

Holy Mass

Monday 14th September

EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS *Saint John the Evangelist*
8:30am *A Sick Person (AW)*

Tuesday 15th September

Our Lady of Sorrows
5:50pm Holy Hour with Benediction
7:00pm Lynda Aldred (LD)

Wednesday 16th September

Saints Cornelius and Cyprian *Saint John the Evangelist*
9:00am *Kaye Szostak*

Thursday 17th September

Saint Hildegard of Bingen
11:00am **Special Intention (N)**
 Jeffrey Hagan (Anniv)

Friday 18th September

Feria
8:50am *Saint John the Evangelist*
10:00am *Holy Hour with Benediction*
 Janet Pope (Anniv)

Saturday 19th September

Blessed Virgin Mary
10:00am **Ints Macdonald Family**
 Beatrice Higham (Deceased)

Vigil Saturday

Of the Sunday
6:30pm *Saint John the Evangelist*
 Anne Tolmie (Anniv)

Sunday 20th September

TWENTY FIFTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR
9:00am *Saint John the Evangelist*
10:30am **Parishioners**

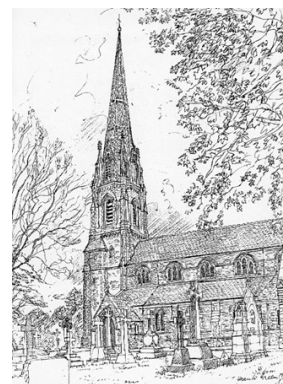
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TWENTY FOURTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

Sunday 13th September 2026

Sunday 10:30am Parishioners

Parish Mass Book: p 128

Mass Setting: 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1019

*Part of the West Lancashire Deanery, under the patronage of St John Rigby
Archdiocese of Liverpool CIO number 1199714*

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

HOLY HOUR, BENEDICTION

5:50pm—6:50pm Tuesdays.

CONFESSIONS

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

ROSARY

7:30pm Tuesdays.

MEETINGS THIS WEEK

Finance and Fabric Committee
7:00pm Wednesday, in the Priory

BIBLE STUDY: THE CHOSEN

'Sitting, Serving, Scheming' at
10:45am Friday 18th September in the
Presbytery, St John's, Burscough,
L407RA.

LAST WEEK'S OFFERTORY

Loose	£226.63
Envs	£107.00
Standing orders (est.)	£538.00

Thank you for your offerings.

SPECIAL COLLECTION TODAY

This is for Queenscourt Hospice, in
Southport, which is experiencing
financial insecurity.

OFFERINGS, DONATIONS AND PAYMENTS THANKS

Please scan the QR Code.
Thanks.



CRAFTING THE WORD OF THE LORD

Thank you to all who supported this
event by attending or volunteering.

It was great to see visitors from different
parishes and some lovely feedback was
received. Thank you to Francesca Vause
for bringing her exhibition to Our Lady
and All Saints.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION, SAINT PATRICK'S, WIGAN

Invites you to forty continuous hours of
Eucharistic Adoration, beginning at
5.00am on Saturday 19th September
and continuing day and night until
9.00pm on Sunday 20th September. All
welcome. St Patrick's Church,
Hardybutts, Wigan, WN1 3RZ

TALK ON THE USE OF AI BY MGR PETER FLEETWOOD

2:00pm, Saturday 19th September
at the Pauline Book Centre, Liverpool.
Mgr Peter Fleetwood will be hosting a
talk on the use of AI and what it means
for Catholics to use AI whilst following
the guidelines set by the Church and
outlined within Pope Leo XIV's recent
encyclical "*Magnifica Humanitas*". Please
sign up via Pauline Book Centre on 0151
709 1328 or Liverpool@pauline-uk.org

READING RECOMMENDATION

'Bernadette of Lourdes by René
Laurentin: an authorised account of the
story of Lourdes and Saint Bernadette.
If you'd like us to get you a copy, just pop
£12.00 in an envelope together with your
name and telephone no. and hand it in at
the office.

SOCIAL EVENTS:

A TASTE OF WHAT'S TO COME

There are plenty of events and activities
planned for the next 10 months, ranging
from Talks, Walks and Parish
Get-togethers. Thanks to all involved in
organising.

Here's what's in store:

**Talk 'The Prodigal Son through the
Eyes of Rembrandt'**, with refreshments:
3:00pm Saturday 10th October, in the
School Hall

Rosary Procession: 1:30pm Wednesday
7th October, with OLAS School

Parish Meal at The Wayfarer 12:30pm,
Sunday 18th October

**Continuous Adoration of the Blessed
Sacrament:** 9:00am—9:00pm,
Saturday 31st October and 9:00am—
9:00pm, Sunday 1st November, Church

**Meditative Walk: The Mass in Slow
Motion'** with Father O'Shea: 7:00pm
Wednesday 18th November, in Church

Christmas Carol Service followed by
seasonal refreshments in the Priory:
4:00pm Sunday 20th December

Parish Retreat to Ampleforth Abbey:
Monday 22nd-Thursdays 25th February

Faith Walk followed by pizza: Saturday
20th March 2027, local area

Parish Ramble: April 2027 TBD, local

**Talks 'The Shroud of Turin' and
'Eucharistic Miracles'** by American
speaker Mike Pietzyk June 2027 TBD

Talk by returning speaker Mary
Hardiman: June 2027 TBD, School Hall

REQUEST FROM SAINT BEDE'S

This Autumn, St Bede's High
School's Gardening Angels will be
planting spring bulbs in the school
grounds, aiming to help sustain early
pollinators such as bees and
butterflies. This is part of their Live
Simply project inspired by Pope
Francis's letter "Laudato Si" - caring
for our common home, and Pope
Leo's invitation to contribute to the
Season of Creation.

They are asking for donations of
spring bulbs and bulb planting
tools: Please leave any donations at
School's reception. Thank you.

FEAST OF THE EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS

Honouring the sign of our salvation,
the feast commemorates the finding
of the cross of Jesus in Jerusalem by
Saint Helena in 326 and the
dedication in 335 of the first basilica
built over the site of her son,
Constantine, enclosing calvary and
the Holy Sepulchre. Large relics of
the True Cross are preserved in
Mount Athos, Rome, Venice and
Paris.

Through the triumph of the cross,
sin and suffering are redeemed,
death is conquered and we have
hope to rise again in glory.

*Have you seen the stained glass
window in our church, which
features Saint Helena? It's on the
west wall next to the Baptismal
Font.*