



St John Southworth's RC Parish
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**21st Sunday in
 Ordinary Time**



25th August 2024



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 secure online donation to the parish!**

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Thank you to Christvin and our Methodist friends at Christ Church!

The Children's Holiday Bible Club provided the children with a time for fun, friendship, and faith for three mornings this week. I would like to thank Christvin and all the Methodist volunteers for providing this experience for the children which also helps to support their parents in this time of summer holiday. Eleven children from the Catholic congregation attended, and, on the final day, we all enjoyed a lovely presentation from the children and a shared meal to celebrate the end of three days of prayer, song, crafts and activities.



Welcome to Deacon Damian

This weekend, we extend a very warm welcome to Deacon Damian Buggie who is a deacon from Sabden in the parish of Our Lady of the Valley. Damian has been ministering on a regular basis at our 7.00pm Mass at Holy Saviour's for more than two years now, and has also come along to some of our special occasion Masses and services at Christ Church. He has also joined us, on occasion, for wedding and cleaning! However, this is the first time that Damian is joining us for our weekend Masses, and we look forward to hearing his words as he takes up the preaching duties at both of our Sunday Masses.

**Friday 30th August at
 Christ Church at 7.00pm.**

WELCOME SERVICE

A service of welcome for the new Methodist minister in the Pendle and Burnley Circuit, Rev. Adrian Perry.

As the Catholic community at Christ Church we can come along to show our support!

May the Lord bless Rev Adrian in his new appointment.

Mass schedule for week beginning Monday 26th August 2024

Monday 26th Aug	Tuesday 27th Aug	Wednesday 28th Aug	Thursday 29th August	Friday 30th Aug	Saturday 31st Aug	SUNDAY 1st Sept
NO MASS	MASS C.C. 10.00am	H.S. 7.00pm	MASS & Exposition C.C. 10.00am	MASS C.C. 10.00am	NO MASS	C.C. 9.30am H.S. 11.15am

There will be no children's church over the summer break.

Date	Reader 1	Reader 2
This Sunday: 25th August	Monica McArdle	Roger Lee
Next Sunday: 1st September	Jeremiah	Zechariah



Morning of Reflection on the Eucharist & Eucharistic Ministry

It was really lovely to see such a great attendance at our Eucharistic morning! We will soon be able to restore Communion under both kinds in both our churches thanks to so many in the parish who have responded to the call to take up this sacred ministry.

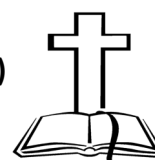
POUND DRAW

£10.00: David Armstrong
 £10.00: Chris Dunleavy
 £10.00: Eileen Spillane
 £10.00: Linda Shutt
 £97.00 towards Parish Funds, thank you!



BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE

August 25th Dorothy Harrison (1967)
 August 25th Kathleen Tansey (2016)
 August 28th Milton Duckworth (1936)
 August 29th Marie McDermott (2006)
 August 30th Sheila Wright (2015)
 August 30th Rehmat Massey (1990)
 August 30th E F Davy (2005)



MASS INTENTIONS

Marie McDermott, anniv, 29th August
 Mary Ingham, b'day anniv, 20th August

CHURCH COLLECTION

18th August: £361.50
 Standing Orders: approx: £607 p/w

Annual Retreat at The Briery, Ilkley

Friday 18th October - Sunday 20th October 2024

THEME: Pilgrims of Hope. Led by Linda & Helen.
COST: £180 - £20.00 deposit to Sue Barnes before 7th Sept please. **CONTACT:** Sue Barnes: 01282 618231.