

## 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
	3.45pm –4.30pm	3Ps YR 5 Youth Meeting
Wednesday	7 pm - 9 pm	Faith, Seeking, Understanding
Thursday	9.00-11.00am	Baby & Toddler Group
Friday	9.30—11.30am	Coffee Morning

### 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 or email [ctksvp@gmail.com](mailto:ctksvp@gmail.com)

### 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

Contact information Tel 0151-722-2231 Email [ctkandol@rcaol.org.uk](mailto:ctkandol@rcaol.org.uk)

Web site [www.ctkandol.org.uk](http://www.ctkandol.org.uk) <https://@www.ctkandol.org>

### Schools

**Christ the King** 0151-722-3462 Head Teacher Mr D Delaney  
**Our Lady of Good Help** 0151-733-6937 Head Teacher Mr M McQuiston  
**St. Paschal Baylon** 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 Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary time**  
**12th November 2023 Psalter Week 4 Year A**

**A prayer of petition for those affected by war**

*God of justice and peace,  
 we pray for those who have been injured  
 or disabled through war.  
 For those who have lost homes  
 and security through conflict;  
 for those who have lost loved relatives in wars;  
 for those who face danger and take risks for peace;  
 for all those, especially children, caught up in current  
 conflicts;  
 for refugees and all those in need of aid and other help.  
 God of encouragement  
 and Saviour of the despairing,  
 comfort those who remember past sacrifices  
 and guide us in building  
 a just and peaceful community for all.  
 Amen.*

## Solemn Forty Hours Exposition

The Solemn Forty Hours of Exposition will take place from **Thursday 23rd—Saturday 25th November** and is an opportunity to gather as a community before the Blessed Sacrament and to pray before the Lord in solemn adoration. It gives us time to deepen our appreciation of the importance of the mystery of the Eucharist in our lives

**Please put your name down on the rota for Hours of Watching.**

## PARISH OF CHRIST THE KING & OUR LADY

### The Thirty-Second Sunday of Ordinary Time

Saturday	11th	5.30pm	People of the Parish
Sunday	12th	9.30am	George Bowland RIP
		11.00am	Pious List
Monday	13th	9.15am	Liam Harkin <b>Mass at OLGH School</b>
Tuesday	14th	9.10am	Bridie McInerney RIP
		<b>10.30am</b>	<b>Requiem Mass for Terence Murphy</b>
Wednesday	15th		NO MASS
Thursday	16th	9.30am	Sr Elizabeth McMahon

### *Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 10.00am– 11.00am*

Friday	17th	12.00pm	Baby Summer RIP
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### The Thirty-Third Sunday of Ordinary Time

Saturday	18th	5.30pm	Pious List
Sunday	19th	9.30am	Maureen & Thomas Adams Anniversary
		11.00am	People of the Parish

### *Confessions commence at 4.45pm each Saturday*

**Masses received this week:** *Sr Shirley Marsh RIP, Terry Murphy RIP x 2*

**Mass Association:** *Francis Sedgewick RIP*

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

*The Deceased of Two World Wars and all recent conflicts*

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

*Enrolled Members of the Mass Association*

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

*Terry Murphy RIP*

## Why God Became Man: Pre-Advent Retreat: 24-26 November

Join the Christian Heritage Centre's pre-Advent retreat reflecting on the mystery of the Incarnation and exploring the beauty and the implications of the Christmas event. Preached by Fr de Malleray FSSP, Mass will be offered in the Extraordinary Form, with daily Holy Hour, and plenty of time for prayer and reflection. <https://christianheritagecentre.com/events/why-god-became-man-weekend-retreat/>

**Are you currently in Lower Sixth/Year 12/S5? Are you considering a public-facing career? Do you want to help build a Christian society?**

The Christian Leadership Formation programme uniquely offers a combination of stimulating and high-quality intellectual content, spiritual nourishment, personal development, inter-personal skills, team-building and socials in a tightly-knit community experience, with expert academics and professionals. Open to any student who is motivated by their faith and their studies, with bursaries available as needed. *More information and applications via our new website* [www.christianleadershipformation.com](http://www.christianleadershipformation.com)

### Pilgrim Way for the Archdiocese of Liverpool

*Hearts in Search of God* is a project to promote walking pilgrimage in England & Wales focused on developing Pilgrim Ways from every Catholic cathedral to one or more shrines in the same diocese. They have recently published a Pilgrim Way for the Archdiocese of Liverpool, a 30.1 mile long route from the Metropolitan Cathedral to the Shrines of Blessed Dominic Barberi in St Helens & St Edmund Arrowsmith in Ashton-in-Makerfield. All the details and some photos can be found here: <https://www.pilgrimways.org.uk/the-liverpool-pilgrim-way-is-ready-to-walk>

