



## St John Southworth's RC Parish

at Holy Saviour's Church, Vulcan St, BB9 8HE  
and Christ Church, Carr Road, BB9 7JS

### Nelson

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## 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

Pray for Ukraine



**30th October 2022**



Click on the moneybox to make a  
secure online donation to the parish!

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## Mass of Healing and New Life at Christ Church

Please keep in your prayers our Mass, next **Saturday, 5th November at 11.00am**. During this Mass there will be the opportunity to receive the Sacrament of the Sick, or personal prayer.

In our modern world, we have such a sophisticated understanding of the human person, and of how our physical, emotional, and spiritual health are all interrelated and interdependent; personal difficulties can spill over into our relationships, adversely affecting family and community life. The healing touch of Christ works both within and beyond all our human capacities, and is most apparent when human resources have been exhausted - this is referred to as miracle!

Sometimes we don't know what we need, but we have an inkling that something is not quite right with our lives. It's in the realms of our relationship with God that human remedies are particularly powerless to restore personal faith, hope and trust which are necessary qualities which Jesus wants to develop in our souls. The invitation to our parishioners, and beyond, is to come along and to invite or bring along someone who might be struggling in any possible way.

The Lord will effect some positive change in our lives and relationships—ask and you will receive!

## VAUGHAN STREET CLEARING!

Over the last couple of months we have been moving things we wanted to save out of Vaughan St Church. You will have noticed various items which have now been re-homed at Holy Saviour's and Christ Church. The changes serve to enhance both Churches, and help to maintain some continuity amidst the changes in the parish.

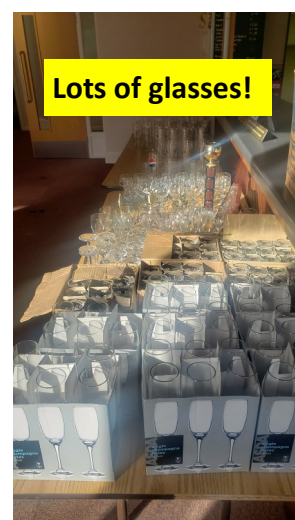
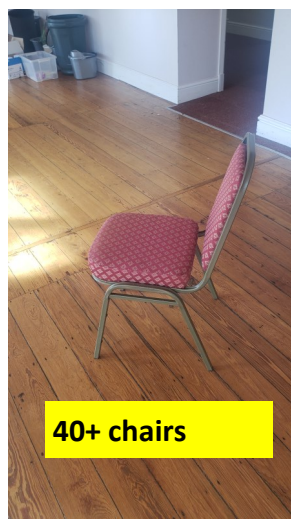
Other items have been taken away by Ormsby's, a church furnishing company, to sell on for us.

We have made quite a few trips to Barnardo's in Burnley with donations, and made many trips to the tip with items of no value! There is now an opportunity for anyone to come and view some odds and ends that are still remaining:

GLASSWARE, KITCHENWARE, BOOKS, CHAIRS AND OTHERS.

VAUGHAN STREET CHURCH WILL BE OPEN FOR ANYONE TO COME ALONG AND TAKE WHAT THEY WANT ON

**SATURDAY 12th NOVEMBER**  
**from 10.00am till 3.00pm.**



## Mass schedule for week beginning Monday 31st October, 2022

Monday 31st Oct	Tuesday 1st Nov <b>ALL SAINTS</b>	Wednesday 2nd Nov <b>ALL SOULS</b>	Thursday 3rd Nov	Friday 4th Nov	Saturday 5th Nov	Sunday 6th Nov
<b>NO MASS</b>	<b>MASSES</b> <b>CC 10.00am</b> <b>HS 7.00pm</b>	<b>MASS</b> <b>HS: 7.00pm</b>	<b>CC</b> <b>10.00am</b> <b>Mass</b> <b>Exposition</b> <b>until 12.00</b>	<b>MASS</b> <b>CC:</b> <b>10.00.am</b>	<b>MASS OF</b> <b>HEALING</b> <b>AND NEW</b> <b>LIFE</b> <b>11.00am</b>	<b>CC: 9.30am</b> <b>HS: 11.15am</b>

Date	Reader 1	Reader 2
<b>This week:</b> 30th October	Margaret Needham	Monica McArdle
<b>Next week:</b> 6th November	Jeremiah	Zachariah

**Children's Liturgy:** At Christ Church this week: Sarah Ellison & Margaret Morgan

### Blessing of Graves at All Souls Cemetery

A reminder that on All Souls' Day, Wednesday 2nd of November, at 12 noon, there will be prayers for the dead and the blessing of graves in All Souls Cemetery, Wheatley Lane.

### BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE

Oct 28th Ellen McGuinness(1989)  
Eric Webb (2003)  
Margaret Haworth (2012)  
Bill Morgan(2019)  
Oct 29th Ursula Hutchinson(2003)  
Oct 30th Angela Rushton (2001)  
James E Allen (1991)  
Robert Pomponi (1988)  
Oct 31st Margaret Bamber (1997)



*May the memory of the lives of those who have gone before us, inspire us to be people of faith and prayer; may they rest in peace. AMEN.*

### POUND DRAW WINNERS

£10.00 Margaret Morgan  
£10.00 Marie Clark  
£10.00 Maureen Waddington  
£10.00 Eibhlin Welch  
£61.00 towards Parish funds, thank you!



*There will be another special draw with £100 first prize plus others for Christmas.*

**CAFOD:** Tea & Coffee at CC: £150.00. Thank you!

### A WARM SPACE!

Sheila Chadwick would like to investigate the possibility of opening Christ Church as a 'warm space' during the winter months. If this is something you might be interested in looking into with her, then you can contact her on:

T: 01282 614986

[shenevchadwick181@gmail.com](mailto:shenevchadwick181@gmail.com)

### MASS INTENTIONS

McGuinness family, anniv.  
Edward & Bernadette Reilly & Family  
Woods family & Jimmy O'Neil  
Alan Turner, 1st anniv, 1st Nov

### CHURCH COLLECTION

23rd October: £445.00  
Standing Orders: approx.: £635 p/w.

### CHRISTMAS FAIR

Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> November, 11am-1:30pm. Stalls – Cakes and preserves, gifts, Christmas items, books, toys & games. Tombola. Lunches. Entry £1 includes hot drink & biscuits / mince pies. Items for the stalls are very welcome. Please note: it has been decided not to have bric-a-brac or jewellery stalls this year. If you can help on the day or to set up on Friday afternoon (18<sup>th</sup> Nov) please let Jill Dugdale know. Many thanks, Jill

### Weekly activities at Christ Church.

**Wednesdays:** "Talk and Do" Group: 10:30am till 12:30pm, £2 per session.

**Fridays:** Exercise Class: 11am - 12noon, £5.00

**Fridays:** Bible study at Christ Church, 11.00am.

### Community Lunch

This week, Tuesday (1st Nov) and every other Tuesday at Christ Church, 12.00noon, £4.00. Food and friendship! Just come along, no need to book.