

Diary Events This Week:

SUN 23rd Oct: 9.30am: Children's Liturgy; 10.30: First Confession (4) 2pm: Indian Dance Class. 4.30pm: **No** Young Adults Group (20-30+); **MONDAY:** 9am: Pre-School Club*; 3.20pm: After-School Club* 6pm: Cubs; 7.30pm: Scouts; 7.30pm: PPC Meeting; **TUESDAY:** Seekers, GFF Youth Group; 7.30pm: Prayer Group; **WEDNESDAY:** **THURSDAY:** 6.15pm: Beavers; 7.30pm: Journey in Faith; **FRIDAY:** **SATURDAY:** 9am: Pilates; Fabric & Finance; 10.30am: Spanish Class; 7.30pm; AA Meeting. * *These events each day Mon – Fri.* **Advance Diary Dates:** **Nov:** 20th>Youth Sunday; 21st> Social Committee; **Dec:** 4th>Christmas Fair.

PARISH PETITION BOOK

near Our Lady's statue. For your intentions which will be prayed for at the Sunday Masses and at other times.

NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF THE MIRACULOUS MEDAL:

First Saturday - 10.00am Mass.
Blest medals available.

ABORTION RECOVERY HELPLINE Arch can help: 0845 603 8501- Poster

SAFEGUARDING

Parish Safeguarding Officers are Mike Simpson and Brenda Scales

NEW TO THE PARISH? Or if you have changed: email, phone or address? Please complete the *Details Update Form* available in the porch.

CENACOLO COMMUNITY:

Thank you for your support with gifts

PRESTON FOOD BANK Thanks for last collection. **Next: Nov -19/20**

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: to help with the Youth Groups on Tues evening. If you are able to spare a couple of hours each week in term time please see Fr. D. or email frdarren@saintclares.co.uk Age range school years 4-6 & 7-11.

FROM THE PTFA

Used Batteries / Mobile Phones please place in box in porch. Funds to Bosnia

RPH CHAPLAINCY: Have you got 2 hours a week: morning, afternoon or evening? Consider volunteering as a visitor in the Catholic team. Info: see the poster or contact: Fr Darren Carden: 719604 or email frdarren@saintclares.co.uk

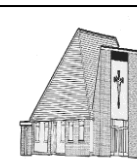
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ST CLARE'S CATHOLIC CHURCH THIRTIETH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

23rd October 2016



St Luke in today's Gospel paints a wonderful picture of the self-righteous Pharisee who in the temple 'stood there and said this prayer to himself.' He is contrasted with the other man, the tax collector, who standing at the back, 'did not even dare to raise his eyes to heaven.' With which of the two would you identify? The public sinner or the self-righteous Pharisee? Careful consideration is required.



'God be merciful to me, a sinner'

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Mass times on Mon & Wed have changed from 9am to **9.15am**

NOVEMBER BEREAVEMENT SERVICE

Sunday 6th November at 3pm.
To commemorate those we have loved and lost.

NOVEMBER LISTS ENVELOPES

(for the month of the Holy Souls)
in which to place the names of your loved ones who have died and any offering, are to be found in the church porch.

Mass will be celebrated for them throughout November and beyond.

WELL DONE

To the boys & girls in our school and to their teachers for producing a very memorable Harvest Thanksgiving Service

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MASSES THIS WEEK: 23rd Oct: – Mass Book Page 155

Office: Psalter Wk. 2 ; Sunday: Cycle C; Weekdays Year 2

THIRTIETH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

6pm: People of the Parish Vigil

7pm: No Holy Mass – with the NeoCatechumenal Way

9.30am: John Brogden RIP

6pm: Leo Masa RIP

Collection: World Mission Day

Monday of wk 30

9.15am: Maura McNamara RIP

5.15pm: Mass in RPH

Tuesday of wk 30

7pm: Deceased Members Catenians

Wednesday of wk 30

9.15am: Jack Bury RIP

7.30pm: Liturgy of the Word with the NeoCatechumenal Way (House Groups)

Thursday of wk 30

7pm: Mary Ryan RIP

Friday STS. SIMON & JUDE

Noon: Christopher Routledge RIP

5.15pm: Mass in RPH

Saturday of wk 30

10am: Henry & Kathleen Haydock RIP

THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

6pm: People of the Parish Vigil

7pm: Holy Mass – with the NeoCatechumenal Way

9.30am: Fr. Bernard Woods RIP

6pm: Magda Piotrkowski RIP

Collection: Sick & Retired Priests Fund

LATELY DEAD: Pat McArdle.

