

The Parish of the Good Shepherd

1st September 2019

22nd Sunday of Ordinary Time

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Mass Times for Next Week

Tuesday	Holy Saviour Church		
	Mass		10.00am
Wednesday	Sacred Heart Church		
	Catholic Schools Teacher's		
	and Support Staff Mass		4.15pm
Thursday	Sacred Heart Church		
	Mass		6.30pm
Friday	Fisher More School		
	Beginning of School Term		
	Mass		9.30am
Saturday	Holy Saviour Church		
	Confessions	11.00-11.30am	
	Mass		11.45am
	Sunday Mass Times		
Sacred Heart Church	Mass		9.30am
Holy Saviour Church	Mass		11.15am
SS Peter and Paul Church	Mass		6.00pm

Mass Offerings This Week

Altar Flowers:

Harry Francis Rosthorn

Sick:

Harry Heckford
Patrick Garaghty
Donald Mitchell
Monica Whitehouse

Lately Dead:

Paul Simm

Combined Collection: £1,062.21

Sunday Mass Rotas for 8th September 2019

Sacred Heart 9.30am Holy Saviour 11.15am
SS Peter and Paul 6.00pm

Extraordinary Ministers

9.30am: Monica, Mary R, Nicola K, Jummy, Kevin
11.15am: Venus, Marie, Kathryn, Gill, Marian,
and volunteer from the choir
6.00pm: Barbara and Volunteer

Readers

9.30am: Julie and Bernard
11.15am: Abigail and Julie
6.00pm: John and Lewis

Offertory

9.30am: Mary B and Dorothy

Welcomers

9.30am: Barbara Ch and Paul
11.15am: Sarah and Vincent
6.00pm: Sarah

Children's Liturgy

9.30am: Brenda

Tea/Coffee Volunteers

9.30am: Karen and Joanne
11.15am: Amber and OY

The Memorare

Remember O most loving Virgin Mary, that it is a thing unheard of, that anyone whoever had recourse to your protection, implored your help or sought your intercession and was left forsaken.

Filled therefore with confidence in your goodness I fly to you O Mother, Virgin of virgins, to you I come, before you I stand a sorrowful sinner. Despise not my words O Mother of the word, but graciously hear and grant my prayer.

Amen.

Parish Notices and Information

Retiring Collection:

Next Sunday, 8th September, there will be a retiring collection for the SVP.

Creation Awareness Month:

“We need a conversation which includes everyone, since the environmental challenge we are undergoing, and its human roots, concern and affect us all.” Pope Francis, *Laudato Si’* #14

Pope Francis reminds us that our earth was here before us and it has been given to us freely, not to exploit but to care for. We need to reimagine our common home, a precious gift given to us by God, not just for ourselves, but for the world’s poorest people and for those generations still to come.

By coming together for a Creation Celebration, we can give thanks for the gift of God’s creation, a gift we are invited to enjoy together. Please take a moment to look at the displays at the front of church and ask if there is something you could contribute to help our awareness. Fr Peter.

School Staff Mass:

There will be a Mass for the Teachers and Support Staff from the Catholic Schools in the area in Sacred Heart Church on Wednesday at 4.15pm.

Sacramental Programme 2019/2020:

If you wish your child to be part of the Sacramental Programme, preparing for First Confession and to receive Holy Communion for the first time in May 2020, there will be an information meeting at which you can register your interest on **Wednesday, 18th September, 2019, at 7pm in Sacred Heart Church Hall**. Details of events and dates in the Programme are available on a handout at the back of each church. The co-ordinator will be Kevin Pickup. His contact details are on the handout. Fr Peter.

Gift Aid:

The Gift Aid Donations Annual Tax Statements are available to collect from Fr Peter in the Sacristy after Mass. Thank you, Corinne.

SVP Newsletter:

The SVP have produced a newsletter to outline some of the work they have been able to do in the local area in your name, please take it home and read it. Your generosity, financial and material, has been amazing and on behalf of all the people we have been able to help, THANK YOU !

Father Peter has kindly allowed us to organise a retiring collection for next week, please be generous. Gift Aid envelopes will be available at the back of Church next Sunday, 8th September. The next SVP meeting is at 7.15pm in Sacred Heart Parish Centre tomorrow Monday, 2nd September. All welcome.

Coffee Morning:

The Friendship and Bereavement Group Coffee Morning will be held in Sacred Heart Parish Centre, on Wednesday, 4th September. All Welcome. Please will all those going on the Hebden Bridge Trip on Tuesday, 10th September, bring along £7 for the coach fare.

Rosary in the Fields:

The Annual Rosary held in Platt Fields, Manchester, will take place on Saturday, 7th September, from 3pm, followed by free refreshments and ice cream. Chairs will be provided in the marquee. Please use the Grangethorpe Road entrance. For further information please contact Sarah Mitchell, Tel no, 0161 431 0410. All welcome.

Divine Mercy Chaplet:

The 1st Friday Divine Mercy Devotions will take place on Friday, 13th September in SS Peter and Paul Church at 3pm. All welcome to come to this beautiful service.

Care of Creation Prayer Vigil:

You are invited to a Care of Creation Prayer Vigil from 7.00pm on Tuesday, 17th September, in St John the Baptist Church, Ivy Street, Burnley, BB10 1TB. Everyone is most welcome to attend. During the Vigil, led by the parish priest Fr David Featherstone, there will be a short period for the Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. Tea and coffee will be served in the Parish Hall after the Vigil.

