

Parish Liturgy and Activities for the Week

Date / Time	Intention	Parish Events
Saturday 25th July 12:00noon 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time 5:00pm	A Private Intention Heidi McEnerney	11:15am: Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 11:30am: Confessions
Sunday 26th July 9:30am 11:00am	People of the Parish Pat Mills	12:00noon: Tea/Coffee after Mass (Romero Room)
Monday 27th July		Church is open for private prayer.
Tuesday 28th July 12:00noon	Service of the Word & Holy Communion	
Wednesday 29th July 9:30am	Service of the Word & Holy Communion	
Thursday 30th July 9:30am	Service of the Word & Holy Communion	7:30pm: AA Meeting (Romero Room)
Friday 31st July 12:00noon	Teresa Crewe	
Saturday 1st August 12:00noon 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time 5:00pm	Helen McDonald & The Holy Souls and all who Mourn Steven Brunt	11:15am: Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 11:30am: Confessions
Sunday 2nd August 9:30am 11:00am	Catherine Madden Anniversary of Death People of the Parish	12:00noon: Tea/Coffee after Mass (Romero Room)
<i>We pray for all those enrolled in the Mass Guild: Michael Jerome, Jackie Watson</i>		
<i>Monday: Bronhill Bank Tuesday: Cadnam Road Wednesday: Calderwood Park Thursday: Caldway Drive Friday: Capstick Crescent Saturday: Venture Housing</i>		



Newsletter

17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday 26th July 2026

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Gloria from the Mass of Creation

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will.

1. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father.

Glory to God....

2. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us.

Glory to God....

3. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen. Amen.

Glory to God...

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia Alleluia

Alleluia, Allelu, alleluia

Mass Setting

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts.

Heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.

Blessed, blessed, blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.
Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.

Memorial Acclamation:

When we eat this bread and drink this cup, we proclaim your death, O Lord, until you come again, until you come again.

Lamb of God

Lamb of God you take away the sins of the world. Have mercy on us.

Lamb of God you take away the sins of the world.

Have mercy on us.

Lamb of God you take away the sins of the world.

Grant us peace.

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Retirement of Mr Burke Headteacher of Our Lady's School: Mr Burke has seen generations of families move through Our Lady's school, rather than gifts he is seeking people to sponsor him for a 10K run to support cancer research. The link is here to make a gift. <https://fundraise.cancerresearchuk.org/page/martins-race-for-life-327469147608466667700>

Our Lady of the Assumption Feast Day Celebration and 15th Birthday of the Parish: Sunday 16th August. To build on the success of the St Peregrine Service and the Forty Hours of Adoration we will have an outdoor Mass at 10.30am for this year's feast day (weather permitting). Afterwards we will have a Marian Procession and parish social.

Lourdes Petitions and Mass Intentions: Your petitions will be taken to the Grotto this week. Mass Intentions received are for Uche Ameh, Lynn Ashton, Karen Hanratty-Boersing, Janet Carlon, Anne Carroll, Rosemary Doman Intentions, Daniel Dougherty, The Farrelly Family, The Jost Family, The Hudson Family, The Mooney Family, The Fletcher Family, Claire Farrelly, Hannah Hill, Alex 'Jim' Keyes, Bridget McCluskey, Doris Murphy, Bernadette Ness Intentions, John O'Shea, Maureen Pritchard, Michael & Marina RIP, Barry Aldridge RIP, M. Scott, Derek Sutton, Glenda Tolen, Edward Wright

Mission Appeal: 26th July. This year's Mission Appeal will be conducted by Fr Anilkumar Joosadasan OSA from the Augustinians. The friars live together in community, inspired by Saint Augustine's rule of life, working to help the restless to find happiness in God. The Augustinians supports overseas missions, such as ministries in parishes and schools in countries like Grenada and Jamaica.

World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly Sunday: Sunday 26th July, it is observed each year close to the liturgical memorial of Sts. Joachim and Anne, the grandparents of Jesus. The theme chosen by Pope Leo XIV is "*I will never forget you*" (Isaiah 49:15). Pope Leo highlighted that at any age, even amidst frailty, the elderly are a precious blessing never abandoned by God. We thank so many grand parents who hand on the faith to their family and are an anchor for children and grandchildren.

