



Clitheroe Rotary has started its annual Wrap Up East Lancashire (WUEL) collection of warm coats up to and including Saturday October 22nd. Collection boxes for ladies, men's and children's coats, will be in Booths, Sainsburys and Tesco supermarkets. The coats are distributed via homeless shelters, refugee centres, organisations supporting the elderly, women's refuges, children's centres and other charities helping people in crisis. Rotary would like to thank parishioners in advance for the support given to all our community initiatives and especially WUEL. Also a reminder that foil blister packs from tablets can still be donated to Marie Curie via Rotary. We have a drop off point at the Rose and Crown, Castle St, during normal opening hours.

Please come along, you will be made very welcome, to the Assembly Hall (our Parish Hall) after Mass on Sunday morning and join other parishioners for a cup of Coffee or Tea and biscuits. You will be most welcome

DUNSOP BRIDGE—EVENTS AT DUNSOP VILLAGE HALL

PLAYGROUP Term time only 9.30-11am. Contact Laura 07790 516260
PILATE SESSIONS Monday evenings 6-7pm. More Info Christine Billing-ton992@gmail.com
SEWING GROUP on Fridays 1.30-3.30pm. Details Janet 01200 448201
KEEPING FIT WITH MATT Thursday & Fridays for more information email mdfitnesscoach@outlook.com

SABDEN

KNIT STITCH & NATTER GROUP, meet each Monday 10.15am—12.15pm in the top room in St Mary's Hall. £1 admission with tea/coffee and biscuits. Everyone is welcome to come along for a natter and knit and stitch if you wish—but not necessary—many just like to come for a chat.

OVER 50's Tuesday morning "Let's Live Life" exercise class in St Mary's Hall 10am—11am. £3 per session and the routine is different each week. It is social and enjoyable and suitable for all abilities, including those who wish to stay seated. More details ring Sam on 01200 4423188

BONUS BALL Last weeks winner— 51

ONE VOICE Wednesday night musical theatre group for young people is back again. Classes for 6-11 years 4.30-5.30pm and 11-16 from 5.45-7pm. More info from Annie 07710 248458 email onevoicesabden@gmail.com

SCRABBLE CLUB St Mary's is holding Scrabble Nights in the top room (coffee lounge) on the second and fourth Tuesday of every month, from 7pm to around 9.15pm. Everyone welcome £1 adm includes tea/coffee and biscuits. .

Parish of Our Lady of the Valley

Catholic Communities of Clitheroe, Sabden & Dunsop Bridge

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St Michael & St John's Primary School **Tel:** 01200 422560 **Head:** Mrs Zoe Mabbott

St Mary's Primary School, Sabden: **Tel:** 01282 771009 **Head:** Ms Claire Halstead

Thorneyholme Catholic Primary, Dunsop Bridge **Tel:** 01200 448276 **Head:** Mrs Olga Jackson

29th Week in Ordinary Time—16th Oct 2022

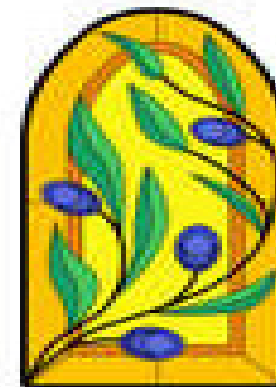
Masses this weekend

12noon—Saturday
Dunsop Bridge

5pm—Saturday
Clitheroe

9.30am—Sunday Clitheroe

11am—Sunday Sabden



Baptisms by appointment with Fr Paul

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday
Mass at 10am—Clitheroe

Saturday (22nd October) -

Confessions in Clitheroe

10am-10.45am & 4.15pm—4.45pm

CONFIRMATION

Meeting 6pm Tuesday in the Assembly Hall (Parish Hall)
for all who have registered to be confirmed.

SACRAMENTAL PROGRAMME

Children to collect their enrolment certificates at the end of
Mass and return them next weekend at any Mass

MASSES RECEIVED THIS WEEK

Special Intention, Joe Robinson, Christine Fitzpatrick,
Paul Mooney, Special Intention

LATELY DEAD—Laudy Madi

ANNIVERSARIES

Joe Robinson, Christine Fitzpatrick, Paul Mooney

COLLECTION Thank you for your generosity in last weeks Offertory Collection £1141.92 (this figure does not include standing orders).

