

Diary Events This Week:

SUN 30th Oct: 9.30am: No Children's Liturgy; 2pm: Indian Dance Class. 4.30pm: No Young Adults Group (20-30+); **MONDAY:** 9am: No Pre-School Club*; 3.20pm: No After-School Club* 6pm: No Cubs; 7.30pm: No Scouts; **TUESDAY:** No Seekers or GFF Youth Group; 7.30pm: No Prayer Group; **WEDNESDAY:** **THURSDAY:** 6.15pm: No Beavers; 7.30pm: No Journey in Faith; **FRIDAY:** **SATURDAY:** 9am: Pilates; 10.30am: Spanish Class; 7.30pm; AA Meeting. * *These events each day Mon – Fri. Advance Diary Dates: Nov: 20th>Youth Sunday; 21st>Social Committee; 28th>PPC (8pm); Dec:4th>Christmas Fair.*

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

PRESTON FOOD BANK Thanks for last collection. **Next: Nov -19/20**

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: to help with the Youth Groups on Tues evening. If you are able to spare a couple of hours each week in term time please see Fr. D. 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

RPH CHAPLAINCY: Have you got 2 hours a week: morning, afternoon or evening? Consider volunteering as a visitor in the Catholic team. Info: see the poster or contact: Fr Darren Carden: 719604 or email frdarren@saintclares.co.uk

St. Clare's School

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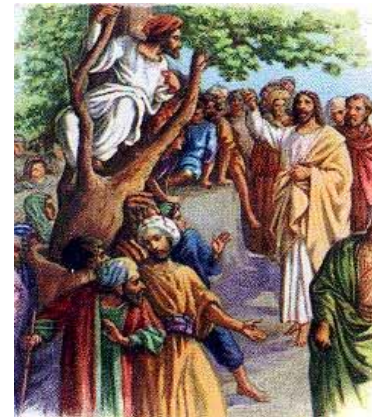


ST CLARE'S CATHOLIC CHURCH THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

30th October 2016



Making his appearance in today's Gospel is Zacchaeus the diminutive tax collector. Something drew him into the presence of Jesus – maybe curiosity, maybe a prompting from on high. Whatever it was, this encounter with Jesus changed him for ever. But that is what a true encounter with Jesus always does. The question is: are we prepared to be open to the prompting to a new encounter with Jesus, and a readiness to change?



Hurry, I must stay at your house today

Tuesday November 1st

ALL SAINTS DAY

A Holyday of Obligation
Mass times: Monday - Vigil 7pm
Tuesday - 9.30am and 7pm

FIRST FRIDAY – Nov.4th Exposition and HOLY HOUR 7pm.

FIRST SATURDAY – Nov 5th Novena to Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal – Mass 10am.

Next Sunday – Nov. 6th NOVEMBER BEREAVEMENT SERVICE

To commemorate those we have loved and lost. All welcome

NOVEMBER LISTS ENVELOPES

in which to place the names of your loved ones who have died and any offering, are to be found in the porch.
Mass will be celebrated for them throughout November and beyond.

Priests: Christopher Loughran & Darren Carden. **Deacon:** Fred Sanderson.

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MASSES THIS WEEK: 30th Oct: – Mass Book Page 157

Office: Psalter Wk. 3; Sunday: Cycle C; Weekdays Year 2

THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

6pm: People of the Parish **Vigil**

7pm: Holy Mass – with the NeoCatechumenal Way

9.30am: Fr. Bernard Woods RIP

6pm: Magda Piotrkowski RIP

Collection: Sick & Retired Priests Fund

Monday of wk 31

9.15am: WJW Sick

5.15pm: **NO** Mass in RPH

7pm: Freda Burgess RIP **Vigil Mass**

Tuesday ALL SAINTS DAY

9.30am: People of the Parish

7pm: Patrick McNeela RIP

Wednesday ALL SOULS

9.15am: Teresa Lingard RIP

7.30pm: Liturgy of the Word with the NeoCatechumenal Way

Thursday of wk 31

7pm: Theresa & John Topping RIP

Friday St. Charles Borromeo

Noon: Mary Hicks RIP

5.15pm: Mass in RPH

Saturday of wk 31

10am: Pat McArdle RIP

THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

6pm: People of the Parish **Vigil**

7pm: Holy Mass – with the NeoCatechumenal Way

9.30am: John Grace RIP

6pm: Arockiasamy & Richard RIP

LATELY DEAD: Lawrence Cartmell

ANNIVERSARIES: Dorothy Finch, Moira Butler, Monica Jackson, Noel Hogan, Wendy Charleson, Mollie Earnshaw, Annie Woods, Mary-Ann Murphy, Anne Taylor, James Van Parys.

