

St. James-the-Less & St. Thomas More

Diocese of Salford - Bishop John Arnold
'Stay with us, Lord,
on our Journey'



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TWENTY THIRD SUNDAY

IN ORDINARY TIME

10th September 2017



THIS WEEK IN THE CHURCH

- Mon.** Mass at 9.00 a.m. Margaret & Edward Reid
- Tues.** Mass at 9.00 a.m. Whole School Mass
Thanksgiving to the Sacred Heart
- Wed.** Mass at 9.00 a.m. Cardinal Cormac Murphy-O'Connor
- Thurs.** Mass at 9.00 a.m. Liz Jamison
12 Noon - Mass in All Saints High - Thanksgiving
- Fri.** Our Lady of Sorrows
Mass at 12 Noon Barbara Lord
- Sat.** Mass at 11.00 a.m. Katie Hamer

SUNDAY - TWENTY FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Vigil Mass at 6.30 p.m. Bob Riley/Stephen
Ramsbottom

Mass at 8.30 a.m. People of the Parish

Mass at 10.30 a.m. Nora & Jack Roberts



CONFESSIONS: Sat. 11.30 - Noon with Eucharistic
Adoration
5.45 - 6.15 p.m.

READERS:

Vigil - Bill Wilkinson
8.30 - John McEvoy
10.30 - Elizabeth McCormick

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

Vigil - Steve Mawdesley
8.30 - David Postlethwaite
10.30 - Sheila Whittle



RAWTENSTALL TOWN CENTRE CHURCHES have been discussing the possibility of a 'Prayer Station' at the monthly markets and at the Christmas Market. More info from David Hollows, 01706 523138, and Prayer Meeting on Sunday, 10th Sept. at Kay St. Baptist, 12 - 12.30 p.m.

SALFORD DIOCESE - Vacancy for Deputy Director of Education. Further information on 0161 817 2222 or personnel@dioceseofsalford.org.uk

RENEW FOR WOMEN - 'Take it to Heart' - Receiving God's loving kindness - Monday, 11th Sept. in St. Mary's Church, Rawtenstall at 7.15 p.m.

CORNERSTONES BOX AT BACK OF CHURCH

Please pray for:

THE SICK: Niall Hayden, Barbara Schofield, Patricia Barlow, Michael Lupton, Vincenzo Nicosia, Brenda Barrett, Little Kenton Ritson, Little Maya McDermott, Little Leila Collopy, Phillip Williams, Ted Davies, Jim Travers, Pat Law, Deidre Exton.



LATELY DEAD: Liz Jamison, Beryl Taylor, Leanne Mary Collopy, Gloria Carlos, John Hennessy, Cardinal Cormac Murphy-O'Connor.

ANNIVERSARIES & REMEMBRANCE

Margaret Reid, Edward Reid, Barbara Lord, Bob Riley, Stephen Ramsbottom, Monica Stonier, Anthony Hodson, George Leonard, Katie Hamer, Mary & Peter Connolly, Nora & Jack Roberts, Joseph Harris.

THIS WEEK IN THE CENTRE

Sun. Baptismal Celebration
Free & Easy
Tues. Slimming Club
Sat. PPTA Welcome Disco



THIS WEEK IN THE OLD SCHOOL ROOM

Sun. Children's Liturgy
Mon - Fri Pre-School Playgroup
Mon. Rainbows
Tues. Irish Dancing
Wed. Brownies/Line Dancing

OTHER NOTICES THIS WEEK

NEXT BAPTISMAL PREPARATION PROGRAMME is on Sunday, 8th October at 5 p.m. in the Presbytery.

WELCOME & CONGRATULATIONS to Ruby Alice Hope, baptised here last Sunday, and prayers for her parents. **CAFOD** has launched a new campaign called 'Power to Be'. A short talk will be given by Tony Simpson at all Masses on the weekend of 23/24 September.

HARVEST FAST DAY this year is on Friday, 6th October.

FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS for Cardinal Cormac Murphy-O'Connor at Westminster Cathedral -

Tues. 12th Sept. Reception of the Body at 10 a.m. Solemn Vespers of the Dead.

Wed. 13th Sept. 12 Noon Funeral Mass & Burial May he be with the Lord forever.

LUNCHEON CLUB will take place after the 12 Noon Mass on Thursday, 21st September. Tickets available.

HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION - With effect from the First Sunday of Advent 2017, two holy days are being reinstated - The Epiphany of the Lord on January 6th and The Ascension of the Lord on Ascension Thursday! Deo Gratias!! Fr. L.