



PARISH OF ST JOSEPH & ST ALBAN *Don't be afraid*

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

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*to change
Because
it is leading you
to a new
beginning*

TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Saturday 22nd September

6pm (St Albans) Our Parish Family

Sunday 23rd September

9.30am (St Alban's) Mary Buckley
11am (St Joseph's) Frank & Mary Sherlock (Diamond Day)
6.30pm (St Joseph's) Gary Shelley

Monday 24th September Our Lady of Walsingham

9.30am (St Joseph's) Henry Foreman

Tuesday 25th September

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

Wednesday 26th September

11.30am (St Joseph's) Devotions to the Blessed Sacrament
12noon (St Joseph's) Kathleen Turner

Thursday 27th September St Vincent de Paul

12 noon (St Alban's) Mo Boyd

Friday 28th September

11.30am (St Alban's) Devotions to the Blessed Sacrament
12 noon (St Alban's) Ann Taylor
7pm (St Joseph's) Padre Pio Prayer Group

Saturday 29th September St Michael, Gabriel & Raphael

11.30am (St Alban's) Divine Mercy Rosary
12noon (St Alban's) Pam Day

TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Saturday 29th September

6pm (St Albans) Eric Lewis

Sunday 30th September

9.30am (St Alban's) Dolly McLoughlin
11am (St Joseph's) Anne Taylor
6.30pm (St Joseph's) Intentions of our Parish Family

Sacrament of Reconciliation

St Alban's - Saturday 11am-11.45am
St Joseph's before weekend Masses or by appointment

Morning Prayer at St Alban's

9.00am ~ Tuesday - Thursday

Ecumenical Morning Prayer for Central Wallasey Churches ~ September ~ Marlowe Road

Offertory Collection

Loose £261.93 Gift Aid Envelopes £419.10

Non Gift Aid envelopes £247.90

Total £928.93

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, Gwen Bucknell, Mary Pelling, Bart Cosgrove, Len Durkin, David Taylor, John Dittman, Frank Gibson, Allan Bucknall, Anthony Jones, Brendan Mason, Miriam Bridson, Joan Smethurst, Andrew Goldsmith, David Brown, Leonard Block, Ms Callaghan, Jimmy Dawson, Libby Haugh, Pat Hughes, Richie Cooke, Kathleen Davies, George Cornah, Ada Battersby, Joan Hyslop, Irene Sadler, John Moroney, Brenda Cook, Margaret Gannon, Ken Thompson, Mary Parker, Peter Malone, Dorothy Kineally, Margaret Davies, Mgr Peter Walton, Kay Tyrrell, John Asbury, John Richards, John & Pat McDavitt, Frank & Margaret Casey, Pam Day, Jerry Murray, Philip Parker, Geraldine Ennis.

Recently Baptised

Ivy Fletcher

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



HARVEST GIVING 2018

FAST, PRAY & GIVE

"eat simply so that others may simply eat"

As part of the appeal to provide food and practical help to those in need in our world, you are invited to bring a gift of food for our local Foodbank at each mass next weekend.

At each mass there will also be a short presentation in preparation for the Cafod Family Fast Day on Friday 5th October and envelopes will be distributed.



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ROTAS

St Alban's (w/b)

Flowers	23 Sept	Team 1	30 Sept	Team 2
Cleaning	23 Sept	Team 2	30 Sept	Team 3
Counting	23 Sept	Tony	30 Sept	Jim
Teas	23 Sept	Louisa & Co	30 Sept	Pat Walker
Offertory	23 Sept	June Nowell	30 Sept	Mary & Pat

St Joseph's

Teas	October	Eleanor, Betty, Helen & Tom
Cleaning	5/6th October	Sylvia and Sandra
Counting	23 Sept	Angela & Bunty 30 Sept E&P / A&B

ACTS' ('ADULT CATHOLICS TOGETHER SPIRITUALLY') 2018

The residential retreat will take place on Friday 26 October – Sunday 28 October. Fr Tony McGrath will lead the retreat entitled 'Living the Eucharistic Mystery' to coincide with 'The Year of the Eucharist'. Each Sunday the Church gathers together to celebrate the Eucharist, "the source and summit of the Christian life" and Fr McGrath will help us explore what this means for our daily life. Venue: St Winefride's Guest House in Holywell, North Wales (lifts may be available). Attendees will be invited to give an anonymous donation (suggested £100). For further information contact Siobhan Cartwright (Tel: 0161 477 2783 / mobile 07761 138947) or email siobhanbc@gmail.com.

ST JOSEPH'S LOTTERY

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Congratulations to the Jackpot Winner

Estimated Jackpot for next draw on 27th Sept is £100

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

Thank you for your continued support of the Lottery

CARITAS

Caritas are currently recruiting volunteers for various roles. If you are interested please see the poster on the notice board for further details or contact the volunteer co-ordinator . Rachel Hughes on 652 1281

Thank you so much

To the makers and bakers and all who supported the Cafe Joey on Saturday. Your generous help raised **£710** for MacMillan Cancer Care. The list of draw prizewinners is on the noticeboard - prizes can be collected from the sacristy at St Joseph's.

St Joseph's Window

Many thanks for the donations towards the cost of restoring the window dedicated to St Joseph. Your generosity is very much appreciated.

If you would still like to make a contribution towards the cost of the repairs, perhaps in memory of a loved one, please put your donation in an envelope and pass it to Christine, Eleanor or to the parish office.

CAN YOU HELP?

St Joseph's Lottery Team would appreciate some help with the weekly draw. If you would like more information please speak to Anne Collins or just come along on Thursday from 10 till 12 and meet the team!

ASDA RECEIPTS

Thank you to everyone who has contributed to the collection of Asda receipts and to Dave Harvey for giving so much of his time to process the receipts and collect the vouchers.

The redeemed vouchers have enabled the Foodbank team to provide some fresh items for those who call at the Tuesday Foodbank. Please continue to leave your receipts for the next 2 weeks but Asda are closing the voucher scheme from 1st October so we will not be collecting them after the date.



BIG QUIZ & BINGO NIGHT plus RAFFLE

**7.30pm on
Saturday 13th October
in St Alban's Hall**

Tickets - £5 adult incl 3 bingo tickets

Tickets from
Tony Berry (208 6632), Phil Corcoran (637 1617),
Peter Ridgeway (691 1504), Pat Higgins (630
4905) or Parish Office

**PLEASE
BRING YOUR OWN DRINK & NIBBLES**

Any Donations for Raffle Prizes???

All Proceeds to St Alban's SVP

TRUSSELL TRUST FOOD BANK 61.35kg

Thank you for your continued generosity, the Foodbank warehouse is in need of supplies of:
tinned fruit/vegetables/rice pudding/fish/meat;
washing powder/tabs, squash; UHT milk; shampoo
WE HAVE PLENTY OF BEANS AND PASTA

St Alban's Distribution Centre - 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.

Charity No. 1167967

ST ALBAN'S LADIES - RETREAT DAY Tuesday 25th September

St Alban's Ladies invite you to a Retreat Day with Sr Jo Bird. The timetable for the day is:

10am Rosary in church
10.45 - 11.15 Tea/coffee in the Parish Hall
11.25 - 11.45 Reflection before mass
12 noon - 12.30 Mass
12.30 - 1.15 Lunch (please bring your own)
1.15 - 3pm Reflection with Sr Jo

A small donation of £3 is requested towards costs

St Albans 200 Club

£25 83 P Devoy
£10 18 A Stevenson