

[olotv.org.uk](http://olotv.org.uk)

Is this a web address you recognise? You should do because it is the parish website. Yes, our parish has an active and functioning website. It is full of information about all three Churches, including history, Mass times and the many events that happen and which make our parish a vibrant active place.

Click onto **Groups** and find information about parish groups, who to contact and how to join. These are only a fraction of the groups active in the parish. Why are others not listed? Because no one in those groups has sent in information and photographs! So if you are part of a group not listed, then get your page up to date.

The website also has a Facebook page and a Twitter account. The Facebook page is accessible through the website, but you will need a Facebook account yourself. Then you can join the olotv group. Facebook gives access to further information about parish life and things that should concern us. Also this is a useful platform for advertising your events and getting feedback from others. You can display pictures and comments.

This is not just for teenagers, we are all welcome. You may think that technology is not for you. But we need everyone to join in young or old. It's not as difficult as you think, though if you are older, you may need a helping hand and some of the website group will be happy to help.

We also need younger members of the parish to get involved - you are the computer generation! Post your comments let us know what you think. The parish and indeed the church as a whole is always looking for fresh views and to encourage the young to make their voice heard and their presence felt.

So look at the website, tell us what you think, join in the discussions and post your views and comments on Facebook.

Our website provides a window into our parish and people from many parts of the UK and from as far away as Australia and America have looked in – often to learn what times our Masses are!

The website is still being built and is run and maintained by a small group of volunteers and we need more parishioners to join us. So why not join us?

To find out more contact [andrewbrown595@btinternet.com](mailto:andrewbrown595@btinternet.com)

*The Website team*

## Parish of Our Lady of the Valley

Catholic Communities of Clitheroe, Sabden & Dunsop Bridge

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**Assistant Priest:** Fr Joseph Gee

## The Assumption - 16th August 2015

### St Michael & St John's, Clitheroe



#### Sunday

Mass at 9.30am followed by Coffee

#### Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday

Eucharistic Service at 9am

#### Thursday

10.30am Funeral Service

Margaret Pustelnik

Mass at 7.30pm

#### Friday

Mass at 9am

#### Saturday 22nd August

Eucharistic Service 10.45am

Exposition 11am—11.55am

Reconciliation 11am—11.45am

First Mass of Sunday 6pm

### St Mary's Church, Sabden

**Sunday**—Mass at 11am followed by Coffee    **Wednesday**—Mass at 9.15am

### St Hubert's, Dunsop Bridge

**Sunday**—Mass at 10am

Parish Mass Book p.120 Eucharistic Prayer IV 'Jesus who went about doing good'

p52 with own preface

**Tuesday**—Mass at 9.30am

**Could all items for next weeks newsletter be in by  
9.30am Thursday 20th August. Thankyou**

### MASSES RECEIVED THIS WEEK

Amos Holden, Vivienne Tingle, Dorothy Hunt, Vincenzo Antonucci, Nicola Kerr x 2,  
Margaret Pustelnik x 2, Sally Hickling x 4, Wilf Hewitt, Bridget McKenna,  
Margaret Watkins

### SICK

Fr Peter Birmingham, Wilf Hewitt, John Ramsden, Carol Waterworth,  
Arnold Marsden jnr,

### LATELY DEAD

Margaret Pustelnik, Sally Hickling, Nicola Kerr, Amos Holden

### ANNIVERSARIES

Dorothy Hunt, Vincenzo Antonucci, Harold Bradley, Bridget McKenna

**OFFERTORY** Clitheroe £701.85 Sabden £171.62 Dunsop Bridge £306.02  
Standing Orders £170.48

**SAFEGUARDING** The majority of the clearances have now arrived and I'm just chasing up a few remaining people who have outstanding documentation. I'll have a little holiday in August and will restart in September. Ann Harkin

**CAFOD** Why are we campaigning on climate change? Simply, it's the single biggest threat to reducing poverty. The people we work with are experiencing the effects of changes in climate right now, leaving millions hungry! We are asking you to get charged up and join the wave of action:

- to make simple changes in your own lives to live more sustainably
- To shout out to UK and global politicians—"Now is the time. We must prevent climate change pushing people deeper into poverty"

**YOUTH 2000 SUMMER PRAYER FESTIVAL** for Young Adults 16-35 yrs at Walsingham 27th—31st August. Coaches available—see poster in porch for contact no

**RIBBLE VALLEY MAYORAL FUNDRAISING EVENTS 2015** for details please see poster in porch. All proceeds of the events in aid of Macmillan and Dementia for the benefit Ribble Valley residents. Tel: Olwen Heap 01200 414408 for more information

**LOURDES PILGRIMAGE REUNION** NEXT Friday 21st August, Irish World Heritage Centre, Cheetham. Please meet outside Pendle Club, Lowergate at 6.15pm for departure at 6.30pm. Cost: £10 each return journey.

