

Diary Events This Week:

SUN 12th Oct	9.30am:	Children's Liturgy
MONDAY:	9.00am:	Pre-School Club*
	3.20pm:	After-School Club*
	6.00pm:	Cubs
	6.45pm:	Scouts
	7.30pm:	Social Committee
TUESDAY:	*	Usual activities*
	7.30pm:	Prayer Group
	6.00pm:	Seekers & GFF Youth Groups
WEDNESDAY:	*	Usual activities*
	6.00 pm:	Brownies & Rainbows
THURSDAY:	*	Usual activities*
	6.15pm:	Beavers
	7.45pm:	RCIA
FRIDAY:	*	Usual activities*
	7.30pm:	Youth Group (WDY)
SATURDAY:	7.30pm:	AA Meeting

Advance Diary Dates: September: October: 16th>PTFA Meeting: 20th>PPC meeting: 28th>Mass of Anointing: November: 8th>Confirmation Group(2)

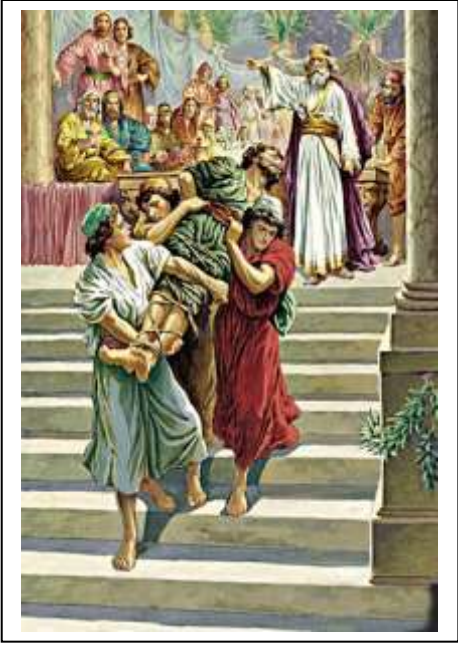
FROM THE PTFA
Used Batteries/
Mobile Phones
please place in
box in porch.
Funds to Bosnia

ST CLARE'S CATHOLIC CHURCH
Sharoe Green Lane, Fulwood, Preston
TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR
12th October 2014



If you have ever been to Christening you will know that lots of symbols are used in the liturgy: water, oil, candle and a white garment. That last item, the white garment, figures in today's Gospel. There it is called 'the wedding garment;' and the guy who did not have one was sent on his way. When we are baptised we 'put on Christ.' In other words we wear our Christianity to give glory to God and for everyone to see; and it is that genuine wearing of our Christianity that will gain us entry into heaven.

JOURNEY IN FAITH
Continues on Thursday evenings in the Parish Hall. at 7.45pm
The Journey in Faith Course is a gentle, informal look at the teachings of the Catholic Church. It is for those who are considering becoming a Catholic, and for those who wish to renew their understanding of the faith. All are most welcome.



PORCH LOTTERY FUND
This venture is to help raise the £150,000 that we need to refurbish and extend the porch. There will be a monthly draw from 2nd Sunday in Oct. The minimum is £5 to be paid by Standing Order. Forms available in the porch (need to be completed by 28/9 for inclusion in Oct draw)

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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

MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSES: 2015
25th Jan; 26th April; 11th Nov:
Tel Barbara Ryan - 01772 717131

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 time; **Next Coll: 18/19 Oct**

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.

