#### REGULAR PARISH GATHERINGS/MEETINGS

## All meetings take place in the St John Vianney Meeting Room

Weekly: Monday

1.00pm-3.30pm **Craft Group** 10.00am-12.30pm

Deaf Craft Group

Tuesday **Thursday** 

9.00-11.00am

**Tots & Toddler Group** 

Friday (in the Porch) 9.30 to 11.30 am

**Coffee Morning** 

#### Monthly:

1st Monday 1.00pm-3.45pm Last Tuesday

Millennium Group

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-3.45pm

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 King** 0151-722-3462 Head Teacher Mr D Delanev 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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Thirty Second Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B Remembrance Sunday 10th November 2024

## A Prayer of Remembrance

Almighty and eternal God, from whose love in Christ we cannot be parted, either by death or life: hear our prayers and thanksgivings for all whom we remember this day; fulfil in them the purpose of your love; and bring us all, with them, to your eternal joy; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Solemn Forty Hours of Exposition will take place from **Thursday 21st—Saturday 23rd 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

### **Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Saturday	9th	5.30pm	People of the Parish	
Sunday	10th	9.30am	Barbara McGowan RIP	
		11.00am	Pious List	
Monday	11th	9.30am	Pious List <b>CtK School</b>	
		12.00pm	Funeral Liturgy: Anne Collins	
Tuesday	12th	9.10am	Kath White RIP	
Wednesday	13th		NO MASS	
Thursday	14th	9.30am	Anne Platts RIP	
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 10.00- 11.00am				
Friday	15th	12.00pm	Anne King 90th Birthday	

### Thirty- Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday	16th	5.30pm	Sr. Shirley Marsh RIP
Sunday	17th	9.30am	People of the Parish
		11.00am	Terry Murphy RIP

Masses received this week: Tony McNeilus Prayers x2, Alex Swift Birthday Cliff & Celia Woosey, Maureen & Thomas Adams, Patrick Doyle RIP, Beryl Hitchen, Irene Hart RIP, Fr. Colin's Intentions, Robert's Intentions, Brenda's Intentions, John Judge RIP, Richie Hale RIP, Tommy King RIP, Betty Frazer- Get Well, Siobhan Galvin RIP

**Enrolled into our Mass association this week:** Private Intention (M) Anne Kinsella

The Sanctuary Lamp burns this week for: All those who have died in Conflict.

The Marian Lamp burns for: Ann-Marie Watkins

The St Paschal Baylon Lamp burns for:

Sister Maureen



#### Could you be a Deacon? Diaconate Information Evenings

The Archbishop will be hosting two Diaconate Information Evenings during the next few months: on **Thursday 5th December** at Bishop Eton in Liverpool and on **Thursday 23rd January** at St John's in Wigan. Each evening will begin at 7.30pm, with refreshments available from 7.00pm and will end by 9.00pm.

The evenings are open to anyone who would like to find out more about the diaconate, especially men who are wondering if they may be called to this ministry. Wives and supporting priests and deacons are also very welcome. For more information email Deacon Paul Rooney, p.rooney@rcaol.org.uk.

The Founding Assembly of Liverpool Citizens as a member of Citizens UK will be held on Monday 18th November, at the Concert Room in St George's Hall, from 6.00 pm to 8.00 pm. Liverpool Citizens includes two Roman Catholic parishes in the city, and others have expressed interest in joining. They will commit to work together for the common good of the city and engage with leaders from the Liverpool city region on key issues affecting our communities. Key officers from Liverpool City Council will be attending, including the leader Liam Robinson, Nicki Butterworth, Director for Neighbourhoods and Housing and Matt Aston Director of Public Health. The Chief Executive of the Integrated Care Board will also be there, as well as representatives from Arriva and Merseyrail and the Deputy Chief Constable. Citizens are hoping that 500+ people will attend this meeting to hold our leaders to account. Those wishing to attend can register by accessing this link https://actionnetwork.org/events/liverpool-citizensfounding-assembly or you can just turn up on the day. Please aim to be in your seats by 5.45 pm.

#### **Archdiocesan Young Adult Group**

The next Archdiocesan Young Adult Group meeting at Pauline Book Centre (84 Church St, Liverpool L1 3AY) on Tuesday 12th November. We sill start at 6.30 pm and refreshments will be provided. Anyone aged 18—35 is welcome to attend. The theme is praying to St Josaphat, Patron Saint of Ukraine. For more information contact <a href="mailto:m.mui@rcaol.org.uk">m.mui@rcaol.org.uk</a>

#### **CAFOD's World Gifts for Christmas**

This Christmas, give your loved ones something exceptional and life-changing. Buying CAFOD's virtual World Gifts makes a real difference for our sisters and brothers facing the injustice of poverty around the world. Choose from a range of beautifully illustrated cards, each representing a gift of hope, inspired by real people and real needs.

See the poster in the porch and pick up a catalogue.

#### **Christmas Fayre**

Our *Christmas Fayre this year is on Saturday 7th December* in the Parish Centre on Queen's Drive. We have already received various donations for the stalls. Could you please consider If you are able to help on the day even for an hour or on the Thursday evening 5th December at 6.30pm in church to label/ wrap goods for the stalls. Please sign the list in the porch from next weekend if you are able to help. This is a special Parish social occasion, bringing us all together as community.

