

SERVICE TIMES THIS WEEK

Monday 7 October — Our Lady of the Rosary
0900 St Mary's
Eucharistic Service

Tuesday 8 October
0900 St Francis of Assisi
Jimmy Makin

Wednesday 9 October — *Bl John Henry Newman*
0900 St Mary's
Irene Smith

Thursday 10 October — *Ss Paulinus and Comps OSB*
0915 Our Lady and All Saints
Diane Hamilton

Friday 11 October — *St Kenneth, St John XXIII*
0900 St Richard's

Sunday 13 October — **28th Sunday of Ordinary Time (C)**
Vigil Saturday
1700 St Mary's

1800 Our Lady and All Saints
Rose Kennedy

Sunday
0900 St Richard's
1030 Our Lady and All Saints
The Parish
1200 St Francis of Assisi

*Please take this Newsletter home with you
A Parish in the Upholland Pastoral Area of the Archdiocese of Liverpool*

**The Catholic Parishes of
Our Lady and All Saints, Parbold
and Saint Richard, Skelmersdale
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**Sunday 6 October 2019
27th Sunday in Ordinary Time (C)**

VIGIL 1800 Catherine Connolly
SUNDAY 1030 The Parish

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PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Fr Michael Phillips OSB,
Fr Cassian Dickie OSB
George Jennings (Brother in Law of
Dot Snead)

Those who have died recently

Those whose anniversaries are this week

Martin Hall

MEETINGS THIS WEEK

Tuesday **Rosary Group**
2000 12 Burnside

Thursday **SVP**
10 Oct Church Meeting Room

OFFERTORY

Loose	£215.44
Envelopes	£190.60
Standing orders (est)	£252.00

SECOND COLLECTION

This weekend, the Monthly Second Collection is for World Missions.

PRAYERS NEEDED

Please pray for Sarah Singleton,
daughter of Margaret Rimmer
who is seriously ill in Australia.

MASS TIMES

Next week, Mass at OLAS is on
Thursday instead of Friday.

OPEN EVENINGS

St John Rigby College has a series
of Open Evenings for admission in
Autumn 2020. Wednesday 16 and
Thursday 31 October and Thursday
14 November 5pm-.30pm. St John
Rigby was rated Outstanding in
their recent inspection.

HARVEST THANKSGIVING

Thank you to all who decorated
the church, which looked wonderful
and celebrated our thanks to God
for the great abundance He gives
us, whilst remembering those who
have less. Thanks also to those who
took produce to Skelmersdale
Foodbank, Mother Teresa's Sisters
in Liverpool and the children who
took out gifts to our local
community.

All expressed their thanks for the
kindness shown them.

200 CLUB

A reminder that this year's
subscription is now due and
Annual Standing Orders will be
transferred this month. Could
members who pay by cash or
cheque, please send your payment
to Stephen Marston, 17 Brandreth
Drive, Parbold. If you would like it
collected, please ring 462504.
Thank you.

If anyone would like to join, please
contact Steve on the above
Number. Members can pay by
either Standing Order, cash or
cheque.

SACRAMENTAL PROGRAMME 2019 — 2020

The Mass at 1030 next Sunday
6 October will be an enrolment
Mass for the Children who are
embarking on the new programme
which has just started, leading
to the Sacrament of First
Reconciliation in December and
First Holy Communion next year.

DVO AND SVP

Mokango and Alex would like to
thank the Parish for all the support
received for their family.

They are now receiving support for
4 month old baby Yann.

The support the family receive as
failed asylum seekers is a payment
card of £36pp/week to spend in
certain shops, they receive no
money.

Mum is housed in Wigan, Dad in
Liverpool. Transport to
appointments and to see each
other is difficult.

DVO are giving Mum £20 a week
from monetary donations received,
thank you.

If anyone would like to make a
donation please put a marked
envelope in the Parish collection
or the DVO Collection at the
back of Church.

The following items would still be
welcome;

Baby cartoon DVD's, sheet,
nappies, size 3, baby wipes, baby
bath, nappy cream, cotton wool
balls, sanitary towels, Vests, size
6-89 months, sleep suits, clothes.
(they now have enough size 3-6
months).

BONFIRE NIGHT AT DON ORIONE

A Firework Display to be held at
Don Orione, Roby Mill, WN8 0QT,
from 6pm on Saturday 2
November. A Family Evening with
Hot Food available.

FIRST SYNOD 2020 TALK

The Quiet Revolution of Pope
Francis: a Synodal Catholic Church
by Gerry O'Hanlon SJ. This will be
held at Hope Chapel L16 9JD at
7.30pm on Monday 7 October.
Tea and Coffee from 7pm.

All are welcome to come and find
out more about Pope Francis' focus
on a renewed church with
missionary focus and how this can
be translated in parishes. There will
be an opportunity for Q & As and
optional Night Prayer at 9pm.

EVENT AT ST TERESA'S UPHOLLAND

'Planning Your Last Goodbye' to be
held at St Teresa's Parish Club,
College Road, Upholland,
10am-4pm on Sat 2 November.
People are invited to drop-in and
ask questions pertinent to them at
their particular stage in life. The aim
is to open up conversation about
how we prepare ourselves
spiritually and practically for death.

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.