

Sick

Peter Holmes, Rita Brice, Gerard Kenny, Brian Kenny, Gerard Tansey, Frederick Carr Mary & Alan Ruxton, Che Burnley, Vanessa Hall, Jim Morrin, George Coughlin, Alex Hoban, Sheila Bradshaw, Mary Rimmer, John White, Pat Waring, Margaret Sanders, Frank Byrne, Kevin Dowd, Helen Coulson, Marie Foster (5yrs old), Fr. John Harris, Rita Kenrick, Clare Rimmer, Winnie Steadman, Fr Gerry Mackaell, Stephanie Parr, Elliot Christopher Owens, Damian Brett, Bob Rothwell, Linda Nye, John Underwood, Shane O'Reilly.

Lately Dead

Chris Tune, Mark Gossage, Liam, Kevin Walsh, Tina McKeown, Fr. Tom Cullinan, Fr. Daniel O'Leary, Joan Eaglesfield, Vincebt Langford. Vera Parker

Anniversaries

Eileen Harte, Stephen Farrell, Monica Furnival, Carmel Boggan, Alice Duffy, Frances Moore, Julie Peters, Rosalie Fitzgerald, Jim Sheerin, Margaret Nolan, Deirdre Lawton, Paul Dinghy, Rachel Ashton, Margaret Weston, Bill Horder, Nan Tuckle, Joan Prescott

Baptisms - We welcome into the church:

Elsie Grace Boyd and Jack Bergh 3rd February

Heidi Grace Bowen 17th February

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 10.30 am – 11.10 am

Exposition & Morning Prayer

Weekdays 8.30am – 9.10am (except Thurs & Sat)

Benediction & Exposition

1st Sunday of the month 3.30pm

Stations of the Cross

Every Friday of Lent at 7.00pm

Parish Priest: Mgr Canon John Furnival

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Sts Peter & Paul Catholic Church CROSBY

4th & 5th Sunday of the Year
Year C - 2nd - 17th February 2019



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Saturday 2 February (The Presentation of the Lord)

5.45 Henry Connolly, Tess Huyton, Int of Roz & Danny McDonald

Sunday 3 February

10.30 Carmel & Michael Dunkley, Christian Rohr, Mary Cunningham

Monday 4 February

9.10 The Callaghan Family, Angela Kendrick, Stephen Farrell & Eileen Harte

Tuesday 5 February

9.10 Eucharistic Service

6.30pm Holy Hour 7.30 pm Mass: Monica Furnival, Carmel Boggan,

Alice Duffy & Sp. Int

Friday 8 February

9.10 Gerald & Annie Morris, Frances Moore & Miss Sadie

Saturday 9 February

5.45 Julie Peters, Charles Sankey, Rosalie Fitzgerald & Chris Tune

Sunday 10 February

10.30 Jim Sheerin, Linda (sp Int), John, Joan & Liam Bird

Monday 11 February (Our Lady of Lourdes)

9.10 Margaret Nolan, Veronica Parker, Sp Int(HF) & Mark Gossage

11.00 St Mary's College Feast Day Mass

Tuesday 12 February

9.10 Eucharistic Service

6.30 pm Holy Hour. 7.30 Deirdre Lawton, Kevin Walsh, Daniel, Laure & Baby

Wednesday 13 February

12.00 Funeral Service - Veronica Parker

Friday 15 February

9.10 Paul Dinghy, Rachel Ashton, Ada Brown, Fr Tom Cullinan

Saturday 16 February

5.45 Margaret Weston, John Byrne, Peter Wilson, Joan Prescott

Sunday 17 February 10.30 Maura & George Carney, Bill Horder, Nan Tuckle

LOURDES MASS: Mass in honour of Our Lady of Lourdes and in preparation for the 2019 pilgrimage will take place at Christ the King Church, Childwall on Monday 11th February at 7.30 pm. The Pilgrimage this year is from 19th-26th July. Details for bookings and other information on the notice board .

PILGRIMAGES : Other pilgrimages taking place later this year include Banneux 13th—20th. August and Medjugorje 18th—25th. May . Places are available on these pilgrimages. Why not consider going along . Mgr John has details of the Banneux visit and a poster can be found on the notice board for these events.

CATHOLIC MIRACLE RALLY (North) Leaflets advertising this event in March can be found at the back of church..

PRAYERS PLEASE: For the repose of Fr. Daniel O’Leary. Fr. Tom Cullinan, .. Vincent Langford , Vera Parker (Funeral Service here on 12th February and Joan Eaglesfield (Crenation Service at Thornton Wednesday 20th February 12,00 noon. Notices will be given in the church porch. May they rest in peace.

SYNOD 2020: Meetings for the members of the Synod will be held in February. Deacon Tony and Sally Andrew have been appointed as members from our parish along with others from the area. The Synod, which takes place in October 2020, is to follow a period of consultation about what sort of Church God wants us to be and how we might consider proposals for the Archbishop to consider or adopt in relation to the future direction of the church in the archdiocese. A Synod Prayer Card is available at the back of church. And a banner has been placed in the Sanctuary to remind us to keep the Synod in our prayers.. A Service will be celebrated this Sunday, 3rd February, in the Cathedral at 3.00 pm as part of the official launch of Synod 2020. Everyone is welcome to attend that Service in the Cathedral this Sunday.

