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16TH JUNE 2024

ELEVETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY

MASS TIMES FOR THIS WEEK & MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday 16th June ELEVETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	Sacred Heart	10.00 a.m.	Family Intention (Grace) The family of Chinedu & Cynthia in thanksgiving for their son, Jidechukwu.
	SS Peter & Paul	11.30 a.m.	Fr Pat Hegarty RIP
Monday 17th June	Sacred Heart	9.30 a.m.	Jean Hindle RIP
Tuesday 18th June	Sacred Heart	6.30 p.m.	For all our Confirmation Candidates
Wednesday 19th June St Romuald	Sacred Heart	9.30 a.m.	Alfie Hunt RIP
Thursday 20th June St Alban	SS Peter & Paul	9.30 a.m.	Fr Gerard Dakin RIP
Friday 21st June St Aloysius Gonzaga	Sacred Heart	9.30 a.m.	Jean Hindle RIP
Saturday 22nd June St John Fisher & St Thomas More	SS Peter & Paul	10.30 a.m.	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament & Rosary (This month's Intention: For all First Holy Communion & Confirmation candidates)
	SS Peter & Paul	11.00 a.m.	Private Intentions
Sunday 23rd June TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	Sacred Heart	10.00 a.m.	Romanus Okeke – Birthday Maureen Withers RIP & Jim Aherne RIP (Anniversary) May Manchester RIP (Anniversary)
	SS Peter & Paul	11.30 a.m.	People of the Parish

THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION



The Sacrament of Confirmation will be conferred on **Tuesday 18th June 2024 in Sacred Heart Church at 6.30pm**

REMINDERS FOR YOUR DIARY

BINGO in Sacred Heart Hall – Thursday 20th June, 2pm – 4pm...ALL WELCOME.

COFFEE MORNING AT SS PETER & PAUL CHURCH: SUNDAY 7th July after 11.30am Mass – All Parishioners Welcome

ADVANCE NOTICE FOR MINISTERS OF THE WORD:

Sunday and weekday Missal. As from first Sunday in Advent 2024, there will be a new translation.

RETIRING COLLECTIONS

DAY FOR LIFE COLLECTION: This Sunday 16th June
PETERS PENCE: Sunday 30th June
STELLA MARIS – THE APOSTLESHIP OF THE SEA: 14th July

PARISH NEWS & INFORMATION

200 CLUB DRAW

9/6/24 Wk 10 No. 88 M&B Wainwright £20

*If you would like to join the 200 club please contact
Janice on 07745909869 –
The next £500 draw is in 2 weeks*

LAST WEEK'S COLLECTIONS & ATTENDANCE

Sacred Heart	£166.37	111
SS Peter & Paul	£110.90	35
Payments made by S/O & BACS during May = £558		
Card payments during May = £165		
Thank you		

CUPBOARD LOVE FOOD BANK: Thank you again for your generous donations to the food bank. For future dates, please see the poster at the back of the church. Anyone new wishing to volunteer at the foodbank should contact Paul.j.taylor345@gmail.com

SCAFFOLDING AROUND SACRED HEART CHURCH: The work around Sacred Heart Church is coming to an end but still please take care when walking past the church.

FOOD DONATIONS in SS Peter & Paul Church: Any food donations brought to church will now go to Refugees at Talk English. Cash donations will still go to the Cupboard Love food bank.

SAFEGUARDING REPRESENTATIVE: *Our Parish is in urgent need of a Safeguarding Rep. PLEASE CONSIDER VOLUNTEERING FOR THIS ROLE.*

PARISH EVENTS

TEA & COFFEE AFTER SUNDAY MASS in Sacred Heart Church: To all of you who enjoy a cuppa, biscuit and a sweet after mass, thank you for your support, donations and kind words. However, due to other commitments and a lack of willing volunteers, tea at Sacred Heart church will from now, be on the first Sunday of every month only and this will also be reviewed later in the year. A rota of dates will be on display on the church noticeboard. Thank you.

COFFEE MORNING at SS Peter & Paul Church: The next coffee morning in SS Peter & Paul church is on **Sunday 7th July** after 11.30am Mass. All Parishioners from both of our churches are welcome to come along for a coffee/tea and a chat.

BINGO in Sacred Heart Community Centre: The next bingo session will be held this **Thursday, 20th June** in Sacred Heart Centre at 2pm – 4pm. Please come and join in a fun afternoon.

BOILER & BUILDING FUND: If you are able donate to this fund, please put your donation into an envelope marked 'boiler/building fund' and place in the offertory. Thank you.

GENERAL NEWS

SVP: If you would like a visit from any of our members or are lonely or housebound, please contact **Bernard Unsworth, 01772 875151**

LARK HILL ASSOCIATION: All past pupils of Lark Hill Convent School, Preston are invited to come to Cardinal Newman College, Preston on Saturday 29th June for a Mass at 2.00pm in the Chapel followed by a get together. This is a chance to meet up with friends and there will be opportunity to explore the College on the Lark Hill site.

DAY OF RENEWAL: Saturday 22nd June 2020 10am-4pm. St Clare's Church Parish Hall, Fulwood, Preston. Please see the poster in the church porch.

RWANDA GROUP TRUST: Michael and Mark will be doing their sponsored walk from Lancaster Cathedral to Fernyhalgh, starting on Monday, 24th June to arrive on the Feast of Our Lady of Fernyhalgh, on Tuesday, 25th June. For anyone who would like to donate, the Just Giving page is: <https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/mark-ibison-and-michael-donlan-Our-Lady-RGT>

SPUC – NEW PRESTON BRANCH: There will be a meeting to establish a new Preston Branch of the Society for the Protection of Unborn Children on Saturday 6th July at 1pm at the Preston SPUC Office. The office is located at Unit 10, Lockside Office Park, Lockside Road, Preston, PR2 2YS. Everyone is warmly invited to attend. For further details, please contact Terry Graham, SPUC Northern Development Officer, on 07549 068226 or by email at terrygraham@spuc.org.uk

BULLETIN: Kindly send in your message/s for the bulletin at the latest Thursday evening for production on Friday. Please when booking your Mass Intention(s) kindly indicate the Church and Time preferred and give as much notice as possible to avoid duplication of times. In cases of duplication Masses will be said on a first received basis.