

NEWSLETTER

ST PETER'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

CLIFTON STREET, LYTHAM, FY8 5EP Parish Website www.stpeterslytham.co.uk FOR



Sunday 1st November 2020, Feast of All Saints - Year 'A'
Priest in Charge: Rev David Burns - 01253 737037
Deacons: Rev Michael Harrison - 01253 730508 & Rev William Riley (Retired)

Day L Date	Mass Intention	Mass details
Sunday 1st November	People of the Parish &	Public Mass at 10.30am
	Special Intention (BM)	
Monday 2nd November	No Mass	-
Tuesday 3rd November	St. Joseph's Intention	Mass Online
Wednesday 4th November	Maurice Mason (Anniversary)	Public Mass at 9.00am
Thursday 5th November	George McKeon (Anniversary)	Mass Online
Friday 6th November	St. Joseph's Intention	Mass Online
Saturday 7th November	John Worsley	Mass Online
Sunday 8th November	People of Parish &	Public Mass at 10.30am
	Souls of those buried at Saltcotes	

St Joseph's Mass details:

Saturday: 31st Oct Vigil: Public Mass 6pm. All Saints

Sunday: 1st November Public Mass 9.15am.

Monday: 2nd November - No Mass.

Tuesday: 3rd November SJ's Intention - Mass Online. Wed: 4th November **Public Mass** 12 noon - SJ's Intention.

Thursday: 5th November - Mass Online.

Friday: 6th November SJ's Intention - Mass Online.

Saturday: 7th November - Mass Online. Sunday (Vigil): **Public Mass** at 6pm.

Sunday: 8th November Public Mass 9.15am.

This week's Memorials:

Monday: ALL SOULS (commemoration of all the

Faithful Departed) - see overleaf. **Tuesday:** St. Winefride, Virgin & St. Martin de Porres, Religious.

Wednesday: St. Charles Borromeo, Bishop. Saturday: St. Willibrord, Bishop.

Reminder:

Sunday 8th November Remembrance Day.

'Thank you'

Collection Wednesday 21st:- £65.50.
Collection Sunday 25th:- £205.12.
Sick & Retired Priests:- £78.00.
World Missions (further donations):- £26.00.
Other donations received:- £90.00.
Many thanks for your generosity.

FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK:

Please continue to pray for: Frank Loftus, Jennie Antoine, Anne Jones, Jean Bolton, Graham Bentley, Mgr Jim Hook, Fred & Mary Wylie, Ruth Whiteside, Anne Smith, Kath Hywel-Buckley, Joe Ainsworth, Rose Moss, John Lavelle, Mattie Simpson, Margaret Fearn, Joan Woodcock, Ian Fair, Peter Brocklesby, and all those in the Hospice, Hospital, Rest Homes & Convents. May God give them His healing grace.

NOVEMBER DEAD LISTS - This year, because of restrictions with the coronavirus, we will not be giving out sheets for the November Dead Lists. Please write out your list and bring it with you to Mass. Don't give it in, but have with you as a remembrance during Mass. We will pray for those on the lists throughout the month of the Holy Souls.

ANNIVERSARIES:

Please remember in your prayers those whose anniversaries occur about this time: Judith Turner, Eileen Conway, George Walmsley, Joseph Gillett, Eileen Helm, Francis O'Shea, Leo Eccles, Ted Bolton, Anne Coyne, Edward Hardman, Gilbert Westhead, Agnes Cross, Susannah Bamber, Joanne Spragg, Maria Bailey, Anne Preston, Barbara Swarbrick, Margaret Holmes, Arthur Hulse, Shirley Aspey, Fr. Kershaw, Betty Warburton-Jackson, Joe Turner. *May they rest in peace. Amen.*

Sanctuary Lamp Bookings

(Red) "Deceased members of the Stainton & Davies families"

"Deceased members of MW's family"

Our Lady's (Blue) Lamp "A special intention"

To book, please email Sue on info@stpeterslytham.co.uk (or speak to her). *Suggested donation - £5 for each lamp*. **Please note:** Sue is now taking bookings for next year so, to avoid disappointment, book early.

