



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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when nothing
goes right...
go left.

PENTECOST SUNDAY

Saturday 19th May

6pm (St Alban's) Our Parish Family

Sunday 20th May

9.30am (St Alban's) Sr Augustine Sheridan

11am (St Joseph's) Casey Family

6.30pm (St Joseph's) Lily & Susan Hayward

Monday 21st May **Dedication of the Cathedral**

9.30am (St Joseph's) Service of Word and Eucharist

Tuesday 22nd May

10.00am (St Alban's) Pray the Rosary. All welcome

12 noon (St Alban's) Requiem Mass of Margaret Easton

Wednesday 23rd May

11.30am (St Joseph's) Prayer before the Blessed Sacrament

12noon (St Joseph's) Walsh Family

Thursday 24th May **Our Lady help of Christians**

12noon (St Alban's) Michael Bywaters

Friday 25th May **St Bede the Venerable**

12noon (St Alban's) Terry Corcoran

7pm (St Joseph's) Padre Pio Prayer Group

Saturday 26th May

No Noon mass or Divine Mercy rosary

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

Saturday 26th May

2pm (St Alban's) Wedding Service of Jenny Pimlott and James Kilfoyle

6pm (St Alban's) Our Parish Family

Sunday 27th May

9.30am (St Alban's) Dacey & Freeman Families

11am (St Joseph's) Our Parish Family

6.30pm (St Joseph's) Graham Clayton

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Before weekend Masses or by appointment

Morning Prayer at St Alban's

9.00am ~ Tuesday - Thursday

Ecumenical Morning Prayer for Central Wallasey Churches ~ May ~ St Alban's

Ecumenical Morning Prayer for South Wallasey Churches ~

Coffee morning from 10.15am, Saturday 2nd June at Seacombe URC

Offertory Collection

Loose £446.80 Gift Aid Envelopes £241.26

Non Gift Aid envelopes £399.30

Standing Orders for April ££968.80

Total £1087.36

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, Anthony Jones, Brendan Mason, Miriam Bridson, Joan Smethurst, Andrew Goldsmith, Kevin Bradford, David Brown, Leonard Block, Ms Callaghan, Jimmy Dawson, Libby Haugh, Pat Hughes, Abi Lusisa, Mary Stalker, Richie Cooke, Kathleen Davies, George Cornah, Christopher and Clifford Browne, Joey Ayala Herbert, Ada Battersby, Joan Hyslop, Irene Sadler, Norma Morris, John Moroney, Evelyn Reed, Betty Corri, Aaron Cameron, Brenda Cook, Margaret Gannon, Mary Buckley. Rev Fr Robin Sutton, Ken Thompson, Mary Parker, Peter Malone, Dorothy Kineally, Winifred Dainty Fr Jim Farrell

Recently Deceased

Graham Clayton, Margaret Easton, James Brady, Joseph Walsh

When it is appropriate please advise the parish office (638 1520) when names can be taken off the sick list.



MESSY CHURCH

Sunday 20th May

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.

ROTAS

St Alban's (w/b)

Flowers	20 May	Team 3	27 May	Team 4
Cleaning	20 May	Team 4	27 May	Team 1
Counting	20 May	Peter	27 May	Tony
Teas	20 May	Louisa & Co	27 May	Rosanna & Co
Offertory	20 May	Pat Tomenson	27 May	June Nowell

St Joseph's

Teas	June	Michael, Maureen, Peter & Margaret
Cleaning	1/2nd June	Eleanor, Peter & Michael
Counting	20th May	El & Phil 27th May Angela & Bunty

CAN YOU HELP

Fr Robin is now home, but needs some help looking after his little dog, Sooty. If you would like to join a rota to take Sooty out for a walk please contact Fr Phil Moor on 606 4362 for further details.

