

THE BLESSED SACRAMENT AND ST. MARIA GORETTI CHURCHES

Ribbleton, Preston, Lancashire.

Rev Father Pawel Szatlewski.

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24th Sunday in Ordinary Time 17th September 2023

MASS READINGS: Sundays Year A; Weekdays Year 1. DIVINE OFFICE; Week 24. Psalter Week 4.
The month of September is dedicated to The Seven Dolours of Mary, The Sorrowful Mother.

DATE. TIME & PLACE MASS INTENTION.

Sat 16 Sept	5.30pm SMG 7.00pm BS	AIS. For Parish & Parishioners.
Sun 17 Sept	9.00am SMG 10.30am BS 12.00pm SMG 5.30pm SMG	For Parish & Parishioners. Elizabeth Kirwan. A. Polish Intentions. Polish Intentions.
Mon 18 Sept	9.00am SMG	Maurice & Betty Loughran Wedding Anniversary.
Tue 19 Sept	9.00am SMG	Deceased members of the Cowburn & Snape families.
Wed 20 Sept	9.00am SMG 10.00am BS	AIS. AIS.
Thur 21 Sept	9.00am SMG 1.15pm BS	Deceased members of Morgan & Chester families. REQUIEM MASS FOR AARON LEE TAYLOR .
Fri 22 Sept	9.00am SMG 10.00am BS 7.00pm SMG	The Pope's Intentions. AIS. No Mass.
Sat 23 Sept	9.30am SMG 5.30pm SMG 7.00pm BS	Morning Prayers. AIS. For Parish & Parishioners.
Sun 24 Sept	9.00am SMG 10.30am BS 12.00pm SMG 5.30pm SMG	Mr & Mrs Joe Walmsley. AID. Rita Devlin. LD. Polish Intentions. Polish Intentions

Abbreviations used; BS = Blessed Sacrament church, SMG = St. Maria Goretti church, LD = Lately died; A = Anniversary; AIS = Priest's Intentions; AID = Donor's Intentions,

FEASTDAYS THIS WEEK.

19 Sept – St Theodore of Canterbury. Bishop.
Optional.

20 Sept – Sts Andrew Kim Tae-gon, Priest, & Paul Chong Ha-sang, layman, & Companions. Martyrs of Korea. Memorial.

21 Sept – ST MATTHEW. APOSTLE. FEAST.

23 Sept – St Pius of Pietrelcina. "Padre Pio". Priest.
Memorial.

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT AND CONFESSION.

Every Saturday at St Maria Goretti beginning with Mass at 9.30am followed by Exposition and Confession from 10.00am – 11am.

✠ Your prayers are asked for all who are sick:

Those who have died:

Rita Devlin, Aaron Lee Taylor.

And those who Anniversaries occur about now:

Elizabeth Kirwan,

St Maria Goretti -

Collection: £ 326.

ST MARIA GORETTI PARISH ACCOUNT:

HSBC. Sort Code; 40-27-02 Account No; 71335367.

Blessed Sacrament -

Collection: £ 384.24.

BLESSED SACRAMENT PARISH ACCOUNT:

HSBC. Sort Code 40-27-02 Account No; 71335243.

Thank you for your Generosity.

OUR SCHOOLS.

The Blessed Sacrament Catholic Primary School;
Farringdon Lane, Preston PR2 6LX. Tel; 01772 792572.

Website; www.blessed.lancsngfl.ac.uk

e-mail; bursar@blessedsacrament.lancs.sch.uk.

Headteacher – Ms K. Hannah.

St Maria Goretti Catholic Primary School;
Gamull Lane, Preston PR2 6SJ. Tel; 01772 700052. Fax
01772 655368. Website; www.smgprimary.co.uk

e-mail; bursar@st-mariagoretti.lancs.sch.uk.

Headteacher – Mrs A. Rich.



Mass Intentions. Holy Mass is the best and most powerful of all prayers. You can have Mass said for various intentions, birthdays, anniversaries and for many other family occasions as well as anniversary of death, private and special intentions. Mass envelopes are available at the back of Church or you can see Fr Pawel after Mass. If you are using a plain envelope, please indicate the church you wish your intention to be said at. *Please note that we will always try to have Mass said on a requested date if it is available, sometimes it will not be possible and so the Mass will be offered up at the nearest available date.*

The Second Collection this weekend is for Home Missions. The Second Collection next weekend is for the Bishop's Administration Fund.

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ANNUAL MACMILLAN APPEAL TIME

How quickly things come around! In order to offer our usual support we are proposing to hold our ANNUAL MACMILLAN COFFEE SOCIAL EVENT ON FRIDAY 29TH SEPTEMBER BETWEEN 1PM AND 4PM. AT 7 FARRINGDON LANE.

Your support has always been amazing and we are so grateful, However the need is still there, so any donations of cash, raffle prizes, cakes and time to socialise on the day will be extremely appreciated. Many thanks Gwen Hibbert and Friends tel 01772 793215

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RIGHT TO LIFE PRAYER. 17th September. (24th Sunday of Ordinary Time) - *"Let us pray for women and families suffering miscarriage, that the Lord will, over time, replace the pain of loss with His healing love. Lord hear us".*

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Blessed Sacrament Announcements.

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St Maria Goretti Announcements.

On Wednesdays at 7.00pm in the Parish Meeting Room in the Presbytery there is a meeting to reflect and pray on the readings for the following Sunday Mass. All are invited

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Other announcements.

NATIONAL RELIC TOUR.

The Knights of St Columba are promoting a tour of Britain of some relics of three saints with Scottish connections: St Columba, St Andrew and St Margaret. They will be visiting St Mary's Church at Brownedge from Friday 22nd September until Sunday 24th September. All are welcome to pray and venerate the relics.

Programme details are as follows:

FRIDAY. relics arrive at 12 noon; 12.00pm – 5.30pm prayer and veneration; Mass at 6.00pm.

SATURDAY. Mass at 9.30am, 10.00 - 12noon & 3.30pm – 6.30pm prayer and veneration; Vigil Mass at 7.00pm. **SUNDAY.** Mass at 9.30am, 10.30 – 6pm prayer and veneration; Mass at 6.30pm followed by departure of the relics.

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Lancaster Diocese Faith & Justice Commission invite you to a **'Care of Creation'** event on Saturday 7th October 2023, 9.30 – 3.00pm at **St Bernadette's Catholic Church, Bowerham Road, Lancaster, LA1 4HT**

The theme of the event is 'Let Justice and Peace flow'.

Guest speakers include: *Sr Margaret Atkins, Dr Stephen Garsed, Dr Paul Kelly and John Paul de Quay. Tea and coffee will be provided but please bring your own lunch.* For further information or to confirm your attendance at the event please contact Sue Grubic ldfjsue@gmail.com or text 07791444417

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Prayer for the Synod to be held between 4th – 29th October 2023 at the Vatican City.

We stand before you, Holy Spirit, as we gather together in your name. With you alone to guide us, make Yourself at home in our hearts; Teach us the way we must go and how we are to pursue it. We are weak and sinful, do not let us promote disorder: Do not let ignorance lead us down the wrong path nor partiality influence our actions. Let us find in You our unity, so we may journey together to eternal life and not stray from the way of the truth and what is right. All this we ask of you, who are at work in every place and time, in communion of the Father and the Son, Forever and ever. Amen.

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