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WELCOME TO NEW PARISHIONERS / VISITORS

Please fill in our new Record Form, or if you move house within the parish please amend a new form.

Saturday 27th August St Monica
6.00 (Vigil Mass) The Parish

Sunday 28th August 22nd Sunday of the Year
9.30 Calderbank family intention
11.00 E. J. Whelan's intention



Monday 29th August Beheading of John the Baptist
10.00 Peggy Nelson Anniversary (One Mass only today)

Tuesday 30th August St Edmund Arrowsmith
9.00 Hilda and Jack Gallagher
12.15 Margaret Croasdale Anniversary



Wednesday 31st August

9.00 Frank Kirkman
12.15 Eileen Howarth Anniv

Thursday 1st September
8.00 (In Church) Joyce Bull
12.15 Keith Bretherton and John Platt

Friday 2nd September
9.00 NO MASS 12.15 Evelyn Halpin
7.15 Fr. Ambrose Griffiths & all Recently Bereaved

Saturday 3rd September St Gregory the Great
9.00 Robert Saul
12.00 Wedding of Robert Clifford & Anna Turner
6.00 (Vigil Mass) Fr Abbot's intentions



Sunday 4th September 23rd Sunday of the Year
9.30 Tony and Madeleine Jones 40th Anniversary
11.00 The Parish



Confessions Saturday 9.30 - 10.00 a.m. (or when they end) and c 5.15 - 6.00 p.m. Also Confessions at any time. Ring for a mutually convenient time with one of the priests.

Last Sunday: **Offertory Loose Plate £517.14 Gift Aid £297.79**
Many thanks!

For Gift Aid contact John Baggaley 432683

HOLY COMMUNION FOR THE SICK

The Congregation says: May this sacrament unite them with Christ and his Church and give them consolation and peace.

Adoration in the Special Chapel when you can come. Come and spend some time with the risen Lord in peace and quiet.

500 CLUB CONGRATULATIONS!

£100 Winner G Donohoe Week 32 No. 49 Agent L Raven

Bible Alive - September's Bible Alive are now in the envelopes in the Sacristy for those who subscribe.

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Theme: If anyone wants to be a follower of mine, let him renounce himself.

THE PARISH FAMILY

BY BAPTISM WE WELCOME: James Anthony Prescott

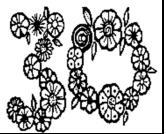
CONGRATULATION TO: Peter Adams and Cara Keane who were married last weekend.

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL OUR SICK Jim and Joyce Smith, Br Jim Gledhill (Lisieux), Margaret Miller, David Lowe, Frances Hart, Martin Glancy, Joe Breen, Rebecca Shanks, Max Copeman, Carmel Spiers, Vincent Nelson, Tony Lyonette, Keith Mayor, Wanda Brown, Betty Kelly, Fr David Morland OSB (Ampleforth), Denis Chatburn (operation), Lee Derbyshire, Gaynor Hilliard, Eric Woof, Lynn Hamer, Gordon Cottle, Patricia Thompson, Alan Newby, Vincent McFarlane, May Stromberg, Robert Williams, Joan Walmsley, Anne Smith, Henry Deacon, Sheila Latham, Kathleen Heywood, Maria Whitfield, Elle Miller (High School), John Southworth, John Kelly, Terry Donnelly, Mary Magee, Mary Douglas, Tracey Anne Holly, Jenny Finch, Paul Hewitt, Jim McKay, Dot Reynolds, Susan McCarthy, Walburga Hall, Danny Bonner, Gerald Ralphs, Graham Halstead, Andrew Liddell, Beryl Appleton, Eoin Byrne (baby) (connected with us)

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL OUR DEPARTED: Especially Richard Craven and Monica Gard and connected with us Judith Wood and Leslie Williams who died recently and the following whose anniversaries occur about this time: Kathleen Margaret Ravenscroft, Carolyn Wall, Dorothy May Grayston, Evelyn Giblin, Eileen Howarth, Paul Boys, Cecilia Esther Fortune, Alan James Walmsley, Marian Dean, Evelyn Nelson, Gerard Kerfoot and Margaret Croasdale.

THIS WEEK Today: 22nd Sunday of the Year

Flowers on the Altar are to celebrate the 30th Wedding Anniversary of Peter and Margaret Hollinhurst.



Family Rota of Prayer: M Jones, 11 Parkgate

Monday: Church cleaning 9 am 'A' team

Tuesday: S.V.P. meeting Abbot H Room 8 pm

Thursday: Holy Hour 7 pm (Ministers of Holy Communion) All parishioners are welcome. There will be a short 'business meeting' afterwards in the Library to discuss current matters.

Friday: Divine Mercy prayers 11.00 am in the Adoration Chapel. **Mass for the recently bereaved** 7.15pm. all are welcome to share in the offering of this mass for bereaved parishioners and all who mourn a family or friend. Fr. Ambrose's turn this time!

