

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

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PRAY AS YOU GO LINK <https://pray-as-you-go.org>

November Souls

Traditionally during November, we pray for all the Holy Souls and especially our own loved ones who have passed from this world. Please hand in the list of names of any of your loved ones who you would like included on our November Souls List. Masses will be offered during November for those on our November Holy Souls once a week at St Anne's.

3rd November 2024

THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

Readings: Deut 6:2-6; Ps 17:2-3a, 3bc-4, 47 & 51ab; Heb 7:23-28; Mk 12:28b-34.

St Elizabeth's Mass Times

Sat	2	10.30am	<i>Holy Souls followed by the Blessing of Graves</i>
Sun	3	9.00am	<i>John Ackers, Maurice Appleton & Family</i>
Wed	6	9.30am	<i>Wright & Simpson Families</i>
Sun	10	9.00am	<i>People of the Parish</i>

St Anne's Mass Times

Sat	2	Noon 4.00pm 5.00pm	<i>All Souls Day</i> Holy Souls followed by the Blessing of Graves Sacrament of Reconciliation & Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until 4.45pm Eduardo Tovar (Vigil Mass)
Sun	3	10.30am Noon	Joseph McCormack (streamed) Baptisms: Nell Bailey-Gillespie & Erin McAleese
Mon	4	9.15am 9.30am	<i>Feast of St Charles Borromeo</i> Morning Prayer Peter & Sue Mawtus & Holy Souls <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • UCM in Pastoral Centre at 1.00pm • SVP in Pastoral Centre at 8.00pm
Tue	5	9.15am 9.30am	Morning Prayer Andrew Rule <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prayer Group at 10.30am in the Pastoral Centre • Heritage Talk at 1.30pm in the Pastoral Centre
Wed	6	9.15am 9.30am	Morning Prayer Mrs Alice Anadi
Thu	7	9.15am	Note earlier Mass time, no Morning Prayer Rev Fr John Gray – 40th Anniversary of Ordination Year 11 from St Bede's will join us at Mass
Fri	8	9.30am	No Morning Prayer Rev. Fr Finbar OSB - Yr 2 from St. Anne's will join us at Mass <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wellbeing Event in Pastoral Centre at 11.45am
Sat	9	4.00pm 5.00pm	<i>Feast of the Dedication of the Lateran Basilica</i> Sacrament of Reconciliation & Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until 4.45pm Charles & Irene Callaghan (Vigil Mass)
Sun	10	9.30am 10.30am Noon	Church Parade – Remembrance Sunday Service at St Anne's War Memorial - followed by toast & pastries in the Pastoral Centre Derek Whalley (streamed) Baptism: Isla Whittle

Dear Parishioners and Friends

It was announced in the archdiocese last weekend that Mgr Des Seddon, parish priest of St Mary's, Aughton, will formally retire on 13 January 2025. Fr Des has suffered poor health in recent months so we wish him well and would like him to know that he is very much in our prayers.

Des will not be replaced, and as St Mary's church will no longer be a parish church there will not be a regular Sunday Mass in St Mary's. Since the church is one of the oldest churches in the archdiocese it will, however, become a shrine church and be available for special Masses and services.

The parish boundaries will be re-drawn between the parishes of Holy Rosary and St Anne's. From past experience I know that when significant changes take place in parish life there is great sadness, but I would like to assure our 'new' parishioners that they will receive a very warm welcome from all of us at St Anne's. Many of St Mary's parishioners often come to St Anne's so it is not as if we are strangers!

Fr Joseph and I are in the very privileged role of serving you. Please never hesitate to call on us if we can be of support to you. You are not allowed to say, 'I know you are very busy so I didn't want to bother you!'

Godwin O'SB

Anniversaries to 9th November 2024 (Last 10 yrs)

St Anne's: Marion Bernadette Hutchings, Bridget Agnes Clarkson, Therese Blaney, Nora Pauline Melia, Mary Bickle.

St Elizabeth's: Marie O'Brien, Anthony Tinsley, Irene Simpson, Joan Latham.

Please pray for the sick:

St Anne's: Catherine Allen, John Casey, Chris Coyne, Jean Daunt, Mike Devlin, Margaret Halsall, Stephen Hankin-Hallsworth, Stan Ludlow, Hughie McGinley, Paul McWilliams, May Mitchell, Jeannette Murphy, Stella O'Keefe, John Orritt, Alicia O'Toole and her baby Ava, Ann Potter, Stella Potter, James Rolfe, Frances Smith, Sandra Sugden, Richard Sutherland, Maureen Taylor, Joan Whelan.



St Elizabeth's: Terry Turner, Sue Carver, Tess & Eric Mills, Jean Olverson, Paddy Mott, Joe Ackers, Robert, Heather, Katie, a parishioner in distress, and all in need of grace.

Recently Sick: Mary Linton, Sally Kirkby.

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Stephanie Blackman who died recently.

St Anne's News:

UCM 1pm tomorrow, Paula from the Sewing Rooms will join us to talk about the Wellbeing Event on Friday.

SHOP: Windproof grave candles on sale in shop, various sizes & prices. Christmas cards, nativities, candles etc., will be on display soon. Catholic Diaries £3.

Pastoral Centre: Please ensure that you notify Colette in the office if you are using the Pastoral Centre, **even for a short time.** It is important that people are never on their own in the Pastoral Centre without notifying Colette.

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

Abbot Paul Gunter, abbot of Douai will be celebrating Confirmations at St Anne's on Thursday 28th November at 7.00pm.

