RED MISSION BOXES

If you collect for the red "Missio boxes", please being them into church or to the Parish Office over the next few weekends. Many thanks, Terry M

SYNOD NEWS: FAMILIES OF PARISHES

The Pastoral Plan, unveiled earlier this year, outlines a path forward for the Archdiocese, that emphasises pastoral collaboration. The next step in strengthening our faith communities is "Families of Parishes." To provide an understanding of this idea, the Archdiocese would like to invite all parishioners to explore this plan through a series of roadshows. Please do attend one of the upcoming open meetings, as together, we embark on a journey toward a more connected, vibrant, and sustainable faith community.

Tuesday 7th November

19:00 — 21:00, St. Anne's Pastoral Centre, Ormskirk.

Wednesday 8th November

19:00 — 21:00, St. Julie's Parish Hall, Eccleston, St. Helens.

CHRISTMAS RAFFLE

Tickets are on sale for our Parish Christmas Raffle from Saturday (4th November 2023). The Grand Draw will take place on Saturday 9th December, during our Christmas Fair (see below). Each ticket costs 25p (£1.25 for a book of tickets) and they can be bought at the back of our Churches, or from the Parish Office. Good luck, and thank you for your ongoing support.

CHRISTMAS FAIR

We will be holding our annual Parish Christmas Fair on Saturday 9th December 2023 in Saint Oswald's Church. Donations of bottles, new and unwanted gifts/ toys for the tombola stalls, costume jewellery, books, cd's etc (all in good condition only please) would be greatly appreciated. Nearer the time; we will be looking for helpers who can assist us on the day; especially with setting up the stalls beforehand and tidying up afterwards. If you would like to help, please get in touch with the Parish Office.

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The Parishes of

Saint Oswald and Saint Sebastian

5th November 2023: 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

PARISH CLERGY

Fr. Liam Collister Dcn. John Power

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday 9:00am — 3:30pm.

The office and presbytery are closed on Wednesdays

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UPCOMING EVENTS		
Sat 04/11	15:30	Exposition — StO
	15:45	Confessions — StO
	16:30	Parishioners — StO
	17:30	Ukrainian Rite Mass — StS
Sun 05/11	09:30	Sr Mary Annunciata McGrath (RIP) — StO
	11:00	Wendy (Spec. Int.) — StS
	13:00	Baptisms — StO
Mon 06/11	10:00	James & Shelagh Gossin (RIP Rem.) — StC
	10:00	HoH Group — StO Presbytery
	11:00	School Memorial Service — StS School
	14:00	School Memorial Service — StC School
	18:30	Baptism Prep — StO Presbytery
Tues 07/11	10:00	Pious List — StS
Wed 08/11		No Parish Mass
Thurs 09/11	09:15	Rosary & Novena — StC
	10:00	Pious List — StC
	12:30	Lunch Club — StO Presbytery
Fri 10/11	10:00	Irene Lee (RIP Rem) — StS
Sat 11/11	15:30	Exposition — StO
	15:45	Confessions — StO
	16:30	Parishioners — StO
	17:30	Ukrainian Rite Mass — StS
Sun 12/11	09:30	Imelda McGeoch — StO
	11:00	All who have died in armed combat — StS

StO = Saint Oswald's Church StS = Saint Sebastian's Church StC = Saint Cuthberts Chapel

LATELY DEAD

We pray for all who have died recently, including Joan Hughes, Rose Lloyd, Peter Hammond.

and especially those whose anniversaries occur about this time. May the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

PARISH PRAYER LIST

Religious Vocations, Joe Keaveney, Padraig Egan, Ann Tyrrell, Mary Murphy, John Murphy, Jarleth Conway, Kathleen Conway, Kathy Hagen, Maura, Eibhlin, Derek, Sadbh; Fr. Tom Gagie, Ide, Maurice, Lornagh, Thomas, Lily, Tom Ōg & baby, James Toohey, John Harmon, Rosemary Harmon, Albert McCarthy, James Toohey, Brenda Edwards, Marie McGarry, Harvey McGarry, Mary Carroll, Marian Hamal, Thelma Ruddock, Stephen Parkinson, Bob Wike, Brenda Wike, Jade Wilson, Monica Bellew, Ann O'Gorman, Doreen Collins,

John Clayton, Pat Rowan, John Rowan, Ann Crierie, Archbishop Kelly, Maria Lorenzo, Mary Ann Lorenzo, Lil Corner, Maureen Livingston, Sheena Carroll, John Channel, Pauline Murphy, David Penrose, Veronica Goggin, Thelma Mainwaring, AB (get well); Jennifer Oravetz, Kelly Warburton, Mary Donelan, Marty Ennis, Norman Long.

PARISH PRAYER LAMPS

Blue Lamps

- 1. Religious Vocations
- 2. Thomas Carson (Bday Rem)

White Lamps

- 1. All Faithful Departed
- 2. Lucy & Fred McTavish (RIP)

If you have any intentions for any of our lists, please get in touch with the Parish Office. Our Parish Prayer Lamps may be lit for any intention, and we ask for a donation of £5 per Prayer Lamp.

PARISH LOTTERY

Our draw took place on Friday 3rd November, our winning numbers were: 01, 02, 04, 05, 09, and 12. There were no winners. The £10 consolation prize went to ticket number 33502 (the consolation ticket was bought by someone called "Pop", but they have left no other contact details. If you know who "Pop" is, please ask them to contact the Parish Office to collect the winnings!) The next draw will take place on Friday 10th November, with an estimated jackpot of £839. Good luck!

NOVEMBER: MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS

If you have any names you would like to include on the Pious List, please place in the box in front of the main altar. Throughout the month of November, Masses will be celebrated on Tuesday's and Thursdays for those named on the Pious List, and for all the faithful departed.

REMEMBRANCE DAY AFTERNOON TEA

St Oswald's Primary School PTFA are holding their annual "Remembrance Day Tea Party", on Tuesday 7th November; from 1:30pm to 3:00pm, in the infants hall. Places are limited, so please call the Infant School Office on 0151 228 8436 to book your place, and to let the school know any dietary requirements

ANNUAL MEMORIAL MASS

Our annual Memorial Mass for those who have died, especially those whose funerals took place within our Parishes over the last year, will take place on Thursday 23rd November, at 6:00pm, in St Sebastian's Church.