

Roman Catholic parishes of Fleetwood
St Mary's
St Wulstan and St Edmund's

1st November 2026 – All Saints



FEAST OF ALL SOULS

There will extra Masses on Monday the Feast if All Souls to pray for our faithful departed in purgatory
St Wulstan's at 9:30am
St Mary's at 6pm

MY LORD AND MY GOD

Parish Pilgrimage to Poland
The Shrines of Lower Silesia
21-28 May 2027

Join us on a pilgrimage to the beautiful shrines and holy places of Lower Silesia, a land rich in Catholic faith, history and devotion. Based in Legnica, home of recent Eucharistic Miracle, this journey offers a unique opportunity to encounter Christ more deeply through prayer, Holy Mass, fellowship and visits to some of Poland's most sacred sites.

Pilgrimage Highlights

- *Shrine of the Eucharistic Miracle in Legnica*
- *Baroque Basilica of St Hedwig in Trzebnica*
- *Marian Shrines of Krzeszów, Wambierzyce and Bardo*
- *Cathedral Island and the historic churches of Wrocław*
- *UNESCO Churches of Jawor and Świdnica*
- *Daily opportunities for prayer, reflection and spiritual renewal*

Cost: £1,200 per person

Includes return flights from Manchester, accommodation at Qubus Hotel Legnica with breakfasts and dinners, coach travel, guide services, insurance and audio headsets. (Entrance fees approximately £50 extra.)

Information Evening

All interested parishioners are warmly invited to attend an information meeting:

Tuesday 10th November 2026
Millennium Room, St Mary's Church
Following the 7.00pm Mass

All Souls

On November 2nd of each year, Catholics observe The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed, also known as All Souls Day. We are encouraged to pray for the dead and to remember our loved ones who have gone before us. Our prayers for these souls assist in expediting the "process of purification." The Church recognizes that few people achieve perfection in this life, and therefore, go to the grave with remaining traces of sinfulness. A period of purification is necessary to prepare the soul to join God. The Catechism of the Catholic Church explains, "All who die in God's grace and friendship, but still imperfectly purified, are indeed assured of their eternal salvation; but after death they undergo purification, so as to achieve the holiness necessary to enter the joy of heaven." This is called Purgatory. It is important to recognize that Purgatory is not a state of punishment, but rather a cleansing.

Think of it this way: Purgatory makes the soul perfect forever! Our prayers for the deceased help them in their journey to complete purification and unity with God.

REMEMBRANCE SERVICE: On Friday 13th November at 7.00pm we will be holding our annual service at St Wulstan's to remember our deceased brothers and sisters from both our Fleetwood parishes. Please feel free to share the date outside of the parishes, if you know anyone who would like to attend. All are welcome. You are invited to bring any photos or memorabilia to place on the sanctuary when you arrive.

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St Mary's Notices

St. Mary's Church will be open from 09:30 to 1pm on weekdays, apart from Wednesday when the church will close after the morning Mass

Previous Mass attendance: Sunday 25th October – 70

Please pray for those whose Anniversaries

Francis Stanton, James Booker, Thomas Houtan, Mary Green, Mary Heap, David Ward, Harry Mussenden, Colin Rayworth, Mary Kinley, Ellen Noble, James Lang, Patrick McGinley, Rose Nicholson, Robert Rawcliffe, Terry Atkinson, Paul Hartley, Ken Vaughan, Peter Bamforth, James Burns.

25th October 2026

Collection: £216.77
Candles: £55.22
Church Flowers: £6.05
St Anthony: £
Restoration Fund: £
World Needy: £27

Please pray for the sick and housebound of our parish, Charlie Andrews, Audrey Armour, Nicola Banks, Zephan Barretto**,** Vera Berry, Catalina Carreddu, Greta Carus, Janice Chadwick, Patsy Coll, Kathryn Dale, Bert Dallas, Marianne Delaney, Sarah Finley, Jacob Gray, Joseph Higgins, June Jagger, Christina Jones, Liam Edward Lenihan, Alison Lyons, Fr. Michael Murphy, Michael O'Sullivan, Irene Rankine, Mary Schon, Peter Scott, Scott and Dale Families, Marie Slater, Mark Surelock, Jacqueline Wilding, Frank Ward, David Wilkinson, Fred & Mary Wylie, Nan Lusia

Those who have died recently:

The next meeting of the Council will take place on

Wednesday 11th November in the Millenium room at 6:30pm.

Council Members: Fr. Stephen Talbutt, Peter Connor, Anne Duxbury, Judith Halloran, Lindsay Newton, and Sammy Ranasinghe

Do you have any ideas / thoughts you wish to raise with the Council?

Minutes are displayed at the back of church above the safe.

CHRISTMAS RAFFLE DONATION:

We are now collecting prizes for our Christmas raffle. Please leave them with the welcomers at the back of church on Sunday. Many thanks for your generosity.



MOVIE NIGHT

Thanks to all who attended the movie night last week, and for those who organised it. A great and informative time was had by all.

DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET.

The divine mercy chaplet will be prayed on Saturday 7th November 2026 at 3pm at St Marys Church, all welcome.

