) Maria Faustyna Kowalska of the Blessed Sacrament and popularly spelled Faustina, was a Roman Polish Catholic nun and mystic. Her apparitions of Jesus Christ inspired the Roman Catholic devotion to the Divine Mercy and earned her the title of "Secretary of Divine Mercy"

**6th October-St Bruno** c.1032 –1101. Born in Cologne, the founder of the Carthusian order, Bruno was a great academic. In 1084 St Hugh gave him the forest covered mountainous land of the Chartreuse and he and his followers built an oratory with cells round it. Their form of monasticism emphasised poverty, solitude and austerity, inspired by the primitive monks of Egypt and Palestine. After only six years, Pope Urban summoned Bruno to Rome to advise him about the state of the Church. Bruno settled in a hermitage.

**7th October– Our Lady of the Rosary**. St. Pius V instituted this feast in thanksgiving for the naval victory over the Turks at the battle at Lepanto, which prevented Islam overrunning Europe. In modern times successive Popes have urged the faithful to pray the Rosary - to meditate on the mysteries of Christ in union with Mary.

9th October - St John Henry Newman. Born in London in 1801. He was an English theologian and poet, first an Anglican priest and later became a Catholic and a priest after being drawn first to the high-church tradition in the Church of England. He left the Church of England in 1845 after preparation to be received into the Church by Blessed Dominic Barberi. He continued as an influential religious leader and founded the Birmingham Oratory. He was created a cardinal by Pope Leo XIII in 1879. He died in Birmingham on 11th August, 1890 aged 89 and was canonised by Pope Francis on 13th October, 2019.

#### **Knights of St Columba Annual Sponsored Walk**

Annual Sponsored Walk Sunday 2nd October 2022

Starting at 2.00 pm from the Royal Albert Dock gates (opposite the Hilton Hotel), walking along the riverside to finish at St Charles church on Aigburth Road where refreshments will be provided.

This year's walk is in aid of Asylum Link Merseyside, which is based at St Annes Centre Overbury St and does so much great work in the community.

If you would like to join us you would be most welcome.

Envelopes / sponsorship will be collected after Masses next weekend **8th/9th October**.

Many thanks on behalf of the Knights of St Columba Council 9

#### **SVP Autumn Social**

This will take place on **Sunday, 16 October** in the St John Vianney meeting room from **2pm-4pm** where a light lunch with teas and coffees will be served. This is a wonderful opportunity for those in our community who may not be able to join us at Mass as often as they would wish to come along and have a catch up.

Over the next few weeks, our SVP team will contact those parishioners they have contact numbers for to invite them along.

If you know someone who you feel may not be on their list and would benefit from such an afternoon, please pass their name and contact details to the parish office asap. All transport will be arranged.

#### 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 on **Wednesday 5th October 2022 at 7.00pm.** To register your interest please contact the Parish Office—722 2231

## Christ the King School—Vacancy <u>Lunchtime Supervisor—required as soon as possible</u>

Our school requires an adult to help supervise our children (ages 4-11) during lunchtimes, help with meals, play games and ensure that the children are happy and safe. Must be flexible and a good team member.

Hours: 11.45am to 1.15pm daily Interested? Please visit: <a href="https://www.christthekingcatholicprimary.co.uk/vacancies/">https://www.christthekingcatholicprimary.co.uk/vacancies/</a>
Application deadline 10th Oct, Interviews Mon 17th October See notice board for further details