

If you wish to have your child Baptised here at St Joseph's church, please ring the Parish Office to book a place at the next Baptism Meeting. Which, takes place the 1st Sunday of the month following the 9.30 am Mass.






Church Cleaning Rota

This week Group 1

Thank you to **ALL** our volunteers who help to clean and prepare our church throughout the year.

If you can help please let Mgr. Phil

We continue to ask Almighty God to especially care for all those approaching the end of their lives. May they be granted a peaceful, natural death with dignity and the appropriate palliative care. Lord hear us".



Tea, Coffee and Cakes Morning

There have been some kind gifts made of toiletries, candles, crystal and various other pieces of bric-a-brac. These items will be for sale at our tea and coffee mornings. We only ask for a suitable donation please and **thank you again for all your wonderful support!**

This Sunday 11th May after the 9.30 am Mass.



Last weeks Collection.

Total Collection for the last weekend.

Gift Aid:	£ 385.00
Loose Plate:	£ 245.57
Total:	£ 630.57



Thank you all for your wonderful generosity.

May the Month of Mary



MISSION STATEMENT OF THE ARCHDIOCESE OF LIVERPOOL
 "Taking to heart the last words of the Lord Jesus, we will go into the world to proclaim the Good News to the whole of Creation"

St Joseph's Catholic Church



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<div>  <div> <p>4th Sunday of Easter</p> <p>11th May 2025</p> </div>  </div>		
11th May 4th Sunday of Easter	9.30 am 5.00 pm	Allan Bolton Birthday Anniversary Anne Ainscough
Monday	9.30 am	People of the Parish
Tuesday	No Public Mass	
Wednesday	No public Mass	
Thursday Mass	9.30 am	Special Intention
Friday	10.00 am	Requiem Mass for Teresa Bromilow
Saturday	No Public Mass	
18th May 5th Sunday of Easter	9.30 am 5.00 pm	Terry Flynn Birthday Anniversary Peter Horridge Birthday Anniversary

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<div> <p>4th Sunday Easter Sunday</p> <p>Sacrament of Reconciliation on request. Please contact the Parish Office or Monsignor Phil.</p> </div>	
First Reading	A reading from: Acts 13:14,43b-52
Psalm Response	We are his people, the sheep of his flock. Ps 100(29):1-2. 3. 5. R/3c
Second Reading	A reading from: Revelation 7:9.13a, 14b-17
The Gospel Acclamation	Alleluia, alleluia I am the good shepherd, says the Lord. I know my sheep and they know me.. Alleluia.
Gospel	A reading from the holy Gospel according to John John 10:27-30
Communion Antiphon	The God Shepherd has risen, who laid down his life for his sheep and willing died for his flock, alleluia.



4th Sunday of Easter

On the 4th Sunday of Easter Year C, we remember that Jesus is our Shepherd. He knows us, loves us, and calls us to follow Him. By listening to His voice, we can find the path to eternal life. The 4th Sunday of Easter Year C invites us to reflect on Jesus as our Good Shepherd.



Knights of Columbus

An evening of musical entertainment with

Local Vocals Women's Choir

And local talent **Neil Dunlop**

Friday 30th May 7.30 pm at St Marie's Standish **Ticket Price: £10.00**
including light refreshments in the hall during interval.

Raffle

(Cash only on the night)

To book please contact: steve.lester@zen.co.uk / 07724 076569
charles.tetlow@sky.com 07984 759289

Holy Mass Intentions.

If you would like to request a Mass to be celebrated here at St Joseph's church, there are envelopes at the back of church. **Please state clearly** for whom your Mass intention is for **and the date you wish to have the Mass** celebrated on. **We will try to meet your requests**, Please enclose your offering and pass to the parish office.

The great Doctor of the Church St Anselm declared that a single Mass offered for oneself during life may be worth more than a thousand celebrated for the same intention after your death.

Sick in our Parish

Please pray the sick of our community, especially Peter Banks, Dorthy Nelson and those who are suffering from a terminal illness remembering also all the patients in Wroughtington and Wigan hospital and our local Hospice and members of the Royal Family.

Heal thy servants, O Lord, who are sick and put their trust in Thee. Send them help, O Lord, and comfort from thy Holy Place.



Hospital Catholic Chaplaincy

**Wigan, Wroughtington Hospital
and Wigan Hospice.**

If you or a family member are admitted into the hospital or the hospice please make sure the Catholic Chaplaincy Team, based at Wigan Infirmary, know you are there.

In an emergency ask the ward staff to contact the on-call Catholic Priest.

Holy Souls

In your charity please pray for Teresa Bromilow who has recently died, and all those whose anniversaries occur about this time. We also remember the forgotten Holy Souls who have no one to pray for them including Priests and Religious.

Eternal rest grant on to them,
O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them,
may they rest in your peace. Amen



YOUTH 2000 SUMMER FESTIVAL 2025

Taking place in the grounds of Ampleforth College from **Friday 22nd - Monday 25th August**, the **Youth 2000 Summer Festival** provides young adults (aged 16-35) from across the UK the opportunity to come together and explore faith, build relationships and find hope. This four-day festival includes great speakers, social time, break-out sessions, Daily Mass, 24/7 Adoration and much more!

Register your place at: youth2000.org/events/summerfestival2025.

ARCHDIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE WALK (1) – ST ANNE & BLESSED DOMINIC, SUTTON, ST HELENS – Saturday 17 May 2025

The first of our three Jubilee Pilgrimage Walks will take place NEXT Saturday 17 May. This will be a circular walk of 5 miles based around the Jubilee Church of St Anne and Blessed Dominic in St Helens. The walk will begin 10.00am from the church car park (WA9 3ZD) and will end with a short procession through the grounds at 11.50am. Those who do not feel able to complete the 5-mile walk may join us for the procession. Holy Mass will be celebrated at 12 noon and there will be an opportunity for the Sacrament of Reconciliation and visit to the Shrine of Blessed Dominic Barberi. Refreshments will also be available after Mass in the Parish Centre. To allow us to plan accordingly please sign up for the walk using the following link: <https://forms.office.com/e/11DnmnWWC5>

For more information contact Chris: c.higgins@rcaol.org.uk

Congratulations

to our young people who
will be making their **First Holy Communion**
on the 17th May 2025.

May God bless them, and their families
and keep them

In his love.

