

ST MARY'S 200 + CLUB WINNERS

28th October 2018
No. 33 D. Lofthouse £ 100

LAST SUNDAY

Mass Attendance: **145**
8.30 -69
10:30 - 76
Offertory: £ 447.50
Candles: £ 107.83
Books/Papers: £12.11
St. Anthony:
Building Fund: £ 33.05
World Needy: £ 49.17

PARISH MASS BOOK + YEAR B
Volume 2 – Pg. 149
Preface IV of the Sundays in Ordinary Time:
"The History of Salvation" p.55
Eucharistic Prayer II p.24

Week beginning 11th November

Readers: Paula M. / Diane S.
Ministers: Julia B. / Helen S.
Geoff S. / Diane S. / Elaine P.

Church Cleaning

Children's Liturgy
Jackie & Maureen
Refreshments after Mass
Doreen & Kathleen

Especially during November, we remember those former parishioners who have no remaining family to pray for them. Also, we remember the war dead of this Parish Family from the 1914-1918 War and the Second World War.

Sisters of the Cross & Passion

I recently received a letter from Sr. Dominic Savio in Lytham. The Cause for the Canonisation of the Foundress of the Sisters of the Cross & Passion, Elizabeth Prout. Elizabeth Prout is currently under scrutiny in Rome. Sr. Dominic has sent some C.T.S. booklets about Elizabeth Prout.

("Mother Mary Joseph of Jesus"). Sr. Dominic also requests:" if any people receive favours, or miracles, through (Mother Mary Joseph's) intercession, I would be most grateful if they would forward an accurate account...to me.."

Her address is: 19, East Beach, LYTHAM. FY8 5 EU

The Annual Christmas Party at Cardinal Allen High School will be held this year on Tuesday 11th December in the school Hall, 1:15 – 3:00p.m. Any senior citizens of the parish, wishing to attend, please inform Andy Harding at Cardinal Allen High School by Monday 26th November for catering purposes. Tel: 01253 872659



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Priest: **Fr. Michael Murphy**

Sunday Mass 8.30 a.m. & 10.30 a.m.

Weekdays except Mondays: 9:45 a.m. Morning Prayer, 10 a.m. Mass

Tuesday: 6:40 p.m. Rosary, 7 p.m. Mass

Mondays: 9:45 a.m. Morning Prayer, 10 a.m. Celebration of the Word

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession): **Saturday 10:30-11 a.m.**

Adoration of the Holy Eucharist: **Saturday 10:30-11 a.m.**

Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

4th November 2018

Lord our God, you are the one God and there is no other.

Give us grace to hear and heed the great commandment of your kingdom, that we may love you with all our heart and love our neighbour as ourselves.

We make our prayer through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God for ever and ever.

Sunday 4th Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time	8.30 a.m.	Mary & Leo Heap (J.& W.B.)
	10.30 a.m.	People of the Parish
MONDAY 5th	10.00a.m.	Celebration of the Word
TUESDAY 6th	7.00p.m.	Beryl Skitterall – birthday memories
WEDNESDAY 7th	10.00 a.m.	Shaun McCann – birthday memories
THURSDAY 8th	10.00 a.m.	John Smith (J.S.)
FRIDAY 9th Dedication of the Lateran Basilica	10.00 a.m.	Joe McCann (B.McC.)
SATURDAY 10th St. Leo the Great	10.00 a.m.	John Donnelly (M.E.)
Next Sunday 11th Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time	8.30 a.m.	John Donnelly (P.B.)
	10.30 a.m.	People of the Parish

Please remember in your prayers



»**all the sick**, especially: Audrey Armour, Zephan Barretto, Louise Cantrell, Catalina Carredu, Greta Carus, Janice Chadwick, Elsie Clapp, Patsy Coll, Catherine Dale, Marianne Delaney, Teresa Drake, Sarah Finley, Jacob Gray, Joseph Higgins, June Jagger, Christina Jones, Rosemary Lovatt, Alison Lyon, Bridget McCann, Gerry McCaul, Joan Moss, Michael O’Sullivan, Bob Rawcliffe, Lidia Romanowska, Mary Schon, Joe Scott, Harry Slater, Mark Surelock, Josie Tester, Frank Ward, Winifred White, Fred & Mary Wylie



>> **the housebound and those in care**, especially: David Ball, Peggie Ball, Thomas Ball, Bessie Burns, Brenda McCaul, Walter Myerscough, Doris Roberts, Monica Syms, Pamela Warwick

>**those who have died recently**: Jimmy McFadden, Elizabeth Mavis Brown, Sheila Chappell, Fr. Gerry Dunn, Christine Wild

>**and also those whose anniversaries are this coming week**: James Lang, Patrick J. McGinley, Rose Nicholson, Terry Atkinson, Ken Vaughan, Peter Bamforth, James Burns, Maureen Ward, Mary Ellen Donnelly, Steven Avery, Mary Frances Smith, Mollie Muldowney, Henry Foley, Harry Stedman, Francis Shine, George Hampton, John Syms, Tony Lavelle, Betty Mitchell

THE WORD AHEAD – Next Sunday’s Gospel

Read –The Gospel for Sunday 11th November

After spending a few minutes considering this Gospel, continue by reading Fr. Henry Wansborough’s reflection.

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We are presented in the gospel with a contrast between the dignitaries of the Temple, parading in their splendour, and the least of the least. These little coins of the widow are called lepta, meaning ‘light’, hardly more than shavings of copper, hardly worth picking up. Yet the value of a gift depends not on its absolute worth, but in the love with which it is given. The value of a birthday present depends on the love which it expresses, and the care which has gone into choosing or making it. One can imagine the widow debating with herself: if she made this supreme gift to the Lord, could she survive without these two little coins. What would she have to go without? As with the Sidonian widow in the first reading overleaf, this paltry gift is a rich expression of the widow’s trust in divine love and care, and of her wanting to do something for the Lord. The little gift would go unnoticed among the riches of the exquisite and lavish Temple building, for its splendour was the wonder of the eastern Mediterranean, but her offering is a heartfelt expression of her love. Just so with our prayer of praise: it is the joyful outpouring of our love.

What gift could you give to the Lord? Dom Henry Wansbrough OSB

Diary

Fleetwood Churches Together are attending the Memorial Service in the Park for the 100th anniversary of the end of the First World War. It commences at **11a.m. on 11th November** and it would be lovely to see members of St. Mary’s parish at this special service.

24th-25th November 2018 “Walking in the Spirit” with Ros Powell, Fr. Paul Keane, Niklas Carlsson at St. Walburge’s Hall, Preston PR2 2QJ
Saturday 10a.m. - Sunday 4p.m. Tel 016973 45623 of mob. 07588 159341
Donation only after £10 registration fee. Poster in the porch

Women Together in the Diocese of Lancaster Advent Day of Prayer, A journey with Mary & Joseph **Saturday 1st December** 2018 Xaverian Mission Spirituality Centre. Sharoe Green Lane, Fulwood, Preston (formerly Tabor) Led by Fr. Nyagasaza Bideri 10:30a.m to 3:30p.m. Booking form available from Fr. Michael.