



HELP KEEP LANCASHIRE WARM THIS WINTER



From puffer to parka, duffle to down, every donation helps, so get digging in your wardrobes and bring your old coats our way to help those in need during the winter months. We'll take any colour, style or size—for children, teenagers, young adults and adults alike. All donations will be sorted and delivered to our nominated charity partners for

distribution to those in need in Lancashire just in time for winter. You can bring them along to St Michael & St John's and St Mary's, Sabden on

Sunday 3rd November (Dunsop Bridge Saturday 26th October)

and place them in the box provided at the back of church.

Please note do not bring them along until that date—

3rd November with the exception of Dunsop Bridge (26th October)

See poster in porch for more information

Pope Francis calls us to renew our missionary commitment to share the Good News with all peoples.

By supporting Missio through your prayers and donations, you

- Help missionaries share the love of Jesus
- Train tomorrow's Priests and Sisters
- Give hope to the world's poorest children
- Create a vibrant Catholic Church for the future

World Mission Sunday prayer

God our Father, when your Son Jesus Christ rose from the dead, he commissioned his followers to 'go and make disciples of all nations'. Through our Baptism you send us out to continue this mission among all peoples.

Empower us by the gifts of the Holy Spirit to be courageous and enthusiastic in bearing witness to the Gospel, so that the mission entrusted to us which is still far from completion, may bring life and light to the world.

May all peoples experience the saving love and generous mercy of Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen



Parish of Our Lady of the Valley

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13th October 2019 - 28th Sunday in Ordinary time St Michael & St John's, Clitheroe



Sunday

Mass at 9.30am
followed by Coffee

Monday, Tuesday & Friday

Mass at 9am

Wednesday

Requiem Mass at 12noon
Rose Conti

Thursday

Eucharistic Service at 9am

Saturday (19th October)

Reconciliation—11am—11.45am Exposition 11—11.45am
First Mass of Sunday—5pm

St Hubert's, Dunsop Bridge

Thursday—Mass at 9.15am Saturday - Mass at 6.30pm

St Mary's Church, Sabden

Sunday—Mass at 11am Wednesday—Mass at 9.15am

Next Sunday there will be a retiring collection taken at all Masses for World Mission Sunday—Missio. Gift Aid envelopes can be found inside the Free Missio magazines in the porch

MASSES RECEIVED THIS WEEK

Paul Mooney, John Carpanini, Glenn Peters

SICK Lucy Wright,

LATELY DEAD Stephan Mashiter, Rose Conti

ANNIVERSARIES

John Carpanini, Paul Mooney

PARISH—CLITHEROE, DUNSOP & SABDEN

Live simply thought for the week: Use public transport or car share

OFFERTORY Clitheroe £893.33 Sabden £187.35 Dunsop £180.00

CAFOD Not returned your Harvest Family Fast Day Envelope? These can be placed in the offertory baskets during Mass at each of our churches. Your donation will help keep the wells running and so reduce sickness and transform lives in remote villages in Uganda.

THEODORE HOUSE, STONYHURST upcoming events—see poster in porch

WEBSITE CONTACT In order to keep information on the website up to date it would be helpful if each Parish Group identifies a person who will liaise with Andy Brown on a regular basis to ensure their page has the current information. Please send the name and email address of the named person to Margaret Donnelly—email donnelmarg@ao.com, and will be given to Andy when he returns from holiday next month.

CATHOLIC HUB Catholic Hub is a new monthly event featuring prayer, music and fellowship for young people (over 18's) at the Cathedral on the second Saturday of every month 7.30-10pm starting October 12th

CALLING ALL READERS OF THE PARISH all readers of the Parish are invited to a 'Get together' at 7.30pm on Wed 16th October and Tues 29th October in St Michael & St John's church. Bring along with you a spiritual reading, prayer or a reading from scripture that means a lot to you. It would also be an opportunity to grow as readers

RIPLEY CASTLE CHRISTMAS FAIR The Ladies Group day out to Ripley Castle Christmas Fair on Thursday 21st November. The Fair is held in a luxury heated marquee in the courtyard and features over 150 top companies selling everything you could want for Christmas. Cost £16 includes cost of coach, admission to fair and tip for driver. Names to Janet 01200 423307 ext 3 or Daphne 01200 427912. Open to all

FR JOHN'S RETIREMENT On November 9th Mass will be followed by a buffet supper and presentation to Fr John in The Old School Rooms. All parishioners are invited and full details of the event will be in next weeks newsletter.

