

# Parish of *Christ the Redeemer*



**Fourth Sunday of Easter (Good Shepherd Sunday)**

**22<sup>nd</sup> April 2018**

Churches of St. Ethelbert of Kent & St William of York, Bolton, Lancashire.

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## WELCOME!

### Introduction

In the reading from the Acts of the Apostles Jesus is compared to the keystone, or cornerstone rejected by the builders. This stone is most often the large stone placed in the foundation at the principal corner of a building. Most biblical references are metaphorical. Job 38:6, sees God as creator laying a cornerstone on which to “construct the world”. The cornerstone of Psalm 118:22 is either Israel or its king, rejected as insignificant by the nations but exalted by God. In Isaiah 28:16, God lays a cornerstone in Zion, and this cornerstone is often taken to mean the announcement of salvation or a reference to the faith of the renewed Israel. In the later New Testament writings this tradition is continued by comparing Jesus, the Messiah, to the cornerstone, creating something new, bringing salvation and leading people to renewed faith in God.

*God Bless, Fr. Morrrough*

### Ladies Group

The next Ladies Group Meeting is on Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> April.

Mass is at 7.30pm in church followed by a “Flower Demonstration” by Gwen in the Parish Room.

This is a very popular event and all ladies are welcome.

Our next meeting in May is a visit to the Schoenstatt Shrine at Kearsley where we will join Fr Bryan and the ladies of St John Fisher (It would be good to know how many to accommodate for this so please contact Pat or Margaret as soon as possible. Thank you).

### Walsingham

There are still some places available for this Day-Pilgrimage to Walsingham on Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> May led by Bishop John.

Pick up 1 – St John the Evangelist church, Bromley Cross, BL7 9JP at 6.30am and arriving back around 10.30pm

Pick up 2 – St Mark’s church, 184 Station Road, Pendlebury, M27 6BY at 7.00am and arrive back about 10.00 pm.

Cost £20. To book, contact John Griffin on 07944287690 or email at [john.griffin@dioceseofsalford.org.uk](mailto:john.griffin@dioceseofsalford.org.uk)

### Knights of St Columba

The Knights of St Columba are re-opening their membership lists and have a limited number of places. If any man wishes to serve God by serving others, please contact Mr David Mackay on 01204 692875

### Mass Intentions

#### Lately Deceased / RIP

Josie Dixon, Jim Unsworth

#### Anniversary / In Memoria

Leadbeater and Forkin Families

#### Special Intention / Sick / Birthdays

Stanislaw Bill, Stefan Szoma, Tomasz Szoma, Stefan Chuczko, Hania Szoma, Mateusz Szoma, Aldona Sanocka & all members of the Szoma, Chuczko, Bill families. Margaret Platt and Ben Shuttleworth birthdays. Special Intention for Natalie Shuttleworth and Dan Wilson.

#### Family Board

O’Brien, Turner and Murphy Families

### Cash Matters

| St. Ethelbert’s Church         |                  |
|--------------------------------|------------------|
| Basket Collection              | £591.57          |
| Other                          | £823.77          |
| Standing Orders                | £96.20           |
| <b>Church Banked</b>           | <b>£1,511.54</b> |
|                                |                  |
| St. William’s Church (2 Weeks) |                  |
| Basket Collection              | £262.28          |
| Other                          | £116.15          |
| Standing Orders                | £158.00          |
| <b>Church Banked</b>           | <b>£536.43</b>   |
|                                |                  |
| <b>Parish Total</b>            | <b>£2,047.97</b> |

### 200 Club Winners

#### St. Ethelbert’s Weekly

£50 – Jack Wilson (177)

#### St. William’s (March 2018)

G. Law, J. Caton, N. Griffiths

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*Howarth's Funeral Service*

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# Parish Notices Continued ...

## Greater Manchester Food Poverty Alliance Launch

The Greater Manchester Food Poverty Alliance will involve people from all walks of life, to co-produce a Food Poverty Action Plan for Greater Manchester. The team behind the alliance are looking for involvement from local churches especially those who run projects.

