

Parish of St Margaret Clitherow

24th Sunday of Ordinary Time (C)

11th September 2022



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Queen Elizabeth II Requiescat in Pace

Following the announcement of the death of Her Majesty The Queen on 8 September 2022, Cardinal Vincent Nichols paid tribute to Her Majesty:

On 21 April 1947, on her twenty-first birthday, Princess Elizabeth said, 'I declare before you all that my whole life whether it be long or short shall be devoted to your service.' Now, seventy-five years later, we are heartbroken in our loss at her death, and so full of admiration for the unflinching way in which she fulfilled that declaration. Even in my sorrow, shared with so many around the world, I am filled with an immense sense of gratitude for the gift to the world that has been the life of Queen Elizabeth II. At this time, we pray for the repose of the soul of Her Majesty. We do so with confidence, because the Christian faith marked every day of her life and activity. In her Millennium Christmas message, she said, 'To many of us, our beliefs are of fundamental importance. For me the teachings of Christ and my own personal accountability before God provide a framework in which I try to lead my life. I, like so many of you, have drawn great comfort in difficult times from Christ's words and example.' This faith, so often and so eloquently proclaimed in her public messages, has been an inspiration to me, and I am sure to many. The wisdom, stability and service which she consistently embodied, often in circumstances of extreme difficulty, are a shining legacy and testament to her faith. Our prayer is that she is now received into the merciful presence of God, there to be reunited with her beloved Prince Philip. This is the promise of our faith, and our deep consolation. Queen Elizabeth II will remain, always, a shining light in our history. May she now rest in peace.

We pray for His Majesty the King, as he assumes his new office even as he mourns his mother. God save the King.

PARISH NEWS

Please make use of this address when contacting the Parish Office: stmargaretclitherow@rcaol.org.uk.
A reminder: Please could all items for the newsletter be sent to the office at Holy Family or the above email by Wednesday evening.

Retiring Collections: Weekend of the 11th September – for Catholic Education Service
18th September – for Home Missions

Food Bank: Please give generously as the number of families in need has almost doubled and stocks are diminishing rapidly.

SVP: 1) There will be a weekly meeting of the older men in the parish for lunch and a chat at the Bull's Head at 1pm on Wednesdays for about 2 hours. All welcome. 2) The next meeting will be on Sunday 18th September in St Ambrose Hall at 12.15. All welcome.

Red Mission Boxes: The latest collection from the mission boxes in Holy Family amounted to £417.30. Many thanks for all contributions which are greatly appreciated.

Visit of the Relics of St Bernadette: Details of this are displayed at the back of church, or can be found on the Archdiocese of Liverpool website. Following the visit to our diocese the relics make their way to Salford Diocese. Details for services there can be found on the Diocese of Salford website.

Last Week's Parish Collections (not including online donations):

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| Offertory Collection | £619.05 |
| SVP | £199.56 |

Alzheimer's Society Memory Walk: Anna Davidson will be taking part in this year's walk on Saturday 8th October at Heaton Park. To sponsor her please go to www.justgiving.com/AnnaDavidson2022 or sign the sponsorship form at the back of Holy Family Church.

LOCAL PARISHES

Parish of St. Margaret Clitherow
St. Ambrose Barlow

Astley
St. Gabriel's
Higher Folds
Holy Family
Boothstown

Parish of St. John Rigby

Sacred Heart
Hindley Green
Sacred Heart
Hindsford
St. Richard's
Atherton

Parish of St. Edmund

Arrowsmith
Our Lady of the Rosary
Sacred Heart
St. Joseph's
Twelve Apostles
Leigh

Parish of St. Catherine of Siena and All Saints
Golborne

Parish of St. Lewis
Croft

Archdiocesan Mission Statement



Taking to heart the last words of the Lord Jesus, we will go into the world to proclaim the Good News to the whole of creation.

