

## SERVICE TIMES THIS WEEK

**Monday 5 April**—Monday of Easter Octave  
1900 Our Lady and All Saints  
Freda and George Skillicorn

**Tuesday 6 April**—Tuesday of Easter Octave  
1900 Our Lady and All Saints  
Frank and Mandy Cunningham

**Wednesday 7 April**—Wednesday of Easter Octave  
1900 Our Lady and All Saints  
Intentions of the Johnston Family

**Thursday 8 April**—Thursday of Easter Octave  
1130 Our Lady and All Saints  
George, Irene and David Watkins

**Friday 9 April**—Friday of Easter Octave  
0900 *St John the Evangelist*

**Sunday 11 April**—**Second Sunday of Easter**  
**DAY OF DIVINE MERCY**

**Vigil Saturday**  
1830 *St John the Evangelist*

**Sunday**  
1030 Our Lady and All Saints  
Kris Miloszewski

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

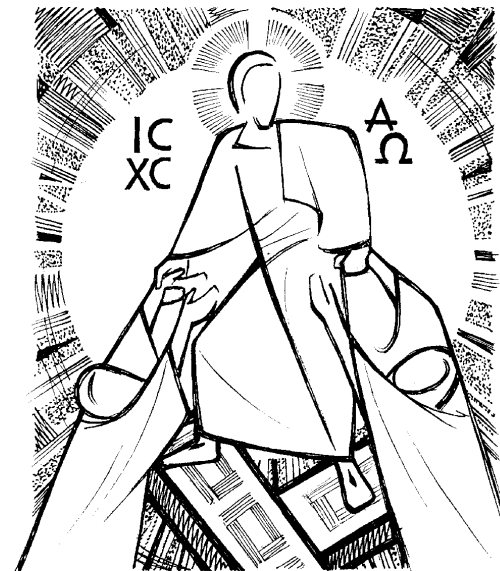
## **Our Lady and All Saints** *Lancaster Lane, Parbold, Lancashire WN8 7HS*

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**PLEASE CHECK THE COVID 19 SECTION OF OUR LADY AND ALL SAINTS WEBSITE  
FOR ANY UPDATES TO PRACTISES IN OUR PARISH DUE TO THE CORONA VIRUS  
AND PRAYER RESOURCES**



**Sunday 5 April 2021**  
**EASTER SUNDAY OF**  
**THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD**  
**SUNDAY 1030 Paul Quirk**

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### PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Audrey O'Donohue, Sheila Jennings  
Emma Pender and;  
all those affected by the Corona virus  
pandemic and; all in our parish who  
don't feel able to come to Mass.

**Those who have died recently:  
Those whose anniversaries are  
this week:**

### OFFERTORY

Loose	£98.55
Envelopes	£82.00
Standing orders (est)	£445.00

### LAST NEWSLETTER DELIVERY

The last delivery will take place this  
weekend. Thank you to the team who  
have been delivering each week for  
the last year, and now restrictions are  
easing it's time for them to hang up  
their delivery bags.

You can access the newsletter on the  
website [www.ourladysparbold.org.uk](http://www.ourladysparbold.org.uk)  
or the parish Facebook page.

### EASTER FLOWERS

Please give generously towards the  
purchase of flowers this Easter.

I'm sure you'll agree that the flowers  
look fabulous and our thanks go to  
the ladies who have produced the  
beautiful arrangements this Easter,  
also for the feasts of St Joseph and  
St Benedict celebrated in March.

There is a basket for donations at the  
back of church. Please give something!

### WELCOME AND THANK YOU

To Anthony Dickinson and his  
colleagues who are providing the  
music this weekend.

### STEWARDS

Thank you to the volunteers who  
steward and sanitise after every Mass  
that takes place in our Church.

Their commitment has meant that we  
have been able to remain open since  
the second lockdown ended.

Most of our current stewards have  
been volunteering since last July. It  
would be good to give them a break!

If you are able to join the stewarding  
team, we would be very grateful. The  
commitment required would be about  
once every two weeks.

Please contact the office ☎ 463248 or  
email: [parbold@hotmail.com](mailto:parbold@hotmail.com)

### ALTAR SERVERS

It is good to see the altar servers  
gradually returning as restrictions ease.

You may notice that they have brand  
new cassocks and cottas, the latter of  
which have been donated.

These replace of the white albs, which  
had been in use for some decades.

Out of curiosity, if anyone knows when  
the albs were first used and who made  
them, it would be interesting to know.

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### GROUNDSMEN

Thank you to our groundsmen who  
have been busy with the first grass  
cuts of the year, offsetting the spring  
flowers beautifully.

A fresh coat of paint here and there  
takes us into the Easter season with a  
sense of newness and hope.

### YOUR PARISH NEEDS YOU!

Are you interested in joining a small  
team to look at how we can make the  
parish more financially self sustaining?

Though it may help, you don't need  
experience in business or finance, but  
ideas and enthusiasm would be very  
useful!

We would look to start as Corona virus  
restrictions are lifted.

Please consider this and think if and  
how you can contribute. The parish  
costs are increasing each year and  
innovative ways to help our finances  
will be required.

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### PARISH FACEBOOK PAGE

Thank you to those who manage and  
update the parish Facebook page with  
topical faith related items and who  
facilitate instant communication with  
followers when required.

If you'd like to access the page without  
creating an account, search 'Parish of  
Our Lady and All Saints Parbold' and  
select the "not yet" option when asked  
to sign in or create an account.

You will then be able to look at the  
Page.

### OFFERTORY ENVELOPES

The new set will be delivered to your  
door this week in time for the first  
envelope next Sunday.

Many thanks to those who support the  
parish in this way. If you would like to  
donate in this way, please contact the  
office ☎ 463248 or email. Many thanks.

*"The Risen Lord is also the Crucified  
One ... In his glorious body he bears  
indelible wounds: wounds that have  
become windows of hope.*

*Let us turn our gaze to him,  
that he may heal the wounds of an  
afflicted humanity."*

*Pope Francis*

### WHY DO WE CALL THE DAY THE LORD ROSE "EASTER"

The official language of the Church  
is Latin, the ancient language of  
Rome. In Church texts Easter is  
*Pascha*, derived from the Hebrew  
*pasch* or Passover.

The Passover of the Lord is the  
saving event completed when Christ  
rose from the dead. In the  
languages derived from Latin this  
naming is followed, e.g. *Pascua*  
in Spanish.

English, however, while it has many  
words from Latin is derived from  
Germanic roots, as is modern  
German. What is *Ostern* in German  
is *Easter* in English.

Although the origins are obscure, it  
may be a reference to the daily  
resurrection of the Sun in the Ost or  
East, upon which our natural  
existence depends.

Christ, Himself, is often thus called  
the Orient, since upon Him our  
resurrection from sin to grace  
depends, as well as our bodily  
resurrection at the end of history.

*"God loves each of us as if there  
were only one of us."*

*St. Augustine*