

Diary Events This Week:

SUN 5th July: 9.30am: Children's Liturgy;
MONDAY: 9.00am: Pre-School Club*; 3.20pm: After-School Club*
6.00pm: Cubs; 6.45pm: Scouts; 6.30pm: Porch Fund Meeting; 7.45pm:
Social Committee. **TUESDAY:** 6.00pm: Seekers & GFF Youth Groups; 7.30pm:
Prayer Group. **WEDNESDAY:** **THURSDAY:** 6.15pm: Beavers;
FRIDAY: **SATURDAY:** 9.00am: Pilates; 10.00am: Car wash, 7.30pm: AA
Meeting.

* These events each day Mon – Fri.

Advance Diary: July: 12th> Parish BBQ: **13th**>PPC.

PARISH PETITION BOOK

near Our Lady's statue. For your intentions which will be prayed for at the Sunday Masses and at other times.

NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF THE MIRACULOUS MEDAL:

First Saturday - 10.00am Mass.
Blest medals available,

ABORTION RECOVERY HELPLINE Arch can help: 0845 603 8501- Poster

SAFEGUARDING

Parish Safeguarding Officers are Mike Simpson and Brenda Scales

NEW TO THE PARISH? Or if you have changed: email, phone or address? Please complete the *Details Update Form* available in the porch.

CENACOLO COMMUNITY: Thank you for your support with gifts of food.

PRESTON FOOD BANK Thanks for last **Collection, next: 18/19 July**

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: to help with the youth groups on Tuesday evening. If you are able to spare a couple of hours each week in term time please see Fr. D. after Mass or email frdarren@saintclares.co.uk Age range school years 4-6 & 7-11.

FROM THE PTFA

Used Batteries/ Mobile Phones please place in box in porch. Funds to Bosnia

Churches Together News: 1) 'Pilgrimage' to Warrington Churches 19.9.15, details & booking forms on notice board; 2) *Café* style Service Fulwood Methodists: Oct 4th 6.30pm; 3) *Gift '92* Auction Oct 10th St Edward's; 4) Carols RPH 19th Dec; 5) *Christian Unity Service:* Jan 18th 2016; 6) *Pentecost Songs of Praise* May 15th 2016 3pm Christ Church.

St. Clare's School

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ST CLARE'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

Sharoe Green Lane, Fulwood, Preston

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

5th July 2015

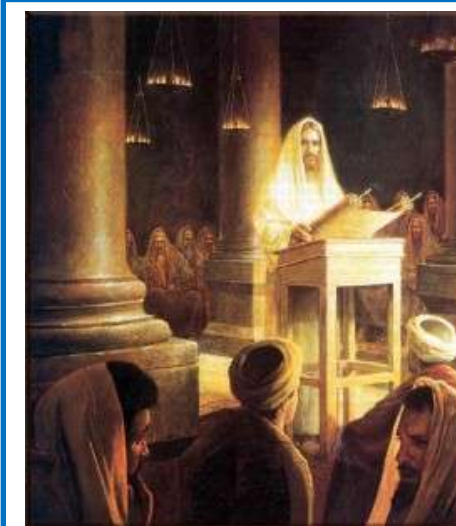


Shakespeare tells us that, 'Familiarity breeds contempt.' We see that at work in today's Gospel. The people of Nazareth prove to be narrow minded unable to accept the change they find in the one for them will only ever be 'the carpenter's Son.' The ability to accept change in another, not pigeon-holing people, is a pre requisite to our own personal growth.

HODOVO UPDATE

Tuesday sees the arrival of a group of young people from Hodovo. They will spend the week with us engaging in various activities staying with families in the parish. They will join with us at the 9.30am Mass on Sunday, also from 12noon to 3pm. everyone is invited to our BBQ / PICNIC. Come and join us for Children's games, Treasure Hunt, Boules, Quiz and more. Cost: £1 to include a burger or hot dog. Drinks available or bring your own.

CAR WASH: Next Sat. 10-2pm £3 per car, tea/coffee while you wait.



BAPTISM COURSE: Begins Monday July 6th at 7pm and continues on 13/7 & 20/7. See Fr. Darren or parish website for details.