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.

RIBBLE VALLEY FOOD BANK We are short of: chocolate, brown sauce/ketchup/mayonnaise, sponge puddings, tinned carrots, tinned peas, laundry liquid/powder. All donations gratefully received

CAFOD HARVEST FAMILY FAST DAY 7th October 2022. Thank you to all those who have returned their Harvest Fast Day envelopes. If you haven't yet returned yours, please put your envelope in the collection basket. Alternatively you can put your envelope through the letterbox of St Michael & St John's Presbytery.

ALPHA talks cancelled just for this week. Please phone Grace 01200 425928 or Mary 01200 428653 if you would like more information about the Alpha Course.

HOPE IN THE FUTURE STAGE 5 on Tuesday, St John Henry Newman Catholic College in Oldham hosted the Launch of Stage 5 of Hope in the Future. "As we embark on the fifth and final Stage of Hope in the Future, entitled 'Sharing the Hope', we turn our attention to putting our Faith into action through caring for those most in need in our local area and caring for our Common Home." Our Parish is already doing much in the spirit of Hope in the Future with e.g. SVP, Laudato si', and supporting the Foodbank and the Caritas Mother and Baby Home in Blackburn. See the Parish Hope in the Future webpage <https://www.olotv.org.uk/parish-groups/hope-in-the-future> for Stage 5 details and resources.

LET US DREAM —22nd October, 1pm – 5pm, St Mary's Church, Brownedge Lane, Bamber Bridge, Preston, Lancs. PR5 6SP. Looking at how our communities can come together to address climate change, biodiversity loss and social problems. You are invited to take part in: creative activities, action planning, building a local network. Free entry webpage: <https://journeyto2030.org/events>. See the Laudato si' Group webpage for more details <https://www.olotv.org.uk/parish-groups/laudato-si>

RETREATS a list of Christian Retreats with Donna Worthington October –December can be found in porch. Programme in a fuller and easier format can be found <http://www.olotv.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2022/09RETREAT PROGRAMME.pdf>

BREATHE' monthly prayer and worship night at 7.30pm on Monday evenings at Turret House, 150 Bawdlands, BB7 2LA

CLITHEROE

JESUIT MISSIONS Anyone who has a Mission Box and wish it emptied give Janet a ring 01200 424657 07866 898109 or bring it to the Parish Office.

GO ON TOUR CONCERT this will now be held on Wednesday 2nd November in the Assembly Hall 2pm-4pm. If you purchased a ticket for this event for the 14th September it is still valid. Tickets are still available at £6 including light refreshments. Proceeds are for the Rosemere Cancer Trust. Your support will be much appreciated. Tel Daphne 01200 427912.

TEA DANCE Wednesday 19th October 20m—4.30pm in the Assembly Hall. Come and enjoy yourselves, leave your cares at home. You will be made very welcome meeting new and old friends. Tea/cake and scones will be served. Admission £5, Hosted by our Ladies Group

LADIES GROUP Back in November 2019 we arranged a trip to Ripley Castle Christmas Fair, which proved to be a great success and quite a few ladies asked if we could repeat the trip, but unfortunately then along came Covid. This event is taking place this year but is being held at Harrogate Showground, which of course is a larger venue. The cost of the trip, which includes a ticket to the fair, coach travel and tips for the coach driver, will be £20. We have to purchase the tickets in advance therefore names should be given to Janet or Daphne no later than our next Ladies Group meeting Wednesday 26th October or beforehand. Date of trip is **Thursday 1st December** and will leave Clitheroe Interchange approx. 8.45am.

On Wednesday 26th October in the Assembly Hall (SMSJ Parish Hall) "It all started on a mountain in Italy—My mid-life crisis" - an Audio visual presentation of events following a life changing decision aged 66 by John Spencer. Pay at the door £3 including light refreshments—this event is hosted by our Ladies Group—everyone including men invited.

CLITHEROE CHURCHES IN PARTNERSHIP CCP This month we are encouraged to pray for our new King, our government and an end to the war in Ukraine. A copy of the Prayer can be found in the porch.

If you require a large print newsletter please request one from the Parish Office

ROTAS NEXT WEEKEND

Readers—Saturday— Roisin Bowes **Sunday—** Kevin Downes

Eucharistic Ministers — Saturday— Damian Buggie

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Tea & Coffee — Ann Geldard