

23 May 2021

# The Parishes of St. Anne, Ormskirk & St. Elizabeth, Scarisbrick



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## PENTECOST SUNDAY

L1 Acts 2:1-11; Psalms 103:1ab & 24ac, 20bc-30, 31 & 34; 1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13; John 20:19-23; 16:12-15

### Safe Capacity in Church for Sunday Mass and Funerals.

As week by week we gladly welcome more people back to church, this also brings the sad possibility that on reaching our safe capacity we may have to turn people away. Please remember that at weekends there is now a Saturday Vigil Mass and that at Funerals priority will always be given to family and close friends.

Mass at St Anne's				Mass at St Elizabeth's	
Sat	22	6.00pm Vigil Mass	<b>Kathleen Attwood</b> <i>Public Mass</i>		
Sun	23	10.30am	<b>All Parishioners</b> <i>Streamed &amp; Public Mass</i>	9.30am	<b>Connie Houghton</b> <i>Public Mass</i>
Mon	24				
Tue	25	<b>1.00pm</b>	<b>Funeral Service: Francis Bramhall</b>		
Wed	26	Noon	<b>Mary Adams</b> <i>Streamed Mass</i>	9.30am	<b>John Tully</b> <i>Public Mass</i>
Thu	27				
Fri	28	<b>11.00am</b>	<b>Funeral Service: Patricia (Trisha)</b> <b>Swayne Butterworth</b>		
Sat	29	6.00pm Vigil Mass	<b>John Harrington</b> <i>Public Mass</i>		
Sun	30	10.30am	<b>Arthur Speakman</b> <i>Streamed &amp; Public Mass</i>	9.30am	<b>Jean Olverson</b> <i>Public Mass</i>



***Dear Parishioners and Friends***

There is an interesting episode in the Acts of the Apostles, 19:2, when ‘St Paul went to Ephesus, where he found a number of disciples. When he asked, “Did you receive the Holy Spirit when you became believers?” they answered, “No, we were never even told there was such a thing as the Holy Spirit.”’ It turned out that these ‘disciples’ had been baptised in the name of John the Baptist which was a baptism of repentance – as a kind of prelude to being baptised in the name of Jesus Christ. The twelve men were then baptised by Paul, they did receive the Holy Spirit and ‘they began to speak with tongues and to prophesy’. This weekend we recall, on the feast of Pentecost, that first occasion when the followers of Jesus received the Holy Spirit. I think of God having been present to the apostles and early disciples during the lifetime of Jesus, through the physical presence of this man/God, Jesus. After the resurrection, God becomes present in a different way through His Spirit, in an even more personal way. Those disciples in Ephesus only realized what they had been missing out on once they had received the Holy Spirit. Pentecost is a good time for us to reflect on God’s presence in our lives because we have been baptised! It is worth recalling a man who certainly did appreciate the divine presence in his life, St John of the Cross. The opening words of his mystical poem ‘The Living Flame of Love’ offer us an insight into the depths of being caught up into the life of the Trinity.

*O living flame of love  
that tenderly wounds my soul  
in its deepest centre!*

*Godric OSB*

**Anniversaries (Last 10 yrs up to Sat 29 May 2021)**

**St. Anne:** Jaroslav Jaworski, Sheila Mary Benson, Isabel Alexandra Morrison, Catherine Boon, Margaret Harrocks, Philip Gough, Christina Vaughan.

**St. Elizabeth:** Ann Brown, Michael Branwood, Joan Riozzi.



**Please pray for the sick in our parishes:**

**St. Anne:** Georgia Addy, Brenda Allt, Teresa Blaney, Derek Campbell, Andrew Colwell, Mark Condon, Anne Corrin, Eileen Culpin, Fr Cassian Dickie OSB, Tony Edwards, Liam Gilchrist, George Grimes, Jim Holland, Margaret Johnston, Alun David Jones, Joyce Malone, Dorothy Nankivell, Dougie Ross, Gregory Rutherford, Maureen Taylor, Per Tinberg, Fr Gerry Tuite, Tony Walsh, David Whittaker.

**St. Elizabeth:** Michael Bill, Jim Charnock, Gaynor Foster, Susan Foster, Sarah Gibbons, Alan Jackson, Terry Turner.

**Mass Intentions at St Elizabeth's:**

***These intentions will be offered in house during the pandemic by Fr Hugh Special Intention (JC), People of the Parish, Holy Souls (JC), George & Margaret Wright.***

**Mass Intentions at St Anne's**

***Dorothy Maloney & Family, Kathleen Attwood, Canon Brendan Healy, Deliverance from Coronavirus, All Holy Souls, David & Christopher Potter, Anne Hunt, Fr Basil Walker, Maureen Dobson.***

***These intentions will be offered in house during the pandemic by Fr Godric or Fr Boniface***

**Zoom Coffee Morning**

After the public & streamed Mass on Sundays, we are having an online Zoom coffee morning for parishioners to meet 'virtually' while we are not able to do this face to face.

