REGULAR PARISH GATHERINGS/MEETINGS

All meetings take place in the St John Vianney Meeting Room

Weekly:

Monday 1.00pm-3.30pm Craft Group

6.00pm –7.00pm 3PS Group

Tuesday 10.00am-12.30pm Deaf Craft Group

Thursday 9.00-11.00am Baby & Toddler Group

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

SVP Confidential Phone line 07562 694 624 or email 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

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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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Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B - 23rd June 2024

TRUSTING IN GOD'S POWER

The readings for the 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B show us God's power and our need to trust Him. In the first reading, God reminds Job of His control over the sea. He set boundaries for the waters and commands the waves.

This shows God's authority over creation. Even the mighty sea, which can be so powerful and frightening, obeys God's commands. We can trust that God is in control of everything in our lives too.

In the Gospel, we see Jesus calming the storm. The disciples are afraid, but Jesus shows His power over the wind and sea. He asks them why they are afraid and questions their faith.

FINDING PEACE IN CHRIST

When we face storms in our own lives, we can remember Jesus' power. Just as He calmed the sea for the disciples, He can bring peace to our troubled hearts. We only need to trust Him and have faith.

Paul's letter to the Corinthians tells us that Christ's love changes us. We no longer live for ourselves, but for Him. In Christ, we become new creations, leaving our old ways behind.

This new life in Christ is full of hope and promise. When we trust in His love, we can face any storm with courage. We know that He is with us, guiding and protecting us.

Retiring collection for Peters Pence next weekend!

PARISH OF CHRIST THE KING & OUR LADY

The Twelfth Sunday of Ordinary Time

Saturday	22nd	5.30pm	Guiseppe 'Pino' Rausa RIP	
Sunday	23rd	9.30am	People of the Parish	
		11.00am	George Boyd RIP	
Monday	24th	9.10am	Tommy King RIP (in church)	
		12.00pm	Funeral Liturgy: Patrick Johnson	
Tuesday	25th	9.10am	Benita Gil RIP	
Wednesday	26th		NO MASS	
Thursday	27th	9.30am	Robert Withington RIP	
10am-11 am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament				
Friday	28th	12.00pm	John McDonald RIP	

Feast of Saints Peter & Paul

Saturday	29th	5.30pm	George Fretson - Special Intention
Sunday	30th	9.30am	Mary Roberts (Kate) RIP
		11.00am	People of the Parish

Mass Intentions received this week: Paula Larkin: Birthday greetings, Bernie Houghton, Rachel Scott: Successful Operation, Martin Hiddleston RIP

Mass Association: Samantha McManus RIP x 3, Norah Tinsley, Shelagh McGauley, Margaret Fawcett, Tessie Garry RIP x 3

The Sanctuary Lamp burns this week for:

Lena Tallon RIP - Birthday Remembrance

The Marian Lamp burns for:

Mass Association Members

The St Paschal Baylon Lamp burns for:

Grateful Thanks (P Jackman)



The Bentley Operatic Society presents: OKLAHOMA!

At the Capstone Theatre, Shaw Street, Liverpool L6 1HP 26th—29th June Wed to Sat at 7.30 pm plus Sat Matinee 2.30 pm For tickets see Angela 07870 931 977 or info on Poster in the porch

Theatre Tickets

The Parish has a block booking of 25 seats at the Everyman Theatre for *Tuesday 4th March 2025* to see *Shirley Valentine*. Tickets are £11 each. If you are interested, please contact the office to pay & reserve your ticket.

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**

Llysfasi Residential Spirituality Workshop - 12-29 August

Llysfasi will be hosting a transformative workshop at the Loreto Spirituality Centre in Llandudno from 12 - 29 Aug 2024. This workshop offers a creative experiential journey rooted in the Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius of Loyola. Participants will engage in prayer, personal reflection, contemplative listening, discernment, and retreat experiences, all aimed at deepening their spirituality and capacity for accompaniment. Spaces are limited, so apply soon by contacting Mary Rose Fitzsimmons HHS at maryrosefitzsimmons@btinternet.com or visit llysfasi-spirituality-workshop.org.uk for more information and application forms.

St Mary's College, Crosby

Open Evening: Wednesday 3rd July 4—7 pm Year 5 Taster Day: Friday 5th July 10am-3pm See poster in porch for further information

Table Sale—St Anthony of Padua

We are having a Craft and Bric-a-Brac table sale at St Anthony of Padua on Saturday 13th July 10:30am – 2: 00pm. Tables for sellers at £10, contact Kathy by email PresidentD100304@svp.org.uk
Table fees and refreshment sales will support the work of the SVP

NEW ALTAR SERVERS

Throughout the life of the Church, the ministry of Altar Server has always been regarded as a special honour. To serve the Lord on the Sanctuary and assist the priest and deacons is a gift that has been bestowed on children and young people. The children who have completed our Holy Communion programme and others in the school are invited to share in this important aspect of parish life. For all those who are interested in training to be Altar Servers, please ask Fr Colin for an application form.

Could you be a Catechist in the Parish?

Are you interested in becoming more involved in parish life? Are you able to volunteer a couple of hours each month for part of the year?

Fr Colin is hoping to recruit more Catechists to assist him with the preparation of children for their First Holy Communion.

The programme involves accompanying children with their parents as they work towards the next step in their faith journey.

Full training and support will be provided.

If you think this rewarding role is something that you may be interested in please contact the parish office for further information.

