



NEWSLETTER
ST PETER'S CATHOLIC CHURCH
 CLIFTON STREET, LYTHAM, FY8 5EP
 Parish Website www.stpeterslytham.co.uk



FOR
Sunday 27th September 2020, Twenty-sixth 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 & Date</i>	<i>Mass Intention</i>	<i>Mass details</i>
Sunday 27th September	People of the Parish & Special Intention (LM)	Public Mass at 10.30am
Monday 28th September	No Mass	-
Tuesday 29th September	St. Joseph's Intention	Mass Online
Wednesday 30th September	Dennis O'Brien (Anniversary)	Public Mass at 9.00am
Thursday 1st October	Patrick Sumner RIP	Mass Online
Friday 2nd October	St. Joseph's Intention	Mass Online
Saturday 3rd October	Bob Seed RIP	Mass Online
Sunday 4th October	People of the Parish & Souls of those buried at Saltcotes	Public Mass at 10.30am

St Joseph's Mass details:

Saturday: 26th Sept Vigil: **Public Mass** 6pm.
 Sunday: 27th Sept **Public Mass** 9.15am.
 Monday: 28th Sept No Mass.
 Tuesday: 29th Sept SJ's Intention - Mass Online.
 Wed: 30th Sept **Public Mass** 12 noon - SJ's Intention.
 Thursday: 1st Oct - Mass Online.
 Friday: 2nd Oct SJ's Intention - Mass Online.
 Saturday: 3rd Oct - Mass Online.
 Sunday (Vigil): **Public Mass** at 6pm.
 Sunday: 4th Oct **Public Mass** 9.15am.

This week's Feast & Memorials:

Monday: St. Wenceslaus, Martyr & Sts. Lawrence Ruiz & Companions, Martyrs.
Tuesday: SS. Michael, Gabriel, Raphael, Archangels (Feast) (*see overleaf*).
Wednesday: St. Jerome, Priest & Doctor.
Thursday: St. Therese of the Child Jesus, Virgin & Doctor.
Friday: The Holy Guardian Angels. (*see overleaf*)

'Thank you'

Collection Wednesday 16th - **£20.00.**
 Collection Sunday 20th:- **£234.96.**
 Home Missions:- **£69.50.**
 Other donations received:- **£149.00.**
Many thanks to all who contributed.

Pilgrimage of Reparation & Prayer for the Sanctity of Life

There is a 'virtual' pilgrimage to Walsingham and is available on 27th Sept 2020. For those interested please check out the following links: it can be accessed via YouTube on Walsingham Catholic TV: www.youtube.com/watch?v=_0aJG5juz0 or at the Basilica live stream: www.walsingham.org.uk/live-stream/
 Full details are available on the website, including the programme for the day: www.prolifepilgrimage.org/

MASS INTENTIONS RECEIVED;

Bob Seed RIP.
Dennis O'Brien (Ann).
Brian Matthews (Ann) {18th Oct}.

ANNIVERSARIES: Please remember in your prayers those whose anniversaries occur about this time: Fr. Michael Turner, John J. Haythornthwaite, Rosaleen Brundrett, Peter Newsham, Sandra Knowles, Frank Baines, Tom Anderton, John Blacoe, Sr. Joanna CP, Helen Conway, Mary Flynn, Danny Bowes, Derrick Smith, Joseph V. Cox, Mary Earnshaw, Ann Barton, Gerald Moss, Brian Clarke, Fr. Tony Foulkes, Alfred Bailey, Christine Ramsbottom. *May they rest in peace. Amen.*

THANKS FROM CAFOD

CAFOD have written to thank you for your generosity in response to their Coronavirus and Beirut Explosion Appeals. In their words "*It means so much to us that you have reached out to our brothers and sisters around the world, when life here at home is quite changed. Thank you so much for being there for our global family*".

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.**

FEAST - 29th September
Sts. Michael, Gabriel, Raphael
Archangels

This feast celebrates three angels who were sent by God to people on earth over the course of ages.

- *St Michael* is described in Holy Scripture as: "one of the chief princes" and as leader of the forces of heaven in their triumph over the powers of hell.
- *Gabriel* - announced to Mary that she would bear a Son of the Most High, and the Saviour of the world.
- *Raphael* - whilst acting as a guide to young Tobiah, revealed his identity "*I am the Angel Raphael, one of the seven who stand before the throne of God*".

October 2nd -
The Guardian Angels

The angels are pure spirits endowed with a natural intelligence, will power, and beauty far surpassing the nature, faculties and powers of human beings. Faith teaches us that each individual has a Guardian Angel who watches over us during the whole course of our lives and one day we will be able to enjoy their company in heaven.

Sanctuary Lamp Bookings (Red)
"A special intention"

"Those starting or returning to University".

Our Lady's (Blue) Lamp
*"For a speedy recovery -
Maureen Butterworth".*

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

**A BIG 'THANK YOU' FROM
SUE SHAKESPEARE**

On Saturday 12th, I completed my 'hike' taking the scenic route around all the churches in our Deanery. The weather was perfect and it was a wonderful day. In the end I walked a little further than planned and complete 27.5 miles.

I would like to thank each of you for your support and donations. So far I have raised (with Gift Aid added) **£663.75**. Thank you so much for helping me to raise money for Macmillan Cancer Support.

**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.

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. **Thank you so much.**