WEDNESDAY FRIENDSHIP GROUP:

Every Wednesday after the 10am Mass we meet in the Millenium for tea, coffee and friendship.
All are most welcome, come along make new friends and have a cup of tea and slice of cake

PANTRY MANAGER: We are looking for someone with management experience and some spare time to have Oversight of the day to day running of the Pantry, to co-ordinate and support the Day Leads and other volunteers. Good interpersonal skills, be an active listener. Ideally be flexible with your volunteering hours to liaise with and update the Trustees.
Note: There are no salaried volunteers at the Pantry, but you will be paid expenses for sundries and petrol in support of your role.
If you are interested and would like to know more, please contact Fr Alf on 07724 850837 or by email: alfhayes@hotmail.co.uk

8th November 2026

Reader: 11.00am Mass: Michael
Eucharistic Ministers: Chas, Kath and Judith
Children's Liturgy: Jackie and Maureen

CHRISTMAS FLOWERS: If you would like to make an offering for our Christmas flowers in memory of a loved one, envelopes will be available at the back of church from this week.

St Wulstan & St Edmund Notices

St. Wulstan's Church Lady Chapel will be open from 8.30am to 4pm on weekdays.
(Access from the side of the church)

Previous Mass attendance : 25th October: 110

ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK:

Mary Hampton, Barbara Keyworth, Mary Heap, Stan Leach, Patrick Cullinane, Ken Walsh, Doreen O'Connor

BAPTISM ANNIVERSARIES:

Tommy George Bond-Benson	2nd November 2014
Felicity Rae Garrett	3rd November 2012
Oscar Joseph Albert Spencer	3rd November 2019
Alfie James Stephen Spencer	3rd November 2019
Elsie Elizabeth Mather	3rd November 2024
Bella Rose Briggs	7th November 2010
Sienna May Hayward	7th November 2010
Owen Charlie Salthouse	8th November 2009

Pope's prayer intention for November :
For the proper use of wealth
"Let us pray for the proper use of wealth, that not succumbing to the temptation of selfishness, it may always be put at the service of the common good and solidarity of those who have less."

Please pray for the sick and housebound of our parish (and those who care for them) :
Josie Atkinson, Pat Boe, Rose Conway, Patrick Dempsey, Mary Doyle, Pam Fildes, - Veronica Greer, Gino Guatelli, Ken Hodson, Patricia Lawson, Harry Lister, Anna Lupton, Joan Mitchell, Dianne & Michael McCann, Jean Morgan, Sally Newbold, Tom Pinder, Claire Preston, Ethna & Michael Quinn, Carmel Roche, Jean Rolph, Sheila Russell, Vera Scott, Eunice Shaw, Peter Shuttleworth, Norma Snasdell, Pauline Stephenson, Kathleen White, Norah White, Brenda Wilmot

BONUS BALL
The winner for 24th October was
Anne Thompson with number 13
Subs for 2026/27 are due 1 October
£50 for the year. £25 for 6 months.
We can only take cash payments now. Due to the type of account we have we are charged quite a lot for every cheque paid in. **So, no cheques please.**

SCRIPTURE SHARING: has now de-camped to St Mary's Millenium room and our first meeting will be on Tuesday the 3rd of November after the 7pm Mass.
We will spend an hour looking at scripture to see how it reflects our lives to explore where the good Lord is leading us.
All are most welcome to join us for this spiritually uplifting session.

CHURCHES TOGETHER PRAYER CALENDAR:
This week we are praying for St Wulstan's & St Edmund's Parish and the people of Brentwood, Enterprise Way, Honister Close, Maple Avenue, Quayside and The Crescent with the prayer:
May the peace of Christ be in their hearts and in their homes.

Weekly Collection	25th Oct. : £397.60

JAM JARS - Our parish jam maker now has enough jam jars. Thank you.

CHRISTMAS FAIR SATURDAY 28th Nov.
If you can help in any way, please contact Maria Doherty.

- **We particularly need the help of a gentleman volunteer who suits red!!**
- Are you able to help with the Toy Stall or assist Father Christmas?
- Christmas Draw tickets are available for sale now.
- Thank you to those who have offered RAFFLE prizes so far. The list is at the back of church.
- Donations are requested for the Bottle Tombola & Prize Tombola.
- Treacle Toffee and Butterscotch – now on sale.



All Saints
1st November 2026



Mass Schedule

Date	Time	Location		Intention/Details
Sunday 1st Nov	9:00am	**St Wulstan's**	**ALL SAINTS**	Elaine Wareing RIP
	11:00am	**St Mary's**		People of both Parishes
Monday 2nd Nov	9:30am	**St Wulstan's**	**ALL SOULS**	Catherine Latham RIP
	6:00pm	**St Mary's**		Our deceased relatives and friends, also those who have no one to pray for them.
Tuesday 3rd Nov	7:00pm	**St Mary's**		Liz McLeod RIP
Wednesday 4th Nov	10:00am	**St Mary's**	**St Charles Borromeo**	Bob Rawcliffe RIP
Thursday 5th Nov	6:00pm	**St Wulstan's**		Tommy and Mary Gorst 50th Wedding Anniversary
Friday 6th Nov	9:30am	**St Wulstan's**		Patricia Boe, Joe, Louise and family.
Saturday 7th Nov	10:00am	**St Mary's**		Fred and Mary Kay RIP
Sunday 8th Nov	9:00am	**St Wulstan's**	**32nd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**	Theresa Campy RIP
	11:00am	**St Mary's**		People of both parishes

Service Schedule

- **ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:** Saturday 7th November 10:30 – 11:30am at St Mary's Church with Confessions after Mass.

FUNERALS

- **Maureen Porter's** Requiem Mass will take place at St Mary's on Thursday 5th November at 10:15am

- **Veronica Murray's** funeral service will take place at St Wulstans on Friday 6th November at 11:00am

May they rest in peace