

SERVICE TIMES THIS WEEK

Monday 26 December — Saint Stephen
1000 Morning Prayer with Mass
Elaine Mulroy

Tuesday 27 December — Saint John
0915 Morning Prayer with Mass
Deceased Beechey family members

Wednesday 28 December — The Holy Innocents
0915 Morning Prayer with Mass
Deceased members of Kane and Edwards families

Thursday 29 December — Saint Thomas Becket
0900 Morning Prayer with Mass
Deceased members of Charnock Family

Friday 30 December — The Holy Family
1900 Evening Prayer with Mass
Peter Osbaldeston

Saturday 31 December
1100 In Thanksgiving
1135 No Confessions

Sunday 1 January — The Epiphany

Vigil Saturday
1800 Elaine Mulroy

1000 The Parish

Please take this News Letter home with you
Ampleforth Abbey Trust – A Registered Charity No. 1026493
A Parish in the Upholland Pastoral Area of the Archdiocese of Liverpool

OUR LADY and ALL SAINTS

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Priest: Father Gordon OSB
☎ 01257 - 463248

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CHRISTMASTIME

Sunday 25 December 2016

The Birth of Jesus Christ

VIGIL 2000 Special Intention

SUNDAY 1000 The Parish

MASS RESPONSES : Hymnals p.200 (No.479)

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PLEASE PRAY FOR:

the Sick:

Tom Emery

those who have died recently:

**those whose anniversaries
are this week:**

Jonathon Conroy, Maria Black
Fr Alexius Chamberlain

Parish Priest 1946—1956

MEETINGS THIS WEEK.

Tuesday Rosary Group
3 Jan Rookery Cottage,
Dungeon lane, Dalton

Thursday SVP
12 Jan Church Meeting Room

OFFERTORY

Loose	£140.57
Envelopes	£221.20
Standing Orders (est)	£343.64

200 CLUB

Congratulations to Lorraine Cook on winning the £200 December 200 Club Draw.

THANKYOU

Thank you to the generous donation of £75 towards Church Funds.

CAFOD FUN RUN

Tuesday 27 December 2017.
Cafod.org.uk/Events/Liverpool-Fun-Run2

SVP

The Quarterly Collection for the SVP raised £190.60 last weekend, many thanks to all who donated.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Archbishop Malcolm has made it clear that Priest's may not celebrate the Sacrament of Penance with general absolution.

Permission to give general absolution is reserved to the Bishop.

He sees no need for the use of general absolution in the Diocese.

THANK YOU

Fr Cassian thanks all those who have sent Christmas Cards and Gifts.

CHRISTMAS

Thank you to all who assisted with the erection of the Crib.
Thank you to those who decorated the Church so beautifully with Flowers for the Feast of the Lord's Birth.

Thank you also to our Musicians and Singers.

FR GORDON

Fr Gordon wishes all Parishioners and Church attendees of Our Lady and All Saints Church every blessing and best wishes for a happy Christmas.

He also thanks those who kindly sent him Christmas cards and greetings, especially those, who despite his Brexit tendencies, enclosed pictures of the Queen

DRUG PROBLEMS

☎ 0800 902 0800

BENEDICTINE YEARBOOK

The Benedictine Yearbook 2017 is now available in Church, £3.00. The Liverpool Directory is also available, £3.50.

ASYLUM SEEKERS

Thank you for your donations of hats, scarf's and gloves, we now have enough.

SAFETY

Please note the foundations of the protective stakes in front of the Statue have been strengthened. Be careful when parking your car as you are likely to damage it if you hit the stakes.

ROTA

The Rota for Jan - June 2017 is available at the back of Church
Many thanks to Jim Mellor for producing it.

200 CLUB

Some subscriptions have still not been received for this year, please can existing members who have not yet paid, please do so as soon as possible.
Contact Stephen Marston ☎ 462504 or drop it off at 17 Brandreth Drive, Parbold.

PPAG

Minutes of the PPAG Meeting held in October are available at the back of Church.

SAMARITANS

Is there anyone who cares?
☎ 08457 909090

Douglas Valley Outreach

In its first year, Douglas Valley Outreach has built a network of Volunteers who help with Asylum Seekers and Refugees in Skelmersdale and Wigan.

Over £7,000 has been raised, which is being used to support English Language tuition and provide essential items for Asylum Seekers who have no other source of help. Douglas Valley Outreach is now a Registered Charity (Number 1170077) and therefore is able to claim Gift Aid relief on donations received from tax payers.

If you wish to help as a volunteer, contact Janet Decamp ☎ **462218**.

If you wish to donate, contact Phil Roberts ☎ **462344** who will provide Bank Details, Standing Order forms and Gift Aid Declarations. Thank you.

COMMUNION OF THE SICK

Priest: Let us pray for our Sick as our Eucharistic Ministers are sent out to give them the Sacrament of Christ's Body.

ALL: May this Sacrament unite them with Christ and his Church and give them consolation and peace.

Priest: Ministers, in the name of the Church gathered here, take the Body of the Lord to the Sick of this Parish.