



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



**FOR**  
 Sunday 26th July 2020, Seventeenth 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 26th July	People of the Parish & John Morrison RIP	<b>Public Mass at 10.30am</b>
Tuesday 28th July	St Joseph's Intention	Mass online
Wednesday 29th July	Joanna Hughes	<b>Public Mass at 8.30am</b>
Thursday 30th July	John & Marian Milligan (Ann)	Mass online
Friday 31st July	St Joseph's Intention	Mass online
Saturday 1st August	Special Intention	Mass online
Sunday 2nd August	People of the Parish & Ted Hudson (Ann)	<b>Public Mass at 10.30am</b>

**St Joseph's Mass details:**

Saturday: 25th July Vigil: **Public Mass** at 6pm.  
 Sunday: 26th July **Public Mass** at 9.15am.  
 Tuesday: 28th July Mass online.  
 Wednesday: 29th July **Public Mass** at 12 noon.  
 Thursday: 30th July Mass online.  
 Friday: 31st July Mass online.  
 Sunday (Vigil): **Public Mass** at 6pm.  
 Sunday: 2nd August **Public Mass** at 9.15am.

**This week's Memorials:**

Wednesday: St Martha.  
 Thursday: St. Peter Chrysologus, Bishop & Doctor.  
 Friday: St. Ignatius of Loyola, Priest.  
 Saturday: St. Alphonsus, Bishop & Doctor.

**Mass online:** Visit <https://www.stpeterslytham.co.uk/> or <https://st-josephsansdell.net/videos/>

**Church opening**

The times for private prayer at St Peter's are Wednesday evening 6 pm until 8 pm; and Thursday and Saturday 10 am until 12 noon. We now are able to celebrate the Saturday evening Vigil Mass at 6 pm at St Joseph's in addition to Sunday morning there at 9.15 am and here at St Peter's at 10.30am. If people wish to go to Confession, please ring Fr David on 737037 to arrange for a time. For those still not able or confident to come out to Mass, we will still have the Sunday afternoon Mass celebrated in private. This will be recorded and made available online.

**'Thank you'**

Collection Wednesday 15th July £55.00.  
 Collection Sunday 19th July £219.23.  
 Holy Places £10.00. Good Shepherd Fund £19.00.  
 Other cash received in past week £60.00.

**THANK YOU**

Deacon Michael wishes to thank parishioners and friends for the Masses, cards and good wishes received on the tenth anniversary of his ordination. They were very much appreciated.

**May God bless you all.**

**How to make an Act of Perfect Contrition**

Perfect Contrition is a grace from God, so sincerely ask for this gift throughout the day prior to making your act of contrition: "My God, grant me perfect contrition for all my sins".

1. In reality or imagination kneel at the foot of a crucifix and say to yourself: "Jesus, my God and my Saviour, in the midst of your agony, you remembered me, you suffered for me, you wished to wipe away my sins".
2. Contrition is 'perfect' if you repent of your sins because you love God and are sorry for offending Him and causing the sufferings of Christ on the cross. Before the Crucified Christ remember your sins, repent of them because they have brought our Lord to His sufferings on the Cross. Promise him, that with His help, you will not sin again.
3. Recite, slowly and sincerely, an act of contrition focused on the goodness of God and your love of Jesus: "O my God, because you are so good, I am very sorry that I have sinned against you and by the help of your grace I will not sin again. Amen".
4. Make a firm resolution to go to sacramental confession as soon as practically possible.

**How to make a Spiritual Communion**

Desire, with earnest longing, to receive our Lord present — Body, Blood, Soul and Divinity — in the Blessed Sacrament. Say this prayer of St. Alphonsus de' Ligouri: "My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Blessed Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire You in my soul. Since I cannot now receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. As though You are already there, I embrace You and unite myself wholly to You; do not let me ever be separated from You. Amen".

### **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, Bobby Kelly, 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.**

### **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.*

**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.**

**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](mailto: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.**

### **MASS INTENTIONS RECEIVED:**

*Joanne Hughes*

*John Morrison RIP*

*Eileen Wall RIP (6th August)*

*Isobel Morrison RIP (19th August)*

### **ANNIVERSARIES:**

Please remember in your prayers those who anniversaries occur about this time:

Canon Duffy, Agnes Barlow, Eileen Farrell, Catherine Eccles, Sarah Richardson, Annie Ogden, Jim Boardman, Marjorie Langley, Kathleen D. Hill, Jane Sinclair, Jim Bonney, Jim Sharples, Eleanor Park, Mary Watson, Geoffrey Holt, Fr. Joe Hothersall, Fr. John Hawkins, Sr. May Jude CP, Sr. Mary Champion CP, Ron Marlow, John Phillips. ***May they rest in peace. Amen.***

### **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](mailto:missiolytham@hotmail.com) and I will make sure these are then updated. ***Kind regards, to all Andy***

**ANNIVERSARY RECORDS:** If, week by week, as you read the Anniversary names in this newsletter, you notice that the name of your loved one is missing or in the wrong week, please let Mary Waddington know.