



# 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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## SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

### Saturday 16th March

6pm (St Albans) Our Parish Family

### Sunday 17th March

9.30am (St Alban's) Collette & Paul  
11am (St Joseph's) Tina Leech  
12pm (St Joseph's) Stations of the Cross  
6.30pm (St Joseph's) Jessie & James McLearn

### Monday 18th March

9.30am (St Joseph's) Mary Lavery

### Tuesday 19th March St Joseph, Husband of Mary

9.30am (St Joseph's) Julie-Ann Rawlins  
10am (St Alban's) Pray the Rosary All Welcome  
12noon (St Alban's) Mary Awang

### Wednesday 20th March

11.30am (St Joseph's) Prayer before the Blessed Sacrament  
12 noon (St Joseph's) George Cornah  
7pm (St Joseph's) Lenten Reflection

### Thursday 21st March

12 noon (St Alban's) Dennis Evans

### Friday 22nd March

11.30am (St Alban's) Prayer before the Blessed Sacrament  
12noon (St Alban's) Muriel Robinson  
7pm (St Alban's) Stations of the Cross

### Saturday 23rd March

11.30am (St Alban's) Divine Mercy Rosary  
12 noon (St Alban's) Jim Mercer

## THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

### Saturday 23rd March

6pm (St Albans) Our Parish Family

### Sunday 24th March

9.30am (St Alban's) Val Laugheard  
11am (St Joseph's) Mary Vaight  
12pm (St Joseph's) Stations of the Cross  
6.30pm (St Joseph's) Alice Gorman

### 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 ~ 6th April at St Paul's, Seacombe

### Offertory Collection

Loose £229.95 Gift Aid Envelopes £445.38

Non Gift Aid envelopes £209.50

Total £884.83

**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, 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, Fr Michael Murray, Hilary Docherty, Lesley Elliot, Moira Morgan, Andrew Dunn, Fr Pat Munroe, Jim & Libby Haugh.

### Recently Baptised

Robyn Jones

### Recently Deceased

Michelle Parsons-Sumner (nee Blair)  
Annette Connell (Nettie)  
Arthur Haddock

## STATIONS OF THE CROSS



### St Alban's

Friday evening at 7pm

### St Joseph's

At 12pm after 11am Mass

## ROTAS

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

Flowers	17 Mar Team 3	24 Mar Team 4
Cleaning	17 Mar Team 3	24 Mar Team 4
Counting	17 Mar Peter	24 Mar Tony
Teas	17 Mar Louisa & Co	24 Mar Pat Walker
Offertory	17 Mar Mary & Pat	24 Mar June

### St Joseph's

Teas	March	Michael, Marian, Margaret & Peter
Cleaning	29th/30th March	Sandra, Sylvia & Jayne
Counting	17 Mar El & Phil	24 Mar Ange & Bunty

## ST ALBAN'S PARISH CENTRE

A meeting will be held in St Alban's parish centre on Thursday 21st March at 7pm to discuss the refurbishment of the premises. All are welcome.

### TRUSSELL TRUST FOOD BANK

65.71 kg

Demand for help is increasing and at this time we ask your help in supplies of:

**Cereal, Sugar (sml if poss), Squash/Juice, UHT Milk Tinned Spaghetti, Sponge Pudding, Instant Mash, Tinned Tomatoes, Washing up Liquid, Shower Gel**

**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 Albans 200 Club

£25	80	L Morriss
£10	48	M White

Many thanks for your continued support, if you would like to take a number please speak to Mary Buckley on 630 4534.

### OFFERTORY ENVELOPES

Offertory Envelopes for 2019-20 are available at the back of both churches. Please take your envelopes but **please** note that they do not start until **7th April**.

Boxes are listed in alphabetical order of surname - If you are unable to find your box please contact the parish office!

### CONFIRMATION 2019

This year the Confirmation Mass will be celebrated on Wednesday 5th June at Holy Apostles and Martyrs Church.

If you are in year 8 or above and would like to be confirmed this year please register your names at the parish office.



## 24 HOUR ADORATION

St ALBANS CHURCH

5th - 6th April

Beginning with the LPA Lenten Reconciliation Service at 7pm on Friday 5th April Adoration will continue until 6pm on Saturday 6th April.

## FAMILY FAST DAY

FAST, PRAY & GIVE

*"eat simply so that others may simply eat"*

RETIRING COLLECTION

THIS WEEKEND



Fast, pray and give

## Urgent Appeal for Volunteers

Caritas Diocese of Shrewsbury supports children, families and communities. We are in urgent need of volunteers to help us to support families, to help with the running of our groups at our new Centre in Seacombe and to assist in our groups in local schools. We need male and female volunteers of all ages who can reliably offer 2-3 hours per week.

If you feel you would like to join our team of reliable and friendly volunteers, please contact Rachel Hughes (Caritas Volunteer Coordinator) on 0151 652 1281 or by email: [rachel.hughes@caritasshrewsbury.org.uk](mailto:rachel.hughes@caritasshrewsbury.org.uk)



## MESSY CHURCH

Sunday 17th 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.

### With grateful thanks

From the family of Margaret Gannon for the many cards, prayers and masses and to those who made donations to CAFOD of £50 in memory of Margaret.

Also the family of Terence McDougall thank everyone for their cards, letters and kind words of support.

### EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS ...

If any of our commissioned Ministers could spare an hour to take communion to one of our housebound friends please ring Pat Higgins on 630 4515 to add your name to the rota. Many thanks.

## ST JOSEPH'S LOTTERY

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**Estimated Jackpot for the draw on 21st March is £2000**

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

## DIARY DATES

### LENTEN REFLECTIONS

Wednesday at 7pm in St Joseph's Meeting Room

### GUIDE DOGS FOR THE BLIND

Coffee Morning at St Alban's Parish Centre  
10am - 12pm Saturday 23rd March Admission £1

### REFURBISHMENT OF ST ALBAN'S HALL

Gift Sale / Cakes / Bacon Butties  
Saturday 30th March 10am - 1pm

### ST ALBANS SVP

BIG QUIZ & BINGO NIGHT plus RAFFLE  
Saturday 13th April in St Alban's Parish Centre