



Newsletter for the Parishes of St Catherine of Siena & All Saints and St Lewis



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SUNDAY 22ND AUGUST 2021

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John's lengthy episode in the synagogue at Capernaum operates like a press conference that does not end well. Many of Jesus' followers abandon him, scandalised at his Eucharistic tones. 'This is intolerable language,' they muse. Alone with his disciples, Jesus asks them if they wish to leave too. Like the synoptic accounts, Peter takes the opportunity to profess his faith. Here, however, he does not get rewarded with the keys to the kingdom. There are a few twists and turns to go in his story. The remnant of Jesus' followers have serious questions: what could the miracle of loaves mean? and how could one possibly eat this man's flesh? Perhaps it is only in the Eucharistic body of the community that these scenes make sense.

Theologian Graham Ward calls this expansion the 'displaced body of Jesus Christ' and Gerard Loughlin explains it in this way: 'Jesus' body is gradually lost to sight with its crucifixion, resurrection and ascension, but leaves only in order to return infinitely transposed in the Eucharistic body that feeds the body of the Church, which becomes Christ's body, not metaphorically, but actually, as its non-identical, analogical repetition.' In the body of believers, this 'intolerable' body of Christ expands and lives most fully in the bodies of others as they share his table.

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Serving the Catholic Community of Golborne, Lowton, Croft & Culcheth

Clergy News ~ A Few More Changes

Please remember in your prayers all those listed below, some of whom are undertaking additional responsibilities within the Archdiocese in addition to the posts they already hold.

Ordained at the Cathedral for the Permanent Diaconate on the 18 July:

Andrew Cleary	St Paul & St Timothy, West Derby & Liverpool
David Lawson	St. Austin & St. Teresa of Avila, St. Helens and St.
Alan Molloy	St. Mary & St. Columba, Castletown & Port Erin
John Sargent	St. Mary Magdalen & St. Teresa, Penwortham & Leyland Pastoral Area
Michael Harwood	Ordained a Deacon at St Paul's Basilica, Rome June 2021

Jubilarians

Platinum	Canon Michael O'Connor
Diamond	Canon Brendan Alger
Golden	Fr. Gerard Cobham
Golden	Fr. Michael Garvey
Golden	Fr. Michael O'Dowd
Ruby	Fr. John Bradley
Ruby	Fr. Brendan Rice
Ruby	Fr. Patrick Sexton
Silver	Fr. Sergio Haro
Silver	Fr. Atli Gunnar Jónsson
Silver	Canon Sean Kirwin
Silver	Canon Mark Madden
Silver	Fr. Grant Maddock
Silver	Fr. Anthony Mangnall
Silver	Fr. Kevan O'Brien

Placements Summer 2021

Hugh Donleavy	Our Lady's, Bryn
James Finnegan	St Oscar Romero, Seaforth & Waterloo
Martin Fyles	St John, Wigan
Michael Harwood	St Anthony, Scotland Road
Derek Lloyd	St Wilfrid, Widnes
Peter Ross	Cathedral

All Saints Food Bank: A pause in your generosity?

For the next few weeks could you take a rest from donating food for the foodbank here at All Saints? It may on the face of things appear to be a strange request, but allow me to explain. It is six weeks since we have taken over from ACT Foodbank, providing help for those in need in the Golborne and Lowton area. As we thought, it has been a slow beginning whilst people got to know where we are and what help we can provide. So, that's why we got the Mayor to come and see us two weeks ago to provide a little publicity. As we know the furlough will lapse in the not too distant future and so will the £20 rise in Universal Credit. Undoubtedly, we will then see a rise in people accessing our services. At present we have a good deal of stock in hand. Now, none of us want food to go to waste and even the food that you donate has a 'use by' date on it. So, if you wouldn't mind for the moment simply pausing your donations until we get a rise in the take up and then we will have a better picture of how we can meet people's needs at this time. Thank you.

