



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



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SUNDAY 14TH JULY 2024

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN

ORDINARY TIME

**Parish Mass Book Page 106, Order of Mass P6,
The Nicene Creed P11**



Being a follower of Jesus means to be 'sent out'.

Our spiritual lives ought to be visible on the outside through our actions and dealings with others. The disciples are sent in twos for companionship but also as a team; one person cannot have all the gifts and there is support in working with another.

We might interpret the many demons that they cast out as all those things in the world that are not of the Spirit, the injustices in our world. Jesus sends the disciples out to work for a better world, to bring more love, compassion and peace to those that they encounter. They go and urge people to repent, to turn around. This is one of the goals of their mission and Jesus' mission: to turn the world around.

Jesus' instructions to shake the dust from their feet when they feel unwelcome may seem harsh at first. We too may fear rejection and when we experience it, it can leave us feeling exhausted and upset. Perhaps the message here is to free ourselves and move on; to not let that disappointment and upset control our lives, because if we do, we lose our freedom, it holds us back and it starts to define us. In the midst of that experience, our true mission can become lost. Let us go out and bring joy and hope to those we encounter.

***'You might be the only gospel
which people read.'***

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2nd Collection for Priests in Retirement

They've been there for us; Lets be here for them

Our retired priests responded to the call to be priests, they devoted their lives and their all to serving God and God's people. Whilst they 'retire' at the age of 75, they are still priests for life. Many continue in ministry leading active lives – celebrating Mass, serving as chaplains, counselling people in need, supporting parish life and praying for us all. The priests' retirement fund, known as the George Andrew Fund, ensures that our retired priests enjoy a dignified retirement. It supports independent living, providing them with a suitable home alongside other services. Above all, it makes sure that their social and healthcare needs are met. Our priests rely on this support after devoting their lives to the Church's mission and bringing people closer to Christ. Over the next ten years, approximately one third of our diocesan priests will reach retirement age, and the cost of care will rise significantly as a result of this. With your help, we can continue to offer our gratitude and support to our retired priests. ***Please remember our sick and retired priests in your prayers.***

Priestly Ordinations

We'd like to offer our congratulations to Rev. Fr's. James Finnegan, Martin Fyles, Peter Ross and Lister Tonge who were ordained to the priesthood on this Saturday. Please do keep them in your prayers.

All Saints Food Bank

If you are able to make food donations this week, could we please ask you to bear in mind that we are in need of the following tinned products: **Soup, Potatoes, Vegetables, Ham or Chicken, Rice Pudding, also Cereal or Porridge. Long Life Milk.**



Donations: If you make a monetary donation to the Food Bank using the envelopes provided, could you please put your envelope in with the offertory collection.

Asylum-Seekers Project

The latest delivery went off to the Centre on Friday and contained 130 beautiful newly knitted garments and 23 blankets. This brought the half-yearly total to 234 garments and 51 blankets. Well done to all the knitters...you are amazing and should be so proud.

The Afternoon Club

The next meeting of the Afternoon Club will be this coming **Tuesday 16th July from 1.30-3.30pm** in the Benedict Room at All Saints. **Everyone is Welcome.**



This Week's Joke:

Just when you thought food couldn't make a phone call...

Onion Rings!!!



Liverpool Annual Pilgrimage to Lourdes

Prayers and Intercessions

The theme for Lourdes this year is '**Come in Procession**'. The youth pilgrimage would like to not only go in procession themselves, but they would like to take your prayers with them as they pray and process. These will need to be completed this weekend as the pilgrimage leaves this coming Thursday 18th July. Please take a moment to complete as many slips of paper as you would like and write your own prayers or intercessions on them for yourself or those close to you.

Ellie Leatherbarrow who this year is a Youth Coach leader will once again take with her your prayer and intercessions.

St. Lewis Summer Fair

St. Lewis will be holding a Summer Fair at **21 Brookfield Road, Culcheth** on **Wednesday 7th August at 2pm**. If you are able to make a donation, there is a box in each church porch for tombola and raffle prizes. If you can offer to bake cakes for sale and also for the afternoon tea there is also a sign-up sheet in each porch. If you do bake cakes would you please make a list of the ingredients that you use. Bottles, Toiletries, Bric-a-Brac etc... would also be welcome for sale. Raffle tickets will be on sale until 4th August. If you would like to offer your help on the day there will be details in next weeks newsletter. Thank You.

Care for Creation: Help Needed

As you know, as a parish, at All Saints church, we are growing vegetables for the foodbank, church flowers and wildflowers. Four beds are in production and topsoil for a further three beds is being delivered on Saturday 20th July. We are asking for help, in the afternoon, to move the topsoil from the church gates to the beds. Wheelbarrows and spades/shovels would be useful but please come to help even if you don't have these. Also, Fr. Gordon has asked for help in removing 'self-seeded' weeds which are sprouting throughout the church grounds - we plan to do this weeding on the same day. Please bring gloves, trowels, trugs etc ...

***The next Care for Creation meeting
is this Sunday at 11:30***



*Please remember in your prayers: the sick of our community;
all those who have died recently especially*

***Brendan Orton, Louisa Langley, Molly Chesworth, Stephen McNelly,
Peter Marsh and all whose anniversaries occur at this time.***



*The Sanctuary Lamp at All Saints will be lit
Week Commencing 14th July for: **Colin Gleave***

Services, Mass Times and Intentions

Saturday 13th July 2024 Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sat 4:30pm	All Saints	Sacrament of Reconciliation	
Sat 5:00pm	All Saints	Mass	John McLoughlin, Daniel Dodd

Sunday 14th July 2024 Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sun 9:00am	St. Lewis	Mass	People of the Parishes
Sun 10:30am	All Saints	Mass	Kevan, Diane & Kira McGrail Stephen & John Morley, Graham Leonard
Sun 11:30am	All Saints	Baptism	Fredrik Janusz Ridings

Tuesday 16th July 2024 Weekday in Ordinary Time

Tues 10:00am	St. Lewis	Mass	Thanksgiving for a Successful Treatment
Tues 11:30am	St. Lewis	Funeral Service for Louisa Langley	

Wednesday 17th July 2024 Weekday in Ordinary Time

Wed 9:30am	All Saints	Mass	Living & Deceased Members of the Walsingham Pilgrimage
Wed 10-11am	All Saints	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	

Thursday 18th July 2024 Weekday in Ordinary Time

Thurs 10:00am	St. Lewis	Mass	Marie Twist
Thurs 11:30am	All Saints	Requiem Mass for Molly Chesworth	

Friday 19th July 2024 Weekday in Ordinary Time

Fri 9:30am	All Saints	Mass	LISCF
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Saturday 20th July 2024 Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sat 4:30pm	All Saints	Sacrament of Reconciliation	
Sat 5:00pm	All Saints	Mass	Fr John Birchall, Catherine Barrett

Sunday 21st July 2024 Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sun 9:00am	St. Lewis	Mass	Reg Gibbons, John Mortimore
Sun 10:30am	All Saints	Mass	Cathy Cannon, Jean Cunliffe
Sun 11:30am	All Saints	Baptism	Kornelia Suita