

## The Good Shepherd Parish worshipping at Sacred Heart Church.

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**Saturday 18th**      **6.00pm. Vigil Mass**    **2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**Sunday 19th**      **9.30am. Sunday Mass**

Tuesday 21st	10.00am Mass	St Agnes V M
Wednesday 22nd	10.00am Mass	St Vincent Deacon M
Thursday 23rd	Exposition 5.45pm - 6.25pm Mass 6.30pm.	
Friday 24th	Mass 10.00am.	St Francis de Sales
Saturday 25th	11.00am - 11.30am Confessions (no Exposition this week) The Conversion of St. Paul	

Key:	Ap.	Apostle
	Ab	Abbott
	Bp	Bishop
	D	Doctor
	M	Martyr
	P	Priest
	R	Religious
	V	Virgin

**Saturday 25th**      **6.00pm. Vigil Mass**    **3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**Sunday 26th**      **9.30am. Sunday Mass**

### A quick 'Hello' from our new CAFOD representatives!

Recently, David Burbridge and Emily McAuley put themselves forward to represent CAFOD on behalf of our parish. They write: "We are here to update the parish about the work that is being done within the Charity, keep the parish informed about how together we can continue to help CAFOD, and how we can continue our support through many forms of fundraising or volunteering."

David and Emily both wear CAFOD lanyards that you can scan to donate. So, if you would like to donate or even if you'd just like to talk to them more about the work that CAFOD does, and how we as a parish continue to support them, they are always available for a chat!

## **Rota for Eucharistic Ministers at Sunday Mass**

A new rota is on the website and on the sacristy noticeboard. Please check when you are needed and note it. If you are unable to complete, then it is your responsibility to ask someone else on the rota to do

## **Welcomers on Saturday night**

Do you regularly come to Mass on Saturday night? If you can spare a little time before and after Mass, why not become a welcomer? The 'job' includes welcoming people, of course, but also a few jobs to prepare before Mass and a bit of tidying up afterwards.

If you are interested in offering this contribution to the work of the parish, please email David Burbridge on david.burbridge088@gmail.com to find out more.

## **Upcoming special collections**

We will be having two collections in church: -

### **LEPRA on the 25<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup> of January**

Today, 500 people will be diagnosed with leprosy, more than 28 of these will be children.

It is curable!

With your help, Lepra can find, diagnose and treat people affected by leprosy so that they will have a brighter future of hope.

### **CARITAS on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> of February**

In the geography covered by Caritas Salford's services-

There are over 333,000 children living in poverty

In June 2024 there were 419 people sleeping rough in that month

5805 households in temporary accommodation, including 8406 children.

Thousands more at risk of losing their homes due to financial difficulties

**Your support can make a big difference to those who are experiencing poverty, homelessness and disadvantage.**

## **Lost property**

We are holding several items that have been left behind after Mass. For example, an adult navy hoodie, a basket with an umbrella and a pair of black gloves. Please collect them as soon as possible or they will be donated to charity.

Please note that the parish office now has a temporary new phone number 01282 942308.