

PRAYERS: *The Sick:* Jane Hindle, Dorothy Conroy, John Radcliffe, Marie Butler, Alice McGowan, John Corcoran, Janina Crow, Peter Doherty, Moya Eastwood, Pat Fishwick, Beattie Flannigan, Cathy Gaughan, Maureen Gillespie, Joe Higgins, Bernadette McDaid, Michael Moughton, Kenzie McDermott, Rose Price, Baby Sean John, Amy Rose Sanderson, Kath Smith, Elisha Swales, Karen Wainwright, Carrie Walmesley, Rita Fraser, Kathleen Perfect, Bernadette Bunting, Shelia Haslam, Laura Farrand, Pauline Lane, Liz Duffy, Sam Marlow-Wrigley, Mary Hayton, Julie Benson, Jim Bryson, Edward Fahey

Lately Dead: Rev Tom Bland

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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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	£225.59	£55.15	152
OLA	£399.78	£89.20	129
SJV	£824.78	£78.46	650

*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: Every Tuesday will meet weekly 1-3pm

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

Special Collection Today: Peter's Pence.

Next Sunday: Stella Maris (those who look after Seafarers)

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

PARISH OF THE GUARDIAN ANGELS

Serving the congregations of:

ST CUTHBERT, OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION AND

ST JOHN VIANNEY

28th June 2026

SS PETER & PAUL



We have arrived at the annual feast of the two great saints: Peter and Paul. The Church sets them before us as heroes and role models (and intercessors). These two men were so very different in background and character but both found their common ground in the person of Jesus Christ; both were motivated by love of him and service of him. Those two hallmarks – love and service – should be ours.



DEACON

REV. TOM BLAND:

It is with sadness that we announce the death of Rev Tommy Bland who for many years was the deacon at SJV. Tom died suddenly last week. Funeral details: Requiem Mass Tue 30th June 11.30am SJV.

CONFIRMATIONS

Bishop Swarbrick will confer this Sacrament on our young people on Mon 29th June 6.30pm SJV. All parishioners welcome to support our boys & girls,

Priests: Christopher Loughran, Frank Osman & Simon Hawksworth

Deacons: Rev Paul Marley (Rtd)

ADDRESS: St John Vianney Presbytery

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Sunday: Yr. A; Weekdays: Year 2. Psalter Week 1

Sun: ST. PETER & ST PAUL (transferred from 29th)

5.30pm: (SJV) Ron, Shiela & Chris Hall RIP

6pm: (OLA)

6.30pm: (SJV) NeoCatechumenal Eucharist

9am: (SJV) People of the parish

10am: (ST C) First Holy Communions

10.30am: (OLA)

11.15am: (SJV) May Stanbridge RIP

3.30pm: (ST C) *Mass in Polish*

4.30pm: (SJV) *Mass in the Syro-Malabar Rite*

Mon: of week 13

9.15am: (SJV) John McCormack

6.30pm (SJV) Confirmation Mass

Tue: of week 13

9.15am: (SJV) NO MASS

11.30am (SJV) Rev Tom Bland Requiem Mass

9.30am: (OLA) Jackie Horner RIP & Holy Souls

Wed: of week 13

9.15am: (SJV) Aaron Zacaria Anoop RIP

12 noon: (St C) Phil Denham RIP

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

Thurs: of week 13

9.15am: (SJV) Fr Frank

9.30am: (OLA) May Stanbridge RIP

Fri: ST THOMAS

9.15am: (SJV) Frankie Keelan

12 noon: (St C) Thanksgiving for Wedding Aniv

Sat: of week 13

9.30am (SJV) Novena Mass

Sun: FOURTEENTH IN YEAR A

5.30pm: (SJV) Eileen Doolan Sp. Int.

6pm: (OLA) Souls in Purgatory

6.30pm: (SJV) NeoCatechumenal Eucharist

9am: (SJV) Mike Sumner - Health

10am: (ST C) GA Parish Sp. Int.

10.30am: (OLA) People of the parish – First Holy Communions

11.15am: (SJV) Shiela Hall RIP

3.30pm: (ST C) *Mass in Polish*

4.30pm: (SJV) *Mass in the Syro-Malabar Rite*

CONFESSIONS

At St Cuthbert's:

Sat: 11.30am & *Our*

Lady of the

Assumption: Sat 11-
11.30am

St John Vianney:

Sat: 5pm & Sun:

8.30am. (On request)

By request to any

priest in church.

Also by appointment.

EXPOSITION

Sat 11am-12 Our

Lady of the

Assumption &

St Cuthbert's.

First Sundays:

3pm SJV Rosary

& Benediction

FIRST FRIDAY

July 4th.

Holy Hour 7-8pm

SJV

FIRST

SATURDAY

Miraculous Medal

Novena Mass

9.30am

Pope's Prayer Intentions for July: Let us pray for the respect and protection of human life in all its stages, recognizing it as a gift from God.

FR FRANK: his heart surgery has been scheduled for the beginning of July after which he will be convalescing for several weeks.

PARISH ASSOCIATION DRAW: Thanks to all who have joined the Draw. It has generated a lot of interest and so we are pleased to announce that there will be 6 numbers drawn every month and the prizes will be £50, £40, £30, £20, £15.

GDPR restricts us from placing a list of names on the notice boards. However, if you would like to know your allocated number/s then please send a TEXT MESSAGE ONLY to 07738022054 stating your NAME and typing DRAW NUMBER/S. The first draw July 5th at St Cuthberts, Aug OLA, Sept SJV etc. Winners will be notified and winning numbers placed in the Newsletter.

CONGRATULATIONS: to Nirvana Maddocks baptised recently.

PARISH SOCIAL COMMITTEE: meeting Wed 1st July 7pm SJV Presbytery. All Welcome.

DIOCESAN WALSINGHAM PILGRIMAGE: 28/9 to 1/10. The theme is: "Mary, Cause of our Joy." See poster or email charlie.conner@lrcd.org.uk

CHRISTIAN HERITAGE CENTRE: Free Will & Grace, 28 - 31 August 2026

Theme: Human freedom and Divine grace. This year's guest speaker will be Rev. Dr Simon Gaine, OP. <https://christianheritagecentre.com/events/free-will-grace-course/>

Heart to Heart women's retreat, 19 - 22 June 2026 led by Fr Bernard Murphy, CFR and the Franciscan Sisters of the Renewal.

<https://christianheritagecentre.com/events/heart-to-heart-retreat/>

FRIENDS OF CASTLERIGG: Please visit: castleriggmanor.com/friends

Also, A Quiet Retreat for Adults // October Half Term 2026. **BOOTS:** The Diocesan Youth Centre is looking for boots to equip (poorer) young people for a walk on the Keswick fells. Can you help?

Visit: <https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/1MO1F2S0UED7G>

CAFOD PETITION At the end of Mass beginning 4 / 5 July we are collecting signatures for a Cafod petition for the global debt crisis which is causing terrible suffering for our brothers and sisters around the world. Cardinal Stephen Mulla, South Sudan has written to parishes in England and Wales to explain. Please stop for a minute as you leave and lend your support. Thank you for helping to build a better world.

JOB OPPORTUNITY AT THE SHRINE IN WALSINGHAM: Admin Role in the Pilgrimage & Mass Office. Visit:

[Mass Office Assistant - Little Walsingham NR22 6EG - Indeed.com](#)

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