

## Diary Events This Week:

**SUN 11<sup>th</sup> Oct:** 9.30am: Children's Liturgy; 10.30am: First Confession (1); 1pm: Indian Dance Class. **MONDAY:** 9.00am: Pre-School Club\*; 3.20pm: After-School Club\* 6.00pm: Cubs; 6.45pm: Scouts; 7.45pm: Social Committee; **TUESDAY:** Seekers & GFF Youth Groups 7.30pm: Prayer Group; **WEDNESDAY:** 6.30pm: Irish Dance Class **THURSDAY:** 6.15pm: Beavers; 7.45pm: Journey in Faith. **FRIDAY:** 7pm WDY Group; **SATURDAY:** 9.00am: Pilates; 1.30pm Messy Church; 7.30pm; AA Meeting. \* *These events each day Mon – Fri.*

**Advance Diary: Oct: 31<sup>st</sup> > F & F; Nov: 16<sup>th</sup> > PPC;**

### 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 of food.

**PRESTON FOOD BANK** Thanks for last collection- **Next: 17/18 Oct**

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:** to help with the youth groups on Tuesday evening. If you are able to spare a couple of hours each week in term time please see Fr. D. after Mass or email [frdarren@saintclares.co.uk](mailto: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

**Churches Together News:** 1) Carols RPH 19<sup>th</sup> Dec; 2) *Christian Unity Service:* Jan 18<sup>th</sup> 2016 7.30pm St Clare's; 3) *Pentecost Songs of Praise* May 15<sup>th</sup> 2016 3pm Christ Church.

### St. Clare's School

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## ST CLARE'S CATHOLIC CHURCH TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR 11<sup>th</sup> October 2015



Riches, it would seem, (even on our level) are an hindrance to a relationship with God. Being rich or just 'comfortable' is not a sin. The danger, as we see in today's Gospel, is that wealth and the cares of this world can impede our relationship with God. These material things can demand so much of our time that God is pushed to the margins. It is only when we put God in the first place that all other things fall into order.

### OCTOBER ROSARY DEVOTIONS

Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> October - 3pm

**DAY OF RENEWAL**  
**Saturday 31<sup>st</sup> October**  
**10am - 4pm**  
**Fr. Martin Onouha**  
**Parish Hall**

**Mass for the**  
**Anointing of the Sick**  
**Tues 27<sup>th</sup> Oct - 11.30am**  
**Followed by lunch**



**MESSY CHURCH**  
Parish Hall, **Next Sat 17<sup>th</sup> Oct**  
1.30-3pm  
Afternoon of activities

**Priests:** Frs. Christopher Loughran & Darren Carden. Deacon: Fred Sanderson. (Ret'd)  
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**MASSES THIS WEEK: 11<sup>th</sup> Oct. – Mass Book Page: 143**

Office: Psalter Wk.4 Sunday: Cycle B: Weekdays: Year 1

**TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR**

6.00pm: Special Intention **Vigil**

7.00pm: Holy Mass – with the NeoCatechumenal Community

9.30am: Roger & Florence O'Donnell. RIP

6.00pm: People of the Parish

**Monday Wk 28**

**11.00am:** Barbara Pye **Requiem Mass**

5.15pm: Mass in RPH

**Tuesday St. Edward the Confessor**

7.00pm: Mary Moran RIP

**Wednesday Wk 28**

9.00am: Tom Clapham RIP

7.30pm: Liturgy of the Word with the NeoCatechumenal Community

**Thursday St. Teresa of Jesus (Avila)**

7.00pm: Jack Burton RIP

**Friday St. Margaret Mary Alacoque**

12 noon: Anne (RIP) & Gerald Topping

5.15pm: Mass in RPH

**Saturday St. Ignatius of Antioch**

10.00am: Michael O'Malley RIP

**TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR**

6.00pm: Special intention **Vigil**

7.00pm: **No** Holy Mass – with the NeoCatechumenal Community

9.30am: Doris & Jim Mattinson RIP

6.00pm: People of the Parish

**Special Collection for APF – World Mission Day**

**LATELY DEAD:** Mary Moran.

**ANNIVERSARIES:** Winifred Crangle, Bryan Sharrock, Catherine & Michael Brophy, Ted Bateson.

**Pope's Prayer Intentions for October**

- 1) That human trafficking, the modern form of slavery, may be eradicated.
- 2) That with a missionary spirit, the Christian communities of Asia may announce the Gospel to those who are still awaiting it.

**CHILDREN'S LITURGY:** Today at the 9.30am Mass. Children in their preschool year and above are welcome.

**HOSPITAL INFO DESK:** Volunteers needed, see notice in porch.

**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

**EXPOSITION:**

Intention: for priestly vocations  
**Sat 10.30am-Noon**  
**CONFESSIONS:**  
Sat 11-12noon.  
Or by appointment

**YOUNG ADULT GROUP (18-30):** Will meet today (Sunday) at 7pm for supper and presentation.

**BAPTISM COURSE:** 9<sup>th</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup> & 23<sup>rd</sup> November.

**PARISH CHRISTMAS CARDS:** *now on sale £4 for a pack of 10.* Proceeds to the Porch Extension Fund. **PARISH CALENDARS:** available soon

**PARISH MUSICIANS:** in short supply! There is no musician at the Saturday Vigil Mass, help at the 9.30am Mass is welcome. If you are able to help, see Fr. L.

**PARISH HALL:** This is only hired out for private functions to parishioners ie those who attend Sunday Mass here.

**PLANNING PERMISSION:** We have now gained this for the porch which will enable us to approach a couple of grant making bodies that require us to have P.P. We still have at least £60k to raise!

**LOTTERY:** September – 1<sup>st</sup> Prize-(1007)-£349.81; 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize- (4181)-£63.33; 3<sup>rd</sup> Prize –Roll over and 5 winners of £10 each. Congratulations to all the winners.

**WOMENS' WORLD DAY OF PRAYER:** A parish representative is required. Please see Fr L.

**EDUCATION MASS:** especially for teachers, catechists and school governors: Fri. 16<sup>th</sup> Oct, 7pm at Lancaster Cathedral. All welcome.

**REFUGEE CRISIS:** (Change of advice!) If you are willing to offer accommodation please, in the first instance, contact Fr. L.

**WORLD YOUTH DAY AUG 2016 Poland:** We would like many of our young parishioners to experience this great event. Info at the back of Church or see Fr. D.

**AFTERNOON SOCIAL:** Tues. Oct 20<sup>th</sup> 1-3.30pm in St. Walburge's Church Hall. Tickets £3.50 see poster for booking details.

**THE HARVEST IS RICH:** 17<sup>th</sup>/18<sup>th</sup> Oct. St. Cuthbert's Wigton. Details on poster.

**CATHOLIC CERTIFICATE of RELIGIOUS STUDIES:** a must for teachers, and highly recommended to catechists and children's liturgists. Course details and booking form on the notice board or visit <https://lancasterccrs.lunsyle.co.uk>

**KILOMETRES FOR KENYA:** See poster in porch.

**SOCIETY OF THE HOLY CHILD JESUS:** Mass Thurs. 15<sup>th</sup> Oct 2.30pm at St. Wilfrid's to mark 162 years of life and service in Preston: 1853 - 2015. See poster.

**'LAUDATO SI':** a series of talks **on** '*Care for our common home*' Mondays 7.30pm at St. Wilfrid's. Details on the notice board.

**LAST WEEK:** Attended: 420; Collection: £889.80. CAFOD: £233.60 Thank you.