



ST MARY'S ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

NEWSLETTER

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5th Sunday Ord'y Time

He cured many
who suffered from diseases of one kind or another"



SERVICES

Sacraments

Reconciliation Saturday 4.30 p.m.

BAPTISMS: By appointment with Fr. Clarke

WEDDINGS By appointment with Fr. Clarke

Mass will be celebrated at 5pm on Saturday'

Sunday Mass



Great Harwood

9am at Our lady & St. Hubert's

11am at St. Wulstan's

Rishton

10am at St. Charles's



*** Masses at St. Mary's this coming week ***

Monday, Wednesday, Friday, & Saturday 10am

Tuesday 11am Mass Full School Memorial Mass For Ms Mary Nolan

For Weekday Masses at Great Harwood & Rishton

Contact Gt. Harwood
Rishton

Tel No. 01254 884211
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Advance Notice Lent & Easter Services 2018

Ash Wednesday

14th February

Mass

St. Wulstan's 9.30am

St. Mary's 7.00pm

Stations of the Cross

16th February
23rd February
2nd March
9th March
16th March
23rd March

Fridays in Lent at 7p.m.

St. Wulstan's
St. Hubert's
St. Mary's
St. Wulstan's
St. Hubert's
St. Mary's

led by the SVP
led by the children of the parish.
led by the women of the parish
led by the men of the parish
traditional Stations led by Father
Penitential Service



Easter Triduum:-

Holy Thursday

29th March 7.00pm St. Wulstan's Mass of the Lord's Supper
with watching at the Altar of Repose until 9.00pm

Good Friday

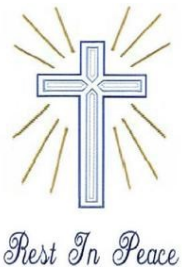
30th March 3.00pm St. Hubert's.

Holy Saturday

31st March 8.00pm Easter Vigil Mass at St. Mary's.

Easter Sunday 1st April Masses 9.00am St. Hubert's 10.00am St. Mary's 11.00am St. Wulstan's

MASS INTENTIONS



Lately Deceased Thomas Henderson 17th January 2018

Anniversary Manuel Ferreda 6th February 2018

Eternal rest grant to them O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon them
through Christ Our Lord Amen

Sick

Sharon Lord

Please pray for Sharon Lord, Patrick Connolly, Mrs Sheila O'Connor, , and all the sick of our parish especially all those in our hospitals, nursing homes, and the housebound, and all who care for them. Mass Offerings may be handed to Father Clarke or alternatively placed through the Presbytery letter box. Details should include the name of the person and the reason for the intention.

HCPT APPEAL

Stephen Wells will give the HCPT Lourdes Candle Talk the weekend of the 10th & 11th February.

The Word This Week

This world, as we know, is a fragile and fallible place, in which we encounter hunger, disease, sickness and death. Jesus proclaims, by his actions of healing, that there is another world, the Kingdom of God, which will be free from all such anxieties and afflictions. The story of Paradise and the Garden of Eden painted a picture of a world which was perfect, and free from all problems. Jesus came into the world precisely to offer us a return to Eden, if we follow him. Each of his miracles is also, in some sense, a parable or teaching, pointing out to us something of the lost happiness and perfection which he is restoring. This vision of Paradise is not Utopian or delusory, not just a vain hope to comfort us with, but the true manifestation of God's love for us. Jesus could not cure every disease or sickness in the world then: but his miracles of healing are a sign that one day, when the Kingdom comes, sickness and disease will be wiped away for ever.

Important Notice from the Diocese of Salford concerning Safeguarding

The safeguarding of children, young people, and vulnerable adults is at the heart of the Church's Mission. There is no place in the Church, or indeed society, for abuse, which can affect people for their entire lives.

We recognise that with increased reporting and the ongoing national enquiry it has raised awareness of abuse and this may have led to individuals to reflect on their own experiences.

The Diocese of Salford encourages all those who have any concerns of abuse past or present by any person connected to the Diocese to report such abuse to either Dawn Lundergan, Safeguarding Co-Ordinator or Cath Taylor Safeguarding Officer via the contact details below:-

Tel No. 0161 8172206 E Mail. dawn.lundergan@dioceseofsalford.org.uk or
catherine.taylor@dioceseofsalford.org.uk

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Nos. attending Vigil Mass 106

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