Bottle donations would be very welcome for the tombola Raffle tickets will be on sale from 2nd/3rd November

#### St Vincent de Paul

As we approach winter if you or someone you know is struggling financially please contact the parish SVP on our <u>confidential</u> phone line 07562 694 624 or email ctksvp@gmail.com

### **Coffee Morning**

Come and join us for tea/coffee and a natter 9.30—11.30 am on a Friday morning in the Church porch All welcome

#### Millenium Group

After lengthy discussion, we ended up with equal votes for two charities for our next project, *Women's Health Information and Support Centre* who want to employ a further part time Project Worker and vouchers for food and toiletries and *An Hour For Others* supporting vulnerable families by providing fun activities. We will therefore raise £5,000 and then split it between the two charities.

Thanks for your continued support.

# Youth Sunday—24th November Celebrating Young People in the Life of the Church: A Time of Prayer

To mark Youth Sunday we are hosting a time of prayer, reflection and celebration at Lowe House (North Rd, St Helens, WA10 2BE) at 5pm on 24th November.

We hope the evening will be an uplifting event at which we can pray for young people and those who work with them, whilst listening to different speakers offer thoughts and reflections on their work with young people. The service will end with a social time. All are welcome.

Please come along to pray for our young people and hear what opportunities we offer young people across the diocese.

# 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, Bobby Rodriguez, Christopher Byrne, Samantha, Patricia Brittles, Josephine Jones, Peggy Aliski, Toni Simpson, Frank Redmond, Marjorie Sharkey, Tracey James, Margaret Robinson, May Amos, Joan Dignum and Douglas Parr.

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:** John Foster, Thomas Fearon, Pauline Ward, Winifred Colligan, Joan Dolan, Michael Darley, Ann Carlin and Joan Sweeney

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

**Baptisms:** This week we welcome into the family of the church

Amelia Marie Keatley-Gall & Cian Sean Bush

**Weekly Collection:** Thank you for your contribution to the work of the Parish which raised: **£1868.79** 

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

The winning numbers were 7 & 9

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 Intention for November For anyone who has lost a child.

We pray that all parents who mourn the loss of a son or daughter find support in their community and receive peace and consolation from the Holy Spirit.

#### SAINTS OF THE WEEK

**11th November: Saint Martin of Tours** Saint Martin of Tours is often depicted as a soldier mounted on a horse sharing his cloak with a poor man. He became a monk and then a bishop, but he never lost his love for the poor. He spent a good deal of energy fighting for the Church, and for mercy toward heretics.

**12th November: Saint Josaphat** Saint Josaphat dedicated his life to healing the split within the Ruthenian Church. While he made some headway, sadly the division extends to today. But his life and efforts were not in vain, for both influenced many Orthodox to be united with Rome.

**15th November: St Albert the Great** Albert the Great (1206-80) 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. He staunchly defended the teaching of his disciple St Thomas Aquinas. God endowed Albert with the talent of combining human wisdom with divine faith.

**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.

**16th November: St Gertrude the Great** was born at Eisleben in Saxony. At the age of five, she was placed in the care of the Benedictine nuns at Rodalsdorf and later became a nun in the same monastery, of which she was elected Abbess. The following year she was obliged to take charge of the monastery at Helfta, to which she moved with her nuns. St Gertrude had enjoyed a good education. She wrote and composed in Latin and was versed in Sacred Literature. The life of this saint was the mystic life of the cloister, a life hidden with Christ in God. She was characterised by the great devotion to the Sacred Humanity of Our Lord in His Passion and in the Blessed Eucharist, and by a tender love for the Blessed Virgin. She died in 1302.

#### **Bereavement Care Team**

We will be selling our handmade Christmas cards at all Masses on Saturday 16th and Sunday 17th November. Thank you in anticipation for your support.

#### Rite of Christian Initiation in Adults (RCIA) 2024

Our RCIA Program continues on **Wednesday 13th November** at 7pm in the St John Vianney meeting room
The theme will be: The Mass (1)

If you, or anyone you know, would be interested in finding out more about the Catholic Faith do come along to the meeting.

#### **SVP Christmas Afternoon Social**

Our special Christmas social will take place on *Sunday, 24 November* starting with Mass in the St John Vianney meeting room at 1pm followed by Christmas dinner with all the trimmings then entertainment and finishing at 4.30pm. If you have never been along before and would benefit from a few hours company enjoying a hot meal and great company, then please leave your name and contact number with the parish office (722 2231) asap. Those who attend on a regular basis will be contacted as usual. Guests should arrange their own transport if possible and arrive no later than 12.45pm

#### Men's Breakfast Group Meeting

on Saturday November 23<sup>rd</sup> 8am to 9am in the St John Vianney meeting room. Chance for breakfast and a chat!

#### 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.

### Sacramental Preparation for First Holy Communion 2024/25

Mary's Friday Group: Next Meeting will be held on 15th November at 3.45 pm