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Sunday 25th September 2016

26th Sunday of the Year.

"Stay with us, Lord on our journey."

MINISTERIES

Week beginning Monday 26th September 2016

Readers Sat Felix Odudu Sun Josie Swarbrick

Euch. Min. Sat. Cath Kippax, Tom Holt, Feliz Odudu, Sarah Doolan.. Sun Agnes Corban, Chris Bolton, Fred Arkwright, Stella Arkwright.

Offertory Sat Allen Family *Sun* Childrens Liturgy *Flowers* Veronica & Yvonne

Music 1st Week Sat 6.00pm

Cleaning Agnes Corban, Ann Brown, Mary Oddie, Eileen Marsden

Sun 10.00am

Childrens 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). Mass Sat 6.00pm Sun. 10.00am. Confessions Saturday 10.30am - 11.00am OFFERTORY COLLECTION.** Gift Aid £428 Loose £225. Total £653. Thank You for your generosity.

WALL OF PRAYER The prayer board for your intentions is on the wall at the front of the church.

MASS INTENTIONS Billy Lord, Janet Andrews (birthday), For 2 very sick people, Special Intention, In thanksgiving for the kindness of a kidney donor, Elizabeth Lillie.

BLACKBURN FOOD BANK. The request this week is for tinned fish, fruit juice, big soups and long grained rice plus the usual items. The box is in the church porch. Thank you for your ongoing support.

THE UNIVERSE priced 1.30p on sale in the church porch.

WEDNESDAY CLUB at 1.30pm in the parish centre. This week Bingo and Quiz along with refreshments and good company. All welcome.

WELCOME to Charlotte Louise Keogh and Ivy May Sharples who are to be baptised here this Sunday. **TAI CHI** in the parish centre on Fridays from 1.30 - 2.30pm.

ST.MARYS FAMILY GROUP The next Group activity is a trip to Samlesbury Hall this Sunday 25th September. Meet at 1.00pm at the playground area in the Hall. After the walk there will be a bite to eat in the presbytery. Members of the parish are invited join the families in the presbytery around 5.00pm.

AID TO THE CHURCH IN NEED Thank you for your support last week for the appeal and for the cards that you bought. A total of £680 was raised. Thank you. It all goes to a worthy cause.

COFFEE MORNING and 200 CLUB DRAW next Sunday in the parish centre after the 10.00am Mass. "Boiling the Kettle" will be the Nixon Family.

VOLUNTEERS needed to "Boil the Kettle" at the Coffee Morning on the first Sunday of each month. Can you please sign the rota in the church porch.

EDGES NIGHTS will begin on Wednesday 5th October in the parish centre from 6.30pm to 8.00pm and continue for the next three weeks. Parental Consent Forms will be available for Year 6 pupils from St. Mary's School and for Year 7 pupils from St. Augustine's School. For children in other school the form can be obtained from Fr. Leo

OUT THERE is a charity that helps the families of those who are in prison. It was established 10 years ago by Sr. Moira from the Daughters of Charity. A speaker from the charity will talk about their work at Masses next week and there will be a basket at the back of church for any contribution you would like to make.

ST. MARY'S SCHOOL need volunteers to give an hour or two to hear children read. Interested? Please contact the school office on 01254 247157

LANGHO IN BLOOM present "A Family Affair" an illustrated talk by Lilian Hargreaves about the history of Mytton Fold at the Mytton Fold on Monday 3rd October at 7.30pm. Tickets £6 inc. refreshments from Langho Pharmacy or Diana (01254 245946) or Veronica (07895 697229)

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, David Clarey, Euan Hargreaves, Mavis Dickinson, Bryn Roberts, Bernard Hargreaves, James Murphy .We also pray for all who died recently especially Father Terence Schofield, Elizabeth Lillie together with Eileen Nelson, Joan Hancock, Nancy Sedgley, Marguerita Rimmer, Michael O'Malley, Garth Rogers and all whose anniversaries occur at this time.