

The Church Steps leading down to Harpers Lane need some essential maintenance & attendance over the next few weeks. Hence, access to the steps will be cordoned off and closed.

APF “Mill Hill” Red Mission Boxes: Promotors please collect your envelopes from the back of the church containing information for the emptying of Mission Boxes during November. Please return to the Sacristy by the 30th November. Thank you.

Beavers and Cubs now have vacancies – Beavers 6-8 yrs. & Cubs 8-10½ yrs. Meetings are on a Thursday evening in St Joseph’s school hall. Leaders and helpers also needed.

Contact Graham and Angela Stevens on ☎268094 for more information.

Synod 2020: The Archdiocese have allocated 1 place per parish with an additional 8 places per deanery. Nomination forms for our parish rep are available at the back of church, together with a sheet detailing the commitment required. Nominations forms MUST be returned by 30th November.

Church Cleaning: 30th November 9am.
B Walmsley, C Hunt, J Marino, M Holland, J Hargreaves.

St Joseph’s School Christmas Raffle: The Annual Christmas raffle will be drawn on Friday 14th December, tickets priced 50p per book will be on sale after Mass on Sunday 2nd and 9th December. 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.

Are you called to be a Priest? 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 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. The next day of recollection will take place on **Saturday 1st December** at St. Charles Presbytery, 224 Aigburth Road, Liverpool, L17 9PG. 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

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A loop Induction System has been installed in this Church.
Please turn hearing aid to ‘T’ setting.



Solemnity of Christ the King – Sunday 25th November 2018

HOLY MASS & SERVICES

Sunday (Sat)
6.00pm Pious List
8.30am Pious List
10.30am Pious List
4.30pm Parishioners

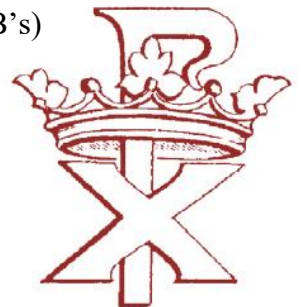
Monday **8.30am** Eucharistic Service: Int: Pious List
Tuesday **10.30am** **REQUIEM:** Gillian Bolton (RIP)
Wednesday **8.30am** Eucharistic Service: Int: Pious List
Thursday **8.30am** Eucharistic Service: Int: Pious List
Friday **8.30am** Eucharistic Service: Int: Pious List
Saturday **9.00am** Edmund & Ellen Whittle (B’s)

Sunday next
6.00pm Albert Meakin (B)
8.30am William Strange (A)
10.30am Johnny Flanagan (RIP)
4.30pm Parishioners

CONFESSIONS: Saturday 10.30am – 11.30am

Please Pray For The Following Who Are Sick Canon Albert Shaw, Bert Smith, Eileen Snape, Jean Thurston, James Desmond Gorman, Teresa Todd, Doreen Moss, Mark Rimmer, John Lee, Anna Hennessy & Baby Troy Halls (6 weeks old). 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.

Y. 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:** Gillian Bolton, Sister Francis, (Daughters of Wisdom [La Sagesse]). (Requiem Mass 10am Tuesday 4th December). We also remember all those whose **Anniversaries** occur about this time: William Strange & all those on our **Pious List** during the Month of November.

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

“Little Church” TODAY: Anne-Marie, Paula and Danielle

“Little Church” Helpers NEXT week: Julie L and Sandra

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: ☎ 275137 or ☎ 07932 404447. E-mail: StJosephsChorley@apcmc.co.uk Website: www.st-josephs-chorley.co.uk

Readers Today 25th November

Next Sunday: 2nd December

6.00pm	Paul Southworth	6.00pm	Sr. Cecilia
8.30am	G King/J Weldon/W Gildert	8.30am	A Nolan/M Eccles/S Francis
10.30am	A Wetzstein/T Dugdale/O O’Leary	10.30am	J Maynard/C Clarkson/S Tierney
4.30pm	Catriona Scallon	4.30pm	Laura McLoughlin

Eucharistic Ministers Today:

Next Sunday:

6.00pm	Patricia Evans	6.00pm	Irene Love
8.30am	E Whitney/B Walmsley/P Smith	8.30am	P Smith/A King/J Weldon
10.30am	R Hart/A Christie/G Riley Theresa Schofield	10.30am	E Broadstock/V Christie/T Schofield Gerard Riley
4.30pm	Cath Shepherd	4.30pm	Michael Anderton

Counters Today: C Farnworth/J Horrocks **Next Sunday:** A & G King

Collection: Gift Aid: £653.95p **Loose Plate:** £418.18p **Total:** £1,072.13p

Thank you for your wonderful generosity.

2nd Collection THIS Sunday: Animate Youth

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.

Selection Box Bingo will take place on Friday 30th November at 7.00pm in the Parish Centre. Entrance by ticket only available from school. We would be very grateful for donations of selection boxes for prizes these can be left at the back of church or sent to school.

CAFOD Fun Run - This year the 35th Annual Fun Run will take place on Thursday 27th December at Wavertree Sports Centre L15 4LE. Registration will be from 12pm and the 6k/3k run and 2k walk will begin at 1pm. Entry will be £5 for children, £10 for adults or £20 for a family. Posters and sponsorship forms and other information from liverpool@cafod.org.uk or 0151 228 4028.

Prize Bingo: Sunday 25th November 6.30pm in St Joseph’s Parish Centre. St Mary’s Friends of Uganda.