



NEWSLETTER
ST PETER'S CATHOLIC CHURCH
 CLIFTON STREET, LYTHAM, FY8 5EP
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FOR
 Sunday 9th October 2022, 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year 'C'
 Parish Priest: Rev Peter D. Clarke - 01253 737037
 Deacons: Rev Michael Harrison - 01253 730508 & Rev William Riley (Retired)

Mass Times and Intentions

Saturday 8th October 6pm St. Joseph's People of the Parishes

Sunday 9th 9:15am St. Joseph's Denis Laherty

Sunday 9th 10:30am St. Peter's The Redden Family

Monday 10th 9am St. Peter's Sr. Pamela Hussey SHCJ

2:30pm Mass in St. Peter's School

Tuesday 11th 10am St. Joseph's William & Mary Murray *followed by Exposition & Reconciliation*

Wednesday 12th 9am St. Peter's Margaret McKeon *followed by Exposition & Reconciliation*

Thursday 13th No Mass today

Weekend 15th/16th Oct. 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday 15th 6.00 pm St. Joseph's James Gerard Lutas

Sunday 16th 9:15am St. Joseph's Margaret & Kenneth Hammond

Sunday 16th 10:30am St. Peter's People of the Parishes

Sacrament of Reconciliation with Exposition:

Monday 9:30-10am at St. Peter's, Tuesday 10:30-11am at St. Joseph's

Confessions also available by arrangement with Fr. Peter. Tel: 737037.

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time: Christ brings people to wholeness, and looks for thankful hearts.

First Reading 2 Kings 5:14-17 Naaman is brought to belief in Elisha's God through being healed of his leprosy.

Second Reading 2 Timothy 2:8-13 St. Paul explains that suffering like his is worthwhile for the sake of witnessing to the Good News of salvation and eternal glory for believers.

Gospel Luke 17:11-19 Jesus, the Messiah, heals ten lepers, but only one of them, a Samaritan, returns to thank him, and is promised salvation.

'Thank You'

Collection Sunday 2nd October: **£544.10.**

Further donation - Bishop's Admin. Fund: **£20.00.**

Many thanks to all who contributed.

TODAY - COFFEE AFTER MASS in the Parish Hall

- **ALL WELCOME!**

Sanctuary Lamp Bookings - Red Lamp -

"Mary Bristow RIP"

Our Lady's Blue Lamp -

"Josephine Fleming RIP"

To book, please email Sue on info@stpeterslytham.co.uk (or speak to her). Suggested **minimum** donation - £5 each lamp.

TODAY - Day of Prayer for Prisoners & Dependents - Prisoners' week.

This week's Memorials:

Mon: St. Paulinus of York, Bishop - Nat Cal.

Tues: St. John XXIII, Pope.

Wed: St. Wilfrid, Bishop - Nat Cal. (see overleaf).

Thurs: St. Edward the Confessor - Nat Cal.

Fri: St. Callistus I, Pope & Martyr.

Sat: St. Teresa of Jesus (Avila),

Virgin & Doctor (Memorial).

MESSAGE FROM CAFOD TEAM

Following last Sunday's CAFOD Appeal, you will have received after that Mass an envelope for the Harvest Fast Day held Fri 7th Oct. (If you didn't receive an envelope, there are spares at the back of church.)

Please return your envelope today, plus donation, or start a regular gift to CAFOD or go to cafod.org.uk/fastday

Millions of families are facing a food crisis that could be the worst in living memory. Your donations can help CAFOD's local experts to provide emergency food supplies to families in the worst affected countries in East Africa and support communities around the world working hard to put food on the table. *Many thanks for your support.*

MESSAGE FROM FR PETER:

This week has been a week of sacraments, in particular sacramental preparation, along with the usual timetable of masses, both baptism and wedding meetings. It's lovely to meet future parishioners and preparing to celebrate such joyful stages on their journeys of faith; this weekend sees my first baptism at St. Peter's, and next weekend I look forward to my first wedding at St. Joseph's. Soon it will be time to talk about First Holy Communion preparation, all wonderful opportunities to share our faith. As I said last week, Wednesday saw me on a 'zoom' course all day. St. Peter said that in heaven a thousand years can be like a single day; I think the opposite is the case of online learning - one day can seem like a thousand years, no matter how interesting the subject! I wonder if my sermons seem longer to those who watch them online? Perhaps its better not to know! Please note that there is no Mass on Thursday morning - I will be on Pilgrimage (more next week), so be assured I will be saying lots of prayers for St. Joseph's and St. Peter's.

ANNIVERSARIES occurring at about this time:
Christine Ramsbottom, Freda Walker, Teresa Dickenson, Catherine Curtis, Sister Benedicta, Kitty Wilson, Mary Warren, Delia Black, William Pendlebury, Frederick Worden, Anne Salthouse, Mary Whiteside, Annie Ainsworth, Margaret Butcher, Sister Dominic CP, Sister Mary Roc HCJ, Alex Kyle, Hugh O'Connelly, Helen Pownall, Frank Hughes, Sister Carmel Comerford CP.

May they rest in peace. Amen.

ST. PETER'S SCHOOL - JOB VACANCIES

St Peter's School are looking to recruit, as soon as possible for the following roles:

- After School Club Assistant - 15 hours per week;
- Cleaner - 15 hours per week;
- Site Supervisor - 22 hours per week. Full-time hours would be considered to do both roles, if required.

If you would like further information (e.g. closing date for applications?) or to discuss the roles further, please do not hesitate to contact the school - telephone: 01253 73465 or email bursar@st-peters-pri.lancs.sch.uk

**Responsorial Psalm for
28th Sunday in Ordinary Time
and the response is:
THE LORD HAS SHOWN HIS
SALVATION TO THE NATIONS.**

October is the Month of the Holy Rosary. The Joyful Mysteries.

1. **The Annunciation.** The Angel said to her, 'Mary, do not be afraid; you have won God's favour. Listen! You are to conceive and bear a son and you must name him Jesus.' (Lk. 1:30-32).
2. **The Visitation.** And Elizabeth was filled with the Holy Spirit and cried out with a loud voice, saying, 'Blessed are thou among women and blessed is the fruit of thy womb.' (Lk. 1:41-42).
3. **The Birth of Jesus.** And she brought forth her first born son, and wrapped him in swaddling clothes and laid him in a manger, because there was no room for them in the inn.'(Lk. 2:7).
4. **The Presentation.** And when the days of her purification were fulfilled according to the Law of Moses, they took him up to Jerusalem to present him to the Lord.' (Lk. 2:22-23).
5. **The Finding of the Child Jesus in the Temple.** And it came to pass after three days, that they found him in the temple, sitting in the midst of the teachers, both listening to them and asking them questions. (Lk. 2:46).

FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK:

Please continue to pray for: Frank Loftus, Jennie Antoine, Anne Jones, Graham Bentley, Fred & Mary Wylie, Ruth Whiteside, Anne Smith, Kath Hywel-Buckley, Joe Ainsworth, Rose Moss, John Lavelle, Margaret Fearn, Jean Bolton, Tony Bolton, Phoebe Rowlings, Patrick Gilligan, Robin Upton, Michael Golowicz, Brian Craig, and all those in the Hospice, Hospital, Rest Homes & Convents.
May God give them His healing grace.

GIFT AID -

If any taxpayer who isn't already signed up for Gift Aid would like to do so, please contact Deacon Michael. It is quite painless and a great help to the parish.

FOOD BANK:

To donate to the Food Bank, you can either leave your contribution in the church porch or get in touch with Pete Rickards on 07929 553968 and he will be happy to collect from your home. Please also help with any spare toiletries you might not need.