

**THE GOOD SHEPHERD PARISH
WORSHIPPING AT
SACRED HEART CHURCH.**

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Saturday 23rd

6.00pm Vigil Mass

Feast of Pentecost

The Feast of the Holy Spirit

Sunday 24th

9.30am Mass

Monday 25th

10.00am Mass Mass

Mary, Mother of the Church

Tuesday 26th

10.00am Mass Mass St. Philip Neri P

Thursday 28th

5.45pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

6.15pm Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament

6.30pm Mass Our Lord Jesus Christ Eternal High Priest

Friday 29th

10.00am Mass St. Paul VI pope

Saturday 30th

11.00am Confessions during Exposition

Saturday 30th

6.00pm Vigil Mass Feast of The Most Holy Trinity

Sunday 31st

9.30am Mass



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

Sacred Heart Parish Support Group Clothes Appeal for Nigeria

Many of you would have been moved by Father Anthony's homily two weeks ago when he visited the Sacred Heart to make an appeal for the MSP Fathers. Most distressing was the fact that the people are so very poor that adults actually go to Mass naked. The mission has an office in Brixton and will gladly accept and forward on to Nigeria any clothing we would like to contribute. We have arranged with a local haulage firm to take our donations to Brixton at no charge. The Parish Support Group is collecting clothes (washed and ironed please) for men, women and children. Nigeria is sub Saharan and is very warm, so summer weight clothes please. We are collecting clothes in the pink box at the back of church for the next four weeks. Please be generous. Thank you.

Father Anthony of the Missionaries of St. Paul has asked me to pass on the grateful thanks of the Congregation for the £552.60 you gave him.

Catholic Legacy Week, 24-30 May, is a time when Parishes and Catholic charities such as CAFOD celebrate the work made possible in the life of the Church through gifts in Wills. Find out more about the week using QR code or at cafod.org.uk/CatholicLegacyWeek

Fundraising for the church roof - we need your time as well as your money

Time-

We are at the early stages of following up on several ideas that have been suggested. For these we would like some volunteers to help. Even if you only have a little time we would appreciate it. These include organising:

Weekly draw - where people contribute a monthly amount and someone wins a cash prize. We will need someone to organise it.

Flower festival in church - if you could help organise

Quiz night (external venue) - this is mainly sorted, however, we will need teams to take part.

Open Day in church - have you got knowledge of the church, could you show visitors around and tell them about the history etc.

If you would like to help please email enquiries@goodshepherdpendle.org.uk saying what you could help with. Thank you.

The fundraising committee are also producing a fundraising pack, organising photographs of the church, making a virtual video of the church, using social media to advertise both the beauty and importance of the church and the funds needed to keep it going as well as contacting key individuals and businesses and sourcing external venues for some events.

Money

We are thankful for what you have raised so far and if you have more, please note the following ways to pay:-

- Cash for the roof Fund - the two perspex collection boxes.
- One off donations for the Roof Fund which can be Gift Aided - please use the envelopes next to the perspex collection boxes.
- Card - using the machine at the back of church. Please select "parish" (which will support the roof fund), the Parish Community Service group (food bank, for short, but they do a lot more), and Piety stall for religious items.
- Standing Order - this is the most convenient way to give perhaps for yourselves, but certainly for us. It reduces the work for the counters and reduces the cash to be taken to the bank. There are Standing Order forms at the back of church, or just ask a 'welcomer' or someone in the sacristy.
- Bank Transfer - you can pay directly into the parish bank account. The details are as follows: Sort Code 205534 Account number 50869627. Account Name TSdT The Good Shepherd Colne. Again, if you make a gift and you want the whole amount to be for the roof repairs, please ensure that you tell Fr. Peter who can give it the appropriate category code on the parish accounts.

Deanery Corpus Christi Procession – Sunday 7th June

Following the visit of the relics of St Carlo Acutis to the Diocese in February, many people were inspired anew by the deep Eucharistic faith of this young saint, who reminded us that: "The Eucharist is my highway to heaven." Since then, there has been a real desire among the faithful to respond to this call to rediscover the centrality of the Eucharist in our lives.

In response, the St John Vianney Deanery is organising a Corpus Christi Procession on Sunday 7th June at 3.00pm at St Mary Magdalene's RC Church, Burnley. The afternoon will include the Blessed Sacrament procession, devotions, reflections from some of the deanery priests, and the opportunity to celebrate the Sacrament of Confession.

What makes such an occasion truly prayerful—what makes it a moment of grace where faith is deepened and love for the Lord renewed—is simply this: that we come. That we accept the invitation.

The Lord himself beckons us:

"Could you not watch one hour with me?" (Matthew 26:40)

and again, in the mystery of the Eucharist:

"Do you also wish to go away?" (John 6:67) He calls each of us personally. All are warmly welcome. The Lord is calling

Message received from CAFOD

A sincere "thank you" from CAFOD for your generous donations to this Lent's Family Fast Day appeal. Your donations and prayers are supporting communities such as those using floating gardens, enabling them to become self-sufficient with quality food, in the face of the impacts of climate change. Thank you for providing them with hope. To find out more about our work visit cafod.org.uk/

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