Bishop John will be chairing one of the groups and will speak at the launch.

**Time:** 1-4pm

**Date:** Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> May 2018

**Venue:** Main Hall, Methodist Central Hall, Oldham Street, Manchester, M1 1JQ.  
(There is a lift up to the first floor where the event will take place)

**Food:** Please arrive at 1pm so we can serve food and start the meeting on time.

**Travel Costs:** These will be reimbursed for people who would not otherwise be able to attend, if they present tickets, receipts or other evidence of expense.

Please book in advance and share this information with others who may be interested.

## April 2018 – Next Week Liturgical Calendar

| Day                  | Celebration  | Rank             | Notes   |
|----------------------|--|------------------|---|
| Sun 22 <sup>th</sup> | <b>4th Sunday of Easter<br/>(Good Shepherd Sunday)</b> | <b>Solemnity</b> | 09.30 St William's<br>11.30 St Ethelbert's<br>19.00 St. Ethelbert's |
| Mon 23 <sup>rd</sup> | <b>ST GEORGES DAY</b>                                  | <b>Solemnity</b> | 09.30 St William's  |
| Tue 24 <sup>th</sup> | Weekday of Easter                                      |                  | 09:30 St. Ethelbert's   |
| Wed 25 <sup>th</sup> | St Mark, Evangelist                                    | <b>Feast</b>     | 18.15 Confession & Exposition<br>19.00 St William's                 |
| Thu 26 <sup>th</sup> | Weekday of Easter                                      |                  | <b>NO MASS TODAY</b>  |
| Fri 27 <sup>th</sup> | Weekday of Easter                                      |                  | 09:30 St Ethelbert's  |
| Sat 28 <sup>th</sup> | Weekday of Easter                                      |                  | 11.15 Confession & Stations<br>12.00 St. Ethelbert's                |
| Sun 29 <sup>th</sup> | <b>5th Sunday of Easter</b>                            | <b>Solemnity</b> | 09.30 St William's<br>11.30 St Ethelbert's<br>19.00 St. Ethelbert's |

## Father Kantenich Seminar

2018 marks the 50th Anniversary of the death of Father Josef Kantenich, the founder of the International Schoenstatt Movement. Since his death Schoenstatt has continued to grow and flourish.

In this special year we would like to invite you to learn a little bit more about our founder and his mission from someone who knew him very well – Fr Peter Locher of the Schoenstatt Fathers.

Please come along on Saturday 28th April 2018 to the Schoenstatt Centre, Manchester Road, Kearsley, Bolton, BL4 8QQ

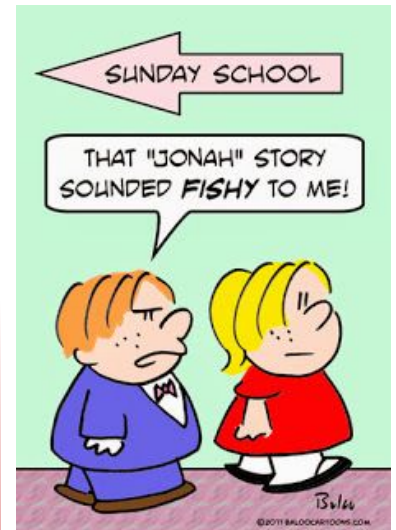
- The day starts with Mass at 10.00am
- 12 Noon – A Pasty and Peas lunch
- Talks by Fr Peter Locher
- Time for questions and a chat
- Children's Programme

The day will end at 3.30pm with a closing prayer. Please bring a donation towards the cost of the day. See poster at the back of church.

## QUIZ

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|   | 6 | 3 |   |   |   |
|   |   |   |   | 7 | 3 |
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## Spot of Humour



## Thought for the Week

*"It is Christmas every time you let God love others through you."*

Mother Teresa

## Sudoku Answer

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| 6 | 8 | 9 | 7 | 3 | 1 | 5 | 2 | 4 |
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