If any young people in Year 8 upwards **who do not go to** St Bede's Catholic High School but would like to be Confirmed, please contact St Anne's parish office or email Colette on paxorm@btconnect.com for details.

St Elizabeth's News:

Used Books for sale in the porch in aid of church repairs. Recommended price £1.00 but no less than 50p. Please place donations into the CTS box in the porch. Any additional books will be gratefully received. If so, please contact Chris.

SAVE THE DATE: ST. ELIZABETH'S CHRISTMAS MEAL: *Wednesday 4th December 7.00pm for 7.30 at Master McGrath's. The booking form with menu choices will be available next weekend. This is a lovely opportunity for parishioners and friends to get together in a warm and welcoming environment.*

SEPTEMBER 2025 RECEPTION INTAKE

The Admissions window is now open for parents to apply for a 2025 reception place at St Mary's. The following link will take you to the Admissions page on the school website <https://www.stmaryscps.co.uk/admissions/> You are very welcome to come and visit the school and look at the beautiful facilities and see the curriculum in action. Please contact the school on 01704 880626 to arrange a tour with Mrs Preston.

You may also know a family friend or relative whose child is due to start school in September 2025. We need your help to remind them that the application window is now open.

NEW SUNDAY MISSAL FOR BOTH PARISHES

The order for the Missals has now been placed. They hope to have them with us for the first Sunday in Advent when the new lectionary starts. Once they have been delivered, I will advise how to pay etc. I will take the copies ordered by St Annes' parishioners over to Ormskirk to make collecting easier.

Thank you for your support.

INTERESTED IN ORMSKIRK AND ITS HISTORY?

There will be monthly Heritage talks over the next 5 months in St. Anne's Pastoral Centre based on Ormskirk and its history.

Presented by local historian, Dot Broady-Hawkes, and Kathryn MacDonald, Librarian, Ormskirk and District Family History Society, the talks will cover a wide variety of topics and will start at 1.30pm.

Tuesday 5th November Ormskirk History in 6 Objects (Talk by Kathryn MacDonald)

Tuesday 3rd December A Very Ormskirk Christmas History

Tuesday 7th January History of Ormskirk Inns and Beer Houses

Tuesday 4th February West Lancashire Military Heroes Remembered

Tuesday 4th March The Manor of Ormskirk

All the talks are free, but donations are appreciated. Everyone is very welcome - choose to attend which ever ones appeal to you. For bookings and information please contact dothawkes@hotmail.co.uk

Situation in the Holy Land –

Exhibition and Ecumenical Service at Our Lady of the Assumption Church 16 Hedgefield Rd, Gateacre, Liverpool L25 2RW

Fr Stephen Pritchard is holding an exhibition at his church, about the Holy Land.

Until Wed 13th Nov the parish is hosting the Fifty Faces of the Holy Land Exhibition. Our Lady's Church is open every day and it is hoped that this exhibition could be a focus for people's awareness, action and prayer at this very distressing time in the Holy Land. **On Wed 6th Nov at 7pm** there will be an Ecumenical Service during which Canon Mark Madden will share some of his own experience of the Holy Land.

Thank you for your prayers and gifts to CAFOD's Family Fast Day appeal this Harvest season. Your donation in our parish collection or online and your prayers are helping young people like Daniel in the Democratic Republic of the Congo with support like training, so they can carve their way to a better future. We are standing in solidarity with those facing incredible hardships, as part of one global family. Learn more at cafod.org.uk/harvest

Friday 8th November
St Anne's Pastoral Centre
11.45am until 3.00pm

THE SEWING ROOMS
presents
AGE OF INSPIRATION
with the
SEW FAB THERMAL COOKING BAG
TACKLING FUEL POVERTY AND CLIMATE CHANGE



FREE EVENT

Come and join us for an afternoon of joy, fun and learning.
Enjoy entertainment, wellbeing, cooking demonstrations
plus a FREE cooking bag worth £50 for everyone attending.

FRIDAY 8TH NOVEMBER 2024

St Annes, 23 Prescott Road, Ormskirk, L39 4TG

STARTS AT 11:45am - 3pm

Call 01695 550772 to book a place. Must be a West Lancashire resident



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Ladies Social

Friday 8th November, 8pm start
St Anne's Parish Centre Lounge

We will be welcoming Tropics Skincare representative Sarah Stopforth again for an evening of product demonstrations, pampering tips and Christmas gift ideas.

The session will last about an hour followed by our usual informal gathering, please do bring your own drinks, snacks, chatter and fabulous selves! All welcome.

Countdown to Christmas

Sunday 24th November at 11.30am

- Christmas crafts, gifts and demonstrations
- Christmas cards
- Christmas Decoration Swap Shop
- A festive Tombola
- St Bede's students' fundraising stall for Mary's Meals
- Free Raffle
- Tea & coffee

Come and join us in St Anne's Pastoral Centre after the 10.30am Mass on 24th November

The Environment Group



HAYDOCK MALE VOICE CHOIR –

SATURDAY 30th NOVEMBER

In concert at Our Lady and All Saints church, Parbold at 7:30pm, Saturday 30th November. FOR BOTH PARISHES

Tickets priced £10 can be ordered / purchased from the Our Lady and All Saints parish office: (01257) 463248 or by emailing parbold@hotmail.com

Address: Our Lady and All Saints Church, Lancaster Lane, Parbold WN8 7HS. There is plenty of parking available in the carpark. All welcome.