

PARISH OF ST JOSEPH & ST ALBAN

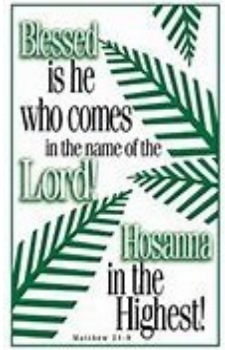
Serving the Communities of
Our Lady Star of the Sea & St Joseph & St Alban
Local Pastoral Area 21

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PALM SUNDAY

Saturday 13th April

6pm (St Albans) Sr Fidelma Hogan

Sunday 14th April

9.30am (St Alban's) Sue Smithies

11am (St Joseph's) Fr Michael Murray

12pm (St Joseph's) Stations of the Cross

6.30pm (St Joseph's) Our Parish Family

Monday 15th April

9.30am (St Joseph's) Moira & Tom Bluett

2pm (Landican) Funeral of John O'Reilly

Tuesday 16th April

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

12noon (St Alban's) Requiem of Kathleen Davies

Wednesday 17th April

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

12 noon (St Joseph's) Pat Ronayne

Thursday 18th April MASS OF THE LAST SUPPER

7pm (St Alban's) Margaret Gannon

Friday 19th April GOOD FRIDAY

10am (St Thomas') Annual Walk of Witness

12noon (St Alban's) Stations of the Cross

3pm (St Joseph's) **PASSION OF THE LORD**

Saturday 20th April HOLY SATURDAY

No Rosary

No Noon Mass

EASTER VIGIL

Saturday 20th April

8pm (St Albans) Our Parish Family

EASTER SUNDAY

Sunday 21st April

9.30am (St Alban's) Evelyn Reid & Kathleen Davies

11am (St Joseph's) Maria Pace

NO EVENING MASS

Sacrament of Reconciliation

St Alban's - By request

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 ~ St Albans led by St Thomas'

Ecumenical Coffee Morning for South Wallasey

Churches ~ 4th May at Seacombe URC

Offertory Collection

Loose £261.87 Gift Aid Envelopes £354

Non Gift Aid envelopes £204.25

Total £820.12

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, 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, 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, David Taylor.

Recently Baptised

Arthur Richard Norman and Mia-Grace Atherton

Rest in Peace

Kathleen Davies, Georgina McWilliams,

John O'Reilly, Mary Parkinson

and all who have died recently

or whose anniversaries occur at this time



South Wallasey Churches Palm Sunday Walk

All are welcome to join the walk which begins at 12noon from St Paul's Church to the Ferry terminal then along the promenade to the tunnel air vent. Then up the ramp past the air vent and through the side roads to Brougham Road and to Seacombe URC. There will be a shared lunch in Seacombe URC, Brougham Road

ROTAS

St Alban's (w/b)

Flowers	Easter Flowers will be		
Cleaning	14 Apr Team 3	21 Apr	Team 4
Counting	14 Apr Charles	21 Apr	Peter
Teas	14 Apr Maria & Kate	21 Apr	Louisa & Co
Offertory	14 Apr Mary & Pat	21 Apr	Mary & Pat

St Joseph's

Teas	April Betty, Eleanor, Helen & Tom		
Cleaning	12th/13th April Eleanor, Peter, Michael & Tony		
Counting	14 Apr Denis & Mandy	21 Apr	El & Phil



EASTER TRIDUUM SERVICES

This year the mass of the Last Supper on Maundy Thursday will be celebrated in St Alban's at 7pm, The Passion of the Lord will be celebrated in St Joseph's on Good Friday at 3pm and the Easter Vigil will take place at 8pm in St Alban's.

For each celebration we need Readers and Eucharistic Ministers and for Maundy Thursday we need 12 'disciples' to take part in the washing of the feet.

If you would like to take an active part in our Easter Triduum Services please add your name to the volunteer lists at the back of each church.

TRUSSELL TRUST FOOD BANK

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Wirral Foodbank is very grateful for all the fantastic support from Wirral churches. 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 churches to collect different products that they really need. Our Easter Egg asks for tinned tomatoes, spaghetti and carrots, and Soap Powder Tablets. Can you help??



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

EASTER FLOWERS

If you would like to make a contribution to the Easter flowers in memory of a loved one, please pass your donation to Christine at St Joseph's or to the Parish Office at St Alban's.



A vacancy has arisen for a Cathedral Development and Events Officer. The successful candidate will be expected to develop and enhance the role and presence of the Cathedral in the life of the Diocese, the town of Shrewsbury and the county of Shropshire. For more information and an application form please visit <http://www.dioceseofshrewsbury.org/about-us/curia/vacancies>. Completed applications should be sent to recruitment@dioceseofshrewsbury.org. Closing date

'Who is Jesus?'

A play for today performed by members of Clarendon Methodist Church, Holy Apostles & Martyrs, St Hilary's Church and Wallasey Village URC at 8pm on Good Friday at St Hilary's church, "23rd April at Wallasey Village URC and Friday 26th at Clarendon Methodist Church. Free entry, refreshments afterwards.

ST JOSEPH'S LOURDES GROUP EASTER HAMPER RAFFLE

Tickets are on sale in the meeting room after each mass
AND SPONSORED WALK FORMS

All are welcome to join Frs Devan and Ramesh for the **Annual Sponsored Walk** on Easter Monday. We leave Seacombe Ferry at 11am for the walk to New Brighton followed by lunch in St Joseph's meeting room **and** the Easter Raffle! If you can't join us for the walk please add your name to the Sponsors List and pledge your support for the walkers.



ST JOSEPH'S LOTTERY

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Next draw on 18th April is £260

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

St Albans 200 Club

£25 16 M Lavin

£10 41 J Smith

Many thanks for your continued support, if you would like a winning number please speak to Mary Buckley.

Thank you ...

To everyone for their support to the Gift Sale last weekend. We raised £306.20 for the refurbishment of St Alban's parish centre.

MESSY CHURCH

Sunday 14th April

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.



LOURDES COFFEE MORNING

Please note that the next coffee morning will be on

Tuesday 30th April

Many thanks for your continued support in raising funds to send our pilgrims to Lourdes each year

Diocesan Education Department

A vacancy has arisen for a Deputy Director of Schools within the Diocese of Shrewsbury assisting in providing leadership, vision, professional advice and strategic direction to support the statutory and canonical work of the Bishop and Diocesan Trustees in promoting and safeguarding the interests of Catholic Education and ensuring the highest standards in Catholic schools, academies and colleges. For more information and an application form please visit <http://www.dioceseofshrewsbury.org/about-us/curia/vacancies> Completed applications should be sent to recruitment@dioceseofshrewsbury.org Closing date Friday 10 May 2019.