

## DUNSOP BRIDGE

**SEWING GROUP** on Fridays 1.30-3.30pm. Details Janet 01200 448201  
**PLAYGROUP** in Dunsop Bridge Village Hall on Wednesday mornings 9.30—11.30am term times only (some holiday sessions) contact Laura 07790 516260

**KEEPING FIT WITH MAT** Thurs & Fri email [mdfitnesscoach@outlook.com](mailto:mdfitnesscoach@outlook.com)

**SAVE THE DATE**—Bingo and Social Night with Christmas Raffle Draw Monday 8th December at Newton Village Hall. More details later

## SABDEN

**EXERCISE CLASS** This takes place for the over 50's every Tuesday morning in our hall from 10.30-11.30am, led by Tracy Belko from Ribble Valley Up and Active. £3.20 a session—just turn up and join in.

**SCRABBLE** Scrabble evenings in the hall are on the second and fourth Tuesday each month. £1 admission for three games of Scrabble and tea and biscuits. Everyone welcome. If you've never played come and have a go.

**CHOIR** Sabden Community Choir meets in the hall each Tuesday from 6pm 7pm. It's a very friendly group and everyone is welcome £4 a session.

**BONUS BALL** Winning number of the Bonus Ball 19 Jane Sharpe

**WRAP AROUND SCHOOL CLUB** The before and after school club run by the Branching Out Nursery is now up and running in our hall from Monday afternoons to Friday mornings in term time. It is a great service for the two village primary schools with lots of activities to keep the children occupied. To learn more call Gemma on 07708 610261

**CHRISTMAS TREE FESTIVAL** St Mary's is sponsoring a tree in the Christmas Tree Festival being held at St Nicholas' Church during December and needs volunteers to decorate it. The theme will be "Joy to the World", so if you enjoy tree decorating and can come up with ideas to make it special **WE NEED YOU**. Please see Deacon Damian as soon as possible and he will give you the details.



# Parish of Our Lady of the Valley

Catholic Communities of Clitheroe, Sabden & Dunsop Bridge

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## 30th Sunday of Ordinary Time —26th October 2025



### Saturday

12noon—Mass at Dunsop

5pm—Mass at Clitheroe

### Sunday

9.30am—Mass in Clitheroe

11am—Mass in Sabden

### Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday

Mass at 10am—Clitheroe

### Saturday 1st November

Confessions—10.15am—10.45am 4.15pm—4.45pm

12noon Mass at Dunsop 5pm—Mass at Clitheroe

**All Saints will be celebrated  
next Sunday 2nd November**

Baptism's by appointment with Fr Paul

## HOLY SOULS

November is the month of the Holy Souls, so please place the names of your loved ones who have died, in the box at the back of church. This will be left in front of the altar in November when they will be remembered at Mass each day.

### MASSES RECEIVED THIS WEEK

Special Intentions x 8, Dr Anne O'Reilly

### LATELY DEAD

Dr Anne O'Reilly

### ANNIVERSARIES

Fr John Chaloner

**SVP COLLECTION 1st & 8th NOVEMBER** There will be a collection for the St Vincent de Paul Society after each Mass. Gift Aid envelopes will be made available after all Parish Masses on the 1st and 2nd November and will be collected on the 7th and 8th November. Alternatively, you can make a direct credit payment to St VincentdePaulSoc, sort code 60-60-04 a/c no 46085858. Thankyou

**CHANGE OF ADDRESS** Please let us know if you have changed address/telephone number etc either by letter, email or telephone so that we can update our records. Email [janet.clegg@dioceseofsalford.org.uk](mailto:janet.clegg@dioceseofsalford.org.uk) or mobile 07866 898109

**BLACKBURN MUSIC SOCIETY** As part of our guest singer scheme we are pleased to offer a limited number of places to perform Handel *Messiah* in Blackburn Cathedral. The concert takes place 6th December. Guest singers will need to be familiar with *Messiah* and supply their own score. Cost is £20 and application is direct to BMS. If you would like an application form and more details please contact Janet in the Parish Office here at St Michael & St John's

### CLITHEROE

**ROSSENDALE MALE VOICE CHOIR** - This event has sold out

**CLITHEROE CIVIC SOCIETY** Monday 3rd November at 7.30pm in the Assembly Hall (SMSJ Parish Hall) a presentation by Linda Sawley "Elizabeth Parker of Browsholme Hall" A girl before her time. Admission £4 including light refreshments.

## QR CODE FOR DONATIONS TO CHURCH



**NEW PARISHIONERS** New to the Parish, then please complete one of the forms available at the back of church, place it in the box provided and contact will be made. Why not join us for Coffee after Mass in our Parish Centre, you will be most welcome.

**CCP OCTOBER PRAYER THEME** This month our prayers focus on welcoming refugees and Community Sponsorship. See notice in porch

**HELP!!** Our Parish Group, Seedlings (for parents, carers and their young ones 0-4yrs), needs your HELP!! Have you got a few hours to spare on a Wednesday morning to support this fun, chatty & very rewarding group? Support is readily available from existing volunteers. Our lovely leader Kay is moving on to projects new from October Half term 2025 onwards. We'd love to hear from you or come and join us for a chat, brew and a look round on a Wednesday (9-11am term time only). Please get in touch with Susan 07887 690402 or email:

[susan\\_fellows@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:susan_fellows@hotmail.co.uk)

**LADIES GROUP** October 29th in The Assembly Hall (St Michael & St John's Parish Centre) 7.30pm—A.G.M followed by 'Pinnys Pots', a talk and demonstration by Yvonne Pinder on Hand Painted Terracotta Pots. £3 including Light Refreshments, Open to all

### ROTAS NEXT WEEKEND

**Readers:** Saturday - Andy McGuire Sunday Peter Donnelly

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Saturday - Damian Buggie Sunday—Damian Buggie  
**TEA & COFFEE**—Carol Riley

*Join us after Mass in the Assembly Hall (our Parish Hall)  
for Tea, Coffee and Biscuits. You will be made most welcome.*

*Please note: Today 26th October Coffee will be served  
In the Top Bar area of the Parish Centre*