**MEDAILLE TRUST** The Summer edition of the magazine for the Medaille trust (the Catholic Charity that provides safe houses for victims of human trafficking) is now available in the church porch. These magazines are free of charge. Please take one to raise awareness on what the Catholic Church is doing to tackle human trafficking in this country.

**SALFORD DIOCESE LADYEWELL PILGRIMAGE** Saturday 10th October beginning at 12noon, led by Canon Anthony McBride, Episcopal Vicar for Formation. For more details please see poster in porch.

**DEPT OF EVANGELISATION** present two talks Tuesday 8th September and Thursday 17th September both at St Gabriel's High School, Bury. See posters in porch for details

### DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

**H.C.P.T.WALK** please note this event is on Sunday 20th September—watch this space for more details.

**ANNUAL MASS** for deceased parishioners and friends will be on Bank Holiday Monday 31st August at 11am in the old Catholic Cemetery.

**Cards to post to your MP to vote against the Assisted Dying Bill on 11th September are available from the back of all three churches.**

**CLITHEROE COOKERY CLASSES** in a bid to start classes in Clitheroe, we need more volunteers for the following—cooks—washers up—collecting food—to name but a few. Interested then why not come along to our next meeting on Monday 17th August at 7.30pm at The United Reformed Church.

**HELP NEEDED!!!** With the tidying up of St Joseph's Cemetery, Waddington Road on Monday 24th August from 7pm onwards.

Aug 22/23	Saturday	Sunday
Welcomers	J.Bentley	M.Swales & T.O'Donnell
Reader	C.Riley	Marina Barrett
Eucharistic Ministers	A.Harkin & A.Southworth	C.Morgan, S.Smith, B.Collinson
Tea and Coffee		S.V.P.

**LADIES GROUP TREASURE HUNT** Wednesday 26th August—Cost £11 including two course supper. Meet on the Lowergate Car Park at 6pm. If you don't want to join in the Treasure Hunt but just want supper, then be outside the Swan and Royal at 7.15pm. Menu's are available from the church porch—please complete and return to either Daphne 427912 or Janet 423307 ext 3 by Sunday 23rd August. This event is open to all.

**PARISH DRAW** commencing September (the first draw will be at the end of that month) Cost of a ticket is £20. You will be given a number which will go into the draw which will take place at the end of each month (10 months in total). We now have 171 names—but still need another 9 people. You can check if your name is on by looking at the list on the notice board at the back of church (next to the Ladies Group display). If you are not on the list and want a ticket then please complete one of the blue slips on the shelf at the back of church and place it in the box provided. A meeting for agents will be arranged—see next weeks newsletter

**TEA DANCE** in our Parish hall next Wednesday 19th August from 2—5pm. Dancing/ Afternoon Tea with homemade cakes. Still only £3.50. Info: Daphne 01200 427912

*Tickets for the Duck Race on 31st August will be on sale here (St Michael & St John's) this weekend after Mass by Arnold Marsden.*

### SABDEN

**BONUS BALL** this weeks winner No 33—D.Buggie. There is just one bonus ball left—just £1 a week. Please see Harry Waterworth.

**DROP IN FOR COFFEE** to St Mary's Community Hall on the last Wednesday of each month 10am—12noon. Free Admission—Tea, Coffee, biscuits, juice, magazines, colouring books for the children. All welcome to pop in for a cuppa.

**THANKYOU** Carol and Harry Waterworth would like to say a big thankyou to everyone for their prayers, cards and concern for Carol over the past ten weeks, everyone has been so kind—it was very much appreciated.

### DUNSOP BRIDGE

**ST HUBERT'S DUCK RACE** August Bank Holiday Monday 31st August beginning at 2pm. Please take a book (or take some books!) of tickets to sell for the race and write the number of the book(s) and your name on the form. (individual tickets £1; book of ten: £10.00. Tickets can also be had from Arnold Marsden 01200 427096 or Les Collinson on 01200 427029

