



**NEWSLETTER**  
**ST PETER'S CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
 CLIFTON STREET, LYTHAM, FY8 5EP  
 Parish Website [www.stpeterslytham.co.uk](http://www.stpeterslytham.co.uk)



**FOR**  
 Sunday 9th August 2020, Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year 'A'  
 Priest in Charge: Rev David Burns - 01253 737037  
 Deacons: Rev Michael Harrison - 01253 730508 & Rev William Riley (Retired)

<i>Day &amp; Date</i>	<i>Mass Intention</i>	<i>Mass details</i>
Sunday 9th August	People of the Parish & Holy Souls	<b>Public Mass at 10.30am</b>
Monday 10th August	No Mass	-
Tuesday 11th August	No Mass	-
Wednesday 12th August	No Mass	-
Thursday 13th August	No Mass	-
Friday 14th August	No Mass	-
Saturday 15th August	No morning Mass	-
Sunday 16th August	People of the Parish & Special Intention (LM)	<b>Public Mass at 10.30am</b>

**St Joseph's Mass details:**

Saturday: 8th Aug Vigil: **Public Mass** 6pm.  
 Sunday: 9th Aug **Public Mass** 9.15am.  
 Monday: 10th Aug No Mass  
 Tuesday: 11th Aug No Mass.  
 Wednesday: 12th Aug No Mass.  
 Thursday: 13th Aug No Mass.  
 Friday: 14th Aug No Mass.  
 Saturday: 15th Aug No morning Mass  
 Sunday (Vigil): **Public Mass** at 6pm - SJ's Intention.  
 Sunday: 16th Aug **Public Mass** at 9.15am.

**This week's  
 Feast & Memorials:**

**Monday:** St. Lawrence, Deacon & Martyr.  
**Tuesday :** St Clare, Virgin.  
**Wednesday:** St. Jane Frances de Chantal, Religious.  
**Thursday:** St. Pontianus, Pope, & St. Hippolytus, Priest, Martyrs.  
**Friday:** St. Maximilian Kolbe, Priest & Martyr.

**SOLEMNITY:**

Next Sunday (16th August) we celebrate  
*The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary*  
 (transferred this year from the 15th.)

**'Thank you'**

Collection Wednesday 29th July **£357.00.**  
 Collection Sunday 2nd August **£221.92.**  
 Special Collections **£7.00.**  
 Standing orders & online donations (July) **£1379.00.**  
 Other donations received **£985.00.**

*Our grateful thanks for all of your donations, and particularly for two special donations included in the above.*

**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, and all those in the Hospice, Hospital, Rest Homes & Convents. **May God give them His healing grace.**

**ANNIVERSARIES:**

Please remember in your prayers those whose anniversaries occur about this time: James Lee Balmer, David Nolan, Helen May, Sister Hyacinth, Odette Wilcox, Gladys Booth, Eileen Salisbury, Vincent Thompson, Robert Barnes, Mary Tomlinson, Mary Horton, Nicholas Hampson, Catherine Higginbotham, Sister Antoinette, Tom Foulkes, Michael Briers. **May they rest in peace. Amen.**

**FATHER JIM ALLEN WISHES TO PROMOTE THE FOLLOWING:**

**54-Day Novena:** Are you at peace, or confused or worried? You are invited to take part in something positive that everyone can do. Pray the 54-day Novena from 15th August (the Assumption) until 7th October (Holy Rosary). It is urgent that we pray for God's peace and blessing in our troubled and confused world. Go to:  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=m6EjY6j6GKc&feature=youtu.be>  
 for a video on the Novena. For further information go to:  
<https://queenofpeacemedia.com/>

**LATELY DEAD: BOBBY KELLY**

*Eternal rest grant unto him O Lord, and let the perpetual light shine upon him, may he rest in peace. Amen.*

**SANCTUARY LAMP BOOKINGS** - Now that the church is open for Mass, we can recommence taking Sanctuary Lamp bookings. To book (or if you have any queries) please email Sue Shakespeare on info@stpeterslytham.co.uk. There are two lamps - Red next to the main altar and a blue lamp on Our Lady's altar. Suggested donation - £5 for each lamp. **Thank you.**

**OFFERTORY ENVELOPES:**

There are still quite a few boxes of offertory envelopes waiting to be collected from the sacristy. If you would prefer to have your box of envelopes delivered to your home, please email Sue at info@stpeterslytham.co.uk. If you are still shielding and not coming out to Mass we can arrange to collect your contribution to the church from your home. When you have envelopes ready for collection, please contact Sue at info@stpeterslytham.co.uk. **Thank you.**

**FOOD BANK** - 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. **Thank you so much**

**MISSIO (RED BOX) UPDATE**

Clearly, due to the CD 19 outbreak, it has not been possible to complete the usual six monthly collection of the Red Missio boxes that would have been done in June. No magazines have been printed in an effort to save money, however, an Impact Report is available, some will have received a copy and I will put one on the notice board at the back of church soon.

Missio have asked that if possible, contributors can empty their own Red Box, count the money and send the equivalent straight to them. This can be done several ways:

**Send a Cheque** - payable to Missio-Mill Hill, Post to Red Box, 23 Eccleston Square, London, SW1V 1NU.

**Give Via Text** - Text REBOX5 to donate £5, and REDBOX10 to donate £10 to 70085.

**By Phone** - Call 02078219755, during office hours to use debit/credit card.

**Bank Transfer** - Account name Missio, Sort Code 16-00-16, Account No. 10824230, Reference RB plus your postcode.

Please give what you can, as the excellent work to spread the faith continues, and I pray that the world has found some semblance of normality when the next collection is due in December.

In relation to contact details, I am worried that neither I or Missio have up to date addresses for all those who have Red Boxes, and as such you may be missing out on some literature. If possible, please could you email your details (which will be kept strictly private) to missiolytham@hotmail.com and I will make sure these are then updated. **Kind regards, to all Andy**

**CAFOD EMERGENCY APPEAL:**

CAFOD launched its coronavirus emergency appeal on 30th April. The effects of coronavirus on developing countries where CAFOD works are likely to be devastating. Families without enough to eat and without access to clean water or healthcare, are particularly vulnerable to coronavirus. The poorest and most marginalised communities will be pushed further into poverty. In some developing countries there are almost no intensive care hospital beds or ventilators.

Your prayers and gifts are needed now more than ever, to help protect the lives of those in poor communities. You can pass your donation to either Deacon Michael or Mary Waddington or as individuals online at: [cafod.org.uk/coronavirusappeal](http://cafod.org.uk/coronavirusappeal) **OR** by phone **08085 85 88 85**. *There is a poster on the Notice Board. THANK YOU.*