PRAYERS: *The Sick*: Dave Hassall, Jane Hindle, Anne Corcoran, Bob Priestly, Alan Cox, John Radcliffe, Tony Butler, Alice McGowan, John Corcoran, Janina Crow, Peter Doherty, Moya Eastwood, Pat Fishwick, Beattie Flannigan, Cathy Gaughan, Maureen Gillespie, Joe Higgins, Rose Hornby, Bernadette McDaid, Amanda Martin, Michael Moughton, Kenzie McDermott, Peter Nicholls, Colleen O'Donoghue, Rose Price, Baby Sean John, Amy Rose Sanderson, Anne Marie Seabury, Kath Smith, May Stocky, Elisha Swales, Zara Taylor, Tom King, Karen Wainwright, Carrie Walmesley, Dorothy Conroy, Rita Fraser, Kathleen Perfect, Charlie Sherrington, Bernadette Bunting, Kathleen Booth, Fr Joe O'Connor.

Lately Dead: Marie Corrigan, John Adamson, Deacon Tony Edwards

OUR SCHOOLS:

St Cuthbert's Catholic Academy: Lightwood Avenue FY4 2AU Head: Mrs S Smith. Email: admin@st-cuthbert.blackpool.sch.uk St John Vianney Catholic Primary School: Glastonbury Avenue FY1 6RD Head: Mrs. E Allen. Email: admin@st-john-vianney.blackpool.sch.uk Our Lady of the Assumption Catholic Primary School: Common Edge Road FY4 5DE Head: Mrs. E Mannix: admin@our-lady.blackpool.sch.uk St Mary's Catholic Academy: St Walburga's Road FY3 7EQ Head: Mr S Eccles. Email: admin@st-mary.blackpool.sch.uk

COVID 19 – and other transmissible infections: *if you have any of these – stay at home.* In church: hand sanitising is available. Holy Communion under one kind remains. To receive on the tongue, please be at the end of Communion.

A WARM WELCOME: to new parishioners. Please make yourself known to one of the priests. Welcome too, to those visiting Blackpool for a holiday break.

ENQUIRIES: regarding Baptisms, Marriages, Funerals, First Communions, Confirmations or those wanting to become Catholic, please contact the Parish Office. Also, for all enquiries regarding the newsletter.

FIGURES	OFFERTORY	SPECIAL	ATTENDED
St C	£249.80	£75.76	244
OLA	£705.23	£148.37	348
SJV	£850.33	£168.22	559

NB The above figures do not take into account offertory given by Standing Order Attendance figures now include Polish, Syro-Malabar & Neo Catechumenal celebrations

PARISH GARDENING CLUB SJV: 1pm-3pm on the Parish field at SJV. All welcome. Bring a drink!

REFRESHMENTS: after Mass: 9am SJV, 10am St C & 10.30am OLA

Special Collections: Today - Peter's Pence

THE PARISH OF THE GUARDIAN ANGELS Serving the congregations of: ST CUTHBERT, OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION AND ST JOHN VIANNEY 25th June 2023 TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Twice in today's Gospel we hear the phrase 'Do not be afraid.' We are told that this or similar phrases are to be found 366 times in the bible! That is one for each day of the year – including leap year.

Jesus in the Gospel speaks of how precious we are in God's sight: every hair on our head has been counted, we are worth more than many sparrows! To trust fully in God is to live in his light, to live a life of virtue avoiding all that is contrary to his ways. Truly, then, we shall have no cause for fear.

> Thursday June 29th Holy Day of Obligation. SS Peter & Paul Masses: Vigil SJV Wed 7pm 9:15am SJV 9:30 am OLA 12 noon St C 7pm OLA

NEXT WEEKEND 90th ANNIVERSARY FLOWER FESTIVAL Thanksgiving for the past, working together for the future.

Fri 30 June –Sun 2nd July. Entry by programme £1

How to help:

1) Donate flowers & foliage 27 $/ 28^{th}$ June into the buckets at the back of church.

2) Support the Flower Remembrance Wall: put a donation in an envelope with details of your loved one / intention to go on the wall.

More information please speak to: Linda Wisdom, Carol Cox, Christine Gallagher or Lynne Worden.

Priests: Christopher Loughran & Frank Osman Deacons: Rev Tom Bland & Paul Marley (Rtd) ADDRESS: St John Vianney Presbytery 26, Glastonbury Avenue, Blackpool FY1 6RD Tel. [01253] 762227 Website: https://parishofguardianangelsblackpool.com Email: catholicsinsouthblackpool@gmail.com Lancaster R.C. Diocesan Trustees Registered – Registered Charity No. 234331

Sunday: Yr A; Weekdays: Yr 1; Psalter: Wk. 4 SUNDAY: TWELFTH IN ORDINARY TIME

5:30pm: (SJV) Donor's Intention
6:00pm: (OLA) Maureen, Bill and Helen Maude RIP
6.30pm (SJV) NeoCatechumenal Eucharist
9am (SJV) HSNL
10am (ST C) People of the parish
10.30am (OLA) Eileen Salmon RIP
11.15am (SJV) HSNL
3.30pm (ST C) Mass in Polish
5pm (SJV) Mass in the Syro-Malabar Rite
Mon week 12

