

# PARISH OF ST JOSEPH & ST ALBAN

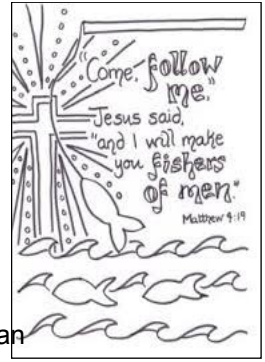
Serving the Communities of  
Our Lady Star of the Sea & St Joseph & St Alban  
Local Pastoral Area 21

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## THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### Saturday 20th January

6pm (St Alban's) Intentions of Sylvia Bishop

### Sunday 21st January

9.30am (St Alban's) Our Parish Family  
11am (St Joseph's) Ellen Cosgrove  
6.30pm (St Joseph's) Rev Norman Carew

### Monday 22nd January

9.30am (St Josephs) Michael Crowley

### Tuesday 23rd January

10.00am (St Alban's) Pray the Rosary. All welcome  
10.30am (St Joseph's) Funeral Service Joseph McChrystal  
12 noon (St Alban's) Keeley & Dacey Families

### Wednesday 24th January St Francis de Sales

11.30am (St Joseph's) Prayer before the Blessed Sacrament  
12noon (St Joseph's) Betty & David Ledder

### Thursday 25th January Conversion of St Paul

12noon (St Alban's) Allan Palmer

### Friday 26th January Ss Timothy & Titus

NB 7pm (St Alban's) Intentions of Fr David Long  
7pm (St Josephs) Padre Pio Prayer Group

### Saturday 27th January

11.30am (St Alban's) Divine Mercy Rosary  
12 noon (St Alban's) Christina Howell

## FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### Saturday 28th January

6pm (St Alban's) Sr Anthony

### Sunday 29th January

9.30am (St Alban's) Special Intention  
11am (St Joseph's) Thanksgiving from Pauline & family  
6.30pm (St Joseph's) Our Parish Family

### Sacrament of Reconciliation

St Alban's Saturday 11am - 11.45am and  
St Joseph's before weekend Masses

### Morning Prayer at St Alban's

9.00am ~ Tuesday - Thursday

### Ecumenical Morning Prayer for Central Wallasey

Churches ~ February ~ Marlowe Rd URC led by St Lukes

### Ecumenical Morning Prayer for South Wallasey

Churches ~ February ~ St Joseph's

### Offertory Collection

Loose £287.83 Gift Aid Envelopes £496.70  
Non Gift Aid envelopes £305.72  
Total £1090.25

Thank you for your continued generosity

## PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

### Those who are sick

Bonnie Brough, Dave Dodgson, Christine Turner, Sheila Ronayne, Kevin Thompson, Anne Croman, Brian McNamee, Pat McDavitt, Gwen Bucknell, Joan Walsh, Mary Pelling, Bart Cosgrove, Len Durkin, David Taylor, John Dittman, Brenda Cottrell, Frank Gibson, Allan Bucknall, Margaret Easton, Anthony Jones, Brendan Mason, Miriam Bridson, Joan Smethurst, Andrew Lee, Andrew Goldsmith, Kevin Bradford, David Brown, Leonard Block, Ms Callaghan, Jimmy Dawson, Libby Haugh, Pat Hughes, Alice Gorman, Abi Lusisa, Mary Stalker, Richie Cooke, James Prendergast, Kathleen Davies, George Cornah, Christopher and Clifford Browne, Mary Parker, Joey Ayala Herbert, Ada Battersby, Joan Hyslop, Gary Reddington, Irene Sadler, Jacintha Hughes, Norma Morris, Alan Palmer

### Recently Baptised

### Recently Deceased

Joseph McChrystal  
Canon Harry Stratton, Deacon Stephen McKenna

## With immense gratitude .....

Pauline and her family send their love and thanks for the many, many cards, masses and flowers they received in memory of Norman. The love and support you have given to all the family has helped to ease the sadness of these difficult days, we are so blessed to know so many wonderful people and will offer a thanksgiving mass for the gift of your friendship at 11am on Sunday 29th January.

