



ST CATHERINE'S CHURCH
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Sunday 3rd July 2022: Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Gospel: Luke 10: 1-12,17-20)

WEEK COMMENCING 3 July 2022		Church	Intentions
Saturday 2 nd July: 5.30pm	Mass	St Agnes	Marie Brandao
Sunday 3 rd July: 9am	Mass and online via Zoom	St Catherine's	Peter Blackburn (in remembrance)
Sunday 3 rd July: 10.30am	Mass	St Agnes	JH Intention
Monday 4 th July: 9.15am	Service of Word & Communion	St Agnes	~
Monday 4 th July: 11am	Funeral service for Pat O'Hanlon	St Catherine's	~
Tuesday 5 th July: 12noon	Mass	St Catherine's	John Gilmour (RIP)
Wednesday 6 th July: 9.15am	Service of Word & Communion	St Agnes	~
Thursday 7 th July: 9.15am	Service of Word & Communion	St Catherine's	~
Friday 8 th July: 9.15am	Service of Word & Communion	St Agnes	~
Saturday 9 th July: 5.30pm	Mass	St Agnes	Therese Younger (in remembrance)
Sunday 10 th July: 9am	Mass and online via Zoom	St Catherine's	Tony Walsh (in remembrance)
Sunday 10 th July: 10.30am	Mass	St Agnes	Peter Louis Smith KSG

PLEASE PRAY for all those who have died recently and their families including John Gilmour, Pat O'Hanlon and Tom Singleton.

PLEASE remember in your prayers all those who are sick especially Ronald Lewis.

ONLINE MASS via Zoom is on **Sunday** at **9am** via <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84015861524>

FR DAVID'S GOSPEL REFLECTION: Last Sunday we began Luke's journey narrative in which Jesus serves as the leader for his first disciples and for us today. In today's selection from Luke 10 Jesus shows himself to be an effective leader. As an effective leader Jesus invites others to participate in his mission. Today's passage is the second missionary discourse in Luke's Gospel. It portrays Jesus as sending forth his followers to do what he does: proclaim God's kingdom and heal the sick. Jesus situates this mission against the background of a cosmic struggle between good and evil in which the war has been won (the fall of Satan) but the battle continues. As a wise leader, Jesus knows how to engage others in his cause and so to spread his influence. For those who are willing to follow him, Jesus proposes a lifestyle appropriate to the mission. It is simplicity of lifestyle, that is, living with minimal concern for personal pleasure and comfort, subordinating them to the carrying forward Jesus's message and mission.



CHILDREN'S LITURGY all children are very welcome to join the session in the Parish Lounge during Mass. Join our private Facebook Group 'St Catherine's Children's Liturgy' to keep up to date!

ADORATION is every Wednesday 7pm-8pm at St Catherine's.

TAIZE will take place at St Catherine's on Thursday 14th July at 7pm.

SEA SUNDAY is Sunday 10th July. It is when the Church prays for all those who live and work at sea. Seafarers and fishers play a vital role in all of our lives, but they often work in difficult, hazardous conditions. In the last year, more crews have been abandoned by their employers than ever before. Many are still being denied the right to leave their ships for even a short break away from the relentless noise and pressure onboard. Many are reporting more stress and poorer mental health. Your support will make a big difference to seafarers and fishers in need. You can donate in church after Mass in the Sea Sunday collection basket, by visiting www.stellamaris.org.uk/donate, or by texting 'SEA' to 70460 to donate £5. This collection is vital to enable Stella Maris to continue its important work, so please give generously if you can. Thank you.

PARISH CELEBRATION SUNDAY 17th JULY 9am: COMMUNION REUNION! Join us to celebrate with the children of our Parish who have made their First Holy Communion this year. This Mass will be led by the children (wearing their communion outfits if they wish). Following Mass, we will be having breakfast and cake in the lounge. Everyone is very welcome!

CONFIRMATION PROGRAMME for young people in Year 9 and above will take place in the coming school year. Any young people who are interested in joining the programme please email Phoebe Gibson in the Parish Office to register (stcathoylake@gmail.com).

THE WORD AMONG US: Fridays 10am-11am at 22 Hoylebank, Darmond's Green. Any queries, please call 07531 240 457.

A JOINT TAIZE SERVICE with St John's, Meols will be held on Sunday 17th July at 6pm. Please come along to St John's for this service of worship.

UKRAINIAN REFUGEES: If there is anyone who could offer to assist a Ukrainian family settle into their accommodation and take them to the job centre and health centre to register for a national insurance number and health care then please call Jo Fear on 625 0374. They are currently awaiting visas and are due to arrive in West Kirby shortly. They do speak basic English and there is a very good audio translation app that can be downloaded onto a phone. The family have boys of 2 and 8. If there is anyone who has children's clothing or toys, bikes, scooters etc they no longer need and are able to donate it please call.

ST VINCENT'S CENTRE WIRRAL is currently looking for volunteers to help at the centre in Birkenhead Monday-Friday between 12pm -3pm. Duties will be: befriending and helping people with day to day issues; reception, meet and greet, answering the phone; making teas and coffees; sorting clothes and facilitating clothes bank access; recording number of clients and signposting clients to other services for more help. If you would like to help with any of the above duties, please contact: Christine McGovern on 0151 677 1313 or christinem2@svp.org.uk.

SHREWSBURY LOURDES HOSPITALITY: Madonna Del Rosario Procession on Sunday 3rd July 2022 at 1.15pm. All Welcome. Each year the Manchester Italian Association has a procession through Manchester. As some of the Diocese of Shrewsbury falls within the Greater Manchester area, the group has been invited to again participate in the procession as a pilgrimage family they hold a devotion to Our Lady. If you would like to join in the procession with the pilgrimage banner or as a spectator, please meet on George Leigh Street in Ancoats, they are normally where it crosses with Sherratt Street, at 1pm and, if you have one, please wear a Diocesan Polo Shirt. There is normally a short service in St Peter's square before returning.



Do you have any items for the newsletter? Would you like to receive the newsletter electronically each week? Please email Phoebe in the Parish Office (stcathoylake@gmail.com).