PRAYERS: *The Sick:* Jane Hindle, Anne Corcoran, Bob Priestly, Alan Cox, John Radcliffe, Tony & Marie 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, Karen Wainwright, Carrie Walmesley, Dorothy Conroy, Rita Fraser, Kathleen Perfect, Charlie Sherrington, Bernadette Bunting, Kathleen Booth, Lorri Ford, Fr Joe O'Connor, Shelia Haslam, Laura Farrand, Diana Howe

Lately Dead: Alexander Dunigan

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. C Evans. Email: admin@st-john-vianney.blackpool.sch.uk

Our Lady of the Assumption Catholic Primary School: Common Edge Road FY4 5DE

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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	£235.25	£71.50	71
OLA	£459.05	£78.49	108
SJV	£549.61	£134.22	322

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 – Catholic Education Services

Next – Home Missions

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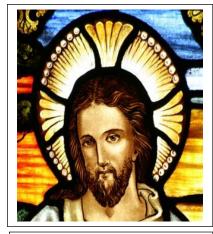
Serving the congregations of: ST CUTHBERT, OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION AND ST JOHN VIANNEY

3rd. September 2023 TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Last week saw Peter being given a preeminent place amongst the Apostles; this week's Gospel shows how much Peter had to learn about the ways of God when he tried to dissuade Jesus from his death on the Cross.

It is natural to be upset at the sufferings of those we love, but everyone has to carry his or her own cross. The way we carry it determines our eternal destiny.



ANNUAL PILGRIMAGE:

to the shrine of
Our Lady of Lourdes
at Cleator next Sun,
10th Sept with
Bishop Paul Swarbrick.
Theme:

'Our Lady, Help of Christians.'

Priests: Christopher Loughran & Frank Osman Deacons: Rev Tom Bland & Paul Marley (Rtd) ADDRESS: St John Vianney Presbytery

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Sunday: Yr. A; Weekdays: Yr. 1; Psalter: Wk. 2

SUNDAY: TWENTY-SECOND IN ORDINARY TIME

5:30pm: (SJV) DM Jordan and Cusack Families

6:00pm: (OLA)

6.30pm (SJV) NeoCatechumenal Eucharist

9am (SJV)

10am (ST C) Michelle and Carmel Kilgallon RIP

10.30am (OLA)

11.15am (SJV) People of the Parish

3.30pm (ST C) Mass in Polish

5pm (SJV) Mass in the Syro-Malabar Rite

Mon St. Cuthbert

9.15am: (SJV) Mark Billing RIP

Tue week 22

9.15am: (SJV) Intentions WP [School Mass] 9.30am: (OLA) John and Ellen Singleton RIP

Wed week 22

9.15am: (SJV) Edna Smith RIP 12.00: (St C) Vince Haddon RIP

6.30pm: (SJV) Mass in the Syro-Malabar Rite

Thurs week 22

9:15am: (SJV) Private Intention (JR)

9.30am: (OLA) Mary Ball RIP

Fri NATIVITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

9:15am: (SJV) HSNL

12.00: (St C) Canon Edward Lupton RIP

Sat week 22

SUNDAY: TWENTY-THIRD IN ORDINARY TIME

5:30pm: (SJV) Fr Joe O'Connor 6:00pm: (OLA) Katie - Health

6.30pm (SJV) NeoCatechumenal Eucharist

9am (SJV) Canon Peter Maguire RIP

10am (ST C) Carmel and Michelle Kilgallon RIP

10.30am (OLA) People of the Parish

11.15am (SJV) Michael Forrest RIP

3.30pm (ST C) Mass in Polish

5pm (SJV) Mass in the Syro-Malabar Rite

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.

First Sunday in Month: 3.30pm SJV Rosary & benediction

EXPOSITION

Sat 11am-12noon Our Lady of the Assumption & St Cuthbert's.

Pope's Prayer Intentions for September: We pray for those persons living on the margins of society, in inhumane life conditions; may they not be overlooked by institutions and never considered of lesser importance.

CHILDRENS' LITURGY: (SJV) at the 11.15am Mass during term time.

SEPTEMBER PRAYER INTENTIONS: available at the back of church.

THIS WEEK: The weekend was busy with 3 baptisms – one at each church. Then I journied to Leeds to begin my annual retreat at Hinsley Hall, the Diocesan Conference Centre. The retreat was led by Fr Padlo, a spanish priest with excellent English, and Sr Briege McKenna who has worked in Ministry to priests for countless years and also has a healing ministry as well as being an author. There were about 20 priests on the retreat from all over the country. I returned on Thursday in time for Friday visits to the sick and housebound with Holy Communion and to welcome a Church Student who is with us on pastoral placement for 3 weeks: Stephen Bamber. SJV church has had some unwanted visits from mischievious youths. Do call into the church if you are in the area.

ADVANCED NOTICE: 90th Anniversary Mass for SJV will be held on Fri 15th Sept at 7pm followed by refreshments in the JP II Centre. **PHOTOGRAPHS:** if you are able to lend the parish photographs of 'yesteryear' at SJV, we will be able to mount an exhibition. Please write your name and contact details on the reverse of the photographs and any other relevant details.

PARISH SCHOOLS: We welcome back our boys and girls and the staff of our schools hoping that they have had a good summer holiday and are ready for the year ahead.

THANK YOU: to the refreshment team OLA for their generous donation of £500.

FLOWERS & GREENERY: following the success of your donations of flowers & greenery from your gardens for the Flower Festival, the Green Team wondered if you would like to continue to do this. It is a great way to reduce our Carbon Footprint. A bucket & small container are at the back of SJV church, beside the "Laudato Si" display.

CONGRATULATIONS: to Harmony Varey, Aria McGovern and Albie Horrocks who were Baptised recently.

MUSICIANS: At 3 of our 6 Sunday Masses we are blest with musicians, but not at the other 3. If you have a musical competence (mainly keyboard, but also guitar) please consider supporting the liturgy. Speak with one of the priests.

PARISH PETITION BOOK: There is one of these in each of our churches for your intentions prayed for each Sunday.

BECOMING A SCHOOL GOVERNOR: The Diocesan Education Service are inviting parishioners to consider becoming governors in our schools. There is a flyer on the notice board with a little information or email hew@lancasterdiocese.org.uk

WHAT ON EARTH ARE WE DOING? Christians responding to the climate emergency. Open afternoon at St Christopher's parish hall Hawes Side Lane Sunday October 1st come and go 3pm-5pm!

CAFOD SCHOOL VOLUNTEERS: needed in your area! Join CAFOD's team of school volunteers to inspire children and young people and deepen their understanding of global justice. Full support, resources and regular training provided. Information from: Nicola Blanchfield email: nblanchfield@cafod.org.uk mobile: 07710 094449

SPUC INFORMATION EVENING: Friday 8th September at 7pm, Unit 10, Lockside Office Park, Lockside Road, Preston, PR2 2YS. Hear about SPUC's current campaign -coerced abortion, and find out about the work that SPUC is involved in. For further information, please contact Terry Graham, on 07549 068226 or terrygraham@spuc.org.uk

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