

THIS 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) Dennis Gallagher
<b>Divine Office Week 3</b>			
Mon 17th June	9.15am	St T	Peter Gavin
	9.30am	St O	Lyn Worthington
Tues 18th June <small>St John Rigby</small>	10.30am	St O	Requiem Mass: Anne Briggs
Wed 19th June	9.30am	St MM	Gloria Harris
Thurs 20th June	9.30am	St O	Lynn Ardington
	7.00pm	St T	Jean Pope
Fri 21st June <small>St Aloysius Gonzaga SJ</small>	9.15am	St T	Luke McGuirk
	9.30am	St O	Priest's Intention
NEXT WEEKEND	The Body and Blood Of Jesus		Year C
Sat 22nd June	5.00pm	St O	Connie Matthews George + Mary Whittaker
	6.30pm	St T	Parishioners, Ken Blanchard
Sun 23rd June	8:30am	St MM	Latin Extraordinary Form Mass
	8:30am	St O	Bert + Barbara Sheepwash
	9.30am	St T	Patricia Haliwell (USA), Julie Finch
	11.00am	St MM	Soul of John Conlon

**Confessions:** 1st (St T) and 2nd (St O) Sat at 10.00am.

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## The Most Holy Trinity 16th June 2019

**The love of God has been poured into our hearts**

One God, Three Persons, united in One Love that has been poured into our hearts! We begin our readings with a beautiful description of how this creative relationship of Love was one with the Creator before all things came into being. Wisdom delighted God as she danced through creation in a spirit of playfulness (**First Reading**).

The **Psalm** is a song of human delight in God's creation, and it sings also of the relationship with creation in which God has invited us to share.

The **Second Reading** explores this Trinitarian relationship. Through our unity with Jesus we are at peace with God and the love of God enters our hearts by the Holy Spirit. In this letter to the Romans, we are reminded of how this love will help us to grow in the trinity of Faith, Hope and Love.

In St John's **Gospel**, Jesus encourages his disciples by saying that they do not need to know everything whilst he is still with them. The Holy Spirit will be their guide, and will lead them deeper into the truth of the relationship of Father, Son and Spirit: each Person of the Trinity pouring love into the other.

As the Spirit of love has been poured into our hearts, so we are called to pour out the love of the Spirit into the hearts of all whom we meet. Our faith is based on a God of relationship, and will deepen when we enter more fully into that relationship through prayer. As we try to bring God's Spirit to all we meet, let us hold each other in prayer this coming week in that same Spirit of creative love.

**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 T+ St MM Synod2020:** Meeting for parents of the Scouts 18th June 7.30pm in the Romero Room.

**St Mary Magdalen Fairtrade:** New order just arrived. Teas, instant and ground coffee, cocoa, stem ginger cookies, chocolate raisins and jelly beans !

**Food Bank:** For the remainder of June we are looking at helping out with; Tinned meat, (ham, beef, corned beef), tinned veg (peas, carrots, mixed veg), pasta sauce, breakfast cereals (especially Weetabix), rice for curries, rice puddings, plain biscuits, basic toiletries, (hand soap, deodorant, shampoo, toothpaste and toothbrushes). Thank you.

**St Teresa Children's Liturgy** NEEDS YOU! The team are recruiting members of the parish to help deliver Sunday sessions (dates are flexible and maximum of one per month). DBS clearance will be provided. Training/shadowing is also available. If you are interested, please call Andrea on 07734776946

**St. Oswald's Caritas Group:** The next Lunch, on Friday 21st. June, will be the last time this year's Faith in Action children will be attending and they will be supplying the cakes. It is an opportunity for us to thank them and say good-bye. They will also be singing for us so it is a rather special. Everyone is welcome with serving between 12-00 and 1-00pm.

**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:** Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> June: There will be tea and coffee served after the 8.30am Mass in the parish hall. All welcome!

**Lourdes Pilgrimage:** There are still places left..Oct.20th for 5days. £575 sharing. Full board 4\*Eliseo hotel. Fr Roy will be our lead Priest. Please ring Dorothy for

more info. 742927 Just a reminder for the Parishioners already booked, the full balance is due beginning of August or can be paid anytime from now.

**SVP Mass for sick, elderly and housebound:** The SVP are celebrating the Mass for sick, elderly and housebound on Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> July at 12 noon at St Teresa's. This is being held before the Archdiocese pilgrimage to Lourdes, we will be able to collect any prayer petitions to pass onto the younger parishioners, who are welcome at the Mass, and are assisting on the pilgrimage to Lourdes.

We have decided to alternate the celebration between the churches, the service in 2020 will be held at St Mary Magdalen, thus giving parishioners of each parish opportunity to attend a service in their familiar church. Refreshments will be held in the parish centre after the service. For catering purposes please add your name, number of people attending and if you require transport to the service, to the list at the back of the church.

**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](http://ensomartialarts.co.uk) or call 0800 6889963 to book your place.

**Penwortham Open Gardens** - Sunday 23rd June 1-5pm. Stroll around 9 gardens not normally open to the public and support 3 local charities too. Refreshments and plants on sale. Programmes £3 in advance (from C&M Pet Supplies, Liverpool Road) or £4 on the day, accompanied children free.

**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 22<sup>nd</sup> 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](http://www.xaverians.org.uk)

**Birthday Thanks:** Thank you for the lovely afternoon birthday party for my 60th birthday last Sunday. It was good to see so many parishioners from the 3 churches in Penwortham & Longton present, thank you to all who came. Thank you also for the wonderful gifts received from everyone, especially the secret collection (£440) along with the many cards and best wishes. Fr. Roy.

**The Rwanda Group Trust** charity shop on Syke St 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