Priests: Frs. Christopher Loughran & Darren Carden. Deacon: Fred Sanderson. (Ret'd)

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MASSES THIS WEEK: 5th July. – Mass Book Page: 103

Office: Psalter Wk. 2; Sunday: Cycle B; Weekdays: Year 1-

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

6.00pm: Kathy Eaglesham RIP **Vigil**

7.00pm: Holy Mass with the NeoCatechumenal Community

9.30am: Bernard Keaveny RIP

6.00pm: People of the Parish

Monday St. Maria Goretti

9.00am: George Oldcorn RIP

5.15pm: Mass in RPH

Tuesday of Week 14

7.00pm: Norbu Lepcha RIP

Wednesday of Week 14

9.00am: Priestly Vocations

7.30pm: Liturgy of the Word (with the NeoCatechumenal Community)

Thursday of Week 14

7.00pm: Ellen Boulton RIP

Friday of Week 14

12 noon: Special Intension (EC)

5.15pm: Mass in RPH

Saturday ST. BENEDICT

10.00am: St. Clare's School

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

6.00pm: Mary Sinnott RIP **Vigil**

7.00pm: Holy Mass with the NeoCatechumenal Community

9.30am: People of the Parish

6.00pm: Gertrude Turner RIP

Special Collection for the Apostleship of the Sea

LATELY DEAD:

ANNIVERSARIES: Eileen Barnes, Tim Duffy, Joan Craven, Tim Buckley, Bernard Keaveny, Stuart Smith, Madge Hainsworth, Winifred Healey

EXPOSITION:

Intention: for
priestly vocations
Sat 10.30am-Noon
CONFESSIONS:
Sat 11-12noon.
Or by appointment

**Rosary for Life
Challenge-**

The Mysteries of
Light will be
prayed each day
after the 9am
Masses and
before the Friday
noon Mass, for
this intention

Pope's Prayer Intentions for July

That political responsibility may be lived at all levels as a high form of charity.

That, amid social inequalities, Latin American Christians may bear witness to love for the poor and contribute to a more fraternal society.

YOUTH FESTIVAL: at Castlerigg 11th-14th August, ages 15-25. See Fr. D.

CHRISTIAN LIFE COMMUNITY: National Assembly: 10-14 July. Hope University (L16 9JD). See notice in Porch.

GRATEFUL THANKS: to all those who worked so hard to organise and run the Summer Fair. Thanks too, to those able to support it. £2,345.18 was raised to share between school and church.

CONGRATULATIONS: to those who 'watched' before the Blessed Sacrament last weekend especially through the night hours. NB the Blessed Sacrament is exposed Mon – Fri 7am-8am in church.

ST. CLARE'S SCHOOL: Our Headteacher, Mr. Purcell has resigned (from Christmas) to take up a post as a Local Authority Adviser. Please pray for the process of finding a successor.

ON YER BIKE! Sponsored cycle event for Hodovo. Bring bikes & family to Cottam Sports Arena! Sun 19th July 11.30 -1.30pm. £2.00 each to enter or £5 per family. (To cover the cost of hiring the track) See poster.

LOTTERY UPDATE: for June: £225 to the porch fund: **2nd prize-** £228.31 number 1973 and 5 consolation prizes of £10 numbers 3075, 1458, 1515, 3042, 3412. 1st & 3rd prizes rolled over to July. All winners are informed by email.

MUMS MEALS: Ministry to new parents in the parish; providing meals when they come out of hospital with a new baby. If you think you could occasionally make and deliver a meal give your details to Rosey Fetherston: **07525 845898 corrected number** or Rosey.fetherston@gmail.com). See poster in the porch

PORCH FUNDRAISING: Photographic entries for our 2016 St. Clare's Calendar, see insert; **Coming soon:** Duck Race at Brock; Parish Christmas Cards.

ST THOMAS MORE SCHOOL: (now Corpus Christi) is 50 years old this year. Former pupils are invited to a celebration Mass on Thurs. 16th July at 10am. Admission ticket only, for full details see the poster on the notice board.

RPH CHAPLAINCY: Can you spare 2 hours per week either morning, afternoon or evening? Then please consider becoming a volunteer visitor in the Catholic Chaplaincy team. Information: see the poster on the church notice board or contact Fr Darren Carden: 01772 719604 or email frdarren@saintclares.co.uk

16+ YOUTH 2000 (FESTIVAL) 27–31 Aug. Walsingham. 5 days camping dynamic talks, live-band worship, powerful prayer times, fun social activities, creative workshops, in-depth discussions, evening entertainment. Speakers from the USA & UK. Cost: £100 per person or donation. Transport: £20 each. See Fr. D

WOMEN TOGETHER: in the Lancaster Diocese Sat. 18th July 10.30-3.30pm 'Consecrated life: sign, call and Challenge for the Church today' See poster.

LAST WEEK: Attended: 401; Collection: £1,079.65; Peters' Pence; £271.69 Thank you.