



Newsletter for the Parishes of St. Catherine of Siena & All Saints and St. Lewis



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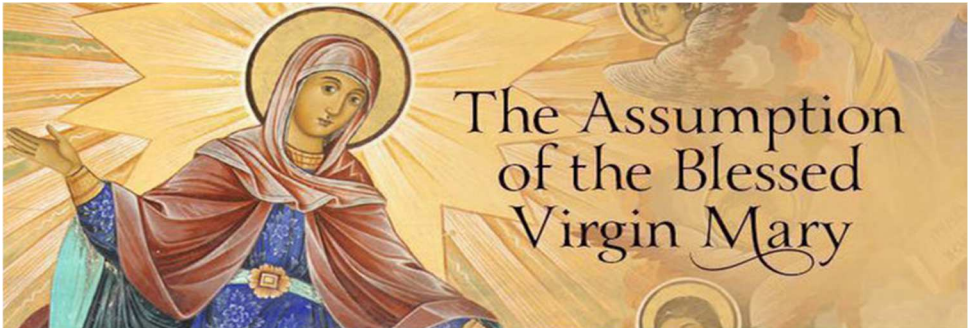
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SUNDAY 14TH AUGUST 2022

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Mary's song for today's feast of the Assumption is called the Magnificat and is based on an Old Testament song by Hannah. But the song is not actually about Hannah or Mary. It's about God and it's about you and me. The word "Magnificat" means that I am praising God for his greatness. Today's feast represents the crowning glory of Mary's life of faith lived in the hope and trust that the promises made to her would be fulfilled.

By singing the Magnificat, Mary shows that she had a deep understanding of God's continual presence at her side in good times and in bad, and that her gratitude was such that her heart overflowed with praise just at the thought of what God was doing in her life. By making the Magnificat our own, we too can recognise a God who has favoured his lowly servant; we can show our gratitude to God for the many ways in which his love surrounds us daily; and we can hope and trust in his promise that, like Mary, we will one day see him face to face and praise him for eternity with the saints in heaven. *Magnificat!*

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Serving the Catholic Community of Golborne, Lowton, Croft & Culcheth*

Covid Advice

Face Coverings: are now optional for people who attend a service in church.

Hand Sanitiser: There is the opportunity to sanitise hands, before and after Mass, should you wish to continue.

All Saints Food Bank ~A Pause in your Generosity!

We'd like to ask you to take a rest from donating food for the foodbank for this week. Our stocks are currently at a good level which is down to **your** generosity and that of Asda Golborne's Community Champion and Asda customers. *Thank You.*

A Day of Prayer for Ukraine

The Council of the Bishops' Conferences of Europe has proposed a day of prayer across Europe for Ukraine on **Wednesday 14 September**. The Council has asked that cathedrals and other major churches host a period of Eucharistic adoration.

In response, the Metropolitan Cathedral will be having a period of exposition from 4pm-5pm that day and then Mass for peace in Ukraine will be celebrated at 5pm.

As always the Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will be at All Saints Church on Wednesday 10am - 11am.

Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Congratulations to the **'Lionesses for winning the Women's Euro 2022 Final'** Their amazing rise to the top of women's football was well-deserved. It took hard work, courage, and perseverance to achieve this level of success. In the words of the Queen, they have **'set an example that will be an inspiration for girls & women today, and for future generations.'**



In another league altogether, this weekend we celebrate the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Without doubt, she has inspired generations of believers over many centuries to listen to her Son Jesus and to follow him. Her example is rooted in humility, faith, love, and perseverance. Our Lady was the first to believe in Jesus as God's Son, the first to listen to him as the Word made flesh, and the first missionary to present Jesus to the world.

This Week's Joke:

*What did the big weevil say to the little weevil
"You're the lesser of two weevils"*

Pope Francis Prayer Intention for August

We pray for small and medium sized businesses; in the midst of economic and social crisis, may they find ways to continue operating, and serving their communities. "Stores, workshops, cleaning businesses, transportation businesses, and so many others. The ones that don't appear on the world's richest and most powerful lists, and despite the difficulties, they create jobs, fulfilling their social responsibility. ***"This is why it is important to pray for them."***



Relics of St. Bernadette

In September and October this year, the relics of St. Bernadette will journey on pilgrimage to England, Scotland and Wales for the very first time. This very special once in a lifetime event will provide an opportunity for people of all ages and backgrounds to experience the special gifts and charisms of Lourdes, in a church or cathedral near them. The relics will visit the following churches in the Archdiocese.

- St. Mary's, Chorley: 15th - 17th September
- Cathedral Church of the Risen Christ, Liverpool: 17th September
- Metropolitan Cathedral of Christ the King, Liverpool 17th - 20th September

For a more detailed timetable for the relic tour please follow:

<https://www.cbcew.org.uk/st-bernadette-relic-tour-dates-venues>



The Afternoon Club



The next meeting of the Afternoon Club will be this coming **Tuesday 16th August from 1.30-3.30pm** in the Benedict Room at All Saints. ***All are welcome.***

Asylum-Seekers Project

Message for the knitters: congratulations on passing the ***"Thousand Mark"*** with your contributions to the project! The batch of items which went off this week ***(67 garments and 9 blankets plus 8 sacks of good-as-new clothing)*** brought your total of knitted items since the project started in January 2020 to 1,066 garments and 101 blankets. Please keep going because the need continues to grow. You have been truly amazing and should feel very proud. ***Thank You.***

Services, Mass Times and Intentions

Saturday 13th August 2022 Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Sat 4.30 pm	All Saints	Reconciliation	
Sat 5:00 pm	All Saints	Mass	Edward & Sarah O'Donnell

Sunday 14th August 2022 Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Sun 9:00 am	St. Lewis	Mass	Thanksgiving (Jo)
Sun 10:30 am	All Saints	Mass	Marcus Scott-Manderson, Chris Rattigan
Sun 11:30 am	All Saints	Baptism	Margo & Maximus Sinclair

Monday 15th August 2022 Weekday in Ordinary Time

Mon 1:00pm	All Saints	Funeral Service for Brian Mathews	
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Tuesday 16th August 2022 Weekday in Ordinary Time

Tues 10:00 am	St. Lewis	Peter & Margaret	
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Wednesday 17th August 2022 Weekday in Ordinary Time

Wed 9:30 am	All Saints	Mass	Anthony Parry
Wed 10-11 am	All Saints	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	

Thursday 18th August 2022 Weekday in Ordinary Time

Thurs 11:00 am	St. Lewis	Margaret & John Flynn	
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Friday 19th August 2022 Weekday in Ordinary Time

Fri 9:30 am	All Saints	Mass	Lily Leeson
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Saturday 20th August 2022 21st Sunday of Ordinary Time

Sat 4.30 pm	All Saints	Reconciliation	
Sat 5:00 pm	All Saints	Mass	Alec Sinkinson

Sunday 21st August 2022 21st Sunday of Ordinary Time

Sun 9:00 am	St. Lewis	Mass	Gerard Ruddy,
Sun 10:30 am	All Saints	Mass	Ron Parker



Please remember in your prayers: the sick of our community; all those who have died recently including Brian Mathews & Evelyne Marsh and all whose anniversaries occur at this time.