

THIS WEEKEND	Pentecost Sunday		Year C
Sat 8th June	10.00am	St O	Confessions
	5.00pm	St O	Robert Michael McClellan Frances Hart
	6.30pm	St T	Linda Grant, Paddy Tigue Frances Hart
Sun 9th June Pentecost Sunday	8:30am	St MM	Latin Extraordinary Form Mass
	8:30am	St O	Dewhurst Family, Kathleen Jones
	9.30am	St T	Gloria Harris, Parishioners
	11.00am	St MM	Marjorie Hardman Birthday
Divine Office Week 2			
Mon 10th June Our Lady, Mother of the Church	9.15am	St T	Teresa Nicklin
	9.30am	St O	Jean Pope
Tues 11th June St Barnabas	9.30am	St O	Elizabeth Spencer
Wed 12th June	9.30am	St MM	Priest Intention
Thu 13th June Our Lord Jesus Christ, the Eternal High Priest	9.30am	St O	Robert Pope
	7.00pm	St T	Birthday Celebration
Fri 14th June	9.15am	St T	Teresa Nicklin
	9.30am	St O	Jean Pope
NEXT WEEKEND	Trinity Sunday	Year C	
Sat 15th June	5.00pm	St O	George Edward Knights (A)
	6.30pm	St T	John Wilson
Sun 16th June	8:30am	St MM	Latin Extraordinary Form Mass
	8:30am	St O	Parishioners' Intentions
	9.30am	St T	Newns + Shepherd Families, Parishioners
	11.00am	St MM	Special Intention (AC + Family)

Next weekend there will be a second collection for Day for Life

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Pentecost Sunday 9th June 2019

The Spirit of God has made his home in you.... Everyone moved by the Spirit is a child of God.

Today marks the climax of the great Fifty Days of Eastertide. Christians celebrate the coming of the Holy Spirit, and with it, the birth of the Church, the Body of Christ here on earth.

Jesus promises his disciples at the Last Supper that both he and the Father will love those who love them and their ways: together they will make their home with us. Jesus also promises his followers the Holy Spirit, the 'Advocate', who will teach them everything and will be their comforter forever. **(Gospel)**

The poetic **Psalm** offers us a meditation on both the goodness of the creator God and the life-giving role of the Spirit on the face of the earth.

The **First Reading** from Acts describes how the Spirit fills the timid disciples with courage and also removes barriers between peoples. The success of the apostles as they preach in different languages reflects Christ's universal mission.

In the **Second Reading**, Paul presents his understanding of the dynamic role of the Spirit of Christ. We now live in a new era, inhabited and dominated by the transforming power of the Holy Spirit.

This week, let us celebrate and ask to feel a sense of Spirit-filled awareness and joy, as we pray that we may work with the Trinity and each other in the service of the Church.

The Romero Room this week:

Sundays: At 9.30am Mass: Children's Liturgy. **After Mass** tea and coffee.
Mondays: Knit a Bit: 10.00am until 12 noon.
Mondays: 6.30pm SVP Meeting. New members welcome.
Tuesdays: 7.30pm All Hallows Community Choir
Fridays: 1.30pm to 3pm Exercise Class will be led by expert, Julian Vescovi, Suitable for all ages and abilities. Cost £3 including tea and biscuits.

ST T + St MM Readers: Please collect your copy of the rota for the next six months from the sacristy.

St Mary Magdalen: Fairtrade sale this week end. A variety of teas, coffee, cookies, dates & apricots available for your enjoyment.

St Teresa Bereavement Care Team: There is a meeting for the Bereavement Care Team after 7pm Mass on 13th June.

St T+ St MM Synod2020:Reminder Would all parishioners who wish us to return their Synod responses please do so by placing them in the boxes at the entrances of both churches. Thank you, we will send your comments to the Synod office. There has been a large percentage of people who have already attended one of the group sessions consequently we suggest that catechists, Eucharistic ministers, readers, Meet & Great Group, Funeral Ministers Monday ladies, Knights and Catenians attend either on Wednesday 12th June or Wednesday 10th July.

Food Bank: This week we are looking at helping out with; Tinned meat, (ham, beef, corned beef) rice for curries and rice puddings, plain biscuits, hand soap. Thank you.

St Teresa Ladies Association: Father Roy's 60th Birthday Afternoon Tea in the Parish Centre on Sunday 9th June at 2-00 pm. Everyone Welcome.

St Teresa Ladies Association: The Next meeting is Tuesday 11 June at 7-30 pm "Stories from the Street" by Dave Brown - Street Pastor. Everyone Welcome adm £1.50 to include refreshments

St Teresa Ladies Association: Summer Meal at San Marco Wednesday 12th June Please meet at San Marco at 12-30 pm to eat at 1-00 pm.

St. O Cemetery Tidy Up. Thank you to all the volunteers who came along last weekend to help in looking after our cemetery and to remember our loved ones. We are now looking to tidy up the remembrance garden hidden away at the side of the cemetery. Thank you for all your help and kindness.

St. Oswald's: RED MISSION BOXES Could all holders of Mission boxes please bring them in and leave them in the Sacred Heart Room in the next weeks. Thank You.

St. Oswald's Caritas Group. the next lunch is on Friday 21st. June serving from 12-00 till 1-00pm. We look forward to seeing you all there.

St Oswald's Ladies next meeting: Monday 10 June, in the Parish Hall at 7.30 pm. Marguerite Hughes will give her talk and demonstration on 'Creative Containers and Beyond.' She will show us how to make successful planters that last. Everyone's invited to this informative evening, gardeners and non-gardeners alike. The containers will be raffled at the end of the demonstration.

St Mary Magdalen's Church Hall: Children's Ju Jitsu started Monday 13th May 6.30—7.30pm. First lesson free, £5 per class. From aged 5 +. Teen and Adult Ju Jitsu starts Monday 13th May 7.45-9.00pm. First lesson free, £5 per class. From aged 13 + Visit ensomartialarts.co.uk or call 0800 6889963 to book your place.

Street Pastors: Please pray for street pastors and the people they meet in the city on Friday and Saturday nights.

A lady who was recently given a lovely hat & scarf set knitted by a parishioner was delighted & asked me to express her thanks.

The Rwanda Group Trust is a Preston based Catholic charity, which provides financial help direct to the poorest of the poor in Rwanda through the Catholic church in Rwanda. We have a charity shop on Syke St (opposite Avenham car park) which is our main source of income. We urgently require more volunteers to staff the shop Mon-Sat, either 10.00 am - 1.00 pm or 1.00 pm - 4.00 pm. If you are able to help for one shift per week or on standby cover or would like more information, please ring 01772 723094 or 07864 990941

Something New For Women of All Ages WOMEN AT PRAYER If you would be interested in coming along to chat about starting a women's prayer group monthly on a Wednesday from 2-3pm at the Xaverian Missionary Spirituality Centre you are welcome on **12th June 2019**
Please contact Rose rose.mccrave@outlook.com 07866 736067

Spirituality for Summer A retreat day led by Rose and Greg McCrave At Xaverian Missionary Spirituality Centre, Fulwood, PR2 8HE. A time to refresh, renew and restore our souls by drawing closer to the warmth of God's love. Date Saturday 22nd June 2019 Time 10.30am – 4.00 pm (with refreshments from 10.00am) Cost £15 please bring lunch (*By request this is a repeat of last year's content*) To book on contact Rose McCrave via website: www.xaverians.org.uk