

### LOURDES YOUTH PILGRIMAGE 2022

If you are in Year 10 and above, or aged between 15 and 22, and would like to join the Youth Pilgrimage to Lourdes in 2022, online applications are available from 4th October. The full cost of the pilgrimage is £540, with a £40 deposit. For application forms and information, please visit:

[www.liverpoolourdesyouth.co.uk](http://www.liverpoolourdesyouth.co.uk)

### EVENTS AT IRENAEUS ON ZOOM

**Scripture Evenings:** *"This, then, is my prayer"*: Reflections on the Book of Ephesians, led by Fr. Chris Thomas. Monday 11th & 18th **October**. 7:00pm – 8:30pm.

**Scripture Mornings:** *"He sent me to give good news to the poor"*: Reflections on Luke's Gospel, led by Fr. Chris Thomas. Thursdays 4th; 11th; & 18th **November**. 10:30am – 12:00pm.

All sessions are free of charge, but any donations will be welcome. To book a place, or for more information, please phone: 0151 949 1199; or email: [jenny@irenaeus.co.uk](mailto:jenny@irenaeus.co.uk)

### PRAYER FOR A SYNODAL CHURCH

On Sunday 17 October, the Archdiocese will mark the opening of the local phase of the universal Synod (2021—2023) with choral evening prayer at the Metropolitan Cathedral, from 3pm—4pm. This is also an opportunity for us to pray for the forthcoming pastoral plan for the Archdiocese, the fruit of our own Synod 2020. All are welcome to attend.

### CONFIRMATIONS

Thank you to all our candidates for the Sacrament of Confirmation who registered earlier this year. The service will take place in December at 7.00 pm in St. Oswald's Church (date TBC). Cardinal Michael Fitzgerald will preside at our service. While most of the preparation has been provided through the RE curriculum in our schools, there are a series of Confirmation videos provided by Animate on YouTube, which can be found by searching "**Animate Liverpool Confirmation 'Called by Name'**". We are also hoping to have an additional face to face session in Church during November (Date and time TBC)

## The Parishes of Saint Oswald and Saint Sebastian

### Parish Clergy

Fr. Liam Collister

Dcn. John Power

Dcn. John McGeoch (*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**

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### Sunday 10th October 2021: Twenty Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jesus, looked at him, loved him and said,  
'go, sell what you own,  
and give the money to the poor,  
and you will have treasure in heaven'

Mark 10:21

### EVENTS HAPPENING THIS WEEK

|          |         |   |
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| Sat 9    | 10:00   | Rosary, Novena, and Exposition                                      |
|          | *13:00* | Mass: First Holy Communions   |
|          | 15:30   | Exposition and Confessions  |
|          | 16:30   | Mass: Parishioners  |
| Sun 10   | 09:30   | Mass: Joyce Morris  |
|          | 11:00   | Mass: Terry & Faith Hughes (Special int.)                           |
| Mon 11   | 10:00   | Mass: L.I.S.C.F   |
|          | 18:30   | Baptism preparation (Saint Oswalds Presbytery)                      |
| Tues 12  | 10:00   | Mass: Kathryn Barnes  |
|          | *19:30* | Saint Sebastian's Parish Meeting<br>(Saint Sebastian's School Hall) |
| Wed 13   |         | <b>No Mass / Service</b>  |
| Thurs 14 | 10:00   | Mass: Marianne Large (RIP—Bday Rem)                                 |
|          | 18:30   | Baptism preparation (Saint Oswald's Presbytery)                     |
| Fri 15   | 10:00   | Requiem Mass: James Jones   |
| Sat 16   | 10:00   | Rosary, Novena, and Exposition                                      |
|          | *13:00* | Mass: First Holy Communions   |
|          | 15:30   | Exposition and Confessions  |
|          | 16:30   | Mass: Mary McShane (RIP)  |
| Sun 17   | 09:30   | Mass: Parishioners  |
|          | 11:00   | Mass: John  |

All Masses and services are celebrated in Saint Oswald's Church.

**If you are at clinical risk of Covid, or have been in contact with someone who has Covid, please follow the medical advice, and stay at home.**

### EXPOSITION AND CONFESSIONS

Weekly exposition and confessions will take place on Saturday afternoon before Mass. Exposition will start at 3:30pm, and confessions will start at 3:45pm. Both will conclude at 4:15pm.

### LATELY DEAD

*We remember all who have died recently, including:*

**James Jones**

*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 & Alf Thomas; Danielle; Tom & Baby Luke; Padraig Egan; Ann Tyrrell; Mary & John Murphy; Baby Anthony Bowman & Family; Lily Thomas; Josh Thomas; Wally & Kath; Religious Vocations; Adam Mawer, Lil Cor-**

**ner, Mary Carroll, Debbie Froud, Stephen Parkinson, Jade Wilson, Baby Harvey McGarry & Family, John Sparkhill, Elodie Carmichael, Julie McTavish, Eibhlin & Derek, Sadbh; Ide & Maurice, Lornagh, Thomas, Lily, Tom Óg, & Lornagh's unborn baby, Lesley Anders, Rosemary & John Harmon, Karen Collis, Kathleen & Jarlath Conway**  
*If you have any prayer intentions, please contact the Parish Office.*

### PARISH PRAYER LAMPS

#### Blue Marian Lamps

1. Vinetta and Praveen
2. Hannah and Rachael

#### Clear Sacred Heart Lamps

1. Cath Fletcher
2. Gerry Wilson

*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.*

### SAINT SEBASTIANS MEETING

A meeting with Fr. Philip Inch and Mr. Brian Dunn will take place this coming **Tuesday 12th October** at **7:00pm** in **Saint Sebastian's School Hall**. All are welcome to attend.

### FR. BRENDAN'S FUNERAL MASS

The Requiem Mass for Fr. Brendan can be viewed in the 'Online' section of our Parish Website, as well as on our Parish Facebook page. Please see front of newsletter for website information.

### BAPTISM PREPARATION COURSE

Our Baptism Preparation courses have recently restarted. We do have a large number of people who are down on our list to attend, we will be getting in touch very soon to organise a course for everyone.

### FIRST HOLY COMMUNIONS

Our year 5 children will be making their First Holy Communion during October and November. Please keep them in your prayers as they prepare to receive Jesus in Holy Communion.

### SVP SOCIETY

Our Parish SVP group will meet again on Monday 18th October at 18:30 in Saint Oswald's Presbytery. If you would like to join the SVP and help those most in need within our parish, please feel free to come along.