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## Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> October 2022. The 31<sup>st</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

### Masses and Services this coming week

DAY	WHALLEY	LANGHO	OSBALDESTON
Saturday 29th	1pm: Wedding Service: Jake Webster & Eva McGuffie	5.30pm Vigil Mass: (JC) <i>Priest's Intention</i>	
Sunday 30th <i>31st Sunday in OT</i>	11.15am Mass (DMY) <i>Pro-Populo</i>	9.15am Mass (DMY) <i>Andy Allen</i> 1.30pm Baptism: (DMY)	3pm Mass (DMY) <i>Priest's Intention</i>
Monday 31st		6pm Vigil Mass of All Saints (DMY) <i>Jack Livesey (A)</i>	
Tuesday 1st November <i>Feast of All Saints</i>	12 Noon Mass (DMY) <i>Pro - Populo</i>	9am Mass (DMY) <i>Bernadette Ridge LD</i>	10.30am Mass (JC)
Wednesday 2nd  <i>All Souls</i>	10am Mass (DMY) <i>The Holy Souls</i> 11.40am Funeral Service for Ian Duckworth <i>Accrington Crematorium</i>	9am Eucharistic Service	10am Mass (JC) <i>Priest's Intention</i>
Thursday 3rd	10am Mass <i>Eileen O'Sullivan LD</i>	9am Eucharistic Service	
Friday 4th		10am Mass (DMY) <i>John Edge (A)</i>	
Saturday 5th	5.30pm Vigil Mass (DMY) <i>Terry McMahon LD</i>	10,30am Confessions	
Sunday 6th <i>32nd Sunday in OT</i>	11.15am Mass (DMY) <i>Pro-Populo</i> 3pm Blessing of the Graves <i>Whalley &amp; Wiswell Cemetery</i>	9.15am Mass (DMY) <i>Sheila Mower LD</i> 1.30pm Baptism: (DMY)	3pm Mass: (JC) <i>Priest's Intention</i>

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

	Whalley	Langho	Osbaldeston
Gift Aid	£263.60	£195.00	£116.00
Loose	£191.47	£135.00	£66.00
Other Monies	£206.00	£	£141.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>£661.07</b>	<b>£330.00</b>	<b>£323.00</b>

**All Saints:** Tuesday the 1<sup>st</sup> of November is the Feast of All Saints, which is a Holy Day of Obligation. I have spread out the Masses across the three churches for this feast. Hopefully everyone who is planning to attend will find a time that suits them.

**Masses Received:** Anne Bolton (A) Mary Atkinson LD, Fr Leo, Mary Smith (BM) (x2)

**Fr Leo:** I spoke to Fr Leo on Thursday, the news for this week is mixed. The good news is that he is out of hospital and staying at McAuley Mount. The bad news is that he has tested positive for Covid and is self-isolating. He is in good spirits and, once again, thanks everyone for their prayers.

**Confirmations:** The next meeting for the candidates is on Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> November at St Michael and St John's church hall. There will be a separate meeting for parents on that day, which will take place in the church. Please note that the actual Confirmation Service is on Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> December at 7pm at St Peter's Stoneyhurst.

**Greenwich Mean Time:** Please remember that the clocks go back one hour this weekend.



### **ENGLISH MARTYRS, WHALLEY**

**SVP Foodbank Appeal:** Pastor Anne is very grateful for all the winter coats and blankets you have donated. They are now in urgent need of children's winter boots and wellies. If you can help, please leave them in the usual places. Thank you.

**Blessing of the Graves:** This will take place on Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> November at 3pm in Whalley and Wiswell Cemetery. Grave lights can be purchased from the piety stall.

**Piety Stall:** Christmas cards and other seasonal items are available at the back of church.

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

**Christmas Cards:** Will be on sale after the November Masses while stocks last.

**Bonfire Night:** The Langho Scout group and Langho Community bonfire will be held at the Langho Community Centre, behind St Leonard's Church, on Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> November from 6pm.

**Coffee Morning:** The November Coffee morning will take place after next Sunday's Mass (6<sup>th</sup> November) Any money raised will go to Rosemere, that cancer charity where Fr Leo has been receiving support. The November draw for the 200 Club will also take place that morning.

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

**Christmas Cards:** and other religious items are on sale in support of the "Aid to the Church in need" charity.

**October Rosary** will conclude today after the 3pm Mass.

**School PTA Bonfire:** This will be held on Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> November starting at 6pm. There will be fireworks and refreshments. Advanced family tickets are available for £10. Please contact the PTA on 0741 246464634 for further details.

**Graveyard Update:** The extension to the plot for new graves has been completed. The hedges, new grassed areas, the mound and the area around the grotto are in the process of being developed. The ongoing task of maintaining the graveyard to its current high standard falls to a small, dedicated group of volunteers. I would like to thank them for all their hard work. New help would be very welcome. Please speak to a member of the team. I would also like to register my thanks to the people who donate money towards the upkeep of the graveyard. This enables us to purchase tools etc.

**Christmas Lunch:** This will take place on Monday 12<sup>th</sup> December at Brownsholme Hall. There are a few places still available; if you would like to join us please contact Bernadette on 01254 812437