

Parish Liturgy and Activities for the Week

Date / Time	Intention	Parish Events
Saturday 16th August Mass 12:00noon 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time 5:00pm	The Mass Guild Steve Cawley	11:30am-11:55am: Confessions & Exposition
Sunday 17th August 9:30am 11:00am	The Natella Family People of the Parish	12:00noon: Tea/Coffee after Mass (Romero Room)
Monday 18th August		Church open for private prayer.
Tuesday 19th August 12:00noon	Funeral Mass for Shelia Kent	
Wednesday 20th August 9:30am	A Special Intention	
Thursday 21st August 9:30am	The Holy Souls	2:30pm: Alpha Feedback Meeting (Romero Room) 7:30pm: AA Meeting (Romero Room)
Friday 22nd August 12:00noon	A Private Intention	
Saturday 23rd August 12:00noon 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time 5:00pm	The Holy Souls Sheila Kent RIP	11:30am-11:55am: Confessions & Exposition
Sunday 24th August 9:30am 11:00am	People of the Parish Denise Egan	12:00noon: Tea/Coffee after Mass (Romero Room)
<i>We pray for all those enrolled in the Mass Guild: Sheila Kent, Stevie Tankard, Terry Hyams, Margaret Rose Wainwright</i>		
<i>Monday: St Cyril's Close Tuesday: Stapleford Road Wednesday: Station Road Thursday: Superior Close Friday: Talgarth Way Saturday: St. Cyrils Club</i>		



Newsletter

20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday 17th August 2025

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia Alleluia
Alleluia, Allelu, alleluia

Mass Setting

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts.
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.
Blessed, blessed, blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.
Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.

Memorial Acclamation:

When we eat this bread and drink this cup, we proclaim your death, O Lord, until you come again, until you come again.

Mass of the Holy Trinity

Lamb of God you take away the sins of the world. Have mercy on us.
Lamb of God you take away the sins of the world.
Have mercy on us.
Lamb of God you take away the sins of the world.
Grant us peace.



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NOTICES

Season of Creation: September 1st to October 4th, theme 'Seeds of Peace and Hope'. This annual ecumenical celebration encourages prayer, reflection, and action for the care of God's creation, and is observed from the World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation on September 1st to the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi on October 4th. Pope Leo writes *"Dear Brothers and Sisters! The theme of this World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation, chosen by our beloved Pope Francis, is 'Seeds of Peace and Hope'. On the tenth anniversary of the establishment of this Day of Prayer, which coincided with the publication of the Encyclical Laudato Si', we find ourselves celebrating the present Jubilee as 'Pilgrims of Hope'.* This year's theme thus appears most timely. Pope Leo XIV has approved for use the of Mass texts for 'Mass for the Care of Creation'. It would be good if some parishioners could come together and think how one Sunday during the season we could highlight our Christian calling to care for the earth. Please speak to Fr Stephen.

Lourdes Youth Pilgrimage 2026: Wednesday 22nd to Friday 31st July 2026. We are already planning for the next pilgrimage. If you will be 15+ next year or in Year 10 then we would love you to take part in the pilgrimage. Application forms are out in September and for early bookings there is a £50 discount so £670 rather than £720!

Speak to Fr Stephen or any of the young people who went this year if you want to know more. Look on Youtube <https://www.animateyouth.org/lourdes> Instagram: Knowsleycoach2 TikTok: lourdescoach2

Pilgrims of Hope to the Holy Land:

Michael O'Brien came to the Peace Service for the Holy Land in November at Our Lady's and has since travelled to the Holy Land to witness the reality firsthand. Deeply moved by what he saw, he is now inviting others to join him in responding to a heartfelt plea from the local Church: *"Return to the Holy Land as Pilgrims of Hope and show solidarity with the Christian community. Come back! We're waiting for you, and we need you!"*

Cardinal Pizzaballa, Latin Patriarch of Jerusalem

The "Liverpool Pilgrims of Hope" initiative offers a way for local Christians to make a difference- not through politics or protest, but through pilgrimage: an act of faith, love, and visible solidarity. To learn more or express interest, please visit:

www.pilgrimsofhope.co.uk

Police Surgeries: PCSO'S Neil & Ellie will be holding a community surgery at Belle Vale Children's Centre, Hedgefield Road, L25 between 1:00pm to 3:00pm on the following dates 18th August & 8th September. If you have any issues of concerns within the local or just want to meet with your local, why not come along.

How to give support to God's Mission through the Parish

On-Line: Scan the QR

Text:

Text OLA to 70450 to donate £3.

Text OLA to 70460 to donate £5.

Text OLA to 70470 to donate £10.

Standing Order:

Forms at the back of church and on website.



Weekly Collections

10th August 2025

Envelopes & Cash: £424.25

S/O online: £910.00

TOTAL: £1334.25

THANK YOU!

CANTONESE RCIA (Rite of Christian

Initiation of Adults) 成人慕道班 (廣東話):

We extend a warm invitation to individuals who are interested in exploring the Catholic faith to join us. Baptized Catholics are also welcome to join us on this faith journey.

Program Duration: **August 23rd 2025–**

May 24th, 2026 Zoom Sessions:

Tuesdays, 8:00pm–9:30pm

In-person Sessions: **Every 3rd Saturday of the month, 11:00am–12:30pm** at

Metropolitan Cathedral (L3 5TQ) For Enquiries/Contact: Flora - 07403

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我們誠意邀請對天主教信仰有興趣的人士加入我們的慕道之旅

同時歡迎已領洗天主教徒再慕道

Pilgrimage Masses at the Shrine of

Blessed Dominic Barberi: The Parish of St Anne and Blessed Dominic, Sutton, St Helens, invites clergy and parishioners to two special pilgrimage Masses at the Shrine of Blessed Dominic Barberi—designated as one of the Jubilee Churches of our Archdiocese. The Blessed Dominic Barberi Pilgrimage Mass is on Monday, 25th August at 12 noon.

Principal Celebrant is Fr Giuseppe Adobati Carrara, Superior General of the Passionist Order and the Venerable Elizabeth Prout. Pilgrimage Mass on Saturday 13th September at 12 noon, Principal Celebrant: Bishop Mark Davies of Shrewsbury. Both Masses will be held at St Anne's Church, WA9 1ZD. Refreshments will be served after the Mass on Monday 25th August.

Christ the King Parish Centenary group

present: An evening of music with Daniel Thomas and Anne Williams on Tuesday 2nd September, 7pm at Christ the King church, 78 Queens Drive, Wavertree, L15 6YQ. Entrance £10 includes a welcome drink. All money from the event will support St Vincent's school, West Derby, and Micah, a charity that provides emergency food and beds to people in need in Liverpool. Tickets available from the parish office or after the weekend masses.