



THE PARISH OF OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP, CARLISLE

SUNDAY 3RD SEPTEMBER 2023

TWENTY- SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (A)

MASSES THIS WEEK:

Liturgical Year A – Psalter week 2

TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

4pm Vigil (OLSW) Norah Gillow
6pm Vigil (St B) Special Intention (Sick)
9am (CtK) Holy Souls
9.30am (St B) Anne Meagher
10am (OLSJ) Alan Jones + Thomas & Mary Gracey
11am (St A) People of the Parish
11am (St MM) Billy Byers
1pm (OLSJ) Mass in Polish
3pm (OLSJ) Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
4.30pm (OLSJ) Holy Souls

Monday (4th) St. Cuthbert

12noon (OLSJ) Fr. Michael Mckenna
7pm (St B) John Chadwick

Tuesday (5th) St. Herbert

10am (CtK) George & Vera Clifford
11am (St B) John Ross Paterson - Funeral
12noon (OLSJ) Peter Fitzsimmons

Wednesday (6th) of week 22

12noon (OLSJ) Anne Douglas
7pm (St A) Bernard Watson

Thursday (7th) of week 22

10am (OLSW) Thomas Dervin
12noon (OLSJ) Robinson Family Intentions

Friday (8th) NATIVITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

10.30am (OLSJ) Mary Edith Fraser - Funeral
12noon (OLSJ) Holy Souls
7pm (St MM) Private Intention MS

Saturday (9th) St. Peter Claver

10am (St MM) TLM Karolina & Family
12noon (OLSJ) Fr. Etienne's Intentions

TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

4pm Vigil (OLSW) People of the Parish
6pm Vigil (St B) Holy Souls
9am (CtK) John Murray
9.30am (St B) Henry & Anne Walby
10am (OLSJ) Gertrude Lonsdale
11am (St A) Kevin Whelan in Thanksgiving
11am (St MM) Eileen Silvester
1pm (OLSJ) Mass in Polish
4.30pm (OLSJ) Bridget Caldwell

Next Week is Education Day- Collection for Catholic Education Services

*Mass Intentions

Fr. Harrison is responsible for the arrangement of Mass intentions. Please use the envelopes found at the back of our churches well in advanced of Masses to be offered.

INTRIGUING BUT PROFOUND

A strange thing happened a few weeks ago. As you are aware, in our parish at the back of each church there are envelopes to request a Mass intention. Every Mass gives glory to God, makes the sacrifice of Christ on Calvary present here and now, benefits the whole Church and all humanity, brings particular advantage and promise of eternal life to those present, and offers Holy Communion to those who approach the altar. Even so, alongside these universal gifts, a Mass can be requested also for a particular intention, hence the envelopes.

One such envelope was found at the back of church recently. It was quite bulky. The writing, in pencil and by a child's hand, was difficult to decipher. On opening the envelope, I found a child's toy, plastic and brightly coloured. I looked again at the writing and was able to make out that the request was for prayers for someone who is sick. I made a good guess at the name. This perfectly expresses, although not in the common currency, the purpose of these envelopes.

It is an ancient tradition that we ask for a Mass to be said for loved ones. Also, that we enclose a donation for the upkeep of the celebrant. This child has evidently learnt that message and so made the request. Whoever they are, they enclosed something precious to them as a donation. The Mass will be offered; and I have kept the toy. Mass can be requested for loved ones who have died recently or who have significant anniversaries soon. Mass can be offered for the living; perhaps they are in need; maybe it is in thanksgiving; or it can be simply a gift.

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CONFESSIONS IN OUR PARISH:

OLSJ: Mon-Sat immediately after noonday Mass
St B: Sat 5.30-5.50pm, Mon 6.00-6.45pm
St A: Wed 6.00-6.45pm; **St MM:** Fri 6.00-6.45pm
CtK: Sun 8.30-8.50am

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:

OLSJ: Sat 11.00 -11.50am & 1st Sun 3.00-4.00pm
St B: Mon 6.00-6.50pm; **St A:** Wed 6.00-6.50pm
St MM: Fri 6.00-6.50pm

WEEKDAY ROSARY

Mondays **St MM:** 7.00pm; Wednesdays **St A:** 6.30pm

PRAYING FOR THE SICK:

Steven Allison, Caroline Amos, Dorothy Cherry, Betty Cully, Baby Kamil, Joan Elton, Patricia Fisher, David Foster, Angie Hulme, Moira Jenkins, Audrey Kavanagh, Baby Lincoln, David Lowe Jnr, Ted Machin, Jenny MacLeod, Teresa McCormick, Carole McCulloch, Chris McGarr, Ann Mahon, Winifred Mooney, Irene McNarney, Joan Murray, Amy Scroggie, Peter Vincent, Ann Walsh, Yvonne Ward, Kath Wilson.

