

<b>English Martyrs,</b> <b>The Sands, Whalley, Clitheroe,</b> <b>Lancashire BB7 9TN</b>  <b>Facebook:</b> <b>English Martyrs, Whalley in</b> <b>Lancashire</b>	<b>St Mary's,</b> <b>(Our Lady, Assumed into Heaven)</b> <b>York Road, Langho, Blackburn,</b> <b>Lancashire BB6 8DW</b>  <b>Facebook:</b> <b>St Mary's Langho and St Mary's</b> <b>Osbaldeston</b>	<b>St Mary's,</b> <b>Longsight Road, Osbaldeston,</b> <b>Blackburn, Lancashire BB2 7HX</b>  <b>Facebook:</b> <b>St Mary's Langho and St Mary's</b> <b>Osbaldeston</b>
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## Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> February 2023: The Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

### *Masses and Services this coming week*

DAY	WHALLEY	LANGHO	OSBALDESTON
Saturday 4th	10.15am Confessions (DMY)	5.30pm Vigil Mass (DMY) <i>Frances Coyle (A)</i>	
	11am Mass (DMY) <i>Priest's Intention</i>		
Sunday 5th <i>5th Sunday in OT</i>	11.15am Mass (DMY) <i>Pro-Populo</i>	9.15am Mass: (DMY/LH) <i>Lena Reeder (A)</i>	3pm Mass: (DMY/JC) <i>Priest's Intention</i>
	1.30pm Baptism (DMY)		
Monday 6th		9am Eucharistic Service	
Tuesday 7th		9am Eucharistic Service	
Wednesday 8th	10am Eucharistic Service	9am Eucharistic Service	10am Mass: (JC) <i>Priest's Intention</i>
Thursday 9th		9am Eucharistic Service	
Friday 10th		10am Mass: (DMY) <i>Special Intention</i>	
Saturday 11th <i>Our Lady of Lourdes</i>	11am Mass: (DMY) <i>Margaret Jane Leaver (A)</i>	10.30am Confessions (LH)	
	5.30pm Vigil Mass: (DMY) <i>Priest's Intention</i>		
Sunday 12th <i>6th Sunday in OT</i>	11.15am Mass: (DMY) <i>Pro-Populo</i>	9.15am Mass: (DMY/LH) <i>Private Intention</i>	3pm Mass: (DMY/JC) <i>Priest's Intention</i>
		1.30pm Baptism: (DMY)	

**Grateful Thanks:** to everyone who has contributed to the upkeep of our parishes.

	Whalley	Langho	Osbaldeston
Gift Aid	£187.50	£245.00	£140.00
Loose	£214.00	£152.00	£98.85
Other Income	£60.00	£227.00	£397.12
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>£462.50</b>	<b>£624.00</b>	<b>£618.07</b>

**Masses Received:** Kevin Dean LD, Peter Wells LD, Austin Ward (A) Ernest Strahn (A)  
Ellen Shuttleworth (BD) Thomas Shuttleworth (BD) Irma Haigh (A) Betty Forrest (A) Janie Hackett (A)

**School Governors:** There are vacancies at both of our Primary Schools for the important role of School Governor. We need parish members who can commit to termly Governing Board meetings, which are generally conducted in the early evenings. Training and support is available for anybody who is interested in ensuring that the needs of all staff and pupils in our thriving Catholic schools are fully met as we continue in our efforts to offer excellent Catholic educational provision for all our children. Please speak to Fr David to find out more.

## **ENGLISH MARTYRS, WHALLEY**

**Snowdrop Teas:** We are hoping to have three weeks of afternoon teas to coincide with our beautiful snowdrops on Sunday 12<sup>th</sup>, 19<sup>th</sup>, and 26<sup>th</sup> February from 2-4pm. We are looking for volunteers to help at the teas and for offers of baking. Sign-up sheets are at the back of church, please sign-up if you can. Please come and support this annual event, the beginning of the floral year!

**Coffee After Mass:** Please note that there will be no coffee after Mass during the 'snowdrop season' to allow time to set up for the afternoon teas.

**CARITAS:** There are envelopes in the pews and at the back of church for the annual collection for the diocesan charity Caritas, which is continuing to work with those in need in these difficult times. Please be as generous as you can. We will collect the envelopes over the next few weeks.

## **ST MARY'S, LANGHO**

**The Wednesday Club:** is in urgent need of volunteers to collect members from their homes around 1pm and to drive them back again around 2.45pm. The Wednesday club meets once a fortnight. If you can help, then please contact Maureen Lofthouse, Fr David or Fr Leo. Thanks.

**Coffee Morning:** This will take place after the 9.15am Mass today. All proceeds from the coffee and cakes sold will go to the 'Keeping in Touch' group. John Brown from the 200 Club will be doing a 'Recruitment-drive' during today's coffee morning.

## **ST MARY'S, OSBALDESTON**

**Tea and Chat:** The next "Tea and Chat" session will take place in The Heatley Rooms on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> February: 2-4pm. All are welcome.

**Log Sale:** These will be on sale today. Please contact Graeme Tootle.

**Bidding Prayer Lists:** In order for your relatives and friends to be included in our anniversary bidding prayers, please pass on any names and dates to Margaret Gillibrand.

## **AND FINALLY.....**

