## The Parish of

# St. Anne, Ormskirk

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30th June 2024

# Solemnity of Saints Peter & Paul, Apostles

**Readings:** Acts12:1-11; Ps 33:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9; 2 Tim 4:6-8, 17-18; Mt 16:13-19. 4.00pm | Sacrament of Reconciliation until 4.45pm Sat 29 5.00pm | **Angela Woods** (Vigil Mass) • Retiring Collection: Peter's Pence Sun 30 10.30am | Bill Trickett (streamed) Retiring Collection: Peter's Pence Noon Baptisms: Marie Arnold-Routledge & Maeve Gallagher Mon 1 11.00am Requiem Mass: Sheila Murphy • UCM in Pastoral Centre at 1.00pm - Fun Bingo • SVP in Pastoral Centre at 8.00pm Tue 2 9.15am | Morning Prayer 9.30am | Michael Ryan Prayer Group in Pastoral Centre at 10.30am Husting Session in Pastoral Centre at 7.00pm Wed 3 Feast of St Thomas 9.15am | *Morning Prayer* 9.30am | Greta Davies Abbot Finbar's Requiem at 11.00am in Douai will be live-streamed. Below is the link: https://youtube.com/live/WB3liklvXfQ?feature=share 9.15am | *Morning Prayer* Thu 9.30am *Michael Scanlon* **10.00am** Holy Hour to pray for the Election Continued overleaf

**RETIRING COLLECTION TODAY:** 

Peter's Pence

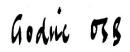
Fri	5	9.30am	Mary Murney - Year 4 Holy Communion Celebration Mass Wedding Service: Wayne Ormrod & Angela Zelia Barton					
		4.00pm						
Sat	6	4.00pm	Sacrament of Reconciliation until 4.45pm					
		5.00pm	Fr Dermott O'Donoghue (Vigil Mass)					
			Retiring Collection: SVP					
			<ul> <li>Please join us for coffee after Mass in the Pastoral</li> </ul>					
			Centre and meet Fr Joseph					
Sun	7	10.30am	Eileen Morris (streamed)					
			Retiring Collection: SVP					
			<ul> <li>Please join us for coffee after Mass in the Pastoral</li> </ul>					
			Centre and meet Fr Joseph					
		Noon	Baptism: Harry Aspinall					

#### **Dear Parishioners and Friends**

We have had some very inspiring Scripture readings at the weekday Masses over the past couple of weeks, and some really gripping stories, with the prophet Elijah taking centre stage. He suffered greatly at the hands of the King, Ahab, and his wife Jezebel, and almost came to the point of wanting to give up; but he didn't! Most of the kings of Judah were not good kings. They allowed the worship of false gods to take over from true worship of the god of Abraham, Issac and Jacob. This week, though, we heard about a good king, Hezekiah, and how he managed to defeat the Assyrian king, Sennacherib. Today, Friday, however, as I write, we have learnt about the Babylonian king, Nebuchadnezzar, succeeding in attacking Jerusalem, perpetrating terrible atrocities, and deporting most of the population of Jerusalem to Babylon.

I have just been asked why we read these stories during Mass. The answer is that they tell us about our extraordinary history in faith. The whole of the Old Testament, the Hebrew Scriptures, map out how God interacts with humanity and how human being themselves reach out to know about God. This relationship is a tempestuous one – on humanity's side. Our all-loving, patient, caring God is constantly rebuffed by the infidelity of God's people, and as we see so vividly in today's world, human selfishness and sin warp our perspectives.

We live in a world of sinfulness and selfishness and self-interest; yet God is always there – here- even in our darkest moments. We may abandon God. God never abandons us.



#### Anniversaries to 6 July 2024 (Last 10 yrs).

James Coleman, Anthony James Armstrong, Quintino De-Freitas, Ken Harrison, Michael Scanlon, June Lesley Riley, Lucy Maddocks, Patricia Lawton, Joan Culshaw.

