

# PARISH OF CHRIST THE REDEEMER

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**Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> September 2021**

**The 26<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

## Annual Leave

I will be taking Annual Leave from this Sunday 26th September and will be returning for the services on Saturday 9th October.

I am very grateful to the priests who have agreed to supply for me - Fr Reginald Amanze (Schoenstatt) for taking my Sunday morning Masses at St William's and St Ethelbert's for the two Sundays I am away.

The Sunday evening Masses at St Ethelbert's will be covered by Fr Alf Rebello (Corpus Christi parish) on 26th September and Fr Nathan Horne (Holy Infants parish) on 3rd October.

There will be no midweek Masses or Eucharistic services in either of our churches while I am away.

There will be a Eucharistic Service at St Ethelbert's on Saturday 2nd October.

I will keep you in my prayers on the Golf Course 😊

God bless,

Fr Morrough

**Mass Intentions:** Ray Morris (LD), Mary Dawe (BA), Joseph Paul Lloyd (A), Clare & Bill Rothwell (A), May Castle (LD), Annamma Mathai (LD), Fred & Cecilia Kearsley (A), Ann (Nancy) Hargreaves (LD), Eileen Holmes (S), Ann Law (LD), Rita Edmondson (LD), Clones James (S).

LD: Lately dead, A: Anniversary, BA: Birthday Anniversary, B: Birthday, S: Sick, M: Memorial, WA: Wedding Anniversary, Sp.Int: Special Intention

When you place your offering in one of the 'Offering for Holy Mass' envelopes, please remember to fill in the details on the front. I have had quite a few envelope given in with money enclosed and nothing written on the envelope. I cannot record or mention a Mass if I don't have any details! 😊

**Died Recently:** Rita Edmondson, Ann Law

*'Eternal rest give unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them, Amen'.*

**Ladies Group:** The Ladies Group will be meeting in the [Parish Room on Tuesday 28th September at 1.30 pm.](#)

Our initial meeting will be a "cuppa" and a chat to share ideas and suggestions for future events. All ladies are welcome! Pat B.

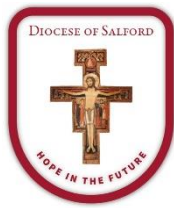
**Holy Hour:** Bishop John will lead a Holy Hour at 3:00pm on Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> October from the Cathedral which can be viewed here - [www.churchservices.tv/salfordcathedral](http://www.churchservices.tv/salfordcathedral)

**Christ the Redeemer Parish Youth Group:** We are really excited to have you all back in Church for our youth group meetings. The next meeting is on:

**Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> September 6.15pm-7.45pm.**

Remember your £1 donation, which is a great help for the upkeep of the youth group.

**All future dates are displayed on the notice board**



## HOPE IN THE FUTURE

Each week from July to mid-September the Diocese have a 'Cycle of Prayer' for each Parish within the Bolton Deanery.

*'We pray for the people of the parish of Blessed Dominic Barberi, Bolton, and for Fr. Dermot Heakin, their parish priest, together with their parish primary schools. May they live out their baptismal calling to be a people of prophets, proclaiming God's word through the witness of their lives'*

### **Christ the Redeemer Macmillan Coffee Morning – Sat 25<sup>th</sup> September**

Please drop in at St Ethelbert's Church, Deane, on Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> September, between 9.30 – 11 am for a cuppa, treat and chat and to raise funds for a great cause. Hope to see you there. Thanks to those who have volunteered to bake, provided raffle prizes or help with the event.

### **RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) – we call them Welcome meetings 😊**

If you wish to become a Catholic, whether you have been in contact with Father before or not, please contact Gemma Pendlebury on 07717686358 so we know who is planning to attend and sort out the times and dates with you.



**The CAFOD Family Fast Day** is at the end of this month, this is the twice yearly main fundraising event for the Catholic Charity. Please use the envelopes provided for

your donations and bring them back next weekend. Thank you very much.

### **Prayer for our Planet**

Join us as churches across the area unite for a week of special services as part of the Greater Manchester Churches Together Week of Prayer for our Planet. Running from Sunday 26 September to Saturday 2 October, the event will consist of seven ecumenical prayer services expressing our concerns at a time of environmental crisis and highlight our hopes for the upcoming UN Climate Change Conference (COP26). Bishop John will lead a service at Salford Cathedral on Tuesday 28 September at 7.30pm, reflecting on the theme of "Climate Change and Others." You are welcome to join the service in person or watch online

at <https://www.churchservices.tv/salfordcathedral>

Find out more about the Prayer for our Planet week

at <https://www.dioceseofsalford.org.uk/prayer-for-our-planet/>

### **St. Ethelbert's 200 Club Winners:**

Weekly Winner 12.9.2021 – Mary Howarth.

Winner 19.9.2021 Andrew Cafferky.

Congratulations to all winners and thank you to all who have a number(s) and for your continuing support. It is much appreciated and the funds raised have been invaluable in keeping the church parish funds going during lockdown. Lee will do the quarterly draw the weekend 25/26 Sept. You've got to be in it to win it.

**Thank you:** Grateful thanks to Carmen Houghton for the generous donation made to the Parish in memory of her husband, Robert.

### **Christ the Redeemer Parish**

**Collections:** 19/9/21 £653.70 from both churches. Thank you very much for your generosity.

**Newsletter:** The next Newsletter will be in two weeks' time.