

Day **Time and Place** **Intention**
 20th Aug 10.30am Elizabeth Jones
 Sunday readings: year A
Please Note: There will be no Holy Mass on Mondays until further notice.

Feasts of the week: Monday - St. Pius X
 Tuesday - Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary
 Thursday - St. Bartholomew

Anniversaries from our List: Please pray for all those whose anniversaries occur about this time especially Maria Dorothea Oxbarrow, William Watson, Dorothea Farrington, Joseph Bradley, James Wilfrid Bolton, Theresa Clare Southworth, Bernard Dewhurst, Henry Blanchard Nelson, John Gerard Melling, Jack Corbett, John Dewhurst and John Henry Phayre.

Attendance & Collection.

Wk ending 6.8.17	Attendance	-	60	Collection	-	£219.40
“ 13.8.17	“		69	“		£271.55

Dates for Your Diary

Date	Time	Where	What
4 th Sept			Autumn Term commences



St. Francis Hill Chapel Newsletter

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 (newsletter items)

**TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
 20th August, 2017**

Parish Mission Statement

Our Parish, guided by the example of our patron, St. Francis, seeks to be a welcoming Catholic Community, by living, sharing and growing in faith. We strive to deepen our own relationship with Christ and meet the needs of others.

Next Sunday: There will be a Special Collection for the Catholic Trust for England and Wales.

Vocation Intercession: We pray for the young people of our parish who are awaiting exam results, we pray that they will continue to trust in God and to place the talents he has given them at the service of those in need.

Sick of the Parish: If you would like the parish to pray for someone who is currently sick, please email news@stfrancis.org.uk or ring Fr. Sony on 01772 865229. It will then be included on the sick list of the Newsletter. Please pray for all who are sick in our parish. We have an area in church where you can write on a card and hang it up if you prefer it not to go on the parish newsletter. M. Peel.

Notes from the Parish Archives: We now have quite a collection of documents and photographs in the parish archive files. The files are stored in the presbytery office and are available to view and, in some cases, to borrow by those interested. I am always interested in acquiring any other parish documents or bulletins that you may wish to share from days gone by. My email address is: mbryan@dsl.pipex.com

Monthly Prayer: *The way to seek God is through prayer that is transparent and unafraid to hand over to him our troubles, our struggles and our resistance.*
Pope Francis.

Red Missio Boxes: Please could the Red Missio Boxes be brought in for collection over the next week or two. B. Coulthurst.

Next Cleaning and Gardening Day: Saturday, 26th August.

Notices:

Sale of Religious Items: The Carmelite Convent on St. Vincent's Road, Fulwood, and the **Repository at Ladyewell, Fernyhalgh**, now have items for sale for Baptism, First Communion, Confirmation, Rosary Beads, etc., as well as a large selection of cards for various occasions. Other items can be ordered on request.

Facing Depression Together: support group for those with mental health concerns, e.g. anxiety, depression. Central Methodist Church, Lune Street, Preston, PR1 2NL. Thursday evening, 7.30 – 9.00pm. Be heard, respected and accepted, and receive help to work through mental health concerns.

Gentle Approach to Cancer Association: Meetings on 2nd Saturday of every month. Gerrard St., off Bow Lane, Preston. For more information contact Joan Moran on 865024 or www.gentleapproach.org.uk

**Tea, Coffee and biscuits available after the
Sunday Mass.**
**All parishioners, friends and visitors are very welcome to
join us.**