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THE PARISH BULLETIN



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SUNDAY 17TH SEPTEMBER 2017

| Day | Feast | Time and Place | Liturgy | Mass Intention | Collins Weekday Missal Page |
|-----------------------------|---|-------------------|---------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Sunday 17th September | 24th Sunday of Ordinary Time (Year A) | Sat. 5.30pm (SH) | Mass | Percy Oakes & Hubert Guy | |
| | | Sun. 9.00am (SH) | Mass | Edmond McCreaney | |
| | | Sun. 10.30am (HF) | Mass | Graham Cotton | |
| Mon 18th | | 7.00pm (SH) | Mass | Lena Kubicki | 775 |
| Tues 19th | | 10.00am (HF) | Mass | Dennis McCartney | 777 |
| Wed 20th | Martyrs of Korea | 10.00am (SH) | Mass | Deceased Members of the Tyrel Family | 779 |
| | | 3.00pm (Belong) | Mass | Parishioners | --- |
| Thurs 21st | Saint Matthew | 10.00am (HF) | Mass | Morag Curtis | 1951 |
| Fri 22nd | | 7.00pm (SH) | Mass | Alan Liptrot | 783 |
| Sat 23rd | Saint Padre Pio | 11.00am (HF) | Mass | Michael McCarrick | 785 |
| Sunday 24th September | 25th Sunday of Ordinary Time (Year A) | Sat. 5.30pm | Mass | For a Family in Mourning | |
| | | Sun. 9.00am (SH) | Mass | John Brown | |
| | | Sun. 10.30am (HF) | Mass | Vincent Egan | |

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (CONFESSIONS) Friday at 7.30pm (SH) and Saturday at 11.30am (HF)

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT Saturday from 11.30am to 12 noon (HF)

MASS IN BELONG RESIDENTIAL VILLAGE Wednesday at 3.00pm in The Venue. All welcome.

| THANK YOU | Holy Family | Sacred Heart | |
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| | Offertory £463.78 | Offertory £542.50 | Our sincere thanks to the family and friends and neighbours of Alan Liptrot for a donation of £130 to Sacred Heart Church and further offerings of £50 for Masses to be offered for him. |
| | Education £98.06 | Education £168.50 | |

RETIRING COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND FOR HOME MISSION SUNDAY (Informing and Educating people about the Catholic Faith in England and Wales)

FEASTS THIS WEEK

Wednesday – Martyrs of Korea: Andrew Kim Taegon was the first native Korean priest and Paul Chong Hasang a catechist and lay apostle. After more than two centuries of lay leadership, the Church in Korea was subject to fierce persecutions between 1839 and 1867. This feast commemorates 103 of the numerous Korean martyrs, representatives from all walks of life: men and women, married and unmarried, the elderly, teenagers and children, missionary bishops and priests. They are remembered for their fearless witness to Christ in the face of torture and death.

Thursday – Saint Matthew: Matthew, also known as Levi, was a Jew who collected taxes for the Romans at Capernaum in Galilee. Here Jesus met him and called him to be an apostle (Luke 5:27-28). Matthew is venerated as the author of the gospel which highlights Jesus' role as Messiah and underlines the advent of the kingdom of God.

Saturday – Saint Pio of Pietrelcina: Affectionately known as Padre Pio, he lived from 1887 to 1968 and was a Franciscan Capuchin priest whose extraordinary ministry as a confessor touched many thousands of people. Like Saint Francis he also bore the marks of the stigmata on his body.

LATEST FROM SACRED HEART CHURCH

The new stained glass window in church is in memory of the late Elizabeth Cooke, donated by her family.

Deacon Ken wishes to thank those who sponsored his recent Trek to Iceland for Francis House Children's Hospice. To date over £1,300 has been collected with more sponsorship money still to come.

There is a shortage of church cleaners for Sacred Heart Church: If anyone would like to join the group, please see Deacon Ken. Due to a rota system, you would only be asked to clean once a month.