PRAY FOR OUR LATELY DEPARTED:

Michael Esters, John Ross Paterson, Mary Edith Fraser, Peter Steadman.

POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR SEPTEMBER

We pray for those persons living on the margins of society, in inhumane life conditions; may they not be overlooked by institutions and never considered of lesser importance.

DIVINE MERCY PRAYER GROUP

Every Monday 2.00pm at St. Augustine - all are welcome!

SCRIPTURE PRAYER GROUP

Next meeting **26th September** 2.30pm-4pm at BCRH.

VISITS TO THE SICK & HOUSEBOUND

If you are a parishioner visiting others in their homes on behalf of the parish, perhaps taking Holy Communion, please ensure the details are up-to-date with Fr Oliver Siandele: fr.siandele@carlislecatholicchurch.org Fr Oliver would also like to arrange to make visits.

WITH SINCERE THANKS

From Peter Silvester and family to the Clergy and Parishioners for their prayers, Masses, cards of comfort & sympathy, during Eileen's illness and after her death. It has meant so much to the family. Thank you and God bless.

MONDAY MASS AT ST BEDE'S

From **Monday 11th September this Mass will be at 10am** to enable children from St Bede's school to attend weekday Mass in term time. Mass will remain at **7pm**, until the new school term. Weekend Masses at St Bede's are unchanged.

OUR NEXT PARISH QUIZ NIGHT

St Margaret Mary's Community Centre, Begley Room Monday 4th September 7.30pm to 11pm. Teams of 6 or less. Entry £1. Cash prize. Buffet served. All welcome!

RED MISSION BOXES - ST AUGUSTINE'S

If you have Red Mission Boxes that require emptying, please hand to Anne Parini at church or leave in the Sacristy during September. New collectors welcome, contact Anne on 01228 674553

MEMORIAL OF ST NINIAN, BISHOP

To commemorate his ministry and patronage of our chapel in Brampton, Mass on Thursday 14th September will move from Our Lady and St Wilfrid to Brampton Old Church at 10am followed by refreshments. Located past the cemetery at the top of Old Church Lane near William Howard School. All welcome. Post Code CA8 2AA, what3words ref: is factor.fuses.parkway. See poster for map etc.

GOODBYE FR. ETIENNE

Fr Etienne will celebrate Mass at Our Lady and St Joseph's at 7pm on Tuesday 12th September, followed by a reception in The New Waterton Hall. If you would like to contribute to a gift for Fr Etienne to be presented on 12th September, please use the envelopes provided and return in the offertory basket or the sacristy.

ST. MARGARET MARY'S LADIES GROUP

Will meet on Tuesday the 5th September at 7pm to discuss our Winter programme.

CATHOLIC LIFE - ARCHIVE PROJECT

You are invited to informal sessions on Saturday 16th or Monday 18th September, between 10am and 12pm at Blessed Christopher Robinson House. Archived items will be on view, and you will be able talk to those involved. Please bring any items that you think we could include in the archive, to be donated or borrowed for scanning.

PILGRIMAGE TO CLEATOR - UPDATE

The Knights of Saint Columba have cancelled their provision of a bus. The Diocesan Pilgrimage is still due to go ahead on Sunday 10th September.

PILGRIMAGE TO CARFIN

The Catenians invite parishioners on a Pilgrimage to Carfin Grotto on Saturday 16th September. See poster for details with a sign-up sheet or contact Don Austin 07851661788.

CARLISLE FOOD BANK

Donations for the Foodbank can be brought to St. Augustine's today Sunday 3rd September.

PARISH MAGAZINE

The next magazine is planned for publication by Advent. News articles, stories, and photographs will be required. Further details to follow.

PARISH SAFEGUARDING TEAM

To contact our parish safeguarding team, please see the safeguarding notice at the back of all our churches.

GIVING TO THE PARISH

Giving by Standing Order instead of using envelopes or loose cash saves us money! To set up a standing order use: LRC DTR CH NO 234331 Sort: 40-27-02 A/C: 01334670 (HSBC). If you Gift Aid, please email admin@carlislecatholicchurch.org to inform us of the Standing Order stating which church you use to obtain your envelopes. You can use the card machine or QR code, entering your Gift Aid details when prompted. Thank you. Fr Luiz



PARISH STATISTICS 26th / 27th August

Last Week	Offertory	Special	Attended
OLPH	£2189.27	£326.37	796