

**St. Joseph's School Christmas Raffle:** The Annual Christmas Raffle will be drawn on **Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December**, tickets priced 50p per book will be on sale after every Mass each weekend starting 25th November. Any donations of prizes for the Raffle can be left in church or sent to school. We continue to be very grateful for all your support.

**Selection Box Bingo** on **Friday 24<sup>th</sup> November at 8.00pm** in St Joseph's Parish Centre. Admission by ticket only, costing 50p each available from School. Donations of Selection Boxes for prizes would be gratefully received and these can be left in the basket at the back of the Church or handed in at school.

**The Annual CAFOD Liverpool Memorial Mass** for the relatives and friends of deceased supporters of CAFOD will take place at the normal Saturday Vigil Mass on **Saturday 25 November at 5.30pm** at Sacred Heart, Liverpool Road, Ainsdale, Southport, Merseyside, PR8 3BP and you are most welcome to attend. There will be tea, coffee and biscuits available afterwards.

**Responding to the Call: Vocation Discernment Group:** To support those exploring Vocations to the Priesthood in our diocese, a monthly day of recollection has been organised for the first Saturday of each month. These days will help men who feel called to the ordained ministry to discover more about diocesan priesthood and meet others discerning a call to priesthood. There will be an opportunity to talk with and hear from priests who minister in the diocese, and also a time for prayer and discussion. For further information, please contact Fr James Preston, Vocations Director for the Archdiocese of Liverpool, at: frjamespreston@gmail.com or telephone: 0151 727 2493. Regular updates will be posted on our Facebook page: Archdiocese of Liverpool Vocations.



Feast Day  
Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> November

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## 33<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time - 19<sup>th</sup> November 2017

### HOLY MASS & SERVICES

<b>Sunday</b> (Sat)	<b>6.00pm</b> Pious List	
	<b>8.30am</b> Pious List	
	<b>10.30am</b> Parishioners	
	<b>4.30pm</b> Pious List	
<b>Monday</b>	<b>8.30am</b> Pious List	
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>10.00am</b> <b>REQUIEM:</b> Joe Atherton (RIP)	
	<b>1.30pm</b> Pious List ( <i>Mass at Holy Cross HS</i> )	
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>8.30am</b> Pious List	
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>8.30am</b> Pious List	
<b>Friday</b>	<b>8.30am</b> Pious List	
	<b>3.00pm</b> <b>REQUIEM:</b> Brian Lamb (RIP)	
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>9.00am</b> Pious List	
<b>Sunday next</b>	<b>6.00pm</b> Pious List	
	<b>8.30am</b> Pious List	
	<b>10.30am</b> Pious List	
	<b>4.30pm</b> Parishioners	

**CONFESSIONS:** Saturday 10.30am – 11.30am

### Please Pray For The Following Who Are Sick:

Canon Albert Shaw, Bert Smith, Eileen Snape, Jean Thurston, Sister Francis, Bert Meakin, Grace Fernando & James Desmond Gorman. We also remember to pray for all those in Chorley Hospital, Derian House Children's Hospice & our Nursing Homes. Eucharistic Ministers visit the Wards every Sunday morning with Holy Communion.

Heal Thy Servants, O Lord, who are sick, and who put their trust in Thee.

**R/.** Send them help, O Lord, and comfort from Thy holy place.

**IMPORTANT** – Please contact St Joseph’s Presbytery, if any member of your family is admitted into Chorley Hospital and would appreciate a visit.

In an emergency the hospital switchboard will contact the on-call Catholic Priest. Please request this from any member of Staff on the Ward. Patients transferred to The Grange Rehabilitation Centre, The Grange, Oakbridge Drive, Buckshaw Village, PR7 7EP, please contact Euxton St Mary’s on: 262655 or email: mail@stmarys-euxton.com

**Please include in your Prayers:** All those who have **Recently Died:** Joe Atherton, Brian Lamb and all those whose **Anniversaries** occur about this time. We also remember all those on our **Pious List** during November, the Month of the Holy Souls.

**Children’s Liturgy – “Little Church”** every Sunday morning at the 10.30am Mass for children up to First Holy Communion age.

**“Little Church” TODAY** Susan Hirst & Pauline Hopkins

**“Little Church” Helpers NEXT week:** Catherine Allton & Christine Hunt  
If you would like to help as a volunteer with Children’s Liturgy on a Sunday would you make contact with Father Stanley. Thank you.

**Mother & Toddler Group:** Meet on a Wednesday morning in the Primary School, Cedar Road from 9.00am until 11.15am.

**St Joseph’s Retirement Club:** New members welcome over 55 years of age. Every Thursday afternoon at 1.30pm in the Parish Centre. Admission 50p including Tea and Biscuits, Bingo, Artists and Outings. All welcome.

**Faith Sharing Group:** Every Wednesday evening in the Sacristy of the Church from 7.00pm to 8.15pm. ALL welcome. Tea/coffee provided. This is an ideal opportunity to develop your Faith Journey.

**St Joseph’s Parish Centre – Members Notice:** Available for all types of social events. Receptions for Christenings, Weddings & Funerals, Birthdays, Anniversaries & Christmas Parties. A meeting room is also available. Large Screen TV for LIVE Sports events. For bookings please contact the Parish Centre Manageress: 01257 275137  
E-mail: StJosephsChorley@apcmc.co.uk Website: www.st-josephs-chorley.co.uk

**Readers Today 19<sup>th</sup> November**

**6.00pm** Paul Southworth  
**8.30am** S Francis/C Jenner/A Rabbitt  
**10.30am** R Chaloner/J O’Leary/T Dugdale  
**4.30pm** Laura McLoughlin

**Next Sunday: 26<sup>th</sup> November**

**6.00pm** Sr. Cecilia  
**8.30am** M Eccles/B Walmsley/E Whitney  
**10.30am** S Tierney/N O’Leary/L Crowther  
**4.30pm** Richard Hunt

**Eucharistic Ministers Today:**

**6.00pm** Geoff Kenyon  
**8.30am** E Whitney/P Smith/A Nolan  
**10.30am** E Broadstock/K Hart/R Hart  
AN Other  
**4.30pm** Anne Marie Hegarty

**Next Sunday:**

**6.00pm** Eileen Vause  
**8.30am** M Redshaw/A King/J Weldon  
**10.30am** AN Other/E Broadstock/G Riley  
P Hilton  
**4.30pm** Anita Tunstall

**Counters Today:** M Smith, F & B Walmsley **Next Sunday:** J Simmons/T Schofield

**Altar Servers this week:** Volunteers please!!

**Collection: Gift Aid:** £880.97p **Loose Plate:** £504.76p **Total:** £1,385.73p  
The 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection **NEXT** weekend is for Animate Youth.  
Thank you as always for your wonderful generosity.

**Church Cleaning:** Friday 1<sup>st</sup> December at 9am  
C Farnworth, J Livesey, S Hirst, J Atherton, C Carter

**Christmas Bingo: Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> November.** St. Joseph’s Parish Centre 6.30pm. All proceeds to St. Mary’s Friends of Uganda.

**St. Joseph’s Parish Bulletin:** Would you like to receive the weekly parish bulletin by email? If you would, then please send a blank email to: stjosephchorleybulletin@gmail.com. Please, **ONLY** use this email to request the bulletin – the parish general email remains the same.

**APF “Mill Hill” Red Mission Box Promoters:** Please collect your envelope from the back of the church containing the necessary information regarding the emptying of Mission Boxes during the month of November.  
Please return to the Sacristy by **Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> December.** Thank You.