

ST WINEFRIDE'S RC CHURCH

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LITURGICAL CALENDAR OF THE WEEK

Sunday 15 September 2024 – Sunday 22 September 2024

Mass Readings: Sunday Year B, Weekday Cycle Year 2

Sunday 15 Sept	Saturday Vigil Mass TWENTY FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Family Mass	6.00 pm 8.45 am 10.30 am	Parish family Fr Francis and Sr Susan George (health) Melody Murphy (health)
Monday	Celebration of Word and Communion	9.30 am	EMHC – J Tunstall
Tuesday	Celebration of Word and Communion	9.30 am	EMHC – A Cropper
Wednesday	Celebration of Word and Communion	9.30 am	EMHC – G Barber
Thursday	Celebration of Word and Communion	9.30 am	EMHC – C Haimes
Friday	Celebration of Word and Communion	9.30 am	EMHC – J Tunstall
Saturday	ST MATTHEW	9.30 am	Sally & John Hogan (RIP)
Sunday 22 Sept	Saturday Vigil Mass TWENTY FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Family Mass	6.00 pm 8.45 am 10.30 am	John & Florence Dooley (RIP) Parish family Margaret Mathers (RIP)

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: Monday to Saturday at 9 am. **Morning prayer:** Monday to Saturday at 9.00 am
Rosary: Monday to Saturday 10am & 9.45 am on Sunday or join via Zoom at 7pm **passcode 252387114, password: AveMaria.**
Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturday: 5.15 pm-5.45 pm and Monday to Friday after 9.30 am Mass on request.
Private Prayer: Monday to Saturday the church will remain open after 9.30 am Mass for private prayer until 5pm.

SUNDAY	14/15 Sept			21/22 Sept		
	6pm	8.45am	10.30am	6pm	8.45am	10.30am
Readers	M Branch	T McGlynn	M Povey	S Davies	AM Millar	W Fryer
Welcomers	6pm M & M Branch		8.45am A & D Docherty	10.30am P Higgins/ P Challis		
WEEKDAYS	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Readers	A Cropper	A Volunteer	J Tunstall	A Volunteer	C Haimes	A Volunteer

The Gloria

Glory to God in the highest,
and on earth peace to people of good will.
We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you,
we give you thanks for your great glory,
Lord God, heavenly King,
O God, almighty Father.
Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us;
you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer;
you are seated at the right hand of the Father,
have mercy on us.
For you alone are the Holy One,
you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High,
Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father.

Amen

The Apostles Creed

I believe in God, the Father Almighty,
Creator of heaven and earth,
and in Jesus Christ, his only Son our Lord,
(At the words that follow, up to and including 'the Virgin Mary', all bow)
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit
born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died and was buried; he descended into hell;
on the third day he rose again from the dead;
he ascended into heaven, and is seated
at the right hand of God the Father almighty;
from there he will come to judge the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting.

Amen

Please remember in your prayers all those who are sick including: Patricia Davies, Frances Wright, Rosemary Southwell, Pat Cummins, Win Bayley, Joe Hemington, Maurice McAsey, Judy Howard, Fr Paul, Maureen Adams, Sr Suzan George, Eva Bennion, Paul Wallace, Dorothy Strawson, Ronnie Phelan, Maureen Knox, Joseph Kennedy, Gerald Sanderson, Mary Gilbert, Michael Rowlands, Betty Watson, Kay Minto, Susan Trowell, Margaret Maw, Josie Rowland, David Eva, Peter Roca, Stephanie Archibald, Moira Griffiths-Parr, Margaret Gould, Louise Dixon, Joan Burkmar, Stephen Bretland, Canon Phil Moor VG, Adrian Duggan, Jack Turner, Dawn Stevenson, Mary Henesy, Cormac Davis, 5 year old Dottie, Rachel Branch, Terry Michael Foster, Annabelle Narey, Alan Blackwood, Mary, Richard & Cavan Fowler, Ann Kelly, Ruth Pisarek, Roger Gardener, Pat Leadbetter, Reg Parson, Ann & Paul Flanagan, Stacey Hemington **Please advise any changes.**

Anniversaries of our departed (16 Sept – 22 Sept)

