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 our parishes. So far we have raised £1,490, and donations are still coming in. Special thanks as well to the Intensive Care Unit staff at Liverpool Heart and Chest hospital for their wonderful, generous contribution towards our goal. Thank you all for your generosity.

WORK OPPORTUNITY

Are you interested in working with the Liverpool University Catholic Chaplaincy team from September 2021? The post entails assisting with the running of the chaplaincy, supporting students and staff on their faith journeys, helping with retreats and other faith events. This is a fixed term post; working 28 hours per week for 38 weeks, with an annual salary of £9,735.60. You will be based at Saint Philip Neri House, Catharine Street, L8 87NL. For an informal chat about the role please contact Fr. Neil Ritchie on: 0151 709 3858. A job description and application pack can be found at: www.liverpoolcatholic.org.uk

VACANCY AT TAYLORVILLE CONVENT

There is a vacancy at Taylorville Convent for a care worker for 31.25 hrs per week. Hours are flexible inclusive of mornings, afternoons, evenings and weekends. Preferably a Level 2 qualification in Social Care. Salary is £9.79 per hour. Please apply by posting your CV to: Jeanette.spencer@psmgs.org.uk

The Parishes of Saint Oswald and Saint Sebastian

Parish Clergy

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

Parish Office

Saint Oswald's Presbytery; St. Oswald Street; Old Swan; Liverpool; L13 5SB **Tel:** 0151 228 3327

Office hours: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 9:00am — 3:00pm.

The office and presbytery are closed on Wednesday

Facebook: Friends of St. Sebastian's and St. Oswald's

Email: stosts@rcaol.org.uk
Webpage: www.stoandsts.co.uk

Sunday 29th August 2021: Twenty Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Lord, who shall dwell on your holy mountain?

The one who walks without fault;

who acts with justice

and speaks the truth from the heart;

Psalm 15:2-3

	N	MASS INTENTIONS
Sat 28	16:30	Kathleen Maher (RIP)
Sun 29	09:30	Parishioners
	11:00	Terry Batchelor (RIP)
Mon 30		No Mass / service
Tues 31		No Mass / service
Wed 1		No Mass / service
Thurs 2		No Mass / service
Fri 3		No Mass / service
Sat 4	16:30	Parishioners
Sun 5	09:30	Sr Mary Felicity Dobson (RIP)
	11:00	Bishop Tom Neylon

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.

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

BAPTISM

This weekend, we welcome **Elsie Mae Hale** and **Eliana Anyan** into our Parish Community. Please keep these families in your prayers.

LATELY DEAD

We remember all who have died recently, including: Gerard Wilson, Agnes Mannion, Fr. Michael Sharratt 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; Padraig 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 Ōg, and Lornagh's unborn baby, Lesley Anders

If you have any prayer intentions, please contact the Parish Office.

PARISH PRAYER LAMPS

Marian Lamp — Esther Blackburn R.I.P. Sacred Heart — Maureen Burns R.I.P.

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.

BISHOP—ELECT TOM NEYLON

Please keep Bishop-Elect Tom Neylon in your prayers, as he is ordained Auxiliary Bishop of Liverpool in the Metropolitan Cathedral on Friday 3rd September. We pray that his new ministry will be fruitful.

BAPTISM AND FIRST HOLY COMMUNION CATECHISTS

As we will be starting our Baptism and First Holy Communion Preparation programmes very soon, I would like to invite our Catechists to a meeting at St. Oswald's Presbytery.

Baptism Catechists

Thursday 9th September at 6pm.

First Communion Catechists

Friday 10th September at 6pm.

Please let us know at the Parish Office know if you are able to attend. Many thanks.

SAINT SEBASTIANS NEWS

After speaking with Fr. Philip Inch (Episcopal Vicar for Mission Planning), I have asked for a meeting involving the parishioners of