You will be able to join the session via a link that will be sent out by email, if you would like to be added to the parish e-mailing list to hear about this, or other parish news, please send an email to the parish council email address:

**[ppc@stannes-ormskirk.org.uk](mailto:ppc@stannes-ormskirk.org.uk)** and put 'Zoom coffee morning' in the subject bar.

Please pass this information on to anyone you think may be interested.



Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82231034171?pwd=UGYzZjVmM2RHUjJ6VC9QTFJvbGNvUT09>

**Joan Bill**

## Welcome!

On 10 May, St. Anne's and the Exploring Catholic Faith team were delighted to welcome into the Catholic Faith Annette Quinn and Caroline Petrie.

### Do You Know Any Adult Who Is Considering Becoming A Catholic?

This summer, we plan to re-start our Exploring Catholic Faith Course (or R.C.I.A: the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults). The first session will be in St Anne's Pastoral Centre Lounge, from 7.30pm to 8.30pm on **Tuesday 29 June**. Subject to any COVID restrictions, weekly sessions will continue through July, and then resume in September.

If you know of any adult who has considered becoming a Catholic, please could you ask them to email [paxorm@btconnect.com](mailto:paxorm@btconnect.com), for further details about the course.

*Will Daunt*



**Pauline Books and Media** have now opened their new shop at  
84 Church Street, Liverpool, L1 3AY.

The opening hours are Tuesday - Saturday from 10.00am to 5.00pm.



# SYNOD

## The topic for discussion this week is Topic 4: Prayer and Spirituality

### Synod Recommendation 10: Spiritual Formation

A. We, the people of the Archdiocese, recommend that the pastoral plan include a provision to help parishes develop spiritual formation opportunities at the local and deanery level.

B. We, the people of the Archdiocese, recommend that the pastoral plan encourage the process of developing "accompaniment parishes" in which family members would accompany one another to deepen faith, and where the parish would play its part in accompanying all who seek "life to the full" within the Catholic Church.

C. We, the people of the Archdiocese, recommend that the pastoral plan warmly encourage all Catholics to grow in confidence in the grace of their baptism, taking the initiative to meet with others (using pandemic learning experiences) to share scripture, faith, and prayer.

### Synod Recommendation 11: Sunday Liturgy & the Other Sacraments

A. We, the people of the Archdiocese, recommend that the pastoral plan acknowledge the primary place of the Sunday Liturgy in the life and mission of the Church.

B. We, the people of the Archdiocese, recommend that the pastoral plan propose Liturgical formation for both laity and clergy so that the Sunday Liturgy is worthy and central in all we do in both the manner of its celebration and the mission it engenders.

C. We, the people of the Archdiocese, recommend that the pastoral plan provide a way for us to review how we are celebrating the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

*Joan Bill*

## St. Anne's News:

For Pentecost, the Children's Liturgy team and children from St Anne's School have made a display for the Prayer Garden outside Church. Please take a minute to look at the children's work and how they see Pentecost. *The Children's Liturgy Team*

## St. Elizabeth's News:

Come and have a look at the vegetables which are now growing in the raised bed . We are currently developing a nature and history trail around the graveyard for our young people. It will point out the different trees and species we have as well as items of interest in the graveyard.



# MOORGATE NURSERY SCHOOL



HAS A SPECIAL CELEBRATION THIS YEAR –  
**WE ARE 75 YEARS OLD!**

### We need your help...

If you or anyone you know, came to Moorgate as a child (or if you were a staff member!) please help us spread the word.

We are looking to create a special memory board and would love to add your name, and the year you attended Moorgate, onto the board at the front of Nursery, to celebrate the thousands who have attended over the years! If you would like us to add your details please email [bursar@moorgate.lancs.sch.uk](mailto:bursar@moorgate.lancs.sch.uk) or write to the address below.

If you have any photographs you would like to share from when you came to Moorgate please send them to us as we'd love to see how our Nursery used to look and make a special memory book to show the children.

Please send by 11<sup>th</sup> June 2021.

Many thanks in advance!

Moorgate Nursery School Staff



Find out more on our website

[www.moorgatenurseryschool.co.uk](http://www.moorgatenurseryschool.co.uk)

or on our Facebook and Instagram page

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# National Lockdown. Reminder of the Regulations. Attending Mass at St Anne's and St Elizabeth's.

Although we are still in a National Lockdown, it is a support to know that public Masses are being celebrated.

***But please do not attend church if you are vulnerable or have been advised to shield.***

Due to safety precautions **capacity at St Anne's Masses may be reduced.** Please take this into consideration when coming to Mass.

