

**PARISH TRIP: PRECIOUS HERITAGE - MASTERPIECES AND HIDDEN GEMS AMONG THE CATHOLIC CHURCHES OF ENGLAND AND WALES** A talk by author and journalist Elena Curti based on her recent book: 'Another Fifty Catholic Churches to see before you die'. This will take place in the Gibberd Room, Liverpool Metropolitan Cathedral 11:00am - 1:30pm, on **Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> February**. Coach from OLAS + Ticket, including refreshments, costs £22 per person. There is a list at the back of church for expressions of interest by 28<sup>th</sup> January – tickets are limited.

**CATHOLIC HERALD** This monthly publication is on sale at the back of church, priced £4.50.

**SAFEGUARDING AUDIT 2023/24: DBS RE-CHECKS** We have started our DBS rechecks for all who are still active in their particular ministry in the parish and who have previously had a DBS check. If you have already been notified by the parish that your recheck is due, please could you contact the office to arrange to bring in your ID documents, even if you have subscribed to the online update service. More letters will be going out next week. Thank you to those who have already responded and thanks for your help with this important matter.

**CONFIRMATIONS** Any young person who is in Year 8 or above, who wishes to be confirmed this year can register for confirmation preparation at [www.liverpoolcalled.co.uk](http://www.liverpoolcalled.co.uk) before 15<sup>th</sup> March. Preparation will take place both in school and in the parish.

**CRIB** The Crib will remain in church until the traditional end to the Christmas season, forty days after Christmas, which is 2<sup>nd</sup> February, the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord.

#### **IRENAEUS - AN INSIGHT INTO TRAFFICKING - WEDNESDAY 7 FEBRUARY**

The Irenaeus Centre, Great Georges Road, L22 1RD, will be hosting an afternoon of reflection. This will begin with a light lunch, followed by a talk from Petra Smrckova of the Medaille Trust, where she will share her some of her experiences working with trafficked people. Please see poster on noticeboard. For more information, please email [Jenny@Irenaeus.co.uk](mailto:Jenny@Irenaeus.co.uk).

**MASS INTENTIONS** If you would like a Mass offered, please complete a (brown) Mass Offering envelope found on the stewards' table at the back of Church, and place in offertory basket, put through the Priory door, or hand to the parish secretary. Anyone can ask a priest to offer a Mass for a variety of reasons e.g. thanksgiving, anniversary, a sick person, the intentions of a particular person, or as is most common, the repose of the soul of someone who has died. There are infinite graces that flow from the sacrifice of the Mass.

**CATHOLIC PIC** Please take a free copy from the back of Church.

**ICE AND SNOW HEALTH AND SAFETY GUIDANCE** Please note that we all must take personal responsibility in such conditions. When the temperature drops below 3° the sacristan or steward, on their arrival at church, will salt the steps of the main porch. However, you are advised to wear suitable footwear and use the handrail when entering and leaving church as a precaution. Due to lack of manpower and the expense of subcontracting it is not possible to grit the paths or carpark, so please take care. It may be less hazardous to park on Lancaster Lane.

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## THIRD SUNDAY OF THE YEAR 21<sup>st</sup> January, 2024

### Celebration of Holy Mass

21 <sup>st</sup> Sunday	<b>THIRD SUNDAY OF THE YEAR</b>	10:30 am	Pro populo
22 <sup>nd</sup> Monday	St Vincent, Deacon, and Martyr	7:00 pm	Val Downing
23 <sup>rd</sup> Tuesday	Feria	7:00 pm	Jim McCarley
24 <sup>th</sup> Wednesday	St Francis de Sales, Bishop and Doctor	7:00 pm	Owen Ward (R)
25 <sup>th</sup> Thursday	THE CONVERSION OF ST PAUL	11:30 am	Private Intention (F)
26 <sup>th</sup> Friday	Ss Robert, Alberic and Stephen, Abbots	9:30 am	Sick of the Parish
28 <sup>th</sup> Sunday	<b>FOURTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR</b>	10:30 am	Pro populo

**CONFESSIONS** All welcome to celebrate this important sacrament before Monday and Tuesday evening Mass.

**ROSARY** Prayed at 7:30pm after Mass on a Monday, and 6:35pm before Mass on a Tuesday.

**PLEASE PRAY FOR** Sheila Jennings, Sandra Marston, Richard D'Alton, Susan Jones, Steve Kane, Denise Fletcher, Walter Bennett.

**LATELY DEAD** Win Jones (Funeral 11:30am Monday 29<sup>th</sup> January at Our Lady and All Saints)

**ANNIVERSARIES** Joseph O'Connor

**LAST WEEK'S OFFERTORY** Loose £231.60, Envelopes £137.74, SOs £530.00. Thanks.

**SPUC** Thank you for your donations of £19.00.

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