Saturday: One Voice Community Choir proudly present "Soul Food" A community "Food Giving" concert 7.30 pm at The Salvation Army, Harrington Street, Preston. See the poster for more details.

NEXT SUNDAY: 23rd Sunday of the Year
Youth Alive Mass depart 5.30 pm - **No Youth Group**

Carer wanted to work with a disabled lady within the Parish, to help with meal preparation and personal care. 5 hours per week paid at £9 per hour. Previous experience not necessary. If you are interested and would like more information please contact Mary on 01772 517258

Lift to Mass: could any kind Parishioner give a lift to a lady. She would be happy to go to 6 pm Saturday or 11 am Sunday. She lives in the Turpin Green area. Please contact the Priory if you can help. Thank you.

Crutches has anyone got a spare pair of elbow crutches for one of our parishioners if so please contact Sr Veronica 424665

Enlarged copies of Update - there are few copies left. Please take one if you would find it beneficial.

Forthcoming Events

Garden Party Sunday 18th September. Our parish has a challenge on Garden Party Sunday. We usually have good weather, but that cannot be guaranteed and if it rains we have to use the Church.

In consultation with those who are organising the event the decision is to have ONE MORNING MASS at 10am; the Garden Party will begin at 1pm and end at 4pm. Please will helpers be ready to come on the day to help after morning mass; helpers will find refreshments will be available for them.

Extra mass on that Sunday evening at 6pm.



Garden Party Sunday 18th September

We need:

- Tombola prizes** and suggest: bottles; unwanted gifts; jewellery.
- White Elephant items** (no jumble please).

Please leave these items in the box in the Narthex.

- Items for the Craft Stall** would be gratefully received. Please leave in the large basket in the Narthex.
- The Youth Group will be running 'Smash a Pot'**. Please start collecting your old pots (cups; plates; tea pots; vases etc) but no glass or plastic. Please place in bags or boxes clearly marked 'smash a pot' and leave in the Narthex nearer the time.
- Jam jars with or without fillings.** Please fill with something you might like to win!
- Good clean toys** for the toy stall



South Ribble Transition Towns A variety of events and activities take place in July and August. Please see poster for more details.

Women's Prayer group - restart in September on the second Thursday in each month at 7.30pm for a 7.45 pm start. The group meets at 73 Runshaw Lane, Euxton. This is a chance to pray, share and reflect on worries, concerns and blessings as seen by women. If you want more information please contact Angie Bolton on 07815148551 or Sharon Beirne on 01257232479



Brownedge St Mary's Garden Fete will take place on Saturday 10th September 11 am - 4 pm. Please see poster on the Notice Board.

Vocations to Priesthood - the next monthly event will be held on Sunday 11th September. Please see poster on the Notice Board for more details

The Archdiocesan Pastoral Formation Department is offering a series of six weekly meetings, **RECOVERING AND MOVING ON AFTER DIVORCE**, to support Catholics who are divorced or separated or experiencing the breakdown of a long term relationship. Meetings will start on **Monday 12th September 2011**, 7.30 pm to 9 pm, near Aigburth Vale, Liverpool 17. Please see poster on the Notice Board for more details.

In-depth introduction to centering prayer Thursday 15th September 6 - 7.30 pm. Please see poster on the Notice Board.

Beginners/Intermediate IT Course starting Thursday 29th September 1.15 - 3.15 pm at Moorhey School, Lostock Hall. If anyone is interested please ring Margaret Hollinhurst on 435536



Sing a new song to the Lord: Music for the new texts



A music workshop will take place in our Church on Saturday 1st October at 10.30 am. Bring a packed lunch. Please see poster on the Notice Board.

Pilgrimage to the Holy Land, "In the footsteps of Jesus" 15 - 22 March 2012. Please see poster

WORD OF LIFE

See, I have come to do you will (Heb 10:9)

How can we live this month's Word of Life? It is another of those Words that most put into light how the Gospel goes against the current of the world. It contrasts with our most deeply-rooted tendency: to seek our own will, to follow our instincts and feelings. This Word is also one that goes most strongly against the grain for people of our times. We live in an age that exalts the ego and promotes self-sufficiency, freedom as an aim in itself, self-gratification as the fulfilment of the person, pleasure as the guide for making personal choices and as the secret of happiness. But we all know the disastrous results that come from pursuing such a culture.

Copies of the full text are on the table in front of the Piety Shop. Please help yourself

Our excellent three Schools are getting ready to re-start; new intakes at Nursery and Year 1 in the Primary schools, and in the High School a brand new year 7.

The GCSE results were good: everyone achieved something. Michael Wright our head-teacher asks for prayers for all the leavers who now have choices to make after their results are known. Also he prefers not to say that such a percentage got A-C (it was high as usual) because there is a low percentage of pupils who tried very hard but did not gain those results. This year we have a new Deputy Head, Cathy McNicholas, in the High School and seven new staff: so prayers for all involved in our schools please!

Stop Press Family Festival of Arts in the Park This week-end Sunday 28th and Monday 29th in Worden Art Centre 12-5pm Take a poster from the Narthex.