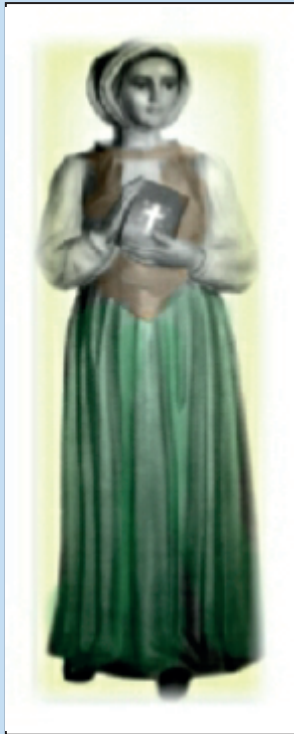


Parish of St Margaret Clitherow

19th Sunday of Ordinary Time (A)

13th August 2023



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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 13th August - for Ukraine
20th August - for Foodbank

Last Week's Parish Collections:

Offertory Collection: £607.05 2nd Collection: £237.49 (SVP)

Holy Day of Obligation: Tuesday is the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary and we celebrate this feast as we would a Sunday by coming to Mass. There are two Masses:

**12noon in St Ambrose Barlow and
7.00pm in Holy Family.**

There will be no 9.15am Mass this week.

How can you help your parish? We are always looking for new volunteers for every aspect of the life of our parish. Please speak to Fr Paul if you want to learn more.

Holy Family Tea and Coffee after Mass: The next tea and coffee morning will be on Sunday 20th August after Mass. If you are willing to go on a rota for serving tea and coffee after Sunday Mass at Holy Family please let Liz know in the office.

Food Bank: There is an urgent need for food at the local foodbank. Please donate if you are able. Items can be left in the church porches. In addition to this it has been suggested that we have the second collection on occasion to support the food bank with monetary donations.

SVP: The weekly meeting of the older men in the parish for lunch and a chat will be at the Applewood Farm (Note new location) at 1pm on Wednesdays.

Book Repair: Are there beloved books on your shelf that have seen better days? Contact bookbinder Mark Chatwood - mark.chatwood@gmail.com 07493 292 039 (Mark recently repaired a parish prayer book to an excellent condition).



Red Mission Boxes: The latest collection from the APF Mill Hill Mission boxes in Holy Family amounted to £486.68. Sincere thanks to all collectors and contributors in achieving this grand total.

St Ambrose Barlow Guides bacon butty fundraiser: On Sunday 13th August guides are holding a bacon and sausage/coffee morning after 11am Mass. Gluten free and vegetarian options will be available. Barms £2 each. Cakes will be on sale and a raffle will also be held. This is to help fundraise for our camp at Waddow Hall at the end of August.

Thankyou for your support as always.

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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
 Brendan Faulkener
 Carol Yates
 Catherine Jones
 Christopher Browne
 Clifford Browne
 Dorothy Kelly
 Elizabeth Levien
 Emma Oldham
 Fr Phil Gregory
 Freda Peake
 Guy Ryan
 Hannah Delargy
 Harry Mullen
 Hilary Cooper
 Irene McIntyre
 Jack Rothwell
 Jack Travis
 Jennifer Langin
 Jessie Lucas
 Joan Wilkinson
 John M
 John Mellin
 John Morley
 John Wall
 Louisa Duffy
 Lourdes Barnes
 Margaret Wall
 Mary Griffin
 Mary Tiernan
 Maureen Halliday
 Maureen Kelly
 Michael Rafferty
 Michael Wright
 Ned Geoghegan
 Pat Mellin
 Sandra Jones
 Sean Fleming
 Shelagh Welsby
 Stephen Garrett
 Stephen Howell
 Teresa Yates
 Theresa Stanley

PARISH MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS

Week Beginning 13th August	Holy Family	St Ambrose Barlow
Psalter: Week 3 Readings: Sunday - 19th Sunday of Ordinary Time (A) Weekdays - Ordinary Time Week 19		
SUNDAY 19th Sunday of Ordinary Time (A)	9.30am Seamus McNulty <i>(Also livestreamed)</i>	(Sat) 6.00pm Parishioners <i>(Not livestreamed)</i> 11.00am Hilda Almond <i>(Also livestreamed)</i>
MONDAY St Maximillian Kolbe		
TUESDAY Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Holy Day of Obligation	Holy Day of Obligation 7.00pm Philip Paterson	Holy Day of Obligation 12noon Joan Clegg
WEDNESDAY	7.00pm Joanne Sharkey	
THURSDAY	10.00am Stephen John Harris	
FRIDAY	10.00am Amy & Fred Hogg <i>Mass in church during school holiday</i>	
SATURDAY	<i>No morning Mass or Confessions today</i>	6.00pm Teresa McColl <i>(Not livestreamed)</i>
NEXT SUNDAY 20th Sunday of Ordinary Time (A)	9.30am James & Elsie Durkin and Special Intention <i>(Also livestreamed)</i>	11.00am Parishioners <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

Sophie Blears
 Brody Blears
 Evelyn Andrews

May God bless them and their families.



LATELY DEAD

Please pray for those who have died recently.

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

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY 20th Sunday of Ordinary Time (A)

First Reading – Isaiah 56:1,6-7

I will bring foreigners to my holy mountain.

Second Reading – Romans 11:13-15,29-32

With Israel, God never takes back his gifts or revokes his choice.

Gospel Reading – Matthew 15:21-28

Woman, you have great 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**.