### VATICAN II LECTURES

In collaboration with Liverpool Hope University, Liverpool Archdiocese is proud to announce a series of lectures that will take place between October and February exploring the 4 constitution documents of Vatican II. They will take place at Liverpool Hope University and will also be made available to people online. Tickets are available here <http://bit.ly/3QI4e5R>

### **COST OF LIVING ASSEMBLY – 16th November 2023, 7-8.30pm (online)**

This Assembly is co-hosted by Together Liverpool, a social justice charity of the Diocese of Liverpool and Church Urban Fund, with the Archdiocese of Liverpool's social action coordinator.

The main speaker is from the Joint Public Issues Team (JPIT) will talk about working for lasting change, and the new Let's End Poverty movement. For more information and registration:

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/network-of-kindness-cost-of-living->

### **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 meeting:

**Wednesday 15th November 2023 at 7pm**

in the St John Vianney meeting room

**Topic: *The Mass (1)***

### **Coffee Mornings**

**Friday 9.30 to 11.30 am in church porch**

This is a great opportunity to get together with fellow parishioners and enjoy a cup of tea and a natter. Please come along.

**All Welcome!**

### **Ladies' Christmas Lunch**

**At DEFNE, Childwall Priory Road, Liverpool L16 7PF**

**Saturday 9th December 2023 at 12.30pm for 1pm.**

£25.00 per person 2 Course Meal. Bring your own wine £5.00 corkage.

Entertainment: **Johnathon Laybourne** Soul singer. Raffle, bingo & prizes.

For booking contact **Val on 07954 419819**. All proceeds to

**The Big Help Project—feeding families in Liverpool**

### **GIFT AID DONATIONS**

**Would you kindly advise the Parish Office if your circumstances have recently changed and you are no longer paying Income Tax.**

**Many thanks for your support of the Parish.**

### **Coach Trip to York**

A 29 seater coach has been booked for **Sunday, 19 November** and will depart church at 9am, leaving York about 4.30pm. In order to ensure all seats are sold, this day trip is also being advertised in Bishop Eton and OLA so to secure your seat contact Jacqui on 07864 511 807 asap. Seats are £25 and payable immediately into the parish office.

### **CAFOD Israeli-Palestinian Crisis Appeal & World Gifts**

Donate to CAFOD's Israeli-Palestinian Crisis Appeal at [cafod.org.uk/ipc](http://cafod.org.uk/ipc) or call 0303 303 3030 to support those affected and get funds to local trusted experts in Gaza and southern Israel who have been working alongside communities helping those most in need. Your donation will help support aid workers providing urgent humanitarian aid including food, water and emergency shelter to those in need. Also, please consider gifting an item from CAFOD's World Gift catalogue available at the back of church. Thank you for your prayers.

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

Clare Battiste, Patricia Prentice, Julian James, Pauline Roberts, Scarlet Keating, Pat Brumskill, Connie McCarten, Danny Smith, Margaret O'Connor, Residents of Oak Springs Care Home, John Rix, Keith Nieman, Adrian Williams, Garry Hilton, Anne King, Margaret Hopkins, Frank Barnwell, Kaleigh Bold, Moira Houghton, John Williams, Mary Joyce, Mary Dunne, Bobby Rodriguez, Peter Fitzpatrick, Christopher Byrne, Samantha, Patricia Brittles, Josephine Jones, David Sellars, Peggy Aliski and Toni Simpson.

*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: Molly Dixon, Maria Fogg, Ann Carlin, Winifred Colligan, Joan Dolan, Michael Darley, Joan Sweeney & John Quirk**

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

**Lately Dead: Terence Murphy and Ann Martin**

*We offer our prayers and sympathy to their families and friends.*

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

***Willow Kathryn Price & Heidi Monica Mary Paine***

**Weekly Collection:** Thank you for your contribution to the work of the Parish which raised: £1,009.11 plus the Standing Orders £845.40

**Total: £1,854.51**

### **CTK Makeover Fund Tote**

**The winning numbers for the October Draw are 3 & 16**

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.

**Draw numbers are in a transparent pouch pinned to the notice board in the Church Porch.**

### **A.P.F./ Mill Hill**

The collection from the red boxes this quarter amounted to **£1956.04**. On behalf of the missionaries a big thank you to all who contributed to this very worthwhile cause.

