



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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"Not all of us can do
great things. But we can
do small things with
great love."

Mother Teresa

THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

Saturday 3rd March

6pm (St Alban's) Flo Kelly

Sunday 4th March

9.30am (St Alban's) Our Parish Family
11am (St Joseph's) Alan Powell
3pm (St Joseph's) Stations of the Cross
6.30pm (St Joseph's) Kay Tomlinson

Monday 5th March

9.30am (St Josephs) Service of Word and Eucharist

Tuesday 6th March

10.00am (St Alban's) Pray the Rosary. All welcome
12 noon (St Alban's) Stanley Slater

Wednesday 7th March

11.30am (St Joseph's) Prayer before the
Blessed Sacrament
12noon (St Joseph's) Harry Neville

Thursday 8th March

12noon (St Alban's) Mary Goodwin
2pm (St Joseph's) Requiem Mass of Patricia Sherlock
7pm (St Joseph's) Lenten Reflection with Fr Ramesh

Friday 9th March

12noon (St Alban's) Norma Muldoon
1.30pm (Landican) Funeral Service of Kenneth Lynch
7pm (St Alban's) Stations of the Cross

Saturday 10th March

11.30am (St Alban's) Divine Mercy Rosary
12 noon (St Alban's) Dorothy McLoughlin

FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

Saturday 10th March

6pm (St Alban's) Pattie Owen & Dec'd family & friends

Sunday 11th March

9.30am (St Alban's) Dave White
11am (St Joseph's) Margaret Hagan
3pm (St Joseph's) Stations of the Cross
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 ~ March ~ St Alban's led by St Thomas'

Ecumenical Morning Prayer for South Wallasey Churches ~ March ~ St Mary's

Offeratory Collection

Loose £243.41 Gift Aid Envelopes £387.75
Non Gift Aid envelopes £201.90
Total £832.96

CAFOD—Family Fast Day £188.33

Thank you for your continued generosity

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Those who are sick

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, Kathleen Davies, George Cornah, Christopher and Clifford Browne, Mary Parker, Joey Ayala Herbert, Ada Battersby, Joan Hyslop, Irene Sadler, Jacintha Hughes, Norma Morris, John Moroney

Recently Baptised

James Warburton, Jack Moore

Recently Deceased

Kenneth Lynch, Sheila Warren,
Sr Rita Timson, Fr Stephen Dwyer

LENTEN REFLECTIONS

Please note the next reflection evening will be
held on

THURSDAY 8th MARCH

with **Fr Ramesh**

from 7pm-9pm

in St Joseph's presbytery

ROTAS

St Alban's (w/b)

Flowers	4 Mar	Team 1	11 Mar	Team 2
Cleaning	4 Mar	Team 1	11 Mar	Team 2
Counting	4 Mar	Team Michael	11 Mar	Charles
Teas	4 Mar	Clara & Co	11 Mar	Maria & Katie
Offertory	4 Mar	Marilyn & Michael	11 Mar	School

St Joseph's

Teas	March	Michael and Marian,
Cleaning	2nd/3rd Mar	Eleanor, Peter, Michael
Counting	11 Mar	Denis & Mandy 18 Mar El & Phil

**This week we have welcomed to
St Joseph's & St. Alban's**

Very Rev. Fr Jegaraj SSS, Provincial Superior of India and Rev Fr Ernest SSS Provincial Treasurer of India.

They arrived from India on Monday afternoon and are 'enjoying' the cold and snow! They have celebrated masses with Fr Devan and Fr Ramesh in both our churches and are looking forward to meeting our parish family.

BAPTISMAL PREPARATION

If you wish to have your child/children baptised you must first attend a preparation meeting.

Next meeting is Sunday 11th March at 2pm
in St Alban's Parish Hall

ST ALBAN'S LADIES REFLECTION DAY

St Alban's Ladies invite everyone to join them on Tuesday 13th March for a day of Lenten reflection. The day will begin with rosary at 10am in church, and the morning session will be led by Fr Ramesh, followed by coffee in the parish hall. After the 12noon Mass the afternoon session will be led by Sr Catherine Darby. Please bring a packed lunch, drinks provided and let Louisa Morriss (630 1373) or parish office know if you are able to attend. A small donation of £3 is requested towards the costs of the day.

St Marys' College Lourdes Group

RACE NIGHT on

Friday 23rd March

St Alban's Parish Centre
Tickets £2 with 1 free bet

are available from

Mich.Brow@stmaryswallasey.com



**Guide Dogs for the Blind
Coffee Morning**

at St Alban's Parish Centre ~ 10am - 12pm

Saturday 17th March

Admission £1

Cakes, Gifts, Raffle and Tombola

Any donations of bottles, or gifts will be much appreciated and can be given to Pat Walker or left at the parish office



PASTORAL SUPPORT GROUP

Next meeting will be held at 7.30pm in St Alban's on Tuesday 6th March

ST JOSEPH'S LOTTERY

Please see noticeboard for numbers

Estimated Jackpot for next draw on 15 Mar is **£410?**

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

'24 Hours for the Lord'

United in spirit with Pope Francis, Holy Apostles' and Martyrs' will host the **24 hour prayer vigil**

for all the local Deanery parishes from **7pm Friday 9th March**

to 7pm Saturday 10th March.

The Church will be open for 24 hours for **Prayer,**

Eucharistic Adoration and throughout Saturday, Confessions will be heard

PLEASE NOTE

LPA Lenten Reconciliation Service
from 7—8pm Friday 9th March

TRUSSELL TRUST FOOD BANK

50.51kg

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

The Foodbank request your help with supplies of tinned spaghetti, tea, toothpaste, shampoo and fruit squash 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

St Alban's Men's Group

are hosting a

BIG QUIZ & BINGO NIGHT

plus **RAFFLE**

Friday 9th March

in St Alban's Parish Centre

Tickets from

Tony Berry (208 6632), Phil Corcoran (637 1617), Peter Ridgeway (691 1504),

Pat Higgins (630 4905) or Parish Office

All Proceeds to St Alban's SVP



MESSY CHURCH

Sunday 18th March

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.

St Alban's 200 Club

£25	14	S Docherty
£10	17	M Lawler

Weekly/monthly envelopes are at the back of church If you would like to join the 200 club please contact

Mary Buckley on 630 4534

Lots of lucky numbers still available!!!