REPEATS

FROM THE UNIVERSE AND CATHOLIC TIMES: Readers in the Parish - at the moment you are unable to collect your paper at Mass, but you can get it delivered direct to your home every week, POST FREE. Please go to www.thecatholicuniverse.com or call them on 0161 820 5722 and they will arrange for you, SPECIAL OFFER 3 MONTHS:-£18.00 or 12 Months:-£72.00

Help to get out and about: Community Transport is a door-to-door service available to Lancashire residents who find it difficult to access public transport. Fares are payable to the driver (currently £2 each way) and can provide access to local supermarkets and other destinations. Tel: 01772 537290 for info.

Three of the churches in our Deanery have sent their Church openings in the Deanery: opening times for visits to the Blessed Sacrament, if you're in their area:-

St Teresa's, Cleveleys Saturdays and Wednesdays 1000-1200 St John's, Poulton Saturdays and Wednesdays 1100-1300 Fridays and Sundays 1100-1200 Sacred Heart, Thornton

Zoom Green Hut Tea and Coffee: Feel free to join us on Zoom after Mass on Sunday from 1100-1130, having made yourself a nice cuppa. See repeat news overleaf for details. To join https://us04web.zoom.us/j/6786424346?pwd=dzhJRmFwVXJ5UjQ4Z092YXIndlNqdz09

The Meeting ID: 678 642 4346

Password: 7Ajkr7

Keeping in Touch:

Follow Twitter https://twitter.com/ssWulstanEdmund

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A Note from the Hospital Chaplain: If you have people there whom you would like the Catholic Chaplain to visit you can call him at St Kentigern's on 01253 393439. The Hospital Chaplaincy Office number is 01253 953876 or you can email bfwhospitals@nhs.net. In urgent cases ring the switchboard 01253 300000 and ask for the on-call Catholic Chaplain.

Our Centenary: As you know we will celebrate the 100th anniversary of St Wulstan's 2025 so it would be good to start gathering memorabilia, photos, anecdotes, tales of characters, parish priests, events, history, which we can put towards a great celebration. If you have photos to share, please put your name on the back, and annotate any people you know in the photo, Please hand in at the presbytery. They will be returned to you after they have been scanned.

Repository ~ Cards etc: There have been several requests for cards and other items during the last few weeks and they have been delivered as requested. If you need any cards ie Mass cards or birthday cards, please contact Maria (07732278730) and she will deliver them to you.



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15th Sunday of Year A 12/7/20

Sunday 12th People of the Parish

1000 (On Parish Website)

Monday 13th No Mass

Tuesday 14th 1315 (W) Funeral Service for William Edwards

1800 (W) Damian Murphy (Heart Surgery)

Wednesday 15th 0930 (W) Michael Parker (LD)

Thursday 16th 1130 (W) Funeral Service for Philip Abram

1800 (W) Philp Abram (LD)

Friday 17th 0930 (W) Margaret Guatelli (RIP) Saturday 18th 0900 (W) John Cranshaw (RIP)

Sunday 19th People of the Parish

1000 (On Parish Website)

CONFESSIONS: On request - providing social distancing is observed

> St Edmund's church is closed until further notice St Wulstan's now open for personal prayer Mon, Wed, Fri 1100-1200 : Tue, Thu 1630-1730

Collection: £261.00 Attendance (Website) 280 Households

Thankyou.



Please pray for. All the sick and housebound of our parish family and also those in care or in hospital

Anniversaries this Week: Margaret Gresswell, Joseph Hayes, Alan Rimmer.

Baptism Anniversaries: Kaycie Mia Watson 12th July 2015

<u>Churches Together Prayer Calendar:</u> This week we are praying for St Mary's Church and the people of Back Albert Street, Croft Court, Galloway Road, Laidleys Walk, Milton Street, Rossall Gate and Warren Avenue North with the prayer: *May the peace of Christ be in their hearts and in their homes*.

NEW NOTICES

Bonus Ball: Winner for 4th July was Nicola Wilson (again) with No 13.