#### Please pray for the sick in our parish:

Derek Berkley, Rev Fr Boniface, Ann Brown, John Casey, Chris Coyne Jean Daunt, Mike Devlin, Margaret Halsall, Stephen Hankin-Hallsworth, Stan Ludlow, Hughie McGinley, May Mitchell, Stella O'Keefe, John Orritt, Stella Potter, James Rolfe, Frances Smith, Richard Sutherland, Maureen Taylor, Joan Whelan.



Recently Sick: Ann Potter, Jeannette Murphy, Nadia, Sandra Sugden.

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Patricia Farrell who died recently.

#### St Anne's News:

SVP Appeal to Recruit New Members: There will be a short appeal for the SVP at Masses on 6 and 7 July and a follow up meeting in the Pastoral Centre at 8.00pm on Monday 8 July for anyone who wants to know more about becoming a member of the St Vincent de Paul Society.

Richard Ainsworth

**St Teresa's Church, College Rd., Upholland:** Tuesday Evening, 16<sup>th</sup> July 7pm-8pm, Vigil of Prayer for Palestine. Please come and pray for the people of Palestine and Israel. Prayer is powerful! Bring everyone you can to join the vigil.

#### **Next Retiring Collection:**

Weekend 6 & 7 July: SVP

Weekend 20 & 21 July: Priests in Retirement

### Welcoming Fr Joseph Jacob.

So that as many of us as possible can meet and welcome Fr Joseph on the first full weekend that he is at St Anne's, there will be coffee in the Centre after the 5pm Mass on Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> July and also after the 10.30am Mass on Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> July.

Do come along and say hello.

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# Husting



Tuesday 2 July, 7.00pm – 8.30pm in Parish Centre

# Lourdes by air from Manchester for the Feast of the Immaculate Conception.

7 – 10 December 2024 £550 PER PERSON SHARING £650 PER PERSON IN SINGLE ROOM Northern Star Travel

# Please contact the parish office for a Booking Form & Itinerary or put your name and contact number on the list

Insurance available
Places will be allocated on a 'first come, first served' basis

## Christ the King 6th Form School, Birkdale, Merseyside

Undecided about what to do after GCSE results?

For more information about our 6<sup>th</sup> Form, please go to the recruitment link:

sixthformadmin@christtheking-school.com



General Election CAFOD and the SVP ask for your help to answer Pope Francis' call to support the most vulnerable by contacting your parliamentary candidates before the General Election. They've made it easy – just follow this link on CAFOD's website and you can use the prepared email or amend it, and when you send it, it will reach all your candidates:

https://action.cafod.org.uk/page/150354/action/1

Cardinal Nichols and the Bishops Conference are urging us to voice our support for the most vulnerable and the environment too. THANK YOU!



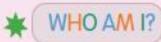
Congratulations to Chris Knowles from St Anne's Primary School who did a Sky Dive to raise money for St Anne's Roof Fund. So far, Chris has raised over £700

The Just Giving page is open for 2 weeks.

If you wish to donate, please scan the QR code below.







Who do you love?

Peter and Paul helped Jesus in his work because they loved him. Draw someone

you love inside the heart.

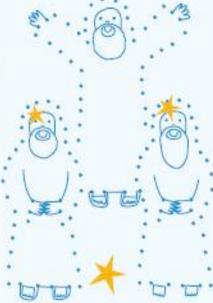


#### Dot to dot

Jesus asks Peter, "Who do you say I am?". Peter knows Jesus is the Chris

the Son of God. Jesus puts Peter in charge of his friends. Today is the feast of both Ss Peter and Paul. They had different ideas about how to

> We need to spend time with people to see who they really are. Join the dots to see Jesus and his disciples.



Something to think about - how can we find out who Jesus really is?

# Showing LOVE at home

Draw a circle around what you can do to help at home. Colour over the rest!

fight

listen

tidy up

break things

CHRIST LEAD

be kind

smile

Can you write one of your own ideas here?

Dear Jesus, please help me to have faith in you, so that, like Peter and Paul, I can show the world how great you are. Amen.

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