



*Newsletter for the Parishes of
St. Catherine of Siena &
All Saints and St. Lewis*



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SUNDAY 7TH DECEMBER 2021

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Parish Mass Book Page 154 Order of Mass P6, The Creed P12

I tell you solemnly, this poor widow has put more in than all who have contributed to the treasury; for they have all put in money they had over ...”



Throughout the Gospels what Jesus appears to abhor more than anything else is hypocrisy. His harshest condemnation is for the Scribes and Pharisees. Although the Lord dislikes the Scribes and Pharisees parading round and claiming honour that is not their due, what He really condemns them for is their mistreatment of the poorest... the stranger, the widow and the orphan... while making a show of their lengthy prayers.

We cannot praise God in prayer and not put into action the call to love thy neighbour as yourself... that is hypocrisy! Our actions are to be extensions of our prayer life so that what we celebrate here together on the Lord's Day we will live during the rest of the week in our dealings with others.

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Serving the Catholic Community of Golborne, Lowton, Croft & Culcheth*

Friday 12th November 7pm ~ Liverpool Cathedral

Archbishop Malcolm will be celebrating a Mass for all those priests & religious listed below, who have died, from Covid or other causes, since the beginning of the pandemic, including Bishop Vincent Malone who died in May 2020. This will be a chance for us to come together as an archdiocese to pray for those priests whose funerals we could not attend because of Covid restrictions. All are welcome.

Bishop Vincent Malone	Rev Peter Fox
Rev Joseph Weston	Canon Albert Shaw
Rev Bernard Eager	Rev Brendan Rice
Rev Anthony Garrett	Rev Owen Grant MHM
Monsignor Austin Hunt	Rev John Sweeney MHM
Rev Desmond Power	Rev Brian Russell CSsR
Rev Michael Youell	Rev Anthony Johnson CSsR
Rev James Clarkson	Rev Martin Gay CSsR
Rev James Matthews	Rev Joseph Duggan SJ
Rev Gerard Britt	Rev Joseph Holmes MHM

New Deaneries

As part of the Synodal process the Archbishop has consulted with his clergy concerning the current Deanery structure, which he felt too unwieldy. As a consequence new Deaneries have been formed; instead of 18, there are now thirteen. If you wish to know which church is in which deanery within the Archdiocese please look on the list on either of our websites. Alongside you will find notice of who is the current Dean. We are now part of Wigan and Leigh Deanery and the Archbishop has asked me to be the new Dean.

Remembrance Sunday ~ 14th November 2021

If you would like to commemorate this years Remembrance Sunday, please assemble at Legh Court in Golborne at 2.15. There will be a procession to the **War Memorial, for 2:30 pm**. Refreshments will be served after the service at Workspace, which is just a little further down from the playing field and was originally the Legh Arms.

This Weeks Joke:

*Which singers do bees love?
Beyonce, Sting and the Bee Gees*

Food Bank

We've had a busy few weeks in the food bank and because of the school harvest festival donations, we still have a lot of stock...with the exception of the following. If you could help us out with these items it would be greatly appreciated.

Small Jars of Coffee
Small Bags of Sugar
Long Life Milk (*not soya*)
Tinned Meats & Corned Beef
Tinned Potatoes

The food bank has now been open for just over 3 months and we would like to thank you all for your donations of food or money and I'm sure you won't mind us giving an extra special Thank You to the 10 volunteers who have worked tirelessly to ensure that those who use the food bank receive what they need.

SVP Second Collection - Today

There will be a second collection at **both** churches today to help fund the work of the SVP. For example: last year at this time Christmas Hampers given by the SVP to eleven families in need at Christmas. It is likely that this need will still be there for many families.

Refugee Project

Another batch of garments will be sent off within the next 2 weeks. Anyone one who has finished items is welcome to add them to the collection by contacting Jean Marsh or Margaret Ruxton as usual. Many thanks to everyone who has already delivered things. Any chance of anyone donating some Aran wool, which is so needed for winter garments? We have hardly any left because more knitters are using Aran at the moment. The asylum-seekers numbers are rising steadily at the Wigan centre every week and our work is vital.

Tuesday Afternoon Club

The next gathering of the Afternoon Club is on **Tuesday 9th November at 2.00 pm** in the Benedict Room at All Saints church. Parishioners and friends from both parishes are more than welcome to come along for a cuppa, a cake and a good old natter.



***Please remember in your prayers: the sick of our community
and all those who have died recently including
Alan Parr, John Hayes and Ged Finney and all whose anniversaries
occur at this time.***

Services, Mass Times and Intentions

Saturday 6th November 2021 32nd Sunday of Ordinary Time

Sat 4:30 pm	All Saints	Reconciliation	
Sat 5:00 pm	All Saints	Mass	Michael Barrett, In Thanksgiving

Sunday 7th November 2021 32nd Sunday of Ordinary Time

Sun 9:00 am	St. Lewis	Mass	Pious List
Sun 10:30 am	All Saints	Mass	Pious List

Tuesday 9th November 2021 Feast of the Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

Tues 10:00 am	St. Lewis	Mass	Madelina O' Reilly
Tues 10:45 am	St. Lewis	Funeral Service for John Hayes	

Wednesday 10th November 2021 Memorial of St. Leo the Great, Pope & Doctor

Wed 9:30 am	All Saints	Mass	Richard Pimblett, Stephen Winstanley, Jack Casey
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Thursday 11th November 2021 Memorial of St. Martin of Tours, Bishop

Thurs 10:00 am	St. Lewis	Mass	Pious List
Thurs 10:00 am	All Saints	Funeral Service for Alan Parr	

Friday 12th November 2021 Memorial of St. Josaphat, Bishop & Martyr

Fri 9:30 am	All Saints	Mass	Pious List
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Saturday 13th November 2021 33rd Sunday of Ordinary Time

Sat 4:30 pm	All Saints	Reconciliation	
Sat 5:00 pm	All Saints	Mass	Pious List

Sunday 14th November 2021 33rd Sunday of Ordinary Time

Sun 9:00 am	St. Lewis	Mass	Doris Calderbank
Sun 10:30 am	All Saints	Mass	Shirley Cartwright
Sun 11:30 am	All Saints	Baptism	Scarlett Victoria Crook & Daisy Joy Round



**The Sanctuary Lamp at All Saints will be lit
Week Commencing 7th November for a Special Intention**