There is also a need for more Readers and Lay Ministers of Communion to assist at Mass, just two or three times every two months on a rota basis. Again, please see Deacon Ken if interested.

COME AND SEE

Come and See is a conference to encourage and deepen faith taking place at Christ the King High School, Stamford Road, Southport PR8 4EX on Saturday the 14th of October from 9.00am to 8.30pm and on Sunday the 15th of October from 9.00am to 6.30pm. Keynote speaker will be Father Timothy Radcliffe OP and there will be workshops, opportunities for prayer and music, with Mass on the Sunday celebrated by Archbishop Malcolm. Suggested donation for the weekend is £40.00. For bookings and more details please contact Jenny on 0151 949 1199 or email her at jenny@irenaeus.co.uk or see the website at www.irenaeusproject.co.uk

VISIT TO SCHOENSTATT SHRINE AT KEARSLEY

A coach will leave Sacred Heart Church at 11.15am prompt on Sunday the 1st of October to go for a Day with Our Lady at the Schoenstatt Shrine and Pastoral Centre at Kearsley, Bolton to be led by Bishop John Arnold of Salford. The cost is £6 which includes tea, coffee and donation. The day begins at 12 noon and ends at 6.00pm and will include Mass, Procession and Crowning of Our Lady's image. Please see the poster on the notice board at the back of Sacred Heart Church and put your name on the list if you'd like to go. Last day for reserving a place is next Sunday.

DONATIONS FOR PERU

For the past few years, via our contact with them through Colette Burke, we have supported the work of Mother Teresa's Missionary Brothers of Charity in Lima, Peru, who work with disadvantaged boys and young men. They do not fund-raise but rely solely on donations which are given to them through Divine Providence. Colette is paying a further visit to the Brothers from the 16th of November and would welcome any donations you may feel able to make. These can be given through Colette or paid directly into the Brothers' bank account. She can be contacted on 07877 114534 or email colette.burke@btopenworld.com.

RESPONDING TO THE CALL: VOCATION DISCERNMENT GROUP

To support those who may be considering a Vocation to the Priesthood in our Archdiocese, a monthly Day of Recollection takes place on the first Saturday of each month, to help men who feel called to ordained ministry to discover more about diocesan priesthood and meet with others who, like them, may be discerning a call to priesthood. There will be an opportunity to talk with and hear from priests who minister in the diocese, and also a time for prayer and discussion. The next Day of Recollection will take place on Saturday the 7th of October at St. Charles' Presbytery, 224 Aigburth Road, Liverpool. For further information, please contact Father James Preston, Vocations Director for the Archdiocese of Liverpool, at fjamespreston@gmail.com or telephone 0151 727 2493. Regular updates are posted on the Facebook page: "Archdiocese of Liverpool Vocations".

ROSARY SUNDAY PROCESSION

The Annual Wigan and District CMS Rosary Sunday Procession takes place on Sunday the 1st of October at Sacred Heart Church, Springfield Road, Wigan with the presence of the Mayor and Mayoress of Wigan. Meet in the church car park at 2.00pm and, after a decade of the Rosary and the singing of *Faith of our Fathers* and *The National Anthem*, process into church for Rosary, Sermon and Benediction. Refreshments provided afterwards in the Parish Hall. Everyone welcome.

PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK

Fully escorted 5 Night Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine, Ireland on the 15th of October 2017. Cost is £699.00 per person sharing and includes flight with 15kg checked in bag, all taxes, luxury transfers, 5 nights in newly-refurbished Knock House Hotel with full Irish Breakfast each morning and 4 Course Dinner each evening. All entertainment, excursions and guided tours included. Also visits to Ballintubber Abbey, Westport, Foxford Woollen Mills. Wheelchair accessible rooms in the hotel. Limited single rooms at supplement of £60. Full details on the poster at the back of church. Contact Patricia anytime on 01268 762 278 or 07740 175557 or email knockpilgrimages@gmail.com.