

## MASSES AND SERVICES: Ordinary Time Week 11

<b>Vigil</b>	<b>11th Sunday in OT</b>	<b>13 June</b>	<b>Thu</b>		<b>17 June</b>
7.00	<i>Elizabeth Prescott</i>		9.30	<i>Eamonn Morris LD</i>	
<b>Sun</b>	<b>11th Sunday in OT</b>	<b>13 June</b>	<b>Fri</b>		<b>18 June</b>
9.30	<i>The Parish</i>		9.30	<i>Margaret Lloyd</i>	
11.00	<i>Mary McCormack</i>		11.00	Funeral Mass: <i>Lorna Bentley</i>	
6.30	<i>Joseph Dolphin</i>		<b>Sat</b>	<b>St Romauld</b>	<b>19 June</b>
<b>Mon</b>	<b>DEDICATION OF THE CATHEDRAL</b>	<b>14 June</b>	9.30	<i>Margaret Porter</i>	
9.30	<i>Agnes Crook</i>		<b>Vigil</b>	<b>12th Sunday in OT</b>	<b>20 June</b>
<b>Tues</b>		<b>15 June</b>	7.00	<i>Holland and Holiday Family &amp; Friends</i>	
9.30	<i>Ann and Charles Sergeant</i>		<b>Sun</b>	<b>12th Sunday in OT</b>	<b>20 June</b>
10.30	Funeral Mass <i>Irene Turner</i>		9.30	<i>Ann &amp; Jack Molyneaux</i>	
<b>Wed</b>	<b>St Richard of Chichester</b>	<b>16 June</b>	11.00	<i>Sr Mary Higney RNDM</i>	
9.30	<i>Howard McCann LD</i>		6.30	<i>The Parish</i>	

**Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament: Tuesday & Thursday: 3pm to 4pm.**

**Online Holy Rosary: Each Day 8pm**

**Confession: Sat: 10-10-30 outside in the churchyard by the back door of the sacristy, (weather permitting) or by appointment.**

**Sanctuary Lamps : Week 9 :** 1. Deceased Members Of The Lees And Spencer Families;  
2. Adam Robert Fletcher; 3. (Benedict Chapel) Frances Alright And Family

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### Prayer for Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

**Prayers for Salford Diocese:** We pray for the parishioners of St James the Less, Rawtenstall, and for Canon Anthony McBride, their parish priest. We pray for their parish primary school and for All Saints High School.

May they plant seeds of faith within people's hearts and allow the faith within their own hearts to grow.

*Stay with us, Lord, on our journey!*



**HOPE**  
IN THE FUTURE



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11TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (B)

("CLIMATE SUNDAY")

13 JUNE 2021

**TODAY: 11TH SUNDAY IN  
ORDINARY TIME  
'CLIMATE SUNDAY'**

After a long series of feasts and seasons we now have the first “ordinary” Sunday in 3 months; the first Sunday for green vestments since 14th February. However the use of the word “ordinary”, in this sense, has a technical rather than a descriptive meaning: it relates to the idea “putting in order” or giving a structure or rhythm to the liturgical life of the Church. For us as Catholics the rhythm of the week is given life by our regular “ordinary” participation in the liturgical life of the church. Remember to make our faith an integrated art of our “ordinary life”.

**Parish Sacramental Life:**

**First Holy Communions:** Congratulations to those children who will be celebrating at our Parish 9.30 Masses on Sunday 20 & 27 June and 11 July.

**Covid19 Restrictions:** Some easing of Covid 19 restrictions have occurred but we are still asked to proceed with caution. There are one or two things which we can now do: the limit on numbers attending funerals is now the same as the same limit of the Church (160). It is no longer essential for stewards to be present during the week when numbers are lower. Sanitising is asked to be done once a day and the main focus is on all “touch points”. We can reintroduce the procession of the gifts of bread and wine at the offertory—those doing this are asked to sanitise their hands just before they pick up the gifts; the intercessions at Sunday Mass can be reintroduced; the priest or minister of communion must continue to be wear face coverings but can say “The Body of Christ” to each communicant and those receiving can reply “Amen”.

The Sunday Mass obligation is dispensed, but, if you are not attending in person, do try

to watch a Mass online or pray with the sheet “The Lord’s Day at Home”.

