



St John Southworth's RC Parish
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**23rd Sunday
in Ordinary Time**



7th Sept 2025



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Embodied Prayer, Saturday 13th September, Christ Church, 10am – 12noon

Monica will be leading a time of embodied prayer at Christ Church on Saturday 13th September from 10am—12 noon. Everyone is welcome to come along to enter into the experience of embodied prayer which is understood more through experience than by description and explanation! As there is a certain amount of physical movement involved, comfortable clothing is recommended!



**Father and son team -
Ife and Jonah**



Beautiful!



Purple Haze!
Helen brought a splash of
colour to the proceedings



**Damian and James -
brothers in arms**



Many thanks to all those
who came to tackle the
weeds at Holy Saviour's
Church. We do our very
best to make God's house
look well-cared for -
it's a sign of our gratitude
to the one who cares for us
until he has given every-
thing he has to give!

Mass schedule for week beginning Monday 8th September

| Monday 8th Sept | Tuesday 9th Sept | Wednesday 10th Sept | Thursday 11th Sept | Friday 12th Sept | Saturday 13th Sept | Sunday 14th Sept |
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| NO MASS | MASS 10.00am C.C | MASS 7.00pm H.S | MASS & Exposition 10.00am C.C. | MASS 10.00am C.C. | Embodied Prayer C.C. 10am | C.C. 9.30am H.S. 11.15am |

| Date | Reader 1 | Reader 2 |
|-------------------------------|-----------------|----------------|
| This Sunday: 7th Sept | Zechariah Javed | Jeremiah Javed |
| Next Sunday: 14th Sept | Luke Mendoza | Dawid Zycinski |

Children's Church: I would like to express my thanks, and also on behalf of the parents, to our catechists who provide this great service to the children, bringing them into an experience of faith as they share the gospel with them on Sunday mornings throughout the year. The parents are also enabled to participate more fully in the Mass as their children are cared for by our catechists. Do encourage parents with children to come to church where we do our very best to give everyone a positive experience of faith and a welcoming community.

This week: C.C. Barabara H and Linda G H.S. David A and Venus / Catherine M and Irene B

Eucharistic Ministry **1st Sunday (C.C. and H.S.)**

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| Francis Ryan | Sarah Kelly |
| Ewa Zycinska | Joanne Thompson |
| Khuram Javed | Sheila Cooper |
| Siobhan James | Venus Ghulam |
| Margaret Morgan | Dawid Zycinski |

POUND DRAW

The Pound Draw returns this weekend. Just put £1.00 into one of the brown envelopes, write your name on it—or the name of a family member, and put it in the box at the back of church! Many thanks for your support!

Knights of St Columba

Meeting every second Tuesday of the month at KSC Club, Forest St, Nelson at 8.00pm. For Catholic men who are seeking to express their faith together in service and action. All welcome to come along this Tuesday.

CHURCH COLLECTION

31st August: £219.60
Standing Orders: approx: £685 p/w.
Thank you!

Community Lunch at Christ Church

Tuesday **9th** September at 12 noon £4 per person for a 2-course meal plus tea/coffee. All welcome.

MASS INTENTIONS

William Redley and Family (William died recently aged 15)
Mrs Josie Ward, died recently
Margaret Connolly, died recently (9th August)
Brenda Baldwin, died recently (28th August)
Donald Sinclair, died recently
Joe Smrt, b'day anniv, 12th Sept
Alec Holt, b'day anniv, 21st Sept

BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE

Sept 9th Mary Nicholas (2004)
Sept 10th Joseph Goodier (1976)
Sept 10th Barbara Carlile (2024)
Sept 11th Victims of Terrorism
Catherine Barnes (2011)
Sept 12th ` Arthur J Melling (1938)



May their souls, and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

MEN'S RETREAT DAY

We will be collecting names this weekend for the Men's Retreat Day which will take place at Whittle-le-Woods on Saturday 4th October. It's such a life-giving experience to dedicate some time to the Lord and to experience a renewal of our faith. It is even more rewarding to bring along someone else we know who might not attend if it were not for our invitation!

"From now on you will be fishers of men!"