

Parish of Saint Margaret Mary

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The Parish is part of the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Liverpool (Reg Charity 232709): www.liverpoolcatholic.org.uk



26th Sunday of Ordinary Time – Year C 28–29 September 2019

Masses, Intentions & Services this week:

Sat	4:45pm	<i>Adoration & Confessions until 5:20</i>
	5:30pm	Mass People of the Parish
Sun	10:00am	Mass Arthur Pickup
	11:00am	<i>Interment</i> Arthur Pickup
	12:00pm	<i>Baptisms</i>
Tue	10:00am	<i>Morning Prayer</i> PH
	6:40pm	<i>Evening Prayer</i>
	7:00pm	Healing Mass Mass Association
Wed	10:00am	Mass Michael McShane
Thu	10:00am	Mass Claire Lawson
Fri	10:00am	Mass Alison Chalmers
Sat	9:40am	<i>Rosary</i>
	10:00am	Mass Michael McKinley
	4:45pm	<i>Adoration & Confessions until 5:20</i>
	5:30pm	Mass People of the Parish
Sun	10:00am	Mass Norah & Gus Phillips

Other Masses in the Parish:

Fr Ian has High Schools Mass on Wednesday at 8:15am

Christopher Grange Chapel: Sunday to Friday at 11am

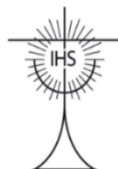
The church is open Sunday to Friday: 9am to 12 noon

Events in the parish this week:

Sun	Children's' Church during 10:00am Mass
	Refreshments after 10:00am Mass PC
Tue	Morning Prayer 10:00am PH
	Rainbows 6:30-7:30pm PC
	Bingo 8:30pm PC
Wed	Brownies 7:30pm-8:30pm JS
	Guides 7:30-9:00pm JS
	UCM 8:15pm PC
	Youth Group PLC 6:00pm-9:00pm JS
Thu	Food Bank 10:00am at Holy Spirit, Dovecot
	Tea, coffee & toast after Mass PH
	Luncheon Club for the Over 55s: 2-course lunch is £4. To book: 0151-481 0032 12:00 noon PC
	Quiz Night 9:30pm PC

The Parish Centre is available for family occasions and opens to the public each evening at 7pm

Key: PH-parish house, PC-parish centre, JS-junior school



Recitation of the Rosary
Saturdays at 9:40am

Adoration - Exposition of
the Blessed Sacrament
with opportunity for Confession
Saturdays 4:45pm to 5:20pm



Your prayers are asked for:

The Sick – Alison Chalmers, Cathy Wilson, Michael McShane, Claire Lawson, Susan Glover, Stan Manning, Colin & Margaret Sullivan, Martin Denny, Gerry Flynn, Bernard Kelly, Sean Fahy, Darren Morrison, Josie Ferguson, Jimmy Wishart; **those who have died recently** – Olive Sinclair and **those who are bereaved**.



A time of quiet prayer
for healing
in our own lives
and in the world

This Tuesday at 7pm

CAFOD Harvest Fast Day is this Friday

Please take an envelope home with you. The theme of the Day is 'share God's abundance' by having a simple meal or fasting or giving something up and donating what is saved to CAFOD. We will collect your envelopes at Mass next weekend.



This week our candles burn for:

Blessed Sacrament – Mary Thomas

Our Lady – Dr Kurpin

St Therese – Claire Lawson



Sponsored Walk – Paul Kalungi would like to thank those who sponsored him to raise funds to improve the garden area of a local nursing home. Photos and information are on the noticeboard.

Journey of Faith

Each Autumn, the parish begins a preparation course for those who would like to become Catholics – adults and children. There are about 15 sessions taking place on Thursday evenings that cover the basics of our faith. A small group of parishioners help with the groups. If you would like more information, please see Fr Ian after Mass or Claire Lawson at the parish house.



The Infant School is collecting Aldi Stickers until 3 November. When you spend £30 or more in any Aldi store, you'll receive a special Team GB sticker. If the school collects 300 stickers, they automatically receive an exclusive school sports kit in addition to entry into the £20,000 prize draw! If you do receive any stickers and would like to pass them on to the Infants please give them to Jane Jamieson at 10 o'clock Mass or hand them into the school office. Thank you for your support.

Archdiocese Safeguarding Team Training for all volunteers on Tuesday 8th October. If you are involved in any capacity, please attend this session, which takes place in the Parish Centre at 7:30pm.



Feast of St Margaret Mary

We celebrate our Patronal Feast from 11th - 13th October. As usual, we will have an extended time of Adoration - Solemn Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. Donations for flowers and candles would be welcome. The cost of a candle is £15 if you would like to buy one in memory of a loved one. Please put the name of your loved one on the front of the envelope containing your donation and their names will be printed on the base of the candle.

Parish Feast Social Evening in the Parish Centre

To continue the celebrations of our patron saint, we will have a Social on Friday 11th October starting at 7:30pm. There will be entertainment, a drink on arrival and a hot/cold buffet. Tickets are £10 and will be available after Sunday Masses this weekend.

Overseas Missionary Fund - it is the time of the year when we donate to worthy causes and we have, as agreed with Fr Ian, decided to donate £1000 to each of the following:

Mary's Meals who support 1,500,000 desperately poor children in the world with a very basic need and some education all at a cost of approximately £14 per year.

Our Liverpool priest Fr Denis Parry for his work in Peru.
An African mission with connection to our parish via one of our prominent parishioners. They work extensively with youth and the poor and as one of their clergy is due to visit us in October Fr Ian has nominated the order.

If anyone would like to inspect the bank statements, they are available. We have approximately £1000 available in cases of emergency.

Also, please pass into the parish house your **red boxes** if they have not been collected.

Bible Sessions taking place during October - 'Deepening our knowledge of Christ'.

Please see poster on the noticeboard for more information.



Annual Novena to Our Blessed Lady on Wednesday 4th October at **St John the Evangelist**, 70 Fountains Road L4 1QL. The opening will be presided by Father Joseph Duggan SJ and The Irish Guards will provide music.

animate youth Lourdes 2020
23 July to 1 August

For young people aged between 15 and 22 years, do think about going on the Diocesan Pilgrimage next year. Application forms will come online on the Animate website on the 1st October at 9am. The price is £530. Visit: www.youtube.com/user/AnimateYouth to see a promotional video.

Family Groups - a meeting on Wednesday 2 October at LACE. Please see the notice board for more information.

Parish Pilgrimage
Rome – Assisi - Padua
19th to 26th May 2020



Flying from Manchester to Rome visiting the major Basilicas, the Catacombs and attending the Papal Audience. Next stop is the peaceful town of Assisi and the places associated with St Francis and St Clare. Then, our final destination, Padua, the place of St Anthony. We will fly home from the nearby Venice Airport direct to Liverpool.

What is included? Flights; airport duty & passenger taxes; 1 suitcase; half board accommodation: 3 nights in Rome, 2 nights in Assisi & 2 nights in Padua; coach and guide throughout. Cost: £929.00. Single room supplement £190.00. Travel insurance £50 per person no age limit and no medical screening. Let Father Ian know if you are interested.

For those who joined us in the Holy Land, we will be using the same company, Northern Star Travel.

Parish Finances

Last week's Offertory: £747.89. Many thanks.

Tote Results: w/e 20/09/19: No winner

Contact the office if you would like to Gift Aid your offerings or donate by Standing order. Gift Aid enables us to claim back 25% of your offering from HM Treasury.

Weekly Newsletter – items for the newsletter should be emailed to us or handed into the parish office by Wednesday evening - office@stmargaretmarys.org.uk