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Sunday 22nd January 2017

3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

"Stay with us, Lord on our journey."

MINISTERIES

Week beginning Monday 23rd January 2017

Cleaning June Parrington, Eileen Hulton, Audrey O'Malley **Readers** Sat Felix Odudu **Sun** Catherine Gunn

Eucharistic Ministers Sat Sarah Doolan, Sylvia Griffin, Helen Brett, Margaret Smith. **Sun** Jenny Hall, Julie Singleton, Fred Arkwright,

Stella Arkwright. **Offertory Procession** Sat Dawber Family **Sun** Lapa Family **Flowers** Maureen

Music 5th Week Sat 6.00pm

Sunday 10.00am

Children Liturgy Debbie

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 £380 Loose £ 380 Total £ 760. Thank you

MASS INTENTIONS Sheila McIntyre, Successful operation for Megan McDonnell, Cathy Hughes-Gooding (speedy recovery), Arthur Bullard, Mary Nolan, Joseph Bauer.

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. 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.

"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 for four weeks.

KEEPING IN TOUCH GROUP Meeting on Wednesday at 9.30am in the parish meeting room.

WEDNESDAY CLUB meet in the parish centre at 1.30pm. This week Bingo and Quiz. Also the Caritas Ambassadors from St. Mary's School will be paying a visit to the club to tell them about the important work they do for the school community.

THE FLOWER ARRANGERS would like to give thanks for a donation of £50 towards the Christmas Flowers. And thanks to the arrangers for their hard work over Christmas.

LANGHO IN BLOOM presents "Flowers for Valentine's Day" a flower arranging demonstration by award-winning floral designer Jane Brown on Thursday 9th February at 11.00am in The Royal Taj, Langho.

Tickets £3, includes coffee and cake available from Langho Pharmacy or telephone Veronica 07895 697229 or Diane 01254 245946.

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, Megan McDonnell, Mary Nolan. We pray for Marjorie Teasdale, Kit O'Brien and all who died recently. We also remember Fr. John Cribben, Fr. Vincent Royles, Christine Bamber, Graham Hancock, Arthur Bullard, Sarah Warden, Mary Healy, Maureen Eccles, Joe Smith, Joseph Bauer, Sheila McIntyre and all whose anniversaries occur at this time.,