

# 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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A person who feels appreciated will always do more than is expected

## SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### Saturday 23rd February

6pm (St Albans) Rev Norman Carew

### Sunday 24th February

9.30am (St Alban's) Gordon Freeman

11am (St Joseph's) Andrew Dunn

6.30pm (St Joseph's) Our Parish Family

### Monday 25th February

9.30am (St Joseph's) Peggy Ronayne

11am (Landican) Funeral Service of Joan Steen

### Tuesday 26th February

10am (St Alban's) Pray the Rosary All Welcome

12noon (St Alban's) Service of Eucharist and Word

### Wednesday 27th February

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

12 noon (St Joseph's) Harry Malin

2pm (St Alban's) Funeral Service of James Robertson

### Thursday 28th February

12 noon (St Alban's) Intentions of Chris Copple

6.30pm (Griffiths Funeral Home) Rosary for Pat McDavitt

### Friday 1st March

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

12noon (St Alban's) Requiem of Patricia McDavitt

### Saturday 2nd March

11.30am (St Alban's) Divine Mercy Rosary

12 noon (St Alban's) Norma Muldoon

## EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### Saturday 2nd March

6pm (St Albans) Our Parish Family

### Sunday 3rd March

9.30am (St Alban's) Flo Kelly

11am (St Joseph's) Intentions of Frank & Mary Sherlock

6.30pm (St Joseph's) Kay Tyrrell

### 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 ~ March ~ Marlowe Rd led by St Lukes

### Ecumenical Coffee Morning for South Wallasey

Churches ~ 2nd March at Serpentine Road Family Church

### Offertory Collection

Loose £300.90 Gift Aid Envelopes £354.12

Non Gift Aid envelopes £252.70

Total £907.72

## 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, Peter Maher, David Brown, Leonard Block, Ms Callaghan, Jimmy Dawson, Kathleen Davies, George Cornah, Joan Hyslop, Irene Sadler, Brenda Cook, Mary Parker, Peter Malone, Dorothy Kineally, John Richards, John McDavitt, Margaret Casey, Nicky and Pam Day, Jerry Murray, Terry MacDougal, Fr Michael Murray, Hilary Docherty, Lesley Elliot, Moira Morgan, Meryl Robinson, Andrew Dunn.

### Recently Baptised

Mia Louise Brunton, Jessica Loughran

### Recently Deceased

Joan Steen, Patricia McDavitt, James Robertson

Gerard Kelly, Dennis Evans, Clare Bejeaurd

Meriel Robinson, Irene Rattenburg

## Network For A Better World Appeal and Retiring Collection

This weekend we welcome Barbara Charles from *Network for a Better World*, a lay missionary group, which operates from a rural mission parish in Southern Malawi. She will speak about the work of the organisation and how we can all be involved in the mission of the Church overseas.

### ROTAS

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

Flowers	24 Feb Team 4	3 Mar Team 1
Cleaning	24 Feb Team 4	3 Mar Team 1
Counting	24 Feb Tony	3 Mar Michael
Teas	24 Feb Rosanna & Co	3 Mar Louisa & Co
Offertory	24 Feb June Nowell	3 Mar Marilyn & Michael

#### St Joseph's

Teas	March	Michael, Marian, Margaret & Peter
Cleaning	1/2 Mar	Eleanor, Peter & Michael
Counting	24 Feb Denis & Mandy	3 Mar Lou & Dave



# ST ALBAN'S LOURDES GROUP

are Hosting a Musical Evening with Leo, Ed & friends

**Saturday 16th March ~ 7.30pm ~ St Alban's Parish Centre**

**TICKETS £5**

from Ron Keill or Parish Office

(please bring your own drinks & nibbles)

Any donations of raffle prizes would be much appreciated

## TRUSSELL TRUST FOOD BANK

48.60 kg

### WIRRAL FOODBANK AGM

**7pm on 28th February at Wallasey Town Hall**

Wirral Foodbank is extremely grateful for all the fantastic support that Wirral Churches have given over the past few years, especially at Christmas 2018.

We were overwhelmed by the support given to us by you all.

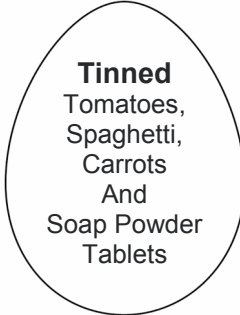
However, you will undoubtedly have heard that the use of foodbanks has increased by 52% on this time last year, meaning that they are using up food donated at Christmas at a very fast rate.

So at Easter time, they are not asking for chocolate or Easter Eggs as the need for ordinary food products is so great. They are asking different schools / churches to collect different products that we really need. Our Easter Egg asks for tinned tomatoes, spaghetti and carrots, and Soap Powder Tablets.

**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**



### A message from SVP .....

'In addition to the home-visiting services operated by the SVP a new drop-in session where people can make direct contact for befriending and general support is now available. The first session will take place on Monday, 25 February from 1.30 to 4.00pm in the Caritas main office, at St Joseph's Presbytery. As well as the SVP there will be other organisations present who can offer advice and information.

## Cafe Joéy

will be open for light lunches and afternoon teas on



**Saturday 16th March**  
**from 12 noon - 3pm**

All proceeds from Cafe and Raffle will be donated to support

**St Joseph's Lourdes Fund**

**Any donations of Cakes would be much appreciated**

*We look forward to seeing you all again!*

### Funeral of Pat McDavitt

There will be a Rosary at 6.30pm at J W Griffiths in Mill Lane on Thursday 28th February. John and family ask that light colours should be worn for the requiem of Pat on Friday 1st March.

### ST JOSEPH'S LOTTERY

**1 7 10 11 13 14**

**Estimated Jackpot for the draw on 28th February is £1700**

Tickets are 50p and can be purchased after Sunday Masses or from Campbell's Chemist, Maritime Grange, Elegance Hairdresser, Mersey Ferries; Technique Hairdressers, Wynn Ellis Chemist, Great Float Social Club, Nelsons Newsagents  
**Thank you for your continued support of the Lottery**

### READING ROTA

The reading team for the Sunday evening mass is in need of some new members. If you are a confident reader and would like to join the team please speak to Christine Parker after any of the masses.

### LENTEN REFLECTIONS

Weekly Reflection Evenings will begin on

**Wednesday 13th March**

from 7pm-9pm in St Joseph's Meeting Room

**Hope to see you there**

### A Request from the Friends of the Holy Land ....

If you have a Friends the Holy Land Crib box please bring it to the parish office by Sunday 10th March so that any money can be banked before the end of the financial year.

If you need your box to be collected please contact the parish office on 0151 638 1520 or Pat Higgins on 0151 630 4905.



### St Albans 200 Club

£25 5 M Buckley

£10 25 P Walker

Many thanks for your continued support, if you would like to take a number please speak to Mary Buckley on 630 4534. **Lots of lucky numbers still available!!!**

### With Grateful thanks ....

Louisa, Ian and Jen and family would like to thank everyone for their cards, masses, letters, for your amazing kindness and support, and to everyone for making Dave's two masses such a wonderful celebration of his life. Mass will be offered for all of you.