**Blessing of the Shrine:** Many thanks to all those who attended the blessing of the Shrine last week with Bishop Arnold. We were blessed with fine weather and about 150 people gathered around. Some photos are on the website and Facebook. The Bishop wrote to thank everyone for “A great parish occasion and a welcome tonic as we emerge from the lockdown” He was also very pleased to hear that we will, very soon, be welcoming a Refugee family through the community sponsorship scheme saying “such projects are proving very successful around the Diocese and certainly do great things in drawing Christian and Muslim communities together”.

**Donations for the Shrine:** Many thanks for all the donations and prayer intentions for the shrine. Any further donations are welcome by placing a donation in an envelope marked “Our Lady’s Shrine” and include the prayer intention which you wish to offer. **If you pay tax please write a note on the envelope that you wish this donation to be gift aided.** The intention might be an “In Memoriam” of a loved one or it may be a particular prayer which you wish to be included as we commemorate the shrine.

**Mass Attendance:** We have seen a welcome rise in the numbers attending church and we hope people have had the sense of being in a safe environment. Last weekend the numbers were: Vigil: 58; 9.30am: 77; 11am: 50 6.30pm: 40; Total: 225. The attendance at weekday Mass averages at about 40 people each day.

**Altar Servers and Cantors:** We have reintroduced into our liturgy the use of Altar Servers and a small group of singers to lead our singing. These ministries are still limited in what they can do but a welcome sign to

enhance our liturgy; regulations do allow altar servers, following the usual Covid-safe norms and “a small group of singers”, at a safe distance from each other and other members of the congregation. We are asked to continue to refrain from congregational singing for the time being. Any servers or singers who might like to resume their ministry, please contact Fr Mark.

**Offertory Donations:** We are not holding offertory collections during Mass but please do try to remember to put your offertory money in the bags on the way in or out of Church. You can also post your donations and any Mass intentions through the Letterbox of the Priory which is locked inside. Also, it is possible to make online donations. [www.dioceseofsalford.org.uk/supporting-your-parish-financially/](http://www.dioceseofsalford.org.uk/supporting-your-parish-financially/) There is a link to this on our website and on the live stream. There is an updated page about how we can support the finances of the parish on the website in the “Announcements” section.

**Contactless Payments!** The machine for contactless payments is now working again. Please Gift Aid if you can: on the first use you be asked for your address to register as a gift aid donor. Subsequent payments with the same card will be recognised.



**Facebook:** Please “like” our parish Facebook Page. There are many photos, videos and event announcements which appear there. Also please share items to your own Facebook page so that we can reach out to more people. We now have 1000 followers; Tell your family and friends to like our page. It can be our part in the New Evangelisation.

**Monastery Garden:** if anyone is interested in helping with the monastery garden, please let Fr Mark know.

**Offertory Procession:** Now that we are to resume presenting the gifts of bread and wine, we are looking for people/families to take part in the Offertory Procession at weekend Masses. Please contact the parish office, tel 335168 or Mrs Livesey, tel 336049.

**Eco Thought of the Week: 13th June**

A man throws seed on the land. Night and day, while he sleeps, when he is awake, the seed is sprouting and growing; hoe, he does not know. Of its own accord the land produces first the shoot, then the ear, then the full grain in the ear.

**Prayer to the  
Sacred Heart of Jesus**

Lord Jesus, let my heart never rest until it finds you, who are its centre, its love, and its happiness.

By the wound in your Heart pardon the sins that I have committed whether out of malice or out of evil desires. Place my weak heart in your own divine Heart, continually under your protection and guidance, so that I may persevere in doing good and in fleeing evil until my last breath. Amen *St Margaret Mary Alacogue*

**PLEASE PRAY FOR**

**The sick, and those who care for them:**

Fr Cassian Dickie, Jane Cooper, Amy Lloyd, Andre Jacobs, Elsie Smith, Barbara Davis, Teddy Howes, Eddie Gough, June Gent, Margaret Roxburgh, Joyce Crook, Joe Lever, Brenda Towers, Margaret Riley, Ryan Womack, Tony Wilkinson, Mary Foster, Shelagh Mervyn, Emma Garth,

**All Those who have Recently Died**

Mary Noblett, Irene Turner, Sheila Hodson  
Lorna Bentley

**Anniversaries:** Marie Bateson