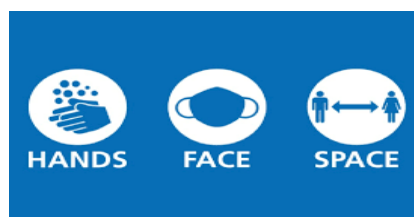
**St Elizabeth's** will continue to have a pre booking system. Please phone **01704 880451** to book a place.

**Legally, all those attending church are required to abide by the following:**

- face covering to be worn in church **at all times** and may not be taken off or moved away from the mouth or nose, except at the moment of receiving Communion.
- a face visor or shield may not be worn on their own but always with a mask or other face covering which fits securely round the side of the face
- name and contact details required for Track & Trace each time attending church - it is a great help if you bring these written out ready to drop into the box in the entrance
- *Or* use the app on your phone to register on arrival, through the NHS QR.
- sanitise hands on arrival, then move through to the main church as quickly as possible
- ensure a safe distance when entering and leaving church and when going to receive Communion
- on exiting church, not stopping to mingle with anyone outside of your household/support bubble
- arrive in good time so that the stewards can guide you to a safe place without too much disturbance of other people.
- **always** follow the guidance of the stewards

Thank you for keeping to these legal requirements and so enabling the celebration of public Masses.

***St Anne's and St Elizabeth's PPCs.***





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## Our Common Home

This is a space on the bulletin for everyone to share their ideas and tips about practical things we can do to respond to Pope Francis's call to hear the Cry of the Earth and the Cry of the Poor.

Do you have a good suggestion of something we can do to help with the climate crisis?

Share it with everyone by e-mailing Colette on [paxorm@btconnect.com](mailto:paxorm@btconnect.com)

From Mary Ormsby:

### Seasonal Vegetables

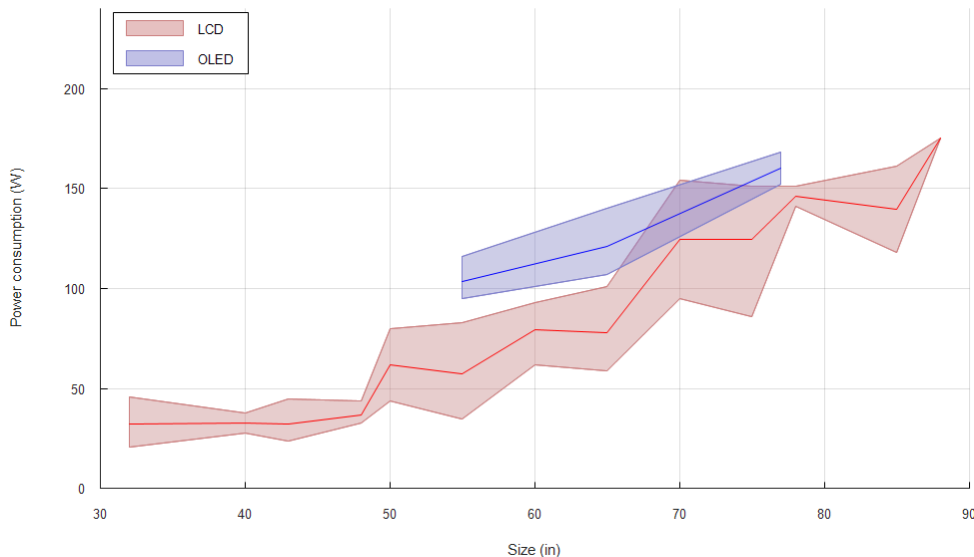
As we move into summer there are a wider range of locally grown fruit and veg. Here's a reminder of what is in season over the next couple of months.

<h2>May</h2> <p><b>BEST FOR:</b> Rhubarb &amp; Asparagus</p>	<p><u>ALSO IN SEASON</u> Spinach Samphire</p>	<p>Gooseberry Radish Chicory Crab Morels</p>	<p>Cauliflower Elderflower Nectarine Cucumber New Potatoes</p>	
<h2>June</h2> <p><b>BEST FOR:</b> Peas, Broad Beans &amp; Strawberries</p>	<p><u>ALSO IN SEASON</u> French Beans Chicory Crab Mackerel</p>	<p>Mangetout Courgette Asparagus Spinach Carrots Radish Rocket</p>	<p>Spring Onion Tomato Watercress Lamb Cucumber Rhubarb</p>	
<h2>July</h2> <p><b>BEST FOR:</b> Cucumbers, Lettuce &amp; Cherries</p>	<p><u>ALSO IN SEASON</u> Apricot Aubergine Blackcurrant Beetroot Celery Spinach</p>	<p>Rhubarb Raspberries Runner Beans Carrots Peas Fennel Courgette</p>	<p>Globe Artichoke Kahlrabi Iceberg Lettuce Peach Strawberries Bramley Apples Blueberries</p>	



## Tips for reducing TV electricity consumption.

Whilst energy efficiency of LED and OLED TVs is better than plasma, they still make a significant contribution to electricity usage for families.