9.15am: (SJV) Donor's Intention

Tue week 12

9.15am: (SJV) A parishioner - health 9.30am: (OLA) HSNL

Wed St Irenaeus

9.15am: (SJV) None today 12.00: (St C) Sp Int (M&SG)

12:30am: (SJV) Marie Corrigan Requiem Mass 6.30pm: (SJV) *Mass in the Syro-Malabar Rite*

Thurs ST PETER & ST PAUL

7:00pm: (SJV) [Vigil Wed] HSNL 9:15am: (SJV) Eva Scholl – protection [school Mass] 9.30am (OLA) Rev Simon Marley [school Mass] 12:00 (ST C) People of the Parish

7:00pm (OLA) Fr J Burns - Jubilee

Fri week 12

9:15am: (SJV) Thanksgiving - surgery 12.00: (St C) Jean Baugh RIP

Sat week 12

SUNDAY: THIRTEENTH IN ORDINARY TIME

5:30pm: (SJV) HSNL 6:00pm: (OLA) Joan and Tony Brady RIP 6.30pm (SJV) No NeoCatechumenal Eucharist 9am (SJV) People of the Parish 10am (ST C) Margaret Lavalette RIP 10.30am (OLA) HSNL 11.15am (SJV) Veronica and Raymond Long RIP 3.30pm (ST C) *Mass in Polish* 5pm (SJV) *Mass in the Syro-Malabar Rite*

CHILDRENS' LITURGY: (SJV) at the 11.15am Mass during term time. **JUNE PRAYER INTENTIONS**: available at the back of church.

First Sunday in Month: 3.30pm SJV Rosary & benediction **EXPOSITION** Sat 11am-12noon Our Lady of the Assumption & St Cuthbert's.

CONFESSIONS: At St Cuthbert's: Sat: 11.30am. At Our Lady of the Assumption: Sat 11-11.30am. St John Vianney: Sat: 5pm & Sun: 8.30am. Or by request to any priest in church. Also by appointment.

Pope's Prayer Intentions for June: We pray that

the international community may commit in a concrete way to ensuring the abolition of torture and guarantee support to victims and their families. **THIS WEEK:** Saturday brought some First Holy Communion children for Confession. Sunday was wall to wall First Holy Communions at our three churches. Huge congregations with well-behaved children wonderfully supported by the staff of our three schools. Monday was a day of preparation for the hosting of the Deanery Clergy Conference and an evening of 'deadheading roses'. Tuesday: said meeting and lunch. Wednesday brought us the funeral of dear Mr O'Donnell. Class Masses continue at some of our schools. There has been a lot of reorganisation of storage spaces in the JPII Centre with the uniformed groups and others. Dear Mark Johnson's funeral was held on Thursday at St Cuthbert's. Also a meeting with the surveyor at St Cuthbert's. And another meeting of the Flower Festival group. SJV school staff interviews and then to OLA for yet another funeral of dear Mr McAvoy on Friday.

GRAND QUIZ NIGHT: to raise funds to send some of our young people to World Youth Day. St John Paul Centre Glastonbury Ave – July 6^{th} 7.30pm, Hot Pot Supper, BYOD, £5 lots of prizes & fun.

DR ELAINE ALLEN: our headteacher at SJV is leaving that post this summer. There will be a Mass of Thanksgiving for her service at 4pm on Friday 14th July followed by an informal reception in the St John Paull II Centre.

CONGRATULATIONS: to the boys and girls who made their First Holy Communion.

THANK YOU: to Anthony Schools who is hanging up his gardening gloves and who over the last years has tended the shrubs and grass cutting at SJV.

MANY THANKS: to our Catechists who guided our children through the First Holy Communion programme. Also to those who worked so hard to make the celebration memorable.

ST CUTHBERT'S ACADEMY PTFA is appealing for donations that can be used as raffle prizes at the school summer fair on the 30th June. May be left at the presbytery.

VOLUNTEER: needed to cut the grass at SJV. See Fr L.

FR BURNS: celebrates his Silver Jubilee Tues 27th June, 7pm St Mary's church, Ulverston.

CAFOD: update on the conflict in Sudan. Violent conflict continues and thousands are running out of food, water and medicine. Your previous donations are enabling practical help to families who have escaped to neighbouring countries. Please join Pope Francis in praying for peace in Sudan. Find out more on the CAFOD website: https://cafod.org.uk/news/emergencies-news/sudan-conflict

HOMES FOR UKRAINE: People are still fleeing the conflict. You may be able to help. Please visit: <u>https://sjog-homesforukraine.uk</u>

BLESSED EDWARD BAMBER: annual Mass at St Winefride's House, Thursday, 13th July at 6.30pm. Low Moor Road, Bispham, Blackpool, FY2 0PA

JOIN THE TEAM AT CASTLERIGG MANOR: the Diocese of Lancaster Youth Retreat Centre in Keswick. They are recruiting people for their 2023-24 ministry team. Gap year volunteers are welcome, also a Senior Programme Leader. For more info: visit: http://castleriggmanor.com/join-the-team/