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Sunday 12th March 2023: The Third Sunday of Lent.

Masses and Services this coming week

DAY	WHALLEY	LANGHO	OSBALDESTON
Saturday 11th	5.30pm Vigil Mass: (DMY) <i>Andy Allan (A)</i>	10.30am Confessions (LH)	
Sunday 12th <i>3rd Sunday of Lent</i>	11.15am Mass: (DMY) <i>Pro-Populo</i>	9.15am Mass: (DMY/LH) <i>Clare Rossi (A)</i>	2.30pm Stations of the Cross
		1.30pm Baptism: (DMY)	3pm Mass: (JC) <i>Priest's Intention</i>
Monday 13th		9am Eucharistic Service	
Tuesday 14th		9am Eucharistic Service	
Wednesday 15th	10am Eucharistic Service	9am Eucharistic Service	10am Mass (JC) <i>Ellen Walsh (A)</i>
		12 Noon Rosary	
Thursday 16th	10am Mass followed by Stations of the Cross: (DMY) <i>Fred Mercer (A)</i>	9am Eucharistic Service	
Friday 17th <i>St Patrick</i>		10am Mass: (DMY) <i>Bertha Grundy (A)</i>	
		12 Noon: Stations of the Cross	
Saturday 18th	2pm: Baptism: (DMY)	5.30pm Vigil Mass (DMY) <i>Ken and Norma Collins (A)</i>	
Sunday 19th <i>4th Sunday of Lent</i>	11.15am Mass: (DMY) <i>Pro-Populo</i>	9.15am Mass: (DMY/LH) <i>Nick Corcoran LD</i>	2.30pm Stations of the Cross
		1.30pm Baptism: (DMY)	3pm Mass: (DMY) <i>Pro-Populo</i>

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

	Whalley	Langho	Osbaldeston
Gift Aid	£120.00	£365.00	£220.00
Loose	£122.79	£195.00	£44.57
Other Income	£130.00	£286.00	£1,434.59
TOTAL	£372.79	£846.00	£1,699.16

Masses Received: Ken and Norma Collins (A) Maureen Balfour LD, Bernadette (90th Birthday) Ellen Walsh (A) In thanksgiving for prayers answered, Canon Jude Harrison (Golden Jubilee) Herbert Lyons (A) Leo Wells (A) Philippa Mahon (A) Carol McCurrie LD, Rita Mahon (Sick) Frank Peters LD,

ENGLISH MARTYRS, WHALLEY

Mothers' Day Event: – Our next social event will be the Mothers' Day Event on Saturday 18th March 2023 (10.30am – 1pm) with Tea, Coffee, Bacon Baps, Sausage Rolls and cakes available by way of refreshments. There will also be a Cake Stall, Books, Jams & Preserves and other seasonal items for sale. There will be lists at the back of church for offers of help and for offers of baking. This has been a very successful event in the past, so let's hope we can make it so again. We will have tickets on sale in advance for the Bacon Baps (£2.00 each). We ran out last year and we wouldn't want that to happen again! It won't be essential to buy a ticket, but it would be a great help with catering. Our fellow parishioners from Langho and Osbaldeston are warmly welcome to join us. The tickets will be on sale at this weekend's Masses.

Gift Aid Envelopes: As we approach the end of the financial year, we will be getting the new boxes of envelopes ready. Several people have decided to change from weekly envelopes to either weekly or monthly standing order payments directly into the parish bank account. If anyone wishes to change their method of planned-giving; please contact Alison Butler. I am very grateful to everyone who has contributed to the upkeep of the parish over the past year, especially as we are all aware of the present period of financial strain.

ST MARY'S, LANGHO

200 Club: Congratulations to the winners of the MARCH Draw for the 200 Club.

FIRST PRIZE	154	J M Taylor
SECOND PRIZE	90	Matthew Howarth
THIRD PRIZE	15	Tom Holt
FOURTH PRIZE	10	Bernard Hilton

CAFOD: The "Family Fast-Day" envelopes will be available from the Vigil Mass this weekend and can be returned over the next two weeks. The CAFOD Home Baking stall will be open for business after the Masses on the 18th/19th March. Thank you in advance for your generosity in supporting these initiatives.

Gift Aid Envelopes: These have now arrived and are being processed. They will be automatically renewed for existing box-holders. If you would like to join the scheme, please fill in one of the forms in the porch.

ST MARY'S, OSBALDESTON

Log Sale: These will be on sale today. Please contact Graeme Tootle. This has now raised £330.00 for the parish.

Easter Raffle tickets: These will be sold after Mass from Sunday 12th March. We would appreciate any Easter type gifts towards the hampers. Thank You.

Tea and Chat: will take place in the Heatley Rooms on Monday 13th March 2-4pm. All are welcome.

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.

Osbaldeston Parish Council: The Parish Council is presently looking for a councillor to join them. If anyone is interested in this role, please contact Louise Edge on 07748 915985 for further details.