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This week 13th November 2022.

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday Vigil Mass, 6.00pm,

Remembrance Sunday.

Lest we forget.

Sunday Mass, 9.30am.

Key:	Ap.	Apostle
	Bp	Bishop
	D	Doctor of the Church
	M	Martyr
	P	Priest
	V	Virgin



Tuesday	10.00am	Mass.	St. Albert the Great	Bp D
Wednesday	10.00am	Mass.	St. Margaret of Scotland or St. Gertrude	V
Thursday	5.45pm	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction		
	6.30pm.	Mass	St. Elizabeth of Hungary, St. Hilda of Whitby Abbess	
			St. Hugh of Lincoln	Bp.
Friday	10.00am	Mass.	Dedication of Basilicas of Sts Peter and Paul.	
Saturday	11.00am - 11.30am	Confessions during Exposition		

6.00pm Vigil Mass for Sunday.

next week 20th November Jesus Christ Universal King

**Sunday Mass: Saturday Vigil 6.00pm,
Sunday, 9.30am.**

Sick and Retired Priests' Fund

Some years ago the Diocese of Salford established a Sick and Retired Priests' Fund to ensure all priests can receive the accommodation, care and support they need in their retirement. Its aim is to ensure that priests, having retired from parish or other ministries, are adequately supported.

With a greater number of retired priests (almost one in three are over the age of 75) there is an increasing call on the Retired Priests' Fund to support them.

There will be a separate bucket for this collection next weekend, the 19th and 20th of November. Once again we ask you to be generous to this appeal.

Christmas Fair,

Sunday 27th November in the hall 10.30am to 12.30pm.

We have started our collection of donations for the Fair.

We need the following:-

- bottles for prizes on the Bottle Tombola, from ketchup to whisky
- small prizes for the Tombola, e.g. chocolate, toiletries,
- Raffle prizes, handmade crafts and gifts.

We will be having a cake stall but these donations can be brought the day before or before Mass on the 27th.

Please note NO Bric a Brac!!!

Remembrance Mass for the parish.

Wednesday 23rd November 7.00pm.

There will be our annual Mass for those from the parish who have died and members of your families who have died, in the last year.

We will pray for them and invite you to light a votive light in their memory during the bidding prayers. Everyone welcome.

Barton Grange trip Wednesday 7th December

There are two seats remaining for this trip with the Friendship and Bereavement Group. It departs at 9.30 am, returns at 2.00 pm. Cost £16.00. Any enquiries, **please send a text message to Josephine 07745 375742.**

Bishop Raymond of the diocese of Chinhoyi, Zimbabwe.

You may remember that Bishop Raymond spent a weekend with us before Covid. We have stayed in touch through WhatsApp and last week he wrote: "...When big economies like yours sneeze the third world catch a cold. This is what has happened. The majority live on less than a dollar a day. Many of our people are really fighting each day just to survive. Our economic desperation grossly affected the church. We are failing to run anything, pay bills, maintain our churches, look after our priests and worst of all we are failing to look after the poor. The church traditionally was where the poor turned to. The reduced budgets of CAFOD and CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES and others has had a very negative impact on our capacity to respond to disasters. And so we live in this valley of tears and yet, even in all this, GOD is good. We go on still struggling along."

He didn't ask for help. He didn't need to. His desperation was clear. We are asking so much of you now that I'm not suggesting a collection as such, but there will be a bucket at the back of church with his name on it and anything you choose to give will be sent to him straight away.

Thank you, Fr. Peter.