

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

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



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FIFTH SUNDAY

OF LENT

18th March 2018



Please pray for:

THE SICK: Michael Lupton, Ted Davies, John Curran, Jean & Harry Sharkey, Adrian Taylor, Derek Ashworth, Bernard & Philomena Murphy.



THIS WEEK IN THE CHURCH

- Mon.** St. Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Mass at 9.00 a.m.
10.30 a.m. Funeral Service for Thomas Bromley
- Tues.** Mass at 9.00 a.m.
- Wed.** No 9.00 a.m. Mass
Requiem Mass at 10.30 a.m. for Bernard Payton
- Thurs.** No 9.00 a.m. Mass
Requiem Mass at 12 Noon for Alice Lynskey
- Fri.** Mass at 12 Noon followed by Exposition until 5.00 p.m. Stations of the Cross.
- Sat.** Mass at 11.00 a.m.
11.30 a.m. Confessions and Exposition until 12 Noon.

LATELY DEAD: Elizabeth Hardman, Sheila Chadwick, Thomas Bromley, Bernard Payton, Alice Lynskey.

THIS WEEK IN THE CENTRE

Tues. Slimming Club
Fri. Youth Centre



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

SUNDAY - PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD



Vigil Mass at 6.30 p.m.

Mass at 8.30 a.m.

Mass at 10.30 a.m.

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

READERS:

- Vigil - Paul Higginbottom, Gary Moylan, Margaret Crook
8.30 - Lisa Hamilton, Sue Casey, Tony Ronnan
10.30 - Heather Purcell, Elizabeth McCormick, Michael Purcell

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

- Vigil - Gerard Cahill
8.30 - John Willoughby
10.30 - Donna Williams



NEXT BAPTISMAL PREPARATION will be today at 5 p.m. in the Presbytery. All parents who are intending to have their children Baptised are welcome.

CAFOD COFFEE MORNING TODAY (SUNDAY).

N.B. Each Friday in Lent there will be a Simple Soup Lunch in the Centre, raising awareness and supporting Cafod, at 12.30 p.m.

CORNERSTONES BOX AT BACK OF CHURCH

OTHER NOTICES THIS WEEK

SATURDAY, 24th MARCH at St. John the Baptist, Ivy Street, Burnley (BB10 1TB) at 2 p.m. Bishop John Arnold will be reporting back from his recent CAFOD trip to Bangladesh, including projects supporting the Rohingya refugees. All are welcome to hear about the trip and what CAFOD'S partners, through your support, are doing to support projects in Bangladesh and the Rohingya refugees. If you wish to go, please contact Elysia on 01706 215176.

MASS OF THE SACRED CHRISM at Salford Cathedral on Wednesday, 28th March: There are four tickets available for those parishioners who are willing to represent the parish. The Mass is at 11.00 a.m.. Please put your name and telephone number on the list if you wish to volunteer. If more than four people wish to go then we will have a draw for four people from the names on the list.

MEETING FOR SVP AND EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS next Sunday, 25th March, at 12 Noon in the Sacristy. All are welcome.

VALLEY MASS at All Saints High School will be on Thursday, 22nd March at 4.00 p.m. in the school.

DEANERY LENTEN STATION MASS on Saturday, 24th March at 11.00 a.m. at Sacred Heart, Colne. All are welcome.

SALFORD DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE to Walsingham on Sat. 5th May, led by Bishop Arnold. For more info contact John Griffin on 0161 817 2222.