



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



**FOR**  
**Sunday 18th October 2020, Twenty-ninth 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 18th October	People of the Parish & Margaret McKeon (Ann)	<b>Public Mass at 10.30am</b>
Monday 19th October	No Mass	-
Tuesday 20th October	St. Joseph's Intention	Mass Online
Wednesday 21st October	Brian Matthews (Ann)	<b>Public Mass at 9.00am</b>
Thursday 22nd October	Bayne Spedding RIP	Mass Online
Friday 23rd October	St. Joseph's Intention	Mass Online
Saturday 24th October	Special Intention	Mass Online
Sunday 25th October	People of Parish & Special Intention	<b>Public Mass at 10.30am</b>

**St Joseph's Mass details:**

Saturday: 17th Oct Vigil: **Public Mass** 6pm.  
 Sunday: 18th Oct **Public Mass** 9.15am.  
 Monday: 19th Oct No Mass.  
 Tuesday: 20th Oct SJ's Intention - Mass Online.  
 Wed: 21st Oct **Public Mass** 12 noon - SJ's Intention.  
 Thursday: 22nd Oct - Mass Online.  
 Friday: 23rd Oct SJ's Intention - Mass Online.  
 Saturday: 24th Oct - Special Intention - Mass Online.  
 Sunday (Vigil): **Public Mass** at 6pm.  
 Sunday: 25th Oct **Public Mass** 9.15am.

**This week's Memorials:**

**Mon:** St. John de Brebeuf & Isaac Jogues & comps, Martyrs, and St. Paul of the Cross, Priest (see overleaf).

**Thurs:** St John Paul II, Pope.

**Fri:** St. John of Capistrano, Priest.

**Sat:** St. Anthony Mary Claret, Bishop.

**'Thank you'**

Collection Wednesday 7th Oct:- **£29.00.**  
 Collection Sunday 11th Oct:- **£201.50.**  
 CAFOD:- **£292.64.** Other donations:- **£20.00.**  
*Many thanks to all who contributed.*

**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.**

**Lately Dead: Caroline Wilson**

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

**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.

**Thanks to Our Gift Aiders - and An Appeal**

Two 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](mailto:info@stpeterslytham.co.uk)) and request a form. Please think about it. Thank you.

**Sanctuary Lamp Bookings**

**(Red)** *"Peter & David - Diaconate Training"*

**Our Lady's (Blue) Lamp**

*"Pregnancy and infant loss month"*

To book, please email Sue on [info@stpeterslytham.co.uk](mailto: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.

## MORE OF THE ROSARY FOR OCTOBER

Throughout October - the month of the Holy Rosary - we are encouraged to pray this great and powerful prayer. There will be a great opportunity to join with others online to pray the Luminous Mysteries of the Rosary on Thursday 22nd October at 7.00pm. These mysteries were introduced by Pope St John Paul II whose feast is on that day. To join the online group, we will be using the Zoom facility, and the following is the invitation to join the group. Click on the invitation at 7.00pm on the Thursday to join in the prayer:

<https://zoom.us/j/94971576702?pwd=ZXh3SzhhaDV2ZW9rU1dlcW8rZOVvdz09>

**Also** - Our Lady has asked us to say the Rosary for Peace. For several years now a group of St. Peter's parishioners have been saying a daily decade of the rosary which together completes the four Mysteries. Join us this October, for peace in our hearts, homes and world.

## CAFOD HARVEST FAST DAY 2020

This is a Harvest like no other, as many families face chronic food shortages, malnutrition and poverty, as the result of coronavirus. With your support, we can help people all over the world rebuild their lives. We've all felt the impact of this terrible disease - let's come together to help the poorest and most vulnerable people in the world *'SURVIVE, REBUILD & HEAL!'* Please pray for those affected.

### You can either:

- place your cash donation in the collection box as you leave Mass
- donate by telephone [0303 303 3030](tel:03033033030)
- donate on line at [cafod.org.uk/give](http://cafod.org.uk/give)
- text CAFOD to 70085 to donate £10.

*Texts cost £10 plus one standard rate message and you will be opting in to hear more about our work and fundraising via telephone and SMS. If you'd like to give £10 but do not wish to receive marketing communications, text CAFODNOINFO to 70085.*

For more information please see the Privacy Policy [Cafod.org.uk/Legal-information/Privacy-notice](http://Cafod.org.uk/Legal-information/Privacy-notice)

**A big 'thank you' to those who have already donated.**

## MASS INTENTIONS RECEIVED;

*Bayne Spedding RIP*

*O'Dwyer Family Dec'd Members (28th Oct).*

**ANNIVERSARIES:** Please remember in your prayers those whose anniversaries occur about this time: Fr. Peter Eccles, Harry George, Josephine Gerard, Kathleen Beal, Paul Jackson, Joseph Taylor, Shelagh Allen, Sr. Loretto, Ryan Keefe, Dulcie Barnes, Paul Fields, Maurice Mason, Ellen Eccles, Bishop Brian Noble, Margaret Collinson. *May they rest in peace. Amen.*

## 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.

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## Monday 19th October

**ST PAUL OF THE CROSS** was born at Ovada in the Republic of Genoa, 3rd January, 1694. His infancy and youth were spent in great innocence and piety. He was inspired from on high to found a congregation in honour of the Passion of Jesus Christ; in an ecstasy he beheld the habit which he and his companions were to wear.

On November 22, 1720, the Bishop vested him with the habit that had been shown to him in a vision, the same that the Passionists wear at the present time.

He built his first monastery near Obitelto. He treated himself with the greatest rigor and believed that he was a useless servant and a great sinner. His saintly death occurred at Rome in 1775 aged 81. He was canonized by Pope Pius IX in 1867.

## FOOD BANK - SEPTEMBER DELIVERIES

07/09: St Cuthbert's School Blackpool - 13 kgs.

21/09: St Cuthbert's School Blackpool - 12 kgs.

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