James Sowden, Fr Bernard Houghton, Ellen May Walsh (16/9) Edna Ellison, George Ellison (17/9) Gordon Jones, Fr Francis McManus (19/9) Fr John Corcoran, Sheila Way, Anastasia Byrne, Fr Gerald McDonald, Hugh Brien, Terry Lambert (20/9) Canon Peter J Coughlan, Willie Leakey, Robert Stanley Munslow, Diana Slater, Pamela Grace, Terry Saunders, William Postletwaite (21/9) Fr Gerald Cavanagh, Alison Hawkins, Canon Clement Turner, Mary (Molly) Gallimore (22/9) **The names of the dear ones are taken from the book of remembrance. Please inform Fr Francis or contact parish office to add or remove.**



Sacramental Programme: We are delighted to be welcoming children in year 3 and above who wish to receive the First Holy Communion to our sacramental programme. It is facilitated by a team of catechists from the parish – Sarah Graham-Brown, Alison Hudak and Karl Ankers, who will help parents to prepare the children. We invite all parents and guardians who wish their children to make their First Forgiveness and First Holy Communion to the welcome Mass and introductory meeting on Sunday 22nd September at 10.30am.

We would also like to say a **very very big thank you** to Sue and Barry Lyonette who have been involved in running the programme, and helping parents and children for nearly **40 years!!!** They are now stepping down and handing over to Sarah, Karl & Alison.

The **First Holy Communion programme** for those who are in St Winefride's parish will begin on **Sunday 22nd September** with a welcome Mass at **10.30 am**. If parents wish their child to make First Holy Communion this school year and are in year 3 and above, then please contact the parish office.

'**Home Mission Sunday**' celebrated on the third Sunday of September, is now known as 'Evangelii Gaudium Sunday'. Named after Pope Francis' First Apostolic Exhortation on the Joy of the Gospel, it offers us an opportunity to celebrate our faith and our commitment to witness to the fullness of life in Christ, and our responsibilities to support the mission of the Church. We will be having a retiring collection next weekend, **21/22nd September** for this charity.

Eucharistic Adoration after 10.30 Mass: The theme of the Holy Hour links with Pope Francis's call to make this a time to focus on 'Creation'. There will be Exposition of Blessed Sacrament, with times of prayer, music and meditation with periods of silence for reflection after the family Mass at 10.30am.

Our Lady's Lamp: This lamp may be lit for your intentions and will burn by Our Lady's Chapel for seven days. If you wish to have it lit, then please inform Fr Francis or the parish office. This week Our Lady's Lamp will be lit for Christine (Tina) Russell

Funeral Services: Please remember in your prayers Audrey Nugent who died on Tuesday, 20th August at the age of 91 and Winifred (Pat) Violet Roxburgh, who died on the 21st August aged 92 at Weatherstones Nursing Home. Audrey's funeral service will on Monday 23rd September at 11.30am followed by burial in the family grave in St Winefride's churchyard. Winifred's funeral is Thursday 26th September at 11.30am followed by burial in Neston cemetery. Please remember their families in your prayers.

Reflection: Tony's new reflection is called "Growing old". A copy is on the website and some paper copies in the porch.

The Relic of Blessed Carlo Acutis will be visiting the St Anthony's, Wythenshawe, between 20 - 23 September 2024. On the noticeboard and in the porch are further details about the visit and about the life of Carlo Acutis. Do take a look.

Catholic Pic: The September issue has now arrived and there are copies in the porch. Feel free to take one home.

Art Group: The next session will be on **Monday 16th September** from 1pm – 3pm in the church hall. All welcome.

SPUC: The next meeting is next **Tuesday 17th September 2pm** in our Church Hall. All parishioners very welcome.

CWL: CWL Section Meeting. **Thursday 19th September, 7pm.** Speaker Dave Cooke from Teams4U (Christmas Shoebox Appeal) Parishioners and friends all very welcome to come along. Also remember the **Macmillian Coffee morning on Friday 27th September** in the church hall **after morning Mass**. More details next week.

Knot just knitters: The next session is **Friday 20th September** in the church hall. 1.30 - 4pm. Come along and get crafty!!

Churchyard Gardening: The volunteer gardening group will meet, weather permitting, Friday afternoons between 1.30pm – 3.30pm. Do come along and help keep the churchyard tidy, extra volunteers always welcome.

Offertory Collections: Thank you for your generous support.

Tea/Coffee: The parish hall is open for **refreshments after the 10.30am Masses**.

Food Bank: The food bank have a Harvest appeal. See the poster on the noticeboard for more information on how you can help. The **top five items** needed are **tinned meats, tinned spaghetti, tinned potatoes, instant noodle pots, biscuits and snacks**.