One thing to be aware of is the relationship between size and power consumption – the bigger the screen the more power.

Other useful tips are:

- Lower the backlight setting. The backlight is by far the biggest drain on your power, and the lower you can get your backlight, the less power your TV will consume. Placing your TV in a dark or dimly lit environment will help you avoid needing a bright backlight.
- Turn the TV off. It may sound basic, but some people leave their TVs running all the time. Leaving a TV on constantly will result in much higher costs than if you turn the TV off.
- A lot of TVs have a “Quick Start” feature. This usually means that they stay in a standby mode when you press the power button instead of shutting off completely. Turning these features off can help, but some models also allow you to hold the power button on the remote to shut down completely.
- Most TVs today feature a light sensor that can adjust the TV's brightness to the room. Instead of having the TV constantly run at a static brightness, this feature can help reduce consumption by lowering the brightness when it isn't needed.
- If you often fall asleep in front of the TV at night, make use of its sleep timer feature. This greatly reduces consumption since hours of playtime that would be used while you're sleeping will instead be kept in your pocket.



Sunday 23 May 2021  
John 15:26-27; 16:12-15  
Pentecost

My name is \_\_\_\_\_

## IN THE GOSPEL TODAY

Jesus tells his friends that a special helper will come, called the Holy Spirit. The Holy Spirit will be their teacher and will speak to them just as Jesus did when he was alive and with them. The Holy Spirit will show the disciples what they must do and what they must say in Jesus' name.

## YOU ARE NOT ALONE

The Holy Spirit helps us every day. Let the Holy Spirit guide you to Jesus on the correct path.



## ★ God's love

The Holy Spirit shows us how much God the Father loves us. God loves you more than you could ever imagine.



Draw a picture under the umbrella of God's love, all the people who love you.

## Spirit of truth

Jesus says the Holy Spirit is the Spirit of Truth.

Can you crack the code to discover the truth about Jesus?



## Pass it on!

God the Father sent us the Holy Spirit to teach the world about Jesus. Can you spot the disciples in the crowds sharing the message of Jesus by speaking or helping? What are some of the different things they are doing?



The Holy Spirit inspired the disciples to learn more and teach others.

## A PRAYER TO SAY

Dear Jesus, send us your Spirit to teach, guide and help us. Amen.

Answers: You are not alone: Path b. Spirit of truth: love, peace, hope, light.

# St Anne's Children's Liturgy

**23<sup>rd</sup> May 2021 Pentecost Year B**

**Introduction:** Together make the sign of the cross.

Today is called Pentecost Sunday and this is the day on which the Church celebrates its birthday. One of the best things about birthdays are presents, see what present Jesus gives the disciples today in the Gospel.



## Children's Liturgy of the Word



### Gospel (You may like to light a candle)

The disciples had gathered together in Jerusalem to celebrate the Feast of Pentecost and to wait for the Holy Spirit that Jesus had promised to send. One day as they were praying together, the room was suddenly filled with the sound of a powerful wind which roared through the house. Then, what looked like small tongues of fire appeared and spread out to touch each one of them. So it was that they were filled with the Holy Spirit.

At once, in their excitement, they rushed outside to tell everyone what had happened to them. As they began to speak, they were amazed to find that they could talk in foreign languages that they had never spoken before. People from lands far and wide gathered in a crowd to listen to these men from Galilee. They were amazed and came to believe in Jesus. So it was, from that day onwards, the disciples went around telling everyone about Jesus, and sharing all that he taught them. They were no longer afraid for where they went Jesus went with them. They were no longer afraid, for wherever they went, Jesus went with them. Now his Spirit lived inside them, and they would never feel alone again.

The Gospel of the Lord

**Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ**



### Reflection

Shut your eyes and imagine you are with the disciples sitting together in that room, how would you feel? We receive the Holy Spirit at our Baptism and again at Confirmation and some of the gifts the Spirit gives us are joy, love, patience, kindness, understanding, respect and courage.

**Activity:** Think about ways you can show family and friends the gifts that the Holy Spirit has given you by what you say and do. Complete the Look and colouring sheet. You could also have a walk with your family and visit the Pentecost display, which St Anne's school children helped to make, this is outside Church in the Prayer Garden.

*If you are happy to share your work with the us, please email a scan or photos of what you have done to the parish council email address [ppc@stannes-ormskirk.org.uk](mailto:ppc@stannes-ormskirk.org.uk) with 'Children's Liturgy' in the subject*

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