



**THE GOOD SHEPHERD PARISH
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This week commencing 8th March

Saturday 7 th March	6.00pm Vigil Mass	Third Sunday in Lent
Sunday 8 th March	9.30am Mass	
	4.00pm	Stations of the Cross, Evening Prayer, Benediction
Monday 9th March	10.00am Mass	Commemoration of Saint Frances of Rome
Tuesday 10th March	10.00am Mass	
Thursday 12th March	5.45pm	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. 6.15pm
	Benediction	
	6.30pm	Mass
Friday 13th March	10.00am	Mass
Saturday 14th March	11.00am – 11.30am	Confessions during Exposition
Saturday 14 th March	6.00pm Vigil Mass	Fourth Sunday in Lent
Sunday 15 th March	9.30am Mass	
	4.00pm	Stations of the Cross, Evening Prayer, Benediction

Parish Community Support Group

We are collecting clothes for adults and children to send to Kenya in 1 week. If you have any unwanted clothes please place in a bag at the back of church. Please use the pink box in the church porch for these appeals. Thank you for the sleeping bags and tents.

Fundraising Committee for the church roof As mentioned in the last two weeks, the church roof needs urgent repairs which will cost in excess of £20,000. Father Peter said we have got some tangible donations, but we need to raise funds to cover the remaining costs. We are therefore looking for volunteers to join a new Fund Raising Committee. The committee will generate activities on how to raise funds. Please join in and help to ensure that our church is fit for the next generation." Thank you. Please see Pius

LENTEN TALKS - Our Lady and Lancashire Martyrs, Little Hulton, M28 ODL

There will be a series of talks and prayerful reflections over the Lenten period on a Tuesday morning, 10.30 am to 12.30 pm. Light refreshments provided and donations welcomed. Please contact Sister Joan Kerley (joankfmsj@gmail.com or 07934 816 796) to reserve a place. Details for each session are on the Salford Diocese website www.dioceseofsalford.org.uk/lenten-talks-school-of-prayer/

10 March God calls us to Healing

"He went and washed and came back seeing"

17 March God Calls us to Fullness of Life

"I am the resurrection and the life. Whoever believes in me, even though he die, yet shall he live, and everyone who believes in me shall never die"

24 March God Calls us to Embrace the Cross

"If any want to become my followers, let them deny themselves and take up their cross daily and follow me"

The local Provincial Catenian Association

are having a weekend full of fun and activities in a sumptuous hotel in Briggs near Lincoln during w/e 27-29 March 2026. The weekend includes 2 nights bed and breakfast with evening meals, spa, golf and entertainment etc. at a price of £400 for double bed and £300 for single.

If you are interested, see full details on the notice board at the back of church or speak with Pius. Highly recommended.

Christian Heritage Centre at Stonyhurst

Forming Catholic Student Leaders

Two summer courses exploring faith, ethics and leadership for sixth form students, offered by the Christian Heritage Centre at Stonyhurst.

Join us for 6 days in the beautiful Ribble Valley to explore themes linked to **The Common Good (Year 12, 10-15 August)** and to **The Human Ecology (Year 13, 5-10 July)**. Meet new friends, discuss and share with peers, tutors and academics, learn new skills, develop your relationship with Christ, build your character.

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