St. Lewis SVP

The SVP group will meet at 7pm on Tuesday 24th August in the Parish Rooms. Our newly formed conference had just got off the ground when the pandemic struck, so this will be our first meeting since we had to lockdown.

Rather than a formal meeting it will be a friendly get together to take stock and discuss how we can now move forward. Due to the effects of the pandemic we anticipate that our work in the Parish, helping those in need will be ever more vital. If you feel you might be interested in joining the SVP or just want to know more, please feel free to join us at the meeting. You will be most welcome!

Refugee Project

The next batch of garments will be sent off within the coming week. If anyone has completed items which they would like to have included, please contact either Jean Marsh or Margaret Ruxton to arrange collection or delivery (numbers available through the Parish Office). The Wigan branch have been delighted with all your lovely knitting, which is distributed at once on arrival. Thank you for your endless efforts...the need continues to be great. Wool is available if you need it.

Pilgrim Mass for the Holy Hand

A pilgrim Mass for the Holy Hand will be held at on Sunday 29th August 2021 at St. Oswald and St. Edmund Arrowsmith church, Liverpool Rd, Ashton at 3pm.



Please remember in your prayers: the sick of our community and all those who have died recently including Marie McAreavey and Peter Ward and all whose anniversaries occur at this time.

Services, Mass Times and Intentions

Saturday 21st August 2021 21st Sunday of Ordinary Time

<i>Sat 5:00 pm</i>	<i>All Saints</i>	<i>Mass</i>	<i>Derek & The Fitzsimmons Family</i>
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Sunday 22nd August 2021 21st Sunday of Ordinary Time

<i>Sun 9:00 am</i>	<i>St. Lewis</i>	<i>Mass</i>	<i>Manuel Da Silva</i>
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<i>Sun 10:30 am</i>	<i>All Saints</i>	<i>Mass</i>	<i>John & Marie Walsh Patricia Hodgeon, Ron Beddard,</i>
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<i>Sun 11.30 am</i>	<i>All Saints</i>	<i>Baptism</i>	<i>Quinlan Eden Burgess-Taberner</i>
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Tuesday 24th August 2021 Feast of St. Bartholomew, Apostle

<i>Tues 10:00 am</i>	<i>St. Lewis</i>	<i>Mass</i>	<i>Eddie & Sarah O' Donnell, Phil McCarthy</i>
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Wednesday 25th August 2021 Weekday in Ordinary Time

<i>Wed 9:30 am</i>	<i>All Saints</i>	<i>Mass</i>	<i>Jean & Dave Marsh</i>
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Thursday 26th August 2021 Memorial of Blessed Dominic Barberi of the Mother of God NO MASS

Friday 27th August 2021 Memorial of St. Monica

<i>Fri 9:30 am</i>	<i>All Saints</i>	<i>Mass</i>	<i>Terry McAlinden</i>
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<i>Friday 12 pm</i>	<i>St. Lewis</i>	<i>Requiem Mass for Marie McAreavey</i>	
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Saturday 28th August 2021 22nd Sunday of Ordinary Time

<i>Sat. 4.30pm</i>	<i>All Saints</i>	<i>Reconciliation</i>	
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<i>Sat 5:00 pm</i>	<i>All Saints</i>	<i>Mass</i>	<i>Jack Crane</i>
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Sunday 29th August 2021 22nd Sunday of Ordinary Time

<i>Sun 9:00 am</i>	<i>St. Lewis</i>	<i>Mass</i>	<i>Cyril Conroy</i>
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<i>Sun 10:30 am</i>	<i>All Saints</i>	<i>Mass</i>	<i>Jim Wright</i>
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<i>Sun 11.30 am</i>	<i>All Saints</i>	<i>Baptism</i>	<i>Jayden Oliver Nelson</i>
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This Weeks Joke:

What do you call a dinosaur with a extensive vocabulary?

A Thesaurus !!