

Our Lady & St Hubert's with St Wulstan's and St Mary's

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32nd Sunday of Ordinary Time (B) Mass times for this coming week			Responsorial Psalm Response My soul, give praise to the Lord.
Monday	10.00am	St Wulstan's	Gospel Acclamation Alleluia, alleluia! Even if you have to die, says the Lord, keep faithful, and I will give you the crown of life. Alleluia!
Tuesday	10.00am	St Mary's	
Thursday	10.00am	St Wulstan's	
Friday	10.00am	Our Lady and St Hubert's	
Saturday	5.00pm	St Mary's - Vigil	
Sunday	9.00am	Our Lady and St Hubert's	
	11.00am	St Wulstan's	
Reconciliation (Confession) Saturday 4.30pm St Mary's			INCOME: The combined collection came to £1,264.85 (less the diocesan levy of £392.17) the total collection is reduced to £872.68 - Thank You.
Marriages and Baptisms Please speak to Fr Lomax after Mass			ST AUGUSTINE'S: The school is wishing to appoint a Cover Supervisor and a part time English Teacher from January 2019. Further details can be found at www.sarchs.com
			READERS REQUIRED: If you would like to read at the 11.00am Mass at St Wulstan's, please speak to Fr Lomax. New rotas for existing readers are available to collect at the back of Church.

REQUIESCANT IN PACE: Today is Remembrance Sunday and marks the centenary of the signing of the 1918 Armistice, the end of the Great War 1914-1918. It is a day in which we remember all those who have died as a result of war or conflict. The flag draping the altars of St. Mary's Clayton-Le-Moors and St. Wulstan's Great Harwood is the Royal Navy White Ensign, which was last flown aboard H.M.S. ARGYLE as she helped free members of the Irish Guards taken hostage by the "*Westside Boys*" in Sierra Leone in the Summer of 2000. At that time, she was the only Naval vessel in the area, allowing the Special Forces Unit to mount their successful rescue mission. The flag was a visible symbol of our presence and determination to bring back our captured troops. After all Masses this weekend, the children from our schools will help us in a short act of remembrance by placing Poppy Crosses on the lawns adjacent to our three churches. The crosses will then remain on the lawn as a reminder to all those who pass by of the tremendous sacrifices made for the freedoms, we all enjoy today.

WAR MEMORIAL: The Memorial plaque at St. Wulstan's Church, Great Harwood, naming those killed in the Great War 1914-1918 has now been relocated next to the Sacred Heart Statue. The statue was given as the actual war memorial to the dead of the Great War and the plaque named those who died. At some time, the statue and the plaque were relocated and separated, now in this the centenary year of the signing of the Armistice, it seems fitting that they are now back together in a place visible to the parish as a reminder of the great sacrifices made at that time. Requiescant in Pace.

HOLY SOULS: During the month of November it is our custom and privilege to remember in prayer the Holy Souls. A box has been placed at the foot of the altar in which to place the names of all those you wish to be remembered during this special month. Please do not place money in this box it is **NOT** for Mass intentions. The names placed in the box will be remembered generically during all Masses celebrated at our churches during the month of November and up to the First Sunday of Advent.

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REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY: In the morning - The annual Remembrance Sunday Parade, organised by the local branch of the Royal British Legion, will leave the Town Hall Square at 10.30am and proceed to the cenotaph in Memorial Park where a service involving the local Churches and Mosques will accompany the laying of wreaths and the observance of a minutes silence at 11.00am – over a 1,000 people are expected to take part once again in this traditional event which is particularly poignant as it is the centenary of the end of the First World War.

In the afternoon - A special service will take place on the Town Hall Square at 4.30pm where the 400+ names of the Great Harwood men who lost their lives in WW1 will be read out by the various voluntary, community and faith groups that make up the town's close family.

In the evening - At 7.05pm the bells will ring out from St Bartholomew's Church as part of a national celebration entitled "The Battle's Over". Throughout the country bells will be rung at the different churches and cathedrals to mark the centenary of the end of a war that was to claim some 20 million lives.

£1,000 CLUB: Draws 5 and 6 took place on Friday. The winning numbers are below as well as being displayed in the porches of both Churches.

Draw	Prize	Winner	Agent	Ticket
Draw Five	£50	Lorraine Sanderson	Nicola Sheridan	1122
	£25	Gillian Ryan	Maureen Douglas	1071
	£10	Mrs S Balmbra	Pauline Galpin	1193
Draw Six	£50	Wilf Catlow	Peter Holden	7209
	£25	Sarah Diffey	Margaret Crane	1065
	£10	Sheila Baron	Winifred Turner	1270

WINTER WONDERLAND - SUNDAY 25 NOVEMBER: As usual, this cannot be a success without your help. If anyone can donate a bottle for the bottle stall, these can be brought in at any time and handed to Fr Lomax. We need goods to put on the stalls: Bottles - Tombola - Cosmetics - Fancy Goods - Sweets - Toys - Games - Books (children's only). Quality raffle prizes are needed. If you could donate a raffle prize this year, we would be very grateful. Please make sure you label the item - Raffle Prize. Tickets are on sale after every weekend Mass.

SVP: The SVP Team for both of our Great Harwood Churches are again organising a Christmas Party for the ill, infirm and elderly of our parishes. Last year, around 40 attendees enjoyed a buffet lunch. This year, the event will take place on Friday 7 December at Bank Mill House on Church Street from 2.00pm until 4.00pm. If you know of anyone whom you think may like to attend (including previous attendees) please speak to any member of the SVP Team or contact Patrick McGuinley (President) on 883754 - pjlmcginley@hotmail.com or Mary Duckworth (Secretary) on 249110 - mm.duckworth2@gmail.com. St Wulstan's and Our Lady and St Hubert's School choir will provide the entertainment and transport can be arranged for those who need it. The next SVP meeting will take place on Monday 12 November at 6.30pm at St Wulstan's in the Sacristy.

PIETY STALL: Christmas cards are now on sale. Also, Christmas items, children's books, Advent Calendars etc. Please come and browse.

St Mary's, Clayton-le-Moors

FUNDRAISING RAFFLE: As part of our efforts to raise funds for the parish, at St Mary's we are going to hold a BIG raffle in the lead up to Christmas. There will be at least 20 prizes. This is where we need your help in donating prizes for the raffle. They can be anything e.g. whisky, gin, wine, chocolates, biscuits, beauty products, vouchers, toys anything. So please be generous and leave your donations in the church porch. Tickets will go on sale Saturday 17 November.

CHRISTMAS AFTERNOON TEA: We won't be having a Christmas Fayre at St Mary's this year, but we will be holding a Christmas afternoon tea on Sunday 9 December from 2.00pm in the Church Hall. More details to follow in due course, but keep a note of the date.

200 AUTUMN CLUB DRAW: Winner - Week 6 B Gray No. 59
Agent - Eileen Hope