**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, Shelia Haslam, Laura Farrand,

Lately Dead: Fr Joe O'Connor

#### **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

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	£212.24		92
OLA	£397.95		126
SJV	£542.06		444

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 – World Mission Day

Next Sunday – Sick and Retired Priests Fund

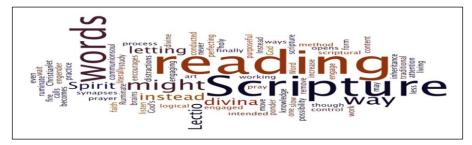
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Serving the congregations of: ST CUTHBERT, OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION AND ST JOHN VIANNEY

# 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2023 TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



A trap! That is how Jesus in today's Gospel describes the approach by the Pharisees when they ask if it is permissible to pay tax to the Roman Authorities. They want to get him in trouble with either the ordinary folk or with the Romans. Jesus' deft response not only puts his detractors in their place but also gives us a teaching to follow, namely, that we owe service to both God and those lawfully placed over us.



**BEREAVEMENT SERVICE:** Sun 12<sup>th</sup> Nov SJV 3pm to pray for the Holy Souls and in particular for those whose funerals have been conducted by the parish clergy in the last year

**NOVEMBER LISTS ENVELOPES:** For Holy Soul's month to be found at the back of Church in which to place the names of your loved ones who have died and any offering. Mass will be celebrated for them throughout November and beyond.

Priests: Christopher Loughran, Frank Osman & Simon Hawksworth
Deacons: Rev Tom Bland & Paul Marley (Rtd)
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Sunday: Yr. A; Weekdays: Yr. 1; Psalter: Wk. 1

#### **SUNDAY: TWENTY-NINTH IN ORDINARY TIME**

5:30pm: (SJV) Stella Schiavo RIP

6:00pm: (OLA) HSNL

6.30pm (SJV) NeoCatechumenal Eucharist

9am (SJV) Alan Cox - health 10am (ST C) People of the Parish 10.30am (OLA) Lynne Cray RIP

11.15am (SJV) Rani and Sharon Wedding Anniversary

3.30pm (ST C) Mass in Polish

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

#### Mon week 29

9.15am: (SJV) Lorri Ford - Health

#### Tue week 29

9.15am: (SJV) Paul Finnerty RIP

9.30am: (OLA) HSNL

#### Wed week 29

9.15am: (SJV) Graham Skelton - sick

12.00: (St C) Michelle and Carmel Kilgallon RIP 6.30pm: (SJV) *Mass in the Syro-Malabar Rite* 

#### Thurs week 29

9:15am: (SJV) HSNL 9.30am: (OLA) HSNL

## Fri week 29

9:15am: (SJV) Rome Synod Meeting

12.00: (St C) Tom King RIP **Sat STS. SIMON & JUDE** 

# **SUNDAY: THIRTIETH IN ORDINARY TIME**

5:30pm: (SJV) HSNL 6:00pm: (OLA) HSNL

6.30pm (SJV) NeoCatechumenal Eucharist 9am (SJV) Lawrence and Monica Slater RIP

10am (ST C) HSNL 10.30am (OLA) HSNL

11.15am (SJV) People of the Parish

3.30pm (ST C) Mass in Polish

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

# **Pope's Prayer Intentions for October:**

We pray for the Church, that she may adopt listening and dialogue as a lifestyle at every level, and allow herself to be guided by the Holy Spirit towards the peripheries of the world.

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.

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

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

# **JOURNEY IN FAITH PROGRAMME**

Thursdays 7.30pm.

**THIS WEEK:** Hospital on-call uneventful. Sunday: The parish reunion lunch was well attended and appeared to be enjoyed by all. Monday: barricaded in the Presbytery with phone calls and unexpected callers but managed half an hour walk on the prom. Tuesday: Fr Simon periodically turns up with possessions to be squirrelled away; school governor business; workmen to do some plastering and greatest joy of all: P.P.C meeting with helpful advice. Wednesday: one of the CCTV cameras not functioning, contractor summoned. Class Masses at St C and OLA. Beautiful rosary in SJV School, the children joining in '1 million children worldwide praying the rosary for peace and unity.' So gentle and reflective. Old (brown) furniture removed from St C. CCTV camera now working. A water leak discovered at St C plumber contacted. Thursday: some governor business transacted at OLA. Preparations in Day Chapel (SJV) for erection of Stations of the Cross (to be blessed on Monday)

**FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS:** Fr Joe O'Connor: Deanery Mass 7pm OLA 2/11/23; Requiem Mass 3/11/23 11.30am SJV

**WELCOME:** to Fr Simon Hawksworth as he join the parish this weekend. His brief will be parish-wide and beyond: assist in the Hospital, the High School and in other local parishes as necessary plus extra parochial commitments. This is a timely appointment fitting in with Fr. L's new diocesan job.

**OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION PRIMARY SCHOOL:** will celebrate its 70<sup>th</sup> birthday on Nov 1<sup>st</sup> with Mass at 9.30am and then a general invitation for refreshments at the school hall.

**MUSICIANS:** still needed for 3 of our Masses. Speak with one of the priests.

**CHRISTMAS FAIR (SJV):** Anyone interested in joining the group to organise the Christmas Fair please contact Carole Cox 07866543107 to arrange a meeting. Items for stalls welcome.

**UKRAINE CHARITY EVENT:** Fri 27<sup>th</sup> Oct, 7pm at St Kentigern's Parish Centre. Music, dance -Canon Alf Hayes and his band. Money raised to the local Ukrainian Community Hub. Ticket £5. Email siobhant@hotmail.co.uk. All welcome. Details: poster in porch.

**TOOLS WITH A MISSION:** collection of unwanted usable tools, refurbished, then sent to the developing world. Info - see the poster at the back of Church/Tel Dennis 07858 263756

**DIOCESE YOUTH RETREAT CENTRE** is looking for Catholics aged 18-25 to join its internship programme. It lasts for one or two years and gives participants wide ranging experience, skills, training, and qualifications as well as the opportunity to work with a fantastic team based in the English Lake District. For more information contact <u>director@castleriggmanor.co.uk</u>