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Sunday 15th January 2017 **2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time**
"Stay with us, Lord on our journey."

MINISTERIES

Week beginning Monday 16th January 2017

Cleaning June Parrington, Eileen Hulton, Audrey O'Malley **Readers** **Sat** Phil Mooney **Sun** Mark Dixon
Eucharistic Ministers **Sat** Cath Kippax, Tom Holt, Felix Odudu, Janet Moxham **Sun** Cath Hughes-Gooding, Ann Brown, Agnes Corban,
 Chris Bolton **Offertory Procession** **Sat** Eve/Di **Sun** Hindle Family **Flowers**
Music 4th Week **Sat** 6.00pm **Sunday 10.00am Folk Group.** **Children Liturgy**

SERVICES THIS WEEK Mass Mon.9.00am, Tue.9.00am, Wed.9.00am, Thu 9.00am Fri 9.15am (with year group from school), Sat 6.00pm, Sun 10.00am. **Reconciliation Saturday 10.30am-11.00am**

OFFERTORY COLLECTION. 8th January 2017 Gift Aid £475 Loose £ 280 Total £ 755. Thank you
 1st January 2017 Gift Aid £385. Loose £370. Total £755. Thank you.

MASS INTENTIONS Fr. Flor O'Donoghue, Mick Roche, Mary Roach and family, Nafees Batti, Moira McCoy

BLACKBURN FOOD BANK. The request this week is for tinned meat, fruit juice, sugar plus the usual items. The box is in the church porch. Thank you for your very generous support

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS We are in need of some new ministers to help our rota run efficiently. If you would like to volunteer your services for either the 6.00pm Saturday or 10.00am Sunday Masses can you please see Fr. Leo. Training will be given. A temporary rota covering January and February is now available in the church porch for existing ministers.

200 CLUB DRAW £50 No.65 Tom Robson. £25 No.172 Mr. Mrs. F. Hindle. £15 No. 78 John T. Gorner. £10 No. 134 David & Gill Butterworth. Congratulations. A new draw will begin in February and run for 12 months. Renewal Forms are now available in the church porch. They can be returned there or through the presbytery letter box. The donation remains the same £12 for the year.

SACRAMENTAL PROGRAMME A warm welcome to the children on this year's program and their families to both Masses this weekend.

DIOCESAN RE-ORGANISATION Copies of the report are available in the church porch. There should be enough for one for each household. Here Langho, Whalley and Osbaldeston will be amalgamated to form one parish with three churches. This will be achieved over time i.e. as one of the three priest retires or "falls off the perch" then the other two will run the three parishes until it is "last man standing." When he goes one priest will be appointed as the new parish priest. This will require changes as time goes by and necessity demands. Eventually it will mean one Mass in each church.

"BOILING THE KETTLE" Volunteers need to join the monthly rota to boil the kettle for the Coffee Mornings. This can be individual or groups of families, groups of friends or even a group of lads....If you can help please sign the rota in the church porch.

EDGES will begin again on Wednesday 22nd February and continue to four weeks. A meeting for the adult helpers will be held on Wednesday in the Presbytery at 3.45pm.

We remember in our prayers Father Norman Arkwright, Jean Wilson, Joan Robson, Margaret Whip, Raymond Marsh, Linda Pannuzzo, Kathleen Gooden, Martin Gooden, Jenny Kenny, Joe Kemp, Philip Broadbent, Steven Grimes, Eileen Matthews, Eamon Byrne, Toby Qigg, Nafees Bhatti, Rani Bhatti, Margaret Bolton, Bryn Roberts, Bernard Hargreaves, James Murphy, Mike Bagley, Patricia Grimshaw, Bert Handley, Joseph Smith, Michael Lupton, Harry Tomlinson, Rita Tomlinson. We pray for Moira McCoy, Mick Roche all who died recently. We also remember John Riding, Irene Barrett, Michael McConville, Richard Parkinson and all whose anniversaries occur at this time.