



CLITHEROE ROTARY

are taking over a shop in Castle Street, Clitheroe (the one that used to be the Card shop in between the shoe shop and the mobility shop) for two weeks

Monday 18th—Saturday 30th October

The shop will be open from 10am—5pm Monday to Saturday for people to donate any coats, from puffer to parka, duffle to down, every donation helps.

Any colour, style or size for children, teenagers, young adults and adults alike, for the annual appeal WRAP UP EAST LANCASHIRE,

but *please no hats or scarves this year*

CAMINO TO COP - A Great Big Thank You



What an amazing coming together of all of the Churches and faiths around Clitheroe and Newton-in-Bowland. So many good people to thank. It's probably a mistake to try and remember everyone from St. Michael's and St. John's who baked, shopped, prepared food, listened, talked, shared kindnesses and generally just said "what can I do?" Thankyou to those who started the donation ball rolling, to those whose soup fed a lot of cold and hungry people after a horrible wet and windy walk over Waddington Fell, for the scores of packets of oatie goodness, to those for "manning the tea urn" and taking responsibility for securing the Hall, to those who did sterling work on the cleaning and furniture moving. For the kind offers to put people up and for help publicising the event. To all those who helped especially those who just mucked in. Finally, to Green Theory for the wonderful donation and sterling work on the day. There were so many food donations and therefore the leftover food was distributed to Clitheroe & Clayton Food Banks, The Salvation Army, a Veterans Group, the Beavers, and the Cookery Club attached to the Food Bank.

COMMUNICATIONS

We welcome any information regarding upcoming events etc that parish organisations may wish to promote via our weekly newsletter. The deadline for inclusion is Friday morning 9.30am.

SABDEN

KNIT STITCH & NATTER tomorrow Monday 11th October commencing 10.30am for a couple of hours in the top room of the Hall. All welcome for a chat, tea and biscuits and knit or stitch if you want.

APF MISSION BOXES Please bring along your red box when you next come to mass and give to Jane Davies

DUNSOP

A.P.F.MISSION BOXES Please bring along your box when next at mass and give to Anne Cook. Thankyou.

Parish of Our Lady of the Valley

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10th October 2021 - 28th Week in Ordinary Time

Mass Times

12 noon (Saturday) Dunsop Bridge

5pm (Saturday) Clitheroe

9.30am (Sunday) Clitheroe

11am (Sunday) Sabden



Monday—Mass 10am Clitheroe (St John XXIII)

Tuesday—Mass 10am Clitheroe (St Wilfrid, Bishop)

Wednesday Mass 10am (St Edward the Confessor)

Thursday 10am Mass 10am Clitheroe (St Callistus, Pope & Martyr)

Friday— Mass 10am Clitheroe (St Teresa of Jesus, Virgin and Doctor)

Sunday 16th/17th October

12noon (Saturday) Dunsop Bridge

5pm (Saturday) Clitheroe

9.30am (Sunday) Clitheroe

11am (Sunday) Sabden

Baptisms by appointment with Fr Paul

MASSES RECEIVED THIS WEEK

Marie McDonald, Tom McVicker, Dave & Ann Dunn, Vincent Fox, Margaret McCartney, Peter Anwyl, Teresa Embery, Christine Fitzpatrick

LATELY DEAD

Peter Anwyl, Tom McVicker, Chris Crompton (late of this parish)

ANNIVERSARIES

Marie McDonald, Dave & Ann Dunn, Margaret McCartney, Vincent Fox, Teresa Embery, Christine Fitzpatrick

October is a month dedicated to Our Lady and the Rosary, so let us all try and say at least part, if not all, of the Rosary each day.

Collection last two weekends 26th September & 3rd October £1609.88

LIVE SIMPLY THOUGHT OF THE WEEK Before throwing away anything, THINK. Can it be repaired, reused or recycled? If it can be reused, think about donating it to charity.

CAFOD HARVEST FAST DAY 1 OCTOBER 2021 Thank you to all those who have returned their Harvest Fast day envelopes. If you haven't yet returned yours, please put your envelopes in collection basket provided in each church.. Thank you

CHEQUES: Just a gentle reminder that cheques must be made payable to "Our Lady of the Valley" otherwise they will not be accepted

PAUSE FOR HOPE is an ecumenical service being held under the auspices of Clitheroe Christians in Partnership at 3.00pm until 4.00 pm on Sunday 24th October 2021 at St Michael & St John's Church, followed by refreshments. Although described as a "service", the aim of the event is to pause and reflect in a spirit of hope for all affected by cancer. Special guest, Fiona Castle, widow the famous entertainer Roy Castle, will be speaking at the service about her experience of supporting Roy through his cancer and how her Christian faith has sustained her through many difficult periods in her life. Recommended reading is *Give us this day* which Fiona wrote in 1993 and which has been reprinted many times.

