

staff at Liverpool Heart and Chest hospital for their wonderful generous contribution towards our goal. Thank you all for your generosity.

BON VOYAGE TO FR JULIUS

Our thanks to Fr. Julius who has looked after us so well whilst Fr Liam has been away. Fr. Julius will be leaving us next weekend, and we send him our prayers and best wishes for the future. We look forward to seeing him again soon!

WORK OPPORTUNITY

The Metropolitan Cathedral of Christ the King are looking for a cleaner to join the wider cleaning team. This is a permanent post, with the successful candidate willing to undertake general cleaning duties. 20 hours per week (Wednesday through to Sunday) 9.00am – 1.00pm. £9,516.00 per annum (with 5 weeks holiday, and pension scheme). Applicants must have cleaning experience, excellent interpersonal and communication skills, an ability to work unsupervised and on own initiative, ability to carry out verbal and written instructions, manual handling ability and a flexible approach to cleaning tasks undertaken. The closing date is Friday 17th September 2021. This post is not subject to a disclosure and barring service check. To apply, please visit: www.liverpoolcatholic.org.uk/jobs, or phone: 0151 522 1102 for an application pack.

The Parishes of Saint Oswald and Saint Sebastian

Parish Clergy

Fr. Liam Collister
Dcn. John Power
Dcn. John McGeogh (*Retired*)

Parish Office

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The office and presbytery are closed on Wednesday

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Sunday 22th August 2021: Twenty First Sunday in Ordinary Time

It is the spirit that gives life;
the flesh is useless.

The words that I have spoken to you
are spirit and life.

John 6:63

MASS INTENTIONS

Sat 21	16:30	Alan Thompson (RIP)
Sun 22	09:30	Neil Durkan (Special Int)
	11:00	Parishioners
Mon 23	10:00	Gerard Wilson (RIP)
	12:00	Funeral Service: Gerard Wilson
Tues 24	10:00	Aileen Jones (RIP)
Wed 25		<u>No Mass / service</u>
Thurs 26	10:00	Ellie Davis
Fri 27	10:00	Harry Creevy (RIP)
Sat 28	16:30	Kathleen Maher (RIP)
Sun 29	09:30	Parishioners
	11:00	Terry Batchelor (RIP)

At the moment, all our Masses and services will be celebrated in Saint Oswald's Church; as Saint Sebastian's Church is not able to reopen at this time.

PLEASE NOTE:

From Monday 30th August—Friday 3rd September, there will be no weekday Masses. Our Masses at the weekend will not be affected

If you are at clinical risk of COVID-19, or have been told to shield, please follow the medical advice, and stay at home.

LATELY DEAD

We remember all who have died recently, including:

Micky Kelly, Mary Tully, Gerard Wilson, Agnes Mannion and all whose anniversaries occur about this time.

PARISH PRAYER LIST

We also remember all who have asked for our prayers, including:

Joseph Keaveney; Marilyn Brandon; Gary; Alma, and Alf Thomas; Danielle; Tom and Baby Luke; Pdraig Egan; Ann Tyrrell; Mary and John Murphy; Baby Anthony Bowman and Family; Lily Thomas; Josh Thomas; Wally and Kath; Religious Vocations; Adam Mawer, Lil Corner, Mary Carroll, Debbie Froud, Stephen Parkinson, Jade Wilson, Baby Harvey McGarry and Family, John Sparkhill, Elodie Carmichael,

Julie McTavish, Eibhlin and Derek, Sadbh; Ide, and Maurice, Lornagh, Thomas, Lily, Tom Óg, and Lornagh's unborn baby
If you have any prayer intentions, please contact the Parish Office.

PARISH PRAYER LAMPS

Marian Lamp — **Michael Brady (RIP)**

Sacred Heart — **Michael Wall (RIP)**

The Prayer Lamps may be lit for any intention.

If you have an intention for our Prayer Lamps, please contact the Parish Office. (We ask for a donation of £5 per Prayer Lamp)

YOUR PARISHES NEED YOU!

We are looking for a variety of volunteers in both churches, to hopefully start in September. An enhanced DBS check will be needed for most roles (except Reading, Cleaning and Flower Arranging). If you would like to volunteer, or are already a volunteer and would like to continue, please get in touch with the Parish Office so that the DBS process can be started as soon as possible. Many thanks for your ongoing help.

SAINT SEBASTIANS NEWS

After speaking with Fr. Philip Inch (Episcopal Vicar for Mission Planning), I have asked for a meeting involving the parishioners of Saint Sebastian's Church, Archdiocese representatives, and members of the Archdiocese surveyors department. This meeting will take place in the Autumn. Once a time, date and place has been arranged, I will make sure that it is published.

IRENAEUS VOLUNTEERS

The Irenaeus project have extended their outreach programme to the wider community, and are looking for volunteers to assist them to cover various aspects of the project. If you have any extra time available; and would like to volunteer, please contact us on: 0151 9491199 or email: therese@irenaeus.co.uk

SPONSORED WALK

Many thanks to all who have generously given to our recent sponsored walk, raising funds towards buying defibrillators for both of our parishes. So far we have raised £1,490, and donations are still coming in. Special thanks as well to the Intensive Care Unit