

# Newsletter for the Parishes of **St John Vianney & St Thomas Becket**

## Twenty Third Sunday In Ordinary Time September 4th 2022

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**CARE OF CREATION ~ 1<sup>st</sup> September to 4<sup>th</sup> October (Feast of St. Francis) is a special time for us all to pray and work together to care for our common home. "Please, I would ask all those who have positions of responsibility in economic, political and social life, and all men and women of goodwill: let us be 'protectors' of creation, protectors of God's plan inscribed in nature, protectors of one another and of the environment."**

(Pope Francis)

**A SPECIAL MASS ~ Will be celebrated** next Saturday at Midday in St Wilfrid's for all celebrating significant Wedding Anniversaries this year (or who celebrated during Covid). Refreshments will be served afterwards in the Hall. All Welcome.

**ST BERNADETTE RELIC TOUR 2022** ~ The relic of St Bernadette will be in our Diocese on Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> Sept in Shrewsbury Cathedral & the following day in St Werburgh's Chester. Those wishing to venerate the relic are strongly encouraged to book a time to visit via the national website:  
<http://www.stbernadette.org.uk>

**KITWOOD HOUSE NURSING HOME** ~ We will be gathering this Thursday 11.00am for hymns and prayers. If you can assist with the singing, it would be greatly appreciated. Contact the Parish Office.

**OUR PARISH SCHOOLS** ~ Reopen this week after the long hot summer. We wish all Students and Staff a successful Autumn Term. School Masses will be celebrated this week and for the first time since Covid, these will be open to Parishioners. Please keep our school communities in your prayers.

**FAMILY SUPPORT NEEDED** ~ "We are a family who are committed to continuing to develop good support for our disabled Son and we are seeking new people to join his team of supporters. Please call Denise Walker:- 07561 276976 if you are enthusiastic and looking for work where you can make a positive difference."

## TIMES OF MASSES & SERVICES 4<sup>th</sup> ~ 11<sup>th</sup> September

5.30pm (vigil)	<i>Our Lady's</i>	Parishioners
6.00pm (vigil)	<i>St. Bede's</i>	Joana Matos
9.15am	<i>St. Wilfrid's</i>	Angela Booth
11.00am	<i>St Thomas Becket</i>	Priest's Int.
11.15am	<i>St Bede's</i>	Robin Baker
4.00pm – 5.00pm	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	<i>Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament</i>
5.30pm	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Teresa's Int

### **MONDAY**

10.00am *	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	UCM Int / Holy Souls
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### **TUESDAY**

9.30am	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Brian & Beryl Wilkinson
12.00pm	<i>St Bede's</i>	Milner Family

### **WEDNESDAY**

9.30am	<i>St Wilfrid's School Mass</i>	
12.00pm	<i>Our Lady's</i>	Bill Murray
7.00pm (vigil)	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	<i>Rosary followed by Mass</i>

### **THURSDAY**

#### ***The Birthday of Our Lady***

9.30am	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Peter & Florence Losa Int
12.00pm	<i>St. Bede's</i>	Holy Souls
2.15pm	<i>St Bede's School Mass</i>	

### **FRIDAY**

9.30am	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Joseph Eskirne / Louis Doyle
12.00pm	<i>St Bede's</i>	Joan Cosgrove

### **SATURDAY**

11.00am – 11.55am	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	<i>Sacrament of Reconciliation</i>
12.00pm	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	<i>Marriage Celebration</i>
5.30pm (vigil)	<i>Our Lady's</i>	Davenport Family
6.00pm (vigil)	<i>St. Bede's</i>	Parishioners

### **SUNDAY**

#### ***24rd Sunday Year C***

9.15am	<i>St. Wilfrid's</i>	Danny Brady
11.00am	<i>St Thomas Becket</i>	Priest's Int.
11.15am	<i>St Bede's</i>	Molly & Brian Brent
4.00pm – 5.00pm	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	<i>Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament</i>
5.30pm	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Joyce Sharp

**THE FEAST OF OUR LADY'S BIRTHDAY ~ Is celebrated this Thursday. Please note the 7.00pm vigil Mass on Wednesday evening. The Rosary will be prayed prior to Mass.**

**MANCHESTER NEWMAN LECTURE ~** This year's Lecture entitled: '*A Proposal and a Project for Relations Between Christians and Muslims*' will take place at the Friends Meeting House on 15<sup>th</sup> Sept. 6.30 pm. The Speaker will be Cardinal Michael Fitzgerald. Contact Chris [dcq@mac.com](mailto:dcq@mac.com) 07764 946074.

**PAKISTAN FLOOD APPEAL ~** Along with other Aid Agencies, Cafod is working to support the millions affected by the on-going floods in Pakistan. There will be a retiring Collection next weekend.

**MARY'S MEALS ~** It costs just **£15.90** to feed a child for a whole year! Many thanks for the £156 handed into church last week. This has been forwarded to Mary's Meals. [www.marysmeals.org.uk](http://www.marysmeals.org.uk)

**FINANCE ~** £873.95 Thank you for your contributions.

*Giver of life, from tiny seeds and parched earth your gentle hand grows richest fruit.  
Reveal to us, Creator God, the seeds within us; moisten the soil that our neglect has made dry.  
For alone we lack the vision of your kingdom. Alone, we fail to recognise the hungry in our midst. Alone, we lack the strength to fulfil your purpose. With your inspiring love, Redeemer of all, may the shoots of our potential break free and our hands, voices and spirits toil in communion so that your garden of plenty can be shared by all. Amen.*