WALK FOR CLIMATE TODAY Sunday 10th October there will be a walk for our Climate from Salford Cathedral to the Laudato Si Centre. Starting from the Cathedral at 12.30pm, arriving at the Laudato Si Centre around 3.30pm for a short service.

CONTEMPLATIVE CHRISTIANITY EVENT this event which was cancelled due to covid will now take place on Wednesday 15th December 2021 from 6.45pm—9.30pm at Whalley Parish Church, Church Lane, Whalley, BB7 9SY. The event includes a retreat based on the Christian meditation practices as passed on through the teaching of the Benedictine monk John Main. There are limited places, so booking is essential. For bookings email: drworthington@live.co.uk. There is no charge for this event. See poster in porch

AN EVENT FOR EVERYONE Wednesday 28th October at 7.30pm in the Assembly Hall, (Parish Hall), hosted by our Ladies Group—a talk by Heather Wilson entitled—Maharaja's and Magic Indian Textile Tours and much more. The Ladies Group would love you to join us. You will be made very welcome. Only £2 including tea/biscuits.

More repository items are now on sale from the side porch together with First Holy Communion cards and gifts. Please put any money in the box on the wall or in the box at the back of church.

VACANCY—FOOD BANK MANAGER The Trustees of Ribble Valley Gateway Trust are seeking to appoint an enthusiastic and inspirational leader who will continue to build on the success and impact of the Ribble Valley Foodbank. 20 hours per week with salary of £16,000—wanted as soon as possible. For more details please see the poster in the porch.

V.E.CELEBRATION Saturday 13th November. Remembering Veterans of both world wars, with a tribute to all workers and volunteers who helped in many ways during the pandemic. To be held in the Assembly Hall, Old School Rooms, Lowergate 7.30pm (doors open 6.30pm). Seats are very limited. Cost is £10. To reserve one please ring Daphne 01200 427912

CCP PRAYER THEME OCTOBER is now on the Love Clitheroe Website. This month the focus is on modern-day slavery—on the website there is an inspiring story of a man from Greater Manchester rescued from slavery—see literature in porch.

ASSISTED DYING BILL This October, an 'Assisted Dying' Bill will be debated in the House of Lords. If successful it will allow a terminally ill adult with less than 6 months to live, assistance to commit suicide. The Bishops therefore urge you to pray this Bill is defeated, write to Peers and MPs expressing concern about this proposed legislation Guidance on how to write to politicians—[parliament.uk/get-involved/contact-an-mp-or-lord/](https://www.cbcew.org.uk/life-issues/parliament.uk/get-involved/contact-an-mp-or-lord/) Resources, to be updated in the weeks ahead, can be found at <https://www.cbcew.org.uk/life-issues/>

A.P.F.MISSON BOXES Please bring your red box along next time you are at Mass to be emptied. Afterwards it will be available for you to collect. If you need help bringing it in please ring Janet or Sion Hall on 01200 428949

CHARIS AFRICA EVENING Saturday 13 November at St James Church, Clitheroe. 7-10pm. Come and enjoy Mozambique food + music by Philip White + hear about the work of Charis among the marginalised poor of Mozambique and Ethiopia. Tickets £10 Donation. See poster in porch

S.V.P. The members of the S.V.P. wish to thank all those of you for your response to the appeal made over the last couple of weeks, the donations were very much appreciated. If anyone would still like to make a donation The Bank Account Number is 46085858, the sort code is 60-60-04. For more information, please contact our President, Mr Andy McGuire on 07980 599 013. Thank you for your support. ***S.V.P. meetings re-commence every fortnight starting this coming Tuesday 12th October at 7pm in the presbytery***

COFFEE AFTER 11AM MASS ON SUNDAY

will commence from next Sunday, 17th October. Volunteers wanted for a few weeks until we establish a new rota.

Please contact Janet email: janegg@hotmail.co.uk or smsj@btinternet.com tel: 01200 424657 or 07866 898109 if you are able to help.

