

Parish of St Margaret Clitherow

26th Sunday of Ordinary Time (C)

25th September 2022



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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 25th September – for Ukraine
2nd October – for SVP

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

SVP: 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.

Confirmations: Thanks to all who registered earlier in the year. The preparations are being held in the High School. Those who aren't in St Mary's school will be contacted. Further information will be forwarded to candidates and families in the next week or so.

First Holy Communion: Application Forms for those in Y4 or above for children who have not yet made their First Holy Communion have been sent out through our three parish primary schools. If there are any children from other schools who wish to join the programme please contact the parish office ASAP. Dates for sessions will be forwarded to those who have registered through submitting an application form in the next few weeks.

School Masses: We start to welcome classes from our primary schools to weekday Masses. Due to the lack of access via the ginnel Masses celebrated with the children in Holy Family are temporarily in school. Due to the hall being in use these will take place in classrooms so they unfortunately are not able to be opened to parishioners at this time. As soon as the access route is restored the Thursday Mass will be restored to the church and be open to all.

Car Park and Hall at Holy Family: We are still at the mercy of issues with utility providers which is delaying progress. I am assured that plans are being made to open access and offer some parking in the very near future. Thank you for your patience as we near the final stages.

Grounds Keeping at Holy Family: Once works are completed there will be a greater amount of grassed area which needs to be maintained. I ask that anyone young or not as young who could be part of a team to share this work together, joining our few existing volunteers, to keep our parish land looking tidy could let me or Liz know either in person or via the parish office. I envisage if enough people volunteer this work could be done in a few hours once a month going forward.

Friday Mass this week will be at 2.00pm as Fr Paul is celebrating Mass in St John Fisher High School Wigan in the morning. Fr Paul is occasionally invited to celebrate Mass there as a former student of the school.

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 lyla Faith
 Baby Luke
 Brendan Faulkener
 Brendan Fleming
 Carol Yates
 Catherine Jones
 Christopher Browne
 Clare Barlow
 Clifford Browne
 Dorothy Kelly
 Elizabeth Levien
 Emma Oldham
 Frank Burke
 Fr Phil Gregory
 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

PARISH MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS

Week Beginning 25th September	Holy Family	St Ambrose Barlow
Psalter: Week 2 Readings: Sunday - 26th Sunday of Ordinary Time (C) Weekdays - Ordinary Time Week 26		
SUNDAY 26th Sunday of Ordinary Time (C) <i>Day of Special Prayer in Thanksgiving for the Harvest and fruits of Human Work</i>	9.30am Margaret Dixon <i>(Also livestreamed)</i> No Rosary & Benediction today.	(Sat) 6.00pm Thomas Laing & Parishioners <i>(Not livestreamed)</i> 11.00am John M & Daniel G <i>(Also livestreamed)</i>
MONDAY		
TUESDAY St Vincent de Paul		9.15am Joseph Gorringer 12.30pm Funeral Service for Kenneth Heaton
WEDNESDAY	7.00pm Theresa Grainger	
THURSDAY St Michael, St Gabriel, St Raphael, Archangels	10.00am John Pearson <i>Mass in Holy Family School – Unfortunately Parishioners cannot attend this week as Mass is in a classroom</i>	
FRIDAY St Jerome	2.00pm For a Safe Journey <i>Mass in St Gabriel's School – Parishioners Welcome</i>	
SATURDAY St Teresa of the Child Jesus	10.00am Dave Keefe 10.30-11.00am Adoration & Confessions	6.00pm Parishioners <i>(Not livestreamed)</i>
NEXT SUNDAY 27th Sunday of Ordinary Time (C) Rosary Sunday	9.30am Thanksgiving <i>(Also livestreamed)</i> 3.00pm Rosary & Benediction <i>(Also livestreamed)</i>	11.00am Bro Gabriel Potter OSB <i>(Also livestreamed)</i>

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

BAPTISMS

We welcome into our family of Faith
 Lillie Gunning, Blake Revans, Florence Revans,
 Lex Littlewood, Roxy Brown
 May God bless them and their families.



LATELY DEAD

Please pray for those who have died recently.

Enid Kenwright
 Kenneth Heaton
 Viktor Batrak

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-Seventh Sunday of Ordinary Time (C)

First Reading – Habakkuk 1:2-3;2:2-4
 The upright man will live by his faithfulness.

Second Reading – 2 Timothy 1:6-8,13-14
 Never be ashamed of witnessing to our Lord.

Gospel Reading – Luke 17:5-10
 If only you had faith!

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>