ANNIVERSARIES: Winifred Knight, Henry Haydock, Mary Knight, Norman Booth, Robert Potts, George Jolly, Frederick Newsham.

Pope's Prayer Intentions for October 1. That journalists, in carrying out their work, may always be motivated by respect for the truth and a strong sense of ethics. **2.** That World mission Day may renew within all Christian communities the joy of the Gospel and the responsibility to announce it.

Rosary for Life Challenge-

The Mysteries of Light will be prayed each day after the 9am Masses and before the Friday noon Mass, for this intention

**THIS IS THE EXTRAORDINARY
JUBILEE HOLY YEAR OF MERCY**

EXPOSITION:

Each morning:

Mon – Fri: 7 - 8am

Sat 10.30am-Noon

Intention: for priestly vocations.

CONFESSIONS:

Sat 11-12 noon.

Or by appointment.

CONGRATULATIONS: to Jessica Cunningham baptised here last Sunday.

JOURNEY IN FAITH: This course, in which we examine the teachings of the Church, has begun. But, it is not too late to join: **Thurs at 7.30pm – side chapel**

PILATES: continues on Saturday mornings at 9am. Funds raised support Youth and Porch Funds. Thank you to Cathy and all who attend.

200 CLUB: Oct Draw 1st £160 No. 2- A. Donlan; - 2nd £96 No. 116 - C. Webb; 3rd £64 No. 61- P. McNeela. Numbers are still available. Forms in the porch.

GOOD NEWS! A substantial donation has been given anonymously for the rebuilding of the porch. We can now move forward and begin planning in earnest.

ST. CLARE'S SCHOOL: Places for September 2017. LCC online admission process is now open. There will be an open afternoon for Reception Class 2017 on Tue 15th Nov, 2-6pm when staff will introduce themselves and meet parents, followed by a tour of the school with a Y6 pupil, concluding with an opportunity for questions. The closing date for applications is 15th January 2017 at 11-59 pm.

ON-LINE SHOPPING: 'Christmas is coming.' Before you shop visit www.easyfundraising.org.uk and look for St. Clare's New Porch Fund. **£411.00** raised so far – can you help to increase this amount. It costs you nothing!

PARISH RECIPE BOOK: More recipes needed!

'RICH IN MERCY': *Christian Life Community Regional Day* at Tabor on Sat 29th October. Speaker: Fr. Matthew Power SJ. Please bring food to share for lunch.

INTERNATIONAL FRIENDSHIP: 'Host UK' have written asking for people to welcome a foreign student for Christmas. Email: www.hostuk.org. Details on poster

ARCHBISHOP ROMERO LECTURE 2016: 'Rutilio, Romero, & Pope Francis' given by Fr Rodolfo Cardenal SJ on Fri 4th Nov 7pm at St. Wilfrid's. See poster.

CATHOLIC CERTIFICATE IN RELIGIOUS STUDIES: An excellent course run by the diocese. Well worth exploring. See details in porch.

COFFEE MORNING: Proceeds - Cancer Help (Vine House). Wed. 26th October at St. Edward's. Raffle, cakes, crafts, good as new etc.

ST. EDWARD'S: Ladies Group Thurs. 27th Oct. A presentation by Helen Bailey 'Taking on Mount Kilimanjaro.' Christmas meal deposit required-total cost £24

CAFOD REMEMBRANCE MASS: Nov 5th 6.30pm St. Bernadette's, Lancaster

THE LIVING WORD 3:- *Encounter the Living God through Sacred Scripture* Sat 26th - 27th Nov. To book or for more info visit www.coretlumenchristi.org

DISCOVER: Aged 18+ would like to join the Castlerigg Team for 2017? See poster or visit www.castleriggmanor.co.uk email: team@castleriggmanor.co.uk

LAST WEEK: Attended: 420; Collection: £1020.59. Thank you.

BOARBANK HALL: *Autumn Break* with Guest Speakers see leaflets.

YOUTH VIGIL: for the *Year of Mercy* Fri 4th Nov 7.30-9pm Lancaster Cathedral. See poster for more details

MEDJUGORJE 2017: a visit to the Shrine - from 22nd – 29th August 2017. £580 per person (sharing). All details on the poster.