<u>A Note from the Police - Track and Trace Scams:</u> There are a number of Track and Trace scams in existence, often with bogus callers asking for all kinds of personal details, or wanting to charge people for a testing kit. You might like to include the following in a parish newsletter: Fake callers contact someone saying they are from NHS Track & Trace, telling them that they have been in contact with someone suffering from Covid-19 and need to have a test sent out to them. This is swiftly followed with a request for the resident's bank details; the caller states that the test must be paid-for. Please do not fall for this scam. If you need a test sent out to you because you are unable to attend a test site, this is done for free, both delivery and collection, followed up by the result. The NHS Test and Trace service will NOT:

ask for bank details or payments
ask for details of any other accounts, such as social media
ask you to set up a password or PIN number over the phone
ask you to call a premium rate number, such as those starting 09 or 087
ask you to download a link from your mobile
ask you to divulge lots of personal information

Marriage Care - we're still here to help couples: Relationships are hard to do at the best of times, but right now, families are having to juggle so many new problems - home schooling, job losses and more. Marriage Care continues to offer Relationship Counselling via online web cam 'face to face' services e.g. Zoom. Financial pressures mean that spending money on Counselling support is the last thing on a couples mind. There is no set charge for counselling, but a donation towards the Counselling session. There are Marriage Care Counsellors across the country ready & available to offer On-Line 'face to face' Counselling services via web cam. Appointments hot line: 0800 389 3801 Mon-Thurs (10.30am - 6pm) or go to www.marriagecare.org.uk

<u>Faith and Justice:</u> For the latest edition of our Diocese's Faith and Justice bulletin go to https://tinyurl.com/yaryctc5. Reports and newsletters mentioned in this issue are available at https://www.lancasterfaithandjustice.co.uk/newsletter/

LIFE Shops:

Exciting news! Life's shops are reopening throughout July, and you're just around the corner! Your help to those shops is *vital* to help Life bounce back from lockdown. And we are accepting donations when we're open. Our nearest shop is at St John Vianney's, Blackpool. For more information go to leadership@lifecharity.org.uk.

Parish Prayer Group on Zoom: Takes place every Saturday at 1000. Code for this Saturday is 882 174 7392 and the Password is Abc123

Donna Worthington's Retreats: Just to let you know, I will now be offering retreats via Zoom.. So, I'm inviting you to my first online retreat, 'Lock-down and Resurrection', which will take place on: Sat 11th July 2-5pm and then repeated on Mon 13th July 9.30am-12.30pm. If you wish to attend, just choose the date that suits you and email me drworthington@live.co.uk. The Retreat lasts three hours, cost £20.00. I'm hoping the retreat will open up a space for contemplative stillness, reflection and spiritual journeying. There'll be time for some gentle reflection on lock-down experience and the retreat will mainly focus on the beautifully freeing Resurrection Gospel text John 20:19-22, when the followers of Jesus were in their own kind of 'lock-down', in hiding, after the death of Jesus: On the evening of that first day of the week, when the disciples were together, with the doors locked...

<u>Weekday Mass at St Wulstan's:</u> It has been truly wonderful to be able to celebrate Mass together in person this week, and hopefully more people will be able to have that experience as we move forward. We will continue to broadcast Sunday Mass on the Parish website for the foreseeable future, and I will give a sitrep at the end on whether we are able to increase the numbers who can attend at any one time.

Mass times: Tuesday 6pm / Wednesday 9.30 am / Thursday 6 pm / Friday 9.30 am / Saturday 9 am. Church will be open for 30 minutes before Mass.

Several people have asked would they be turned away if there were already 30 people in church. We are very much hoping to avoid that scenario by asking you to let us have your preferred first and second choices of day for Mass, preferably by email (wulstans@gmail.com) or by using the 'contact us' form on this website <u>click here</u>. If you do not have access to email, please ring Maria on 07732278730 or Father Alf on 07724 850837.

When you come to Mass: Our Stewards will guide you on what you need to do.

- You may light candles at the statues once you have been shown you seat, but remember that sanitising liquid is highly flammable so keep your hands away from the flame.
- There will be a box at the back of church for offertory envelopes. Church will continue to be open for private prayer at these times: Tuesday & Thursday 4.30-5.30 pm / Wednesday & Friday 11-12 am.

Unfortunately, we are unable to use St Edmund's at the moment, as all the chairs are of soft fabric, and only hard surfaces are allowed.

'Children's Challenge'

This week's challenge continues from last week....

We are hoping to produce a booklet of children's prayers and letters to God.

Could you write a prayer or a letter to God and send it to wulstans@gail.com?

All letters and prayers will be published on the website and then compiled into a booklet.

More details on our children's page on the website.

For more details and for pictures of our previous challenges, Please see our website.

<u>Postscript from Brian Wood:</u> St Josemaria Escriva, founder of Opus Dei, argued that, in the Church, there is no such thing as saints and "others". We are all called to be saints by what we do well, and offering everything up to God. Thus, the importance of our Morning Offering prayer. Dear Jesus, let me always consecrate everything I do to you, and so get on with my journey to sanctity.