HOPE IN THE FUTURE STAGE 3 'Living the Sunday Eucharist' was launched by Bishop John on 4th October in Salford Cathedral. Four parishioners represented the Parish. Dates for training days and talks for the coming year are on the Hope in the Future board at the back of church.

PARISH FORUM The next Forum will take place on Wednesday 23rd October at 7.30pm in the Old School Rooms. Please send agenda items to Peter Donnelly by Wednesday 16th. Email: donnelmarg@aol.com

REUNION St Augustine's class of 1976 will all be reaching the big 60 during the coming year. A reunion has been arranged for Friday 22nd May 2020 at the Royal British Legion Clitheroe. Please contact Jeanette Gudgeon nee Howarth for more details Jeanette39@hotmail.co.uk

CHRISTMAS QUIZ this year will be on Friday 27th December at 7.30pm
CARDINAL JOHN HENRY NEWMAN a service of Solemn Vespers to celebrate the Canonisation of Cardinal John Henry Newman at Metropolitan Cathedral of the Precious Blood, Westminster on Saturday 19th October at 3.30pm. Ticket not required. Preacher The Most Reverend and Rt Hon Justin Welby, Archbishop of Canterbury.

CLITHEROE

SATURDAY Welcoming—J.Bentley Reader—V.Murray

Eucharistic Ministers—A.Southworth, A.Rowley, S.Fellows

SUNDAY Welcoming—T.O'Donnell & J.Byrne

Reader—S.Smith

Eucharistic Ministers—H.Lofthouse, B.Collinson, P.Donnelly

Tea & Coffee—S.V.P.

Little Church—G.Hennigan & J.Golding

FUNDRAISING WALK A big thank you to all who supported us on our walk. We managed to complete the route in just under 12 hours and raised a brilliant £1,060 (£1,014 after fees) which will be going towards much-needed new reading books for Year 1. Thank you again for your generosity. *Caroline, Victoria, Mary and Vina.*

SUNDAY REFRESHMENTS AFTER MASS We are seeking new volunteers to provide this important contribution to our Parish community. If you are part of a group or family please consider joining the rota by contacting Janet Clegg at the presbytery. Training for new people in the use of the kitchen. The more we have, the less frequent the job.

TEA DANCE Wednesday 16th October in the Assembly Hall with Afternoon Tea—only £4. All very welcome. For information ☎ 01200 427912

DUNSOP

DUNSOP BRIDGE RUNNING GROUP 'To the Hill and Back' Sunday at 10am.

Tues & Weds 7pm. Details from Charlotte Hamblet 07772 270719. All welcome

DUNSOP BRIDGE PLAY GROUP all welcome every Wednesday morning 9.30—11.30am in the Village Hall. A friendly welcome awaits you and your little ones.

BABY SENSORY will be held in the Village Hall from 12th September until 17th October 10.30—11.30am, Thursday mornings for babies from birth to 13 months. This is a lovely spacious venue in an idyllic village location where new members are very welcome.

JIMMY CRICKET SHOW is coming to West Bradford Village Hall on Friday 18th

October at 7.30pm. Tickets £10 available from Michael Fox 01200 428706

ANNUAL BINGO & SOCIAL NIGHT Mon 2nd December. No printed raffle tickets this year but we will hold a raffle and sell cloakroom tickets on the night.

SABDEN

BONUS BALL Winning no 58—Ann Barker

KNIT, STITCH & NATTER Monday's at 10.15—noon in the Hall. All welcome for a chat, tea and biscuits and knit or stitch if you want.