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### 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 MATT

Thurs & Fri email [mdfitnesscoach@outlook.com](mailto:mdfitnesscoach@outlook.com)

### SABDEN

**BONUS BALL** Winning number of the Bonus Ball

No 47 Claire Wheatcroft (21 Dec) No 21 Gerald Keane (28 Dec)

**GROUPS** The Tuesday morning exercise classes for the over 50's will  
resume on Tuesday January 13th at 10.30am. Open to all over 50. It  
costs just £3.20 a session. All the other groups that use the hall will  
resume their sessions during the first week of January.

**HALL BOOKINGS** Anyone wishing to book the community hall for clas-  
ses and social events etyc should call Margaret Parsons on 07715  
666866

**BRANCHING OUT** The before and after-school club run in our hall by  
Branching Out Njursery runs from Monday afternoons to Friday morn-  
ings each week. Please call Gemma on 07708 610261 for details



# Parish of Our Lady of the Valley

Catholic Communities of Clitheroe, Sabden & Dunsop Bridge

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

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**Parish Safeguarding Officer**—Sion Hall email: [sionhall@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:sionhall@hotmail.co.uk) mobile 07432 463778

## 2nd Sunday of Christmas —4th January 2026



### SATURDAY

12noon—Mass at Dunsop

5pm—Mass at Clitheroe

### SUNDAY

9.30am—Mass at Clitheroe

11am—Mass at Sabden

**Monday, Tuesday (The Epiphany), Wednesday, Thursday & Friday**

Mass at 10am (Clitheroe)

**Monday 5th January**

Requiem Mass at 11am—William Southworth

**Saturday 10th January**

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

12noon Mass at Dunsop 5pm—Mass at Clitheroe

Baptism's by appointment with Fr Paul

### **Wedding**

Congratulations to Jay Daley and Bryony Sherry married last Monday at St Michael & St John's

### **MASSES RECEIVED THIS WEEK**

Special Intention x 11, Private Intention x 2, Fred Uttley, Susan Hodge, Luke Errol Smith, Geelan Family, Paul Francis Byron, Wayne Matthews, Maureen Fannon, Olive & Norman Bromley, Michael Shaugnessy, Bridget Shaugnessy, For Successful Operation,

### **LATELY DEAD**

William (Bill) Southworth, Maureen Fannon, Fred Uttley, Susan Hodge (nee Murray), Michael Kitching

### **CLITHEROE**

**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

**CHRISTMAS QUIZ** The Annual Christmas Quiz held on Monday 29th December, raised £523 for Mary's Meals. Thankyou to all who supported this event and donated Raffle Prizes.

**CLITHEROE CIVIC SOCIETY** Monday 5th January at 7.30pm in The Assembly Hall (SMSJ Parish Hall) - 'The Anglesey Bonesetters' presented by John Spencer Admission £4 (students free) including light refreshments. See poster in porch

Relics of St Carlo Acutis to visit Diocese of Salford in January, the relics of St Carlo Acutis will be hosted at two of our churches over five days. St Carlo is the first millennial saint, and is celebrated for his profound faith and his use of the internet to log Eucharistic miracles from around the world. He was passionate about spreading the teachings of the Catholic Church up until his death from leukaemia at the age of 15. The relics will be presented at St Mary's Church, Burnley from 28-29 January and then St Patrick's Church Collyhurst from 30 January to 1 February 2026

**LADIES GROUP** The next Ladies Group event is our Christmas Dinner which will be at the Calf's Head in Worston on 16th January - see Janet for details. Menu's are available from the church porch, see Janet or ring her on 07866 898109. Still not too late to book.

**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're most welcome.

**LADIES GROUP COMMITTEE MEETING** Monday 12th January 1.30pm

### **ROTAS NEXT WEEKEND**

**Readers:** Saturday - Malcolm Peplow Sunday Gerry Harkin

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Saturday—Marie Preedy Sunday—Peter Donnelly  
**TEA & COFFEE—**Vina Hodges

**CAN YOU SPARE 1 HOUR ONCE A  
MONTH TO HELP KEEP OUR  
BEAUTIFUL CHURCH  
"SPICK AND SPAN"**

**We meet after 10am Mass  
(Clitheroe) on the  
first Tuesday of the month.  
Complimentary Tea, Coffee  
and Biscuits afterwards**