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MASSES THIS WEEK: 12th Oct. 2014. – Mass Book Page: 140

Office: Psalter Week 4 Sunday: Cycle A; Weekdays: Year 2

TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

6.00pm: Teresa Hodges RIP Vigil

7.00pm: Holy Mass with the NeoCatechumenal Community

9.30am: Residents & Staff of Sherwood Lodge

6.00pm: People of the Parish

Monday St. Edward the Confessor

9.00am: Keith & Irene Barraclough

5.15pm: Mass in RPH

Tuesday of week 28

7.00pm: Tom Clapham RIP

Wednesday St. Teresa of Jesus (Avila)

9.00am: Marie Speight RIP

7.30pm: Liturgy of the Word

Thursday St. Margaret Mary

7.00pm: Thomas Dilworth RIP

Friday St. Ignatius of Antioch

12noon: Jeff & Family

5.15pm: Mass in RPH

Saturday ST. LUKE

10.00am: People of the Parish

TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

6.00pm: Teresa Jones RIP Vigil

7.00pm: Holy Mass with the NeoCatechumenal Community

9.30am: Katie Malone RIP

6.00pm: Magda Piotrowski RIP

Collection for APF – World Mission Day

LATELY DEAD: Marie Speight, Jock Halton, Agnes Fletcher

ANNIVERSARIES: Winifred Crangle, Bryan Sharrock, Sophia Corbett, Catherine & Michael Brophy, Maureen Burns.

**EXPOSITION:
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 October

That the Lord may grant peace to those parts of the world most battered by war and violence.

That World Mission Day may rekindle in every believer zeal for carrying the Gospel into the world

WORLD YOUTH DAY (WYD)'16: Krakow, Poland July 2016– Also **FLAME 2** for year 10 and above, 6-8th March 2015 only 50 places at each for our Diocese. See poster or visit www.castleriggmanor.co.uk

EVERY MORNING: Mon – Fri there is an informal exposition of the Blessed Sacrament from 7am-8am. All are welcome to this time of silent prayer.

WELCOMING GROUP: Fr. Loughran would like to re-establish a Welcome Group to visit those newly registered in the parish. See Fr. L or Fr. D. for info.

PARISH LUNCH: Tues 28th Oct. 1pm. at The Hand & Dagger (Clifton Arms), Salwick. Bar menu. Transport available. Name & phone numbers on the list in the porch please. More info from Anthony (713046)

GIFT AID SCHEME: Please consider joining the Scheme if you are: i) a tax payer, ii) regularly contribute to the Offertory. Forms in porch / speak with Fr. L

YOUTH GROUPS: GFF and SEEKERS meet every Tuesday from 6pm.

DO YOU REMEMBER: The Helping Hands Group is available to help parishioners with small household jobs (repairs etc.) details at back of church.

HYNING HALL: Card Making Day Oct 14th. Poster in porch.

TRANSFORMED IN CHRIST: Autumn Conference. 17-19th Oct See poster.

CATHOLIC CERTIFICATE of RELIGIOUS STUDIES: a must for teachers, and highly recommended to catechists and children's liturgists. Course details and booking form on the notice board or visit <http://vle.dles.lancsngfl.ac.uk>

LOURDES: One day and four day pilgrimage to mark the feast of the Immaculate Conception, Dec. 8th. See posters in porch.

OLD ROSARIES: being collected by Catenians for Africa. Box in porch.

YOUTH EVENT: 'Embrace Liverpool' this is a Youth Conference for those 14+ at Liverpool Cathedral on Sat. 1st Nov.2014, 10am-6pm. This is a celebration of young people with activities, workshops, keynote speakers and much more. Interested? See Fr. Darren who will be leading the group from the parish. For more details see the poster.

VOCATIONS DISCERNMENT DAY: Is God calling you to serve as one of His priests? Come and see at the Vocations Discernment Day Sun 19th Oct at Our Lady & St Joseph's, Carlisle. Poster in porch or contact Fr. Darren- 01772 719604 priest@lancastervocation.org or Fr. John- 01228 521509 jwmillar1@gmail.com.

DERIAN HOUSE: Last Night of the Proms, Dec 6th Preston Minster. All details on posters in porch

ONE VOICE: Community Choir Wed 22nd Oct. All details on the poster.

LAST WEEK: Attended: 504. Offertory: £1217.29. Thank you.