Pope's Prayer Intentions for November: **1.** That the countries which take in great numbers of displaced persons may find support for their efforts. **2.** That within parishes, priests and lay people may collaborate in services to the community without giving in to the temptation of discouragement.

BOARBANK HALL: *Autumn Break* with Guest Speakers see leaflets.

YOUTH VIGIL: for the *Year of Mercy* Fri 4th Nov 7.30-9pm Lancaster Cathedral. See poster for more details

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

**THIS IS THE EXTRAORDINARY
JUBILEE HOLY YEAR OF MERCY**

EXPOSITION:

Each morning:

Mon – Fri: 7 - 8am

Sat 10.30am-Noon

Intention: for priestly vocations.

NO CONFESSIONS

Sat 11-12 noon.

Or by appointment.

CONGRATULATIONS: to Georgina-Marie Campbellmartin & Frederick Harford baptised here last Sunday.

PILATES: continues on Saturday mornings at 9am. Funds raised support Youth and Porch Funds. Thank you to Cathy and all who attend.

200 CLUB: Oct Draw 1st £160 No. 2- A. Donlan; - 2nd £96 No. 116 - C. Webb; 3rd £64 No. 61- P. McNeela. Numbers are still available. Forms in the porch.

CHRISTMAS FAIR: December 4th 10.30am goods and raffle prizes gratefully received. See sign-up sheet.

ST. CLARE'S SCHOOL: Places for September 2017. LCC online admission process is now open. There will be an open afternoon for Reception Class 2017 on Tue 15th Nov, 2-6pm when staff will introduce themselves and meet parents, followed by a tour of the school with a Y6 pupil, concluding with an opportunity for questions. The closing date for applications is 15th January 2017 at 11-59 pm.

BLESSED SACRAMENT: Church Diamond Jubilee Mass Fri 11th Nov 7.30pm.

ON-LINE SHOPPING: 'Christmas is coming.' Before you shop visit www.easyfundraising.org.uk and look for St. Clare's New Porch Fund. **£411.00** raised so far – can you help to increase this amount. It costs you nothing!

PARISH RECIPE BOOK: More recipes needed!

KIRKHAM PRISON: an invitation to attend a Soup & Bread Lunch on Wed. 23rd Nov 12-2pm. Proceeds to Mary's Meals. Info: jenny.phillips2@hmps.gsi.gov.uk

MEDJUGORJE 2017: a visit to the Shrine - from 22nd – 29th August 2017. £580 per person (sharing). All details on the poster.

ADVENT DAY of Prayer and Reflection Sat 19th Nov-Our Lady & St Edwards. Led by Fr. Hugh Pollock. Theme 'Is there any Room' (Can we live up to the Pope's call to welcome Refugees). Details on the poster or email: suegornall@aol.com

INTERNATIONAL FRIENDSHIP: 'Host UK' have written asking for people to welcome a foreign student for Christmas. Email: www.hostuk.org. Details on poster

ARCHBISHOP ROMERO LECTURE 2016: 'Rutilio, Romero, & Pope Francis' given by Fr Rodolfo Cardenal SJ on Fri 4th Nov 7pm at St. Wilfrid's. See poster.

THE LIVING WORD 3: Nov 26-27th with Fr. Gabriel Kyte CFR See poster.

CAFOD REMEMBRANCE MASS: Nov 5th 6.30pm St. Bernadette's, Lancaster

DISCOVER: Aged 18+ would like to join the Castlerigg Team for 2017? See poster or visit www.castleriggmanor.co.uk email: team@castleriggmanor.co.uk

LAST WEEK: Attended: 455; Collection: £994.01; Home Missions: £293.42 Thank you.