Please pray for those who are Sick



All Cancer Patients
 Anelyse Lewis
 Anne Broad
 Anthony Mullen
 Baby George
 Baby Grace
 Baby Iyla Faith
 Baby Luke
 Brendan Faulkener
 Brendan Fleming
 Carol Yates
 Catherine Jones
 Christopher Browne
 Clare Barlow
 Clifford Browne
 Dorothy Kelly
 Elizabeth Hulmes
 Elizabeth Levien
 Emma Oldham
 Frank Burke
 Freda Peake
 Guy Ryan
 Hannah Delargy
 Irene McIntyre
 Jack Rothwell
 Jack Travis
 Jennifer Langin
 Jessie Lucas
 Joan Wilkinson
 John Wall
 Lourdes Barnes
 Margaret Wall
 Mary Tiernan
 Maureen Halliday
 Maureen Kelly
 Michael Wright
 Neville Thomas
 Sandra Jones
 Sean Fleming
 Shelagh Welsby
 Stephen Garrett
 Stephen Howell
 Teresa Yates
 Theresa Stanley
 Viktor Batrak

PARISH MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS

| Week Beginning 11th September | Holy Family | St Ambrose Barlow |
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| Psalter: Week 4 Readings: Sunday - 24th Sunday of Ordinary Time (C) Weekdays - Ordinary Time Week 24 | | |
| SUNDAY 24th Sunday of Ordinary Time (C) Education Day | 9.30am Margaret Hibbert (Also livestreamed) No Rosary & Benediction over summer | (Sat) 6.00pm Parishioners (Not livestreamed) 11.00am Barney McGee (Also livestreamed) |
| MONDAY | | |
| TUESDAY St John Chrysostom | | 9.15am Kathleen Lythgoe |
| WEDNESDAY The Exaltation of the Holy Cross | 7.00pm Paul Mainon | |
| THURSDAY Our Lady of Sorrows | 10.00am John Swift | |
| FRIDAY St Cornelius & St Cyprian | 10.00am Caroline Hudson Mass in St Gabriel's School – Parishioners Welcome | |
| SATURDAY | 10.00am Kevin McHugh 10.30-11.00am Adoration & Confessions | 6.00pm Parishioners (Not livestreamed) |
| NEXT SUNDAY 25th Sunday of Ordinary Time (C) Home Mission Day | 9.30am John Butler (Also livestreamed) No Rosary & Benediction over summer | 11.00am Merrial Jones (Also livestreamed) |

All Masses are usually livestreamed except for the Saturday night Mass and the Friday morning Mass.

BAPTISMS

We welcome into our family of Faith
Rosie Pearson
Millie Pearson
 May God bless them and their family.



LATELY DEAD

Please pray for those who have died recently.

HRH Queen Elizabeth II
Enid Kenwright

Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord,
 and let perpetual light shine upon them.
 May they rest in peace. Amen.

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY Twenty-Fifth Sunday of Ordinary Time (C)

First Reading – Amos 8:4-7

Against those who 'buy up the poor for money'.

Second Reading – 1 Timothy 2:1-8

There should be prayers offered for everyone to God, who wants everyone to be saved.

Gospel Reading – Luke 16:1-13

You cannot be the slave of both God and money.

Education Day

Sunday 11th September is Education Sunday. The theme for 2022 is "enlightening the mind", taken from Ephesians 1:17-18. Taking place at the start of the academic year, this day offers an opportunity for us to pray to Almighty God for all people involved in Catholic education, to celebrate the achievements of the past and to ask Our Lord to bless the work of the year ahead.

To make an offering to the parish by text message

Text **CLITHEROW** to **70085** to donate **£2**. Texts cost £2 plus one standard rate message and you'll be opting in to hear more about our work and fundraising via telephone and SMS. If you'd like to give £2 but do not wish to receive marketing communications, text **CLITHEROWNOINFO** to 70085.

Text **CLITHEROW** (or **CLITHEROWNOINFO**) to **70450** to donate **£3**.

Text **CLITHEROW** (or **CLITHEROWNOINFO**) to **70460** to donate **£5**.

Text **CLITHEROW** (or **CLITHEROWNOINFO**) to **70470** to donate **£10**.

Online giving website The Archdiocesan online giving website can receive both one-off and regular donations. Each parish has its own unique link on the website and all donations will go to the parish selected. There is a detailed guide on how to donate on the website. The link to the page for St Margaret Clitherow parish is: <https://donate.liverpoolcatholic.org.uk/st-margaret-clitherow-boothstown>