Please see overleaf re Christmas Masses

CHRISTMAS MASSES:

Masses for Christmas will be **8pm Vigil on Christmas Eve and 10.45am on Christmas morning.** Times for St Joseph's to be finalised. Due to the likely demand for places in church, we are going to have to take bookings. We will be doing this from next weekend. Please let the stewards know when you come next weekend if you wish to book a place - this is to avoid large numbers of people having to be turned away when church is full at Christmas.

THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER -

is dedicated to the Holy Souls in Purgatory. The Church commemorates all her faithful children who have departed from this life, but have not attained the joy of heaven. Purgatory is not eternal. The white vestments of All Saints' day are laid aside, and the dark robes and emblems of mourning are worn to indicate the sympathy of Mother Church for her children, who are being purified in the sufferings of purgatory.

On Monday 2nd November we commemorate all the Faithful Departed.

ALL SOULS DAY INDULGENCE: In addition to the usual conditions, a plenary indulgence, applicable to only one of the Holy Souls, can be gained by making a devout visit to a church where an Our Father & Creed are said. The Indulgence can be gained on All Souls Day, the Sunday before or after, & All Saints Day, but only once.

CEMETERY INDULGENCE: In addition to the usual conditions, a plenary indulgence, applicable only to the Holy Souls, can be gained by a devout visit to a cemetery and praying there for the dead.

MASS INTENTIONS RECEIVED:

Elizabeth Welan Cantoni [3rd Jan]
Maurice Mason (Ann)
Dec'd Murphy & Mason Families
Dec'd Stephenson & Spafford Families
John Worsley
Tom & Monica Hindley
Dec'd Hindley Family
Tom & Peggy Worsley
Dec'd Worsley Family
Victor & Helen Hayes
Joan & Donald Holt
Antoinette Marie Bramhall
Pierre Duval
Jean Campbell
Florence Matthews [11th Nov].

CATHOLIC VOICE - The digital edition of the November Catholic Voice is now available on the News & Events page of the Parish website.

ALPHA COURSE STARTED THURSDAY 10TH SEPTEMBER 7PM ONLINE

WHAT IS ALPHA? Alpha is a parish tool for evangelisation based on hospitality, sharing and open conversation. The same Alpha content is run all over the world, by Christians of all traditions, sharing the good news of the life, death and resurrection of Jesus. Everyone is welcome. Millions of people have experienced Alpha in over 100 countries and over 100 languages around the globe. Our course is aimed at everyone.

So whether you are a long standing Catholic but have never had any religious education after school or maybe someone who doesn't feel they have any faith at all, you will be made more than welcome.

Each session consists of a chance to
CONNECT with one another
WATCH an interesting, thought provoking film
DISCUSS different topics each week dealing with faith.
It is an 11 week course where you can bring friends for a conversation about faith, life and God. Starting at 7pm, lasting no longer than an hour.

There is no pressure on you to take this any further.

If you would like to join us email

davidpope41@hotmail.com

You will be very welcome.

Thanks to Our Gift Aiders - and An Appeal

Four weeks ago the Parish account was credited with £9413.79 and the Overseas Mission (Pinprick) account with £792.78, the proceeds of our 2019/20 Gift Aid claim. So, a big 'thank you' to all of our Gift Aiders, you can see how big a help signing up to Gift Aid is to the parish. However, it isn't all good news. Every year a number of our Gift Aiders are called to their heavenly reward, and last year was no exception. If we are to maintain this excellent level of help to the parish, we need more of our tax paying parishioners to sign up to Gift Aid. If you can help your parish in this way please contact us via the parish website (info@stpeterslytham.co.uk)

and request a form. Please think about it. Thank you.

ONGOING FOOD BANK REMINDER:

Pete and Ellen Rickards are keen to mention for those still not able or confident to come out to Mass or reluctant to bring food to church, you can contact Pete - mobile number 07929 553968 - and he will collect donations from your home.

A big **THANK YOU** to the parishioners who have kindly donated food.