DIARY DATES

Tuesday 12th June 1pm - 3.30pm

St Alban's Ladies are hosting Afternoon Tea and a sing-a-long in aid of the Lourdes Nurses in St Albans Parish Hall. Tickets £3 from Louisa Morriss or Rita Corcoran

Friday 29th June

SVP Quiz Night in St Alban's Parish Hall
Tickets available from Tony Berry or Phil Corcoran

CONFIRMATION 2018

St Alban's Church - for candidates and parents on Wednesday 23rd May from 7.30pm - 8.30pm in St Alban's Parish Hall



Look forward to meeting you

Support Worker Vacancy

to assist the Diocesan Welfare Officer. The successful applicant will support the Welfare Officer assisting in visiting and participating in the care of sick and retired priests in their own home, or community setting. Also in an administrative role, booking appointments and dealing with the day to day administrative tasks which support a safe, confidential person-centred service for retired and sick Priests in the Diocese of Shrewsbury. The work will be facilitated, supervised and supported by the Welfare Officer. For further information please visit our website <http://www.dioceseofshrewsbury.org/about-us/curia/vacancies> or send CV to Pauline.mcculloch@dioceseofshrewsbury.org.

Closing date Friday 8 June 2018.

St Alban's 200 Club

£25	60	Elizabeth Durkin
£10	41	Jean Smith

Many thanks

For your generous support at Cafe Joey on Saturday. We had an amazing response to the invitation to 'come and join us' and together we raised £632 for the Lourdes Nurses Fund. A list of Prize winners is on the noticeboard and prizes can be collected from St Joseph's sacristy.

"The Eucharist and..."

Holy Apostles and Martyrs will be hosting a series of talks in this Year of the Eucharist as we prepare for the Eucharistic Congress in September. Four excellent speakers will present reflections on themes of spirituality, praxis, culture and politics seeking to explore the connection between the Eucharist and our lives and world.

27th May The Eucharist and Human Rights:

Canon David Roberts

Eucharistic Congress 'Adoremus'

The First National Eucharistic Congress in England and Wales for 110 years is being held in Liverpool, 7-9 September 2018. The Diocesan website has a new link to Adoremus materials and booking forms on the home page. Tickets are available for Saturday's Congress Day and limited tickets remain for Friday's Symposium Day. You may join online communities on Facebook: Adoremus Eucharistic Congress; twitter: @adoremus2018 and #adoremus; and Instagram: @eucharisticcongress. Please book through the parish as soon as possible if you wish to participate.

Booking forms and details for each day are on the noticeboard, please return them to the parish office with your fee £40 as soon as possible.

ST JOSEPH'S LOTTERY

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Congratulations to the lucky Jackpot winner!

Estimated Jackpot for next draw on 24 May is **£100**

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

TRUSSELL TRUST FOOD BANK

33.36 kg

Many thanks for your continued help

St Alban's Distribution Centre - Tuesday 5 - 7pm

Tinned vegetables	Tinned Potatoes
Washing up Liquid	Tinned Spaghetti
Instant Mash	Pkt soup
Sponge puddings	Hot Chocolate
Tinned Fruit	Cereal (sml if poss)
Washing powder tabs	

We have plenty of BEANS & PASTA thank you.

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

Charity No. 1167967

LOURDES PILGRIMAGE

COACH TRANSPORT

If you require transport to the airport please sign on the list at the back of church as soon as possible. Costs will be advised as soon as we know numbers.

DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE 2018

This year marks the 160th anniversary of the apparitions of Our Lady to Bernadette in Lourdes. The Diocesan Pilgrimage will take place from 26 July-3 August overland and 27 July-2 August by air. Brochures and booking forms can be downloaded from the Pilgrimage Website www.shrewsburypilgrimage.co.uk or from the Pilgrimage Office: St Alban's, 30 Mill Lane, Wallasey, CH44 5UD. This year flight seats are limited so early booking is recommended.

ST JOSEPH'S PIETY STALL

New Spring stock is now available including lots of unusual gifts and Holy Communion cards and souvenirs.