## ROTAS

### St Alban's (w/b)

Flowers	21 Jan Team 3	28 Jan Team 4
Cleaning	21 Jan Team 3	28 Jan Team 4
Counting	21 Jan Peter	28 Jan Tony
Teas	21 Jan Rosanna & Co	28 Jan Clara & Co
Offertory	21 Jan Mary & Pat	28 Jan June Nowell

### St Joseph's

Teas	January Eleanor, Betty, Helen & Tom
Cleaning	February 2nd/3rd Sylvia and Sandra
Counting	21 Jan El & Phil 28 Jan Angela & Bunty

**Fr David's Thanksgiving Mass  
7pm**

**Friday 26th January  
and afterwards  
in St Alban's Parish Hall**

Please join us for a glass of wine  
and a shared table

\*\*\* *Your help is needed* \*\*\*



*Pat Walker will be setting up the  
centre on Friday afternoon from  
2pm, please let Pat know if you are  
able to help, many hands make  
light work  
also*

*If you have offered a donation for the buffet  
could you please bring it to the Hall  
between 2 and 3pm*

If you wish to contribute to Fr David's  
presentation gift please take an envelope from  
the back of church and return it to the parish  
office by Thursday

**St Albans SVP** would like to thank those who made  
Christmas donations to the funds. We really  
appreciate your generosity. Please be assured that this  
money will be used locally to support individuals and  
families in need. Mass will be offered for your  
intentions.

**ST JOSEPH'S LOTTERY**

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Estimated Jackpot for next draw on 25th Jan is **£540**

Tickets are 50p and can be purchased  
after Sunday Masses or from Campbell's Chemist,  
Maritime Grange, Elegance Hairdresser,  
Technique Hairdressers, Wynn Ellis Chemist,  
Gt Float Social Club, Nelsons Newsagents, Borough Rd

**St Alban's Ladies**

At the next meeting on Tuesday 23rd January you  
are invited to a talk and slide show of old Wallasey  
by Ken Clarke. Everyone is very welcome

**St Alban's 200 Club**

£25     69     P Moor  
£10     21     L Young

If you pay half-yearly or yearly and still owe your  
payments can you let Mary have the payment as soon  
as possible.

There are lots of winning numbers still available!  
Please see Mary if you would like to join the 200 club.



**MESSY CHURCH**

**21st January 2018**

Please come along to St Alban's Hall  
for food, fun and activities!

**3.00 – 3.55 Crafts    3.55 – 4.10 Liturgy  
4.10 – 4.30 Light refreshments**

Families are welcome but please note that children **must**  
be accompanied by an adult.

**Mass for Marriage and Family Life**

Bishop Mark will celebrate the Mass at noon on  
Saturday 10th February at Our Lady & St  
Christopher, Romiley. All married couples and  
families are welcome but if you are celebrating a  
significant wedding anniversary (silver, pearl, ruby,  
golden or platinum) and wish to attend, then please  
give your details to the parish office by the 2nd of  
February and we will arrange for a special invitation  
to be sent to you on behalf of the Bishop.

**TRUSSELL TRUST FOOD BANK**

65.60kg

Many thanks for your continued help  
**St Alban's Distribution Centre is open  
Tuesday 5 - 7pm**

To obtain help from the Foodbank you need to request  
a Voucher from one-stop shop, health visitor, doctor,  
social worker  
or Citizens Advice Bureau

**Enquiry Group 2018**

*If you know of anyone who is interested in joining the  
Church, or simply wants to find out more about us,  
could you please suggest that they contact :*

**John and Mary Odell – tel no 630 4355**

*Sessions (friendly and informal) are held on a  
Monday evening - Warm welcome guaranteed*



**Winter Ceilidh**

In support of the Friends of the Holy Land

**Friday 2nd February**

**St Alban's Parish Centre from 7.30pm**

**Tickets £5 (please bring your own drinks & nibbles)**

Tickets available after weekend Masses,  
from John Odell, Pat Walker, or from Parish Office

**Donations of raffle prizes will be gratefully received  
and can be left at the parish office please**

**MILL HILL MISSIONS**

The red boxes are now due to emptied. Please leave  
your boxes at the Parish Office at St Alban's or in the  
sacristy at St Joseph's. Emptied boxes will be left at  
the back of church for collection.

**ST ALBAN'S FRIDAY LUNCH GROUP**

**"Eat Simply so Others may Simply Eat"**

Please join us each Friday in St Alban's Parish Hall from  
11.15am for soup, two sandwiches and a cup of tea or  
coffee for a minimum donation of £1.