## SAINTS OF THE WEEK

**15th November– St Albert the Great.** Albert the Great was a Dominican friar and bishop. Unsuccessful as an administrator, he resigned his see in 1262 to devote all his energies to teaching and writing, taking a prominent part in the council of Lyons (1274) and at Paris (1277). He staunchly defended the teachings of his disciple St Thomas Aquinas. God endowed Albert with the talent of combining human wisdom and strength.

**16th November: St Edmund of Canterbury** 1175 –1240. Known as Edmund of Abingdon, he was a merchant then became a monk. Teaching arts at Oxford University he was the first Oxford master to be canonised. He was appointed Archbishop of Canterbury in 1233. Although he did not find administration and politics to his liking, he became a notable and effective reforming bishop. He died in France on his way to see the pope.

**16th November: St Margaret of Scotland,** or Margaret of Wessex, was an English Princess born in Hungary to Princess Agatha of Hungary and English Prince Edward the exile around 1045. Malcolm Canmore III, the king of Scotland, welcomed Margaret and her family and put them under his protection. He soon fell deeply in love with the beautiful and kind princess. Margaret and Malcolm became married in 1070 at the castle of Dunfermline. Together they had eight children, six sons and two daughters. In 1093, Malcolm and their eldest son were killed during the battle of Alnwick. Already ill and worn from a life full of austerity and fasting, Margaret passed away four days after her husband, on November 16th, 1093. Her body was buried before the high altar at Dunfermline.

**17th November: St Hilda.** Born in 614, Hilda was baptised in 627 at the age of thirteen by St Paulinus of York. Hilda lived as a lay woman until age 33 when she became a Benedictine nun at the monastery in Chelles in France. She became abbess of Hartlepool and then Whitby which under her leadership became a centre of learning, literature and arts. Hilda followed the Celtic liturgy and rule, but many houses had adopted the continental Benedictine rule and Roman liturgy. Hilda conveyed a synod in 664 to establish a single rule. The synod settled on the Roman and Benedictine and they were adopted throughout England.

**17th November: St Hugh of Lincoln.** Hugh was born in Burgundy about 1135 and early in life became a Carthusian. When the Charterhouse at Whitham, near Frampton was founded, he was sent by King Henry II to take charge of it. At first he refused to become Prior because people had been evicted from their homes to make room for the new buildings. Only when they had been compensated did he assume office. In 1186 he was appointed to Lincoln, the largest diocese in the country, which had been vacant for 16 years. He was active and lively and proved a good bishop. Injustice quickly aroused his anger.

**18th November –Dedication of the Basilicas of St Peter & Paul.** The tomb of St Peter in the Vatican was the site for the great basilica of St Peter built by the Emperor Constantine about 330. The basilica of St Paul was built about the fourth century. These two sites have always been centres of pilgrimage honouring the two great apostles.

## **Gospel Power 2024**

Next weekend we warmly welcome **Sister Lalaine** from **Pauline Books** who will be promoting the book **Gospel Power 2024**. An invaluable book with new insights and depth of meaning to enrich our daily reading of God's word throughout the liturgical year.

It includes: Scripture references for daily Mass, Response to the Psalm, the daily Gospel and two Scripture readings for Sunday Masses and an excellent, short reflection on the Gospel reading for the day.

## **SVP Christmas Lunch**

This will take place on **Sunday, 26 November in the St John Vianney meeting room from 1pm** and will include Mass, hot Christmas lunch and music. The SVP will contact all their regular attendees to invite them along. If you have never been to one of their events and feel you would benefit from an afternoon socialising then please leave your name and contact number with the Parish Office. We have limited transport availability so guests are requested to make their own arrangements if possible. These afternoons are aimed at those parishioners who perhaps are unable to attend Mass as often as they used to or for those who would benefit from some companionship.

## **November is the Month of the Holy Souls**

Pious Lists Envelopes are available at the back of the church. Please put the names of any loved ones you wish to be remembered during November on a note in one of the envelopes and return it to us. Your donations can be gift aided by putting your Gift Aid order number on the envelope.

## **Mary's First Holy Communion Group**

**Friday evenings at 3.45pm in the Church**

Meeting dates for the remainder of the year are as follows:

**17th & 24th November and 1st December**

## **Makeover Fund - CAN YOU HELP**

**We are now planning our Christmas Fayre on Saturday December 2nd in the Parish Centre.**

We would be very grateful if you could donate any of the following:

Small selection boxes. Gift / toiletry sets. New toys.

Wrapping paper. Bottles: alcoholic and non alcoholic. Raffle Prizes.

Boxes will be in the porch for any donations.

Many thanks for your continued support