

St. James-the-Less & St. Thomas More

Diocese of Salford - Bishop John Arnold
'Stay with us, Lord,
on our Journey'



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THIRTY SECOND SUNDAY IN

ORDINARY TIME

12th November 2017



THIS WEEK IN THE CHURCH

- Mon.** Mass at 9.00 a.m. Tom Leake
Tues. Mass at 9.00 a.m. (In the School) Remembrance 1914-18, 1939-45
Wed. Mass at 9.00 a.m. Canon Kevin O'Connor
Thurs. Mass at 9.00 a.m. John Harrison
Fri. Mass at 12 Noon Alan Clawson
Sat. Mass at 11.00 a.m. Jack & Cecily Flood, Louisa Standring.

SUNDAY - THIRTY THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Vigil Mass at 6.30 p.m. Tony Byrne & Dec. Harris Fam.

Mass at 8.30 a.m. People of the Parish

Mass at 10.30 a.m. Dec. Cummins, Shanahan & Radley Fam.

CONFESSIONS: Sat. 11.30 - Noon with Eucharistic Adoration. 5.45 - 6.15 p.m.

READERS:

Vigil - Paul Higginbottom
8.30 - Tony Ronnan
10.30 - Paul Swarbrick

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

Vigil - Steve Mawdesley
8.30 - David Postlethwaite
10.30 - Elysia Bulger



NEXT BAPTISMAL PREPARATION PROGRAMME is on Sunday, Nov. 19th at 5 p.m. in the Presbytery.

WELCOME to Grace Olivia Taylor, Amalee Maeve Morton & Louie Kenyon, baptised here last Sunday, & prayers for their families.

RAWTENSTALL TOWN CENTRE CHURCHES - Marquee on Sat. 25th Nov. 10 am - 7 pm for Christmas - Gifts, Prayer Tree & Children's Activities. All are welcome.

CAFOD - Meeting in the Centre on Tuesday at 7.30 pm. All are welcome.

CAFOD & TRADCRAFT COFFEE MORNING next Sunday, 19th Nov. Christmas Cards will be available to order and for collection.

POPE FRANCIS has asked the Church to celebrate the First World Day of the Poor, 18/19th Nov. Diocesan Meeting at Guardian Angels Church, Bury, BL8 2RD on Wed. 15th Nov. from 6-9 pm. Further info from Betsy Keating on 01706 212036.

INTERNATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER for the Persecuted Church on Sun. Nov. 19th in Central Methodist Church, Bacup, Stacksteads Methodist & Longholme Methodist Churches.

Please pray for:

THE SICK: Doris Chesworth, Barbara Schofield, Michael Lupton, Ted Davies, Vinnie Walsh, Kathryn Whittaker, Phillip Williams, Maureen Connolly, Jim Travis, Little Kenton Ritson, Little Leila Collopy, Little Maya McDermott, Elio Savarese.

LATELY DEAD: John Harrison, Niall Hayden, Maureen Southam, Agnes Hoyle, Sheila Brooks, Michael King, Eileen Thompson, Paddy Halligan, Jim Thomas, Tom O'Brien, Joan Molloy, Canon Kevin O'Connor.

ANNIVERSARIES & REMEMBRANCE

Dec. Cummins, Shannahan & Radley Fam., Michael Whitby, Ann Finlay, Ellen & Thomas Lord, Jack Phillips, Joseph Rowan, Tom Leake, Dec. Tyrrell Fam., Harold & Bridget Bennett, Patrick Mahon, Peter Gill, Ray Jones, Mary & Peter Connolly, Josef Topos, Dec. Geelon Fam., Tony Byrne, Dec. Harris Fam., Winnie & Jack Newton, Bob & Annie Stephens, Dec. Crossley & Derbyshire Fam., Jack & Cecily Flood, Louisa Standring, Philip Alfred Gage, Philip Robert Gage, Bernard & Elizabeth Dempsey, Bob Ives, Duncan Clarke, Ernest Joseph Fenn, Dec. Byrne & Woodward Fam., P.J. McEvoy.



THIS WEEK IN THE CENTRE

Sun. Free & Easy
Tues. Slimming Club
Fri. Youth Centre
Sat. Private Function



THIS WEEK IN THE OLD SCHOOL ROOM

Sun. Children's Liturgy
Mon - Fri Pre-School Playgroup
Mon. Rainbows
Tues. Irish Dancing
Wed. Brownies/Line Dancing

OTHER NOTICES THIS WEEK

BISHOP JOHN WRITES - 'There are some 60 retired priests in the Diocese of Salford. They have generously given their lives in ministry and service in the pastoral care of our people. Now, we must be sure to provide for their comfort & well-being in retirement. Please be as generous as you are able in your contribution to their care. Thank you.'

DATES FOR THE DIARY -

- Cemetery Sunday & Blessing of Graves on Sun. Nov. 19th Service at 2.30 pm in the Cemetery Chapel. Taizé for November on Sun. 26th Nov.
 - Christmas Fair on Sunday, December 3rd. Raffle Tickets available after Mass.
 - Whalley Abbey on Monday, Dec. 11th is fully booked. Waiting list - please give names to Theresa.
 - New Years Eve Dinner Dance now fully booked.
- NOVEMBER DEANERY STATION MASS** will take place at St. Charles, Rishton on Thurs. Nov. 16th at 7 pm.
MISSION BOXES will be emptied after all Masses next weekend, 18/19th November.