Value your vote: General Election 2024

A General Election has been called for 4th July 2024. The threat of abortion being decriminalized was averted when this election was called, but these extreme proposals are sure to return. The next Parliament will also likely see a big push to legalise assisted suicide. It is therefore vital that we elect MPs who will oppose these threats to life. To contact your candidates, and to check on their voting intentions, please go to https://www.spuc.org.uk/General-Election-2024

NEW DAWN PILGRIMAGE—Mon-Fri 5th-9th August 2024

This year's New Dawn Pilgrimage will take place at the **National Shrine and** Basilica of Our Lady of Walsingham. New Dawn is a family event with a programme of liturgy, sacraments, praise and worship, keynote speakers, workshops, children/youth ministries and more. Further information can be found on their website at www.newdawn.org.uk

Coffee Mornings each Friday 9.30 to 11.30 am in the 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.

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

Clare Battiste, Patricia Prentice, Julian James, Pauline Roberts, Scarlet Keating, Pat Brumskill, Connie McCarten, Margaret O'Connor, Residents of Oak Springs Care Home, John Rix, Keith Nieman, Adrian Williams, Garry Hilton, Anne King, Margaret Hopkins, Frank Barnwell, John Williams, Mary Dunne, Bobby Rodriguez, Christopher Byrne, Samantha, Patricia Brittles, Josephine Jones, Peggy Aliski, Toni Simpson, Frank Redmond, Marjorie Sharkey, Tracey James, Margaret Robinson and May Amos 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: Patrick Johnson

We offer our prayers and sympathy to his family and friends

Anniversaries: Gloria Houghton, George Boyd, Eileen Wood, We pray for all those whose anniversaries occur around this time.

Baptisms: This week we welcome into the Church Willa Frances Dalv

Weekly Collection: Thank you for your contribution to the work of the Parish which raised: £1,855.42

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

The winning numbers were 6 & 28

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.

The Pope's Monthly Intentions for June 2024 For migrants fleeing their homes

We pray that migrants fleeing from war or hunger, forced to undertake journeys full of danger and violence, find welcome and new opportunities in the countries that receive them. https://www.usccb.org/prayers/popes-monthly-intentions-2024

SAINTS OF THE DAY

24th June—The Birth of St John the Baptist. His name was divinely given. It was to be "John" (Lk. 1:13), which derives from a Hebrew term signifying 'God is gracious'. He was known familiarly as "the Baptist" which simply means "am immerser, one who administers the rite of immersion" (see Mt 3:1;11:11; etc). The Jewish historian Josephus even refers to John by this designation (Antiquities 18.5.2). The importance of John in the divine scheme of things probably is summed up best in the testimony of Jesus himself. "Among them that are born of women there has not arisen a greater than John the Baptist..." (Mt.11:11)

27th June - Parish Feast Day: Our Lady of Perpetual Help (also known as Our Lady of Perpetual Succour) is a Roman Catholic title of the Blessed Virgin Mary as represented in a celebrated 15th-century Byzantine icon also associated with the same Marian apparition.

The icon has been in Rome since 1499, and is permanently enshrined in the church of Sant' Alfonso di Liguori, where the official Novena to Our Mother of Perpetual Help text is prayed weekly. In the Eastern Orthodox Church, this artistic iconography is known as the Virgin of the Passion or Theotokos of the Passion due to the instruments of the Passion present on the image. Due to the Redemptorist Priests, who had been appointed as both custodians and missionaries of this icon by Pope Pius IX in 1865, the image has become very popular among Roman Catholics in particular, and has been very much copied and reproduced. Modern reproductions are sometimes displayed in homes, business establishments, and public transportation.

On 23 June 1867, the image was granted a Canonical Coronation and its official recognition of the Marian icon under its present title. The Redemptorist priests are the only religious order currently entrusted by the Holy See to protect and propagate a Marian religious work of art.

The feast day of Our Mother of Perpetual Help is celebrated on June 27, with novena devotions held every Wednesday. Under Pope Pius XII's Pontificate, our Mother of Perpetual Help was designated as the national Patroness of the Republic of Haiti and Almoradi, Spain.

27th June – St Cyril of Alexandria. Saint Cyril of Alexandria was patriarch of Alexandria in Egypt and an able theologian. As bishop and doctor, he became the glory of the church in Egypt. During the Council of Ephesus, he defined the oneness of person in Jesus Christ and the divine maternity of the Blessed Virgin Mary against the heresy of Nestorius

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2025

Registration for First Holy Communions 2025 is now open and will CLOSE on 19th July 2024.

Father Colin invites current Year 3 children and their parents to come along to Christ the King Church and complete an application form after any of the weekend masses.

PLEASE NOTE THAT YOUR CHILD MUST BE A BAPTISED CATHOLIC IN ORDER TO BE ELIGIBLE.

A.P.F./MILL HILL.

Red boxes are due to be emptied in the next few weeks. Could those who took a red box after the appeal please bring them to church. Thank you to all box holders and collectors. Thank you also to those who have agreed to collect from the new box holders.

Parish Pilgrimage—Journeying with the Northern Saints

We are hoping to run a parish pilgrimage to the North East later this year during October half term week from Monday 28th - Thursday 31st October. The itinerary is still being finalized, bur will include a visit to Hexham Abbey and day trips to Holy Island and Whitby.

Accommodation will be at Ushaw College.

Itinerary and costs to be confirmed.

Safeguarding Training

There will be a session of Safeguarding Training for Catechists on **Thursday 27th June at 6 pm** in the St John Vianney meeting room. Please ring the parish office to confirm your attendance 0151 722 2231

New Hymn Books

The Parish is hoping to purchase some new hymn books. For a donation of £7.50 Parishioners can dedicate one of the new books in memory of a loved one. Each time the book is used, the person will be remembered in the prayers of the congregation.

Please contact the parish office if you would like to donate: 0151 722 2231