

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

The Thirty First Sunday Year A **5th November 2023**

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NOVEMBER ~ Traditionally a month of Remembrance. Place names of your loved-ones in the basket before the altar, and these will be prayed for at our daily Masses. Next Sunday, Remembrance Sunday, special prayers will be prayed for all killed in past and on-going conflicts and for world peace.

BAPTISM ~ Congratulations to Lilah Dale who was Baptized last weekend.
Please pray for her and all our young families.

FIRST COMMUNION ~ If your child attends a non Catholic school and is due to celebrate this most important Sacrament, please email the Parish Office, or speak to a member of the clergy.

SYNOD ~ The Synthesis Report at the conclusion of the 16th General Assembly of the Synod on Synodality has been published. For further details go to: www.vaticannews.va / synod report

ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY ~ Our Lady's Conference will be holding a Meeting tomorrow (Monday) at 9.30am., in the church Hall. Later in the day, St Bede's SVP will be hosting the 'Monday Club' after the Midday Mass. For catering purposes, please sign at the back of church if you intend to be present.

Thanks for your generous Collection last weekend. £1052.75 was raised.

CHRISTMAS SHOE BOXES ~ Many Thanks for your great enthusiasm! There is still time to drop off any late boxes this week. Final total will be given net weekend.

ISRAELI-PALESTINIAN CRISIS ~ Cafod, who have worked for many years in both Israel and the occupied Palestinian territory with partners who are Christian, Jewish, Muslim and secular, have set up an Emergency Appeal to help the suffering. Donations can be handed into church or go to: www.cafod.org.uk

LOUD FENCING ~ Mass, prayers and reflections for victims, survivors and those affected by abuse at Holy Apostles & Martyrs, Wallasey at 6:45pm on Tuesday 14th November. All welcome.

A MUSICAL NIGHT ~ In aid of the SVP will be held at St Bede's on Tuesday 28th Nov. 6.00pm.
Would you like to participate? Contact Jess Marshall 07463749760. Raffle and refreshments.
Come and join us, for what will be a great evening!

TIMES OF MASSES & SERVICES 5th - 12th November 2023

5.30pm (<i>vigil</i>)	<i>Our Lady's</i>	Joan Evans
6.00pm (<i>vigil</i>)	<i>St Bede's</i>	Robin Baker
9.15am	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Mary Cosgrove
11.00am	<i>St Thomas Becket</i>	Priest's Int
11.15am	<i>St Bede's</i>	Parishioners
4.00pm	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	<i>Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament</i>
5.30pm	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Gaspar, Barbara, Maumeta & Dorbalinha
MONDAY		
9.30am	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Lorenzo, Maria & Rita Falzon
12.00pm	<i>St Bede's</i>	Holy Souls / SVP
TUESDAY		
12.00pm	<i>Our Lady's</i>	Eileen Dewsbury
6.00 – 6.55pm	<i>St Bede's</i>	<i>Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament</i>
7.00pm	<i>St Bede's</i>	Sheila & Ernie Sands
WEDNESDAY		
9.00am	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Holy Souls
10.00am	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Funeral ~ Fred Williamson
THURSDAY		
DEDICATION OF THE LATERAN BASILICA		
9.30am	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Kevin Quigley
12.00pm	<i>St Bede's</i>	Milner Family
FRIDAY		
ST LEO THE GREAT		
9.30am	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Angela Brooks
12.00pm	<i>St Bede's</i>	Margaret Howells
SATURDAY		
ST MARTIN OF TOURS		
11.00 – 11.50am	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	<i>Sacrament of Reconciliation</i>
12.00pm	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Teresa & Les Leather Int.
5.30pm (<i>vigil</i>)	<i>Our Lady's</i>	Agnes & Eric Gordon
6.00pm (<i>vigil</i>)	<i>St Bede's</i>	Michael Walker
SUNDAY		
32nd SUNDAY YEAR A		
9.15am	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	David Harrison Snr
11.00am	<i>St Thomas Becket</i>	Priest's Int
11.15am	<i>St Bede's</i>	Kathleen Rimmer
4.00pm	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	<i>Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament</i>
5.30pm	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Parishioners

PLEASE PRAY FOR ~ John Doyle, Theresa Merrin, Fred Williamson, Terry Swayles, Collette Thorp and all who have died recently. *Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord.*

CHRISTMAS CARDS ~ Yes, finally Terry will be at St Wilfrid's this weekend and next week at St Bede's selling cards in aid of *Aid to the Church In Need*. Cards are also available at Our Lady's on Saturday evenings & on request, along with many other nice and interesting items.

LOURDES 2024 ~ Christ the King Parish, Bromborough are running a coach next July to Lourdes coinciding with the Diocesan pilgrimage. The coach will depart on Thurs 25th July and return on Friday 2nd August. There is no overnight travel. On both the outward and return journeys, they will be stopping at Lisieux. For further details please contact Ray Harrison 07484157355.

PARISH SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

RACE NIGHT ~ Friday 17th November. 7.00pm. £1 entry on the door or by ticket.

CHRISTMAS SHOPPING TRIP TO LIVERPOOL ~ Thursday 7th December. £13

CHRISTMAS RAFFLE ~ No Christmas fayre this year, so we will have to make an extra effort with our raffle. Tickets will be on sale in the coming days. Any donations of prizes would be greatly received.

For details of the above activities contact Anne 07484879693.

CARITAS ~ Boxes are due to be emptied. Please bring contents into church. Thank you.

PARISH FINANCE ~ Sunday Collection £1056.47. Thank you for your generosity.