(We will pray this prayer together at the end of the intercessions)
Dear Lord,
We thank you for grandparents and elderly relatives throughout the world, their lives and their vocation.
We are grateful for their love, care and the advice that they give to each of us.
Protect them dear Lord, in all that they do, as we continue to be blessed by their wisdom in our communities.
Guide them in their earthly pilgrimage and always keep them close to your heart, so that they continue to generously respond to your call. We make this prayer through Jesus Christ, Our Lord.
Amen.

AUTUMN PREVIEW

Autumn Preview: There are lots of exciting things coming from September onwards....
Saturday 19th September: 12:00noon Mass of Anointing of the Sick and prayers at the shrine of St Peregrine.
Sunday 20th September: 4pm Worship Afternoon with One Hope Project. Music, adoration, faith sharing and hospitality to follow.
Friday 25th September 7pm: Mass for those who live in Netherley at Netherley Youth and Community Initiative, the former St Gregory's Church. If you live in Nertherley the church is coming to you!

How to give support to God's Mission through the Parish

On-Line: Scan the QR

Text:

Text OLA to 70450 to donate £3.
 Text OLA to 70460 to donate £5.
 Text OLA to 70470 to donate £10.

Standing Order:

Forms at the back of church and on website.
 Our Account Details are: Account Name: Aol our lady 241
 Sort Code 40-29-12 Account Number 8154 3873



Catholic Deep Dive: 7pm-8.30pm Tuesday 29th September, Tuesday 13th October, Tuesday 27th October, Tuesday 10th November, Tuesday 24th November. Ever wanted to delve deeper in your faith in and open friendly atmosphere, five evening sessions are planned just for you.
International Gathering: We are proud to be a diverse community with people from many nations and cultures. We are having a social gathering for our International Community, more information to follow.
Friday 9th October 6pm: Men's Night, food, time to be with one another, prayer, an opportunity to get together.
Assisi Retreat: Parishioners will be having a silent retreat in Assisi to go deeper into prayer and the Franciscan way.
Bishops Visitation: Bishop Tom Neylon will make a visitation to the parish. More information to follow.

What's on at NY&CI: Free Summer Playscheme. Everyone welcome, under 8's must be accompanied by an adult!. To the 14th August. Morning session 10am to 12:30pm and afternoon session 1:30pm to 4pm. Holiday club spaces available. See poster for QR Code to book your place and for more information! There is so much going on at the NYCI. Check out their weekly timetable. There is something for everyone! 41 Damson Road, Liverpool, L27 8XR, 0151 487 6421, admin@nyci.co.uk.

Weekly Collections

19th July 2026

Envelopes & Cash: £489.36

S/O online: £970.00

TOTAL: £1459.36

Target: £1650.00 THANK YOU!

Retiring Collection:

Priests in Retirement: £281.68

25th/26th July: Augustinians

What's on at St Marks Community Garden in July (Cranwell Rd, Liverpool L25 1NZ):

Monday 27th July: Bikes & Crafts. PCSO Neil offering free bike marking and servicing and a crafts club.

Tuesday 28th July: Community Litter Pick: Meet at St Stephens Parish Centre.

Sunday 3rd August: Repair Café: Bring along broken small household items to get them fixed

Sunday 10th August: Craft Club for all ages.

Sunday 17th August: Composting Workshop: Learn how to turn you garden and kitchen waste into compost.

Sunday 24th August: Craft Club for all ages

Sunday 31st August: Summer Bank Holiday BBQ. Celebrate the end of Summer with a community BBQ.

Saturday 5th September: Party in the Parish at St. Stephens Centre 12pm to 4pm Free Event! See poster on notice board for more info!

News from Deacon Dan. It is my joy to share with you that Archbishop John has called me to ordination. I will be ordained to the priesthood on Saturday 24th October at 12noon at St Oswald's, Warrington. Further appointment is yet to be decided. Please keep me in your prayers as I hold you in mine. Dan.

Lourdes at Home Afternoon: Tuesday, 28th July 2026 at St Mary's, Woolton, Fr Peter McGrail will start the afternoon by celebrating Mass at 12noon. Please bring your own packed lunch. Tea/coffee available in the Parish Hall. All are welcome!