

Holy Mass

Monday 17th August

Feria

Tuesday 18th August

Saint Helen

5:50pm

7:00pm

Holy Hour with Benediction

John R Simpson CBE

Wednesday 19th August

Feria

Thursday 20th August

Saint Bernard

11:00am

Marie Wroblewski

Friday 21st August

Saint Pius X

Saturday 22nd August

Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary

10:00am

Robert Trevelyan

Vigil Saturday

Of the Sunday

6:30pm

Saint John the Evangelist

Parishioners

Sunday 23rd August

TWENTY FIRST SUNDAY

9:00am

10:30am

Saint John the Evangelist

Parishioners

Please take this newsletter home

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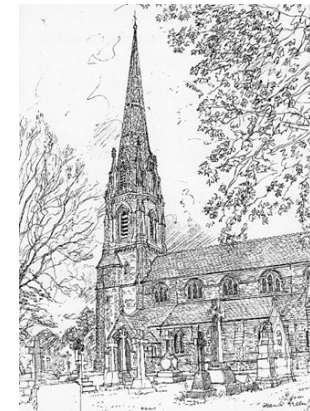
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ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

Sunday 16th August 2026

Sunday 10:30am Parishioners

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PLEASE PRAY FOR

Sheila Jennings, Denise Fletcher,
Mary O'Loughlin, Win Kamel,
Richard D'Alton, Olive Allen,
Fr Gordon Beattie OSB, Conor Feste,
Ciarán Feste

ANNIVERSARIES

Sylvia Hopcroft, Marie O'Connor
Peggy Wroblewski, John Kervin,
Maisie McNeil

HOLY HOUR, BENEDICTION

5:50pm—6:50pm Tuesdays.

CONFESSIONS

6:00-6:30pm Tuesdays or by appt.

ROSARY

7:30pm Tuesdays.

OFFERTORIES

SUNDAY 2nd AUGUST

Loose	£182.50
Envs	£45.00
Standng orders (est.)	£538.00

SUNDAY 9th AUGUST

Loose	£173.44
Envs	£126.00
Standng orders (est.)	£538.00

Thank you for your offerings.

200 CLUB AUGUST DRAW

Congratulations to Colin Crook,
winner of £50.00.

OFFERINGS, DONATIONS AND PAYMENTS

Please scan the QR
Code. Thank you.



END OF SUMMER PARISH BBQ

Everyone is warmly invited to our **End of Summer Parish BBQ** on **Sunday 30th August**, straight after Mass.

There will be a BBQ, refreshments and games for children and families – a wonderful opportunity to come together as a parish community before the new school year begins.

To help with catering, please add your name to the list at the back of church if you are hoping to attend. We look forward to seeing you there!

CRAFTING THE WORD OF THE LORD

A unique handcrafted exhibition of biblical stories will be held in our church, starting **Monday 7th until Friday 11th September**. Entrance is free but donations welcomed. See poster in church or on our website for details of times: [What's On & Features - Our Lady & All Saints Church, Parbold](#)

"A unique, visual and tactile presentation of biblical stories"

Created by Francesca Vause

Francesca has previously held this exhibition in a couple of parishes in the Archdiocese and we are pleased to welcome her to Our Lady and All Saints!

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

Bible study with The Chosen:

Session 4.2 'Confessions' at 10:45am,
Friday 21st August in Saint John's
Presbytery, Chapel Lane, L40 7RA.

Why not give it go? You may be surprised at what you take away with you!

A MOTHER'S WARMTH

Last week, a group of parishioners visited this exhibition by Bulgarian artist and contemporary iconographer Dian Kostov in the Unity Chapel at Liverpool Metropolitan Cathedral.

Although small, it is well worth a visit, the event being on until 30th August. There are some photos of the icons on our website: [Gallery - Our Lady & All Saints Church, Parbold](#) and some postcards on sale in our Piety Section.

ONE MONTH UNTIL MPS DEBATE ASSISTED SUICIDE BILL

The Terminally Ill Adults (End of Life) Bill, which seeks to legalise assisted dying, returns to the House of Commons for its Second Reading on **Friday 11th September**.

If you wish to express your opposition, please contact your MP using the online resources provided by Catholic Bishops Conference of England and Wales, in association with Right to Life UK. For more information and resources, visit: cbcew.org.uk/opposing-assisted-suicide righttolife.org.uk/Septuvote

MAUSOLEUM

Over the decades, more and more resources and items connected with various past events have been stored in the mausoleum.

In September there will be a clear out and re-ordering of the mausoleum. If you use anything stored in there and still need it, please let Steve Marston know on 07909 228250 or via the parish office.

AMPLEFORTH ABBEY RETREAT

Mon 22nd – Thurs 25th February 2027. Cost approx. £330 en-suite, full board. Please indicate your interest on the list at the back of church.

A **£25 deposit**, which will secure your place, can be posted through the Priory letter box or placed in an envelope in the offertory basket.

WIGAN CATHOLIC CHURCH UPGRADED

"An extraordinary Catholic church in Ashton-in-Makerfield, Wigan – Prime Minister Andy Burnham's constituency – has been upgraded from Grade II to Grade II* listed status by the Department for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport (DCMS), on the advice of Historic England.

"Built between 1925-1930 it is considered one of the finest early-20th century churches in England, with walls of pink and buff Darley Dale and Parbold stone.

"The church was built to house the Holy Hand of St Edmund Arrowsmith, a relic of the Jesuit priest born near Haydock around 1585, who was executed at Lancaster in 1628 and canonised in 1970."

To continue reading this article, go to the Catholic Bishops Conference of England and Wales website: [Extraordinary Catholic church in PM's constituency upgraded to Grade II* listed status - Catholic Bishops' Conference](#)