ANNIVERSARY OF OUR CHURCH: On 29th June 2019, Feast of Peter and Paul, we will mark the 125th anniversary of the opening of this church. I would like to meet with all interested parties on 15th February in the evening at 6.30 pm in the Sunshine Room and will give a reminder of this meeting next week. Those who have offered help might take note of the date and the time will be arranged.. Bishop John Rawsthorne, a parishioner from here will be the celebrant at Mass on Saturday 29th at 5.45 pm. . Archbishop Malcolm has happily agreed to attend and celebrate Mass on Sunday 29th June at 10.30 am. Priests who formerly worked in our parish and others associated with it have been invited. If anyone wishes to help in any way this please let Mgr. John or Fr. Simon know. and note the 15th February meeting, 6.30 pm.

ECUMENICAL MORNING PRAYER: The next meeting for prayer with the other churches in our area will be in our church on Thursday 7th February at 9.45 am. Refreshments available afterwards in the Sunshine Room. It is hoped that a few times in the year a Service of prayer for Unity can be arranged in our various Crosby Churches. There will be prayers for unity and for a successful outcome to the Brexit process.

FIRST COMMUNION PREPARATION: Parents are invited to choose the date and time of the First Communion Mass for their child following the Mass on 2nd February. Please give in the forms with your chosen date as soon as possible..

MASS IN HONOUR OF OUR LADY OF LOURDES: This will take place at Christ The King Church, Childwall on 11th February at 7.30 pm. See the notice board for further details.

ST. MARY’S COLLEGE will be celebrating their patronal Feast Day on 11th February with a Mass for the whole College in our church that day at 11.00 am. That day there will be special Service in memory of Fr. Gerard Weston, who was killed by a bomb at Aldershot in 1972, with a dedication in the cemetery here

MASS AT LITTLE NESTON: there will be a Mass at St. Winefrede’s Church, Burton Road, Little-Neston, on the Wirral, in honour of the Sacred head of Jesus. This will be on Friday 15th February beginning at 11.00 am with a Holy Hour. Details to be found on the notice board.

THE BIBLE COURSE: Want to study the Bible and know God’s Holy Word better? There is a course of Bible study on 8 Wednesdays from 27th February from 1.00 pm to 2.30 pm. Led by members of the Bible Society (e mail: colinstephens@gmail.com

BARN DANCE /CEILID: This will be held at St. Michael’s Irish Centre, Liverpool to raise money for the Banneux Pilgrimage; Details are on the notice board. As the notice says, book early to avoid disappointment.

STUDY DAY FOR CHURCHES: See the notice in the porch for details of this event arranged by Sefton North Deanery. Also see the board for forthcoming ecumenical events for young people in our local area.

FCJ (Faithful Companions of Jesus) offer a week-end Retreat for women reflecting on a vocation to the Religious Life. 15th-17th February . Details on the notice board.

CAFOD: It is hoped that plans to close the Cafod shop in St. John’s Road, Waterloo, may be reversed and that a fresh effort will be made to support the work of the shop with the help of volunteers. Help is asked for and you will see the notice on the porch notice board about this. Please give what support you can to keep the shop open and so continue to raise much needed funds for Cafod.

GIFT AID: Gift Aiding your donations to the church increases the value of your donation by 25% without any cost to you or any intrusion into your personal financial situation. Please consider Gift Aiding if you are a tax payer. All you have to do is sign a simple form which we can arrange through the parish. No personal information is required or kept other than your name and address. You give whatever you want at whatever time you want. Call us on 0151 928 3456 or ask about it after Mass in church.

LITTLE CHURCH : it is important that in the parish we remain aware of legislation regarding Safeguarding and GDPR (General Data Protection Regulations) In the case of the Children’s Liturgy at Mass on Sundays parents should be aware that if they accompany the children at the Little Church on a regular basis they must complete DBS checks through the parish. Mgr John will advise where necessary.

PRAYER CIRCLE: The Prayer Circle group in the parish prays each day for your intentions. Please fill in a form and place it in the request box on the left transept of church as you go up towards the Lady Altar. Requests remain on the list for 6 months. For information Tel. Bernie Callaghan on 928 2558.

THE SUNSHINE ROOM : Tea, coffee and biscuits are available in the Sunshine Room after the 10.30 am Mass each Sunday. Come and join with other parishioners for a cuppa. Thank you to the helpers.

THINKING OUTSIDE THE PEW: Discussion and reflection takes place each Monday at 7.30 pm at St. Helen’s parish centre. . Weekly written Reflections are available at the back of church.

FOOD BANK. Please continue to support the Food Bank, especially as Christmas approaches. Money donations may be made through the presbytery marked FOOD BANK. bringing any non-perishable food items to the collection points in the church and sacristy. Any money should be given in to the presbytery door .

ECUMENICAL DISCUSSIONS: The meetings at St Helen’s Parish Centre continue on Thursdays after the New Year in the afternoons at 1.30 pm. Tea and coffee will be available.

MASS REQUESTS: Often requests for Mass are given in too late to be included on the day requested. As we do a fortnightly newsletter, please give 3 weeks notice at least for a specific date if wanted. Please also ensure that the details are included with the name, ie. lately dead, anniversary, sick, special intention etc. This will help us in