

Ladies Circle

WILL ALL CURRENT AND PROSPECTIVE MEMBERS OF THE LADIES' CIRCLE PLEASE NOTE THE CHANGE OF VENUE.

MEETINGS WILL NOW BE HELD AT ST MARY'S CHURCH, DEVONSHIRE DRIVE, CLAYTON-LE-MOORS, BB5 5RJ ON THE FOLLOWING DATES:

Thursday 7th September 7.00 pm. Holiday Auction. As discussed previously if possible please bring a small inexpensive gift. Auctioneer once again will be Barbara Phelan who did an extremely good job last time.

Thursday 5th October 7.00 pm. Brenda Fox will give a talk entitled "Ribble Valley Memories". which promises to be very enjoyable and interesting.

Thursday 2nd November. Please note that this meeting will start at **7.30 pm.** Instructor Bill Wilkinson will give a Tai Chi talk/demonstration. This martial art is suitable for all ages, it does not put too much strain on muscles and joints and promotes physical and mental relaxation.

CHRISTMAS MEAL

PARISH PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES – SPONSORED WALK

We have been overwhelmed this year by your generosity in our efforts to raise funds to help our Parish Pilgrimage to Lourdes, and through your support, have raised the **astonishing sum of £2243.**

We want to say a big thank-you to each and everyone of you who sponsored us and a special thanks to Father Tony, for his unfailing support of our efforts, year in, year out.

Once again this year, all your intentions will be included in the lighting of a Parish Candle in Lourdes, but if anyone would like an individual candle lit, or perhaps a petition delivering to the Grotto, we would be more than happy to help out.

Once again a huge, huge thank-you to everyone. Jane, Stephen, Michelle and Bernadette

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Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time Cycle A 20th August 2017

1st Reading **Isaiah 56:1,6-7**
I will bring foreigners to my holy mountain

Psalm **Psalm 66(67):2-3,5-6,8**
Response *Let the peoples praise you, O God, let all the peoples praise you*

2nd Reading **Romans 11:13-15,29-32**
God never takes back his gifts or revokes his choice.

Gospel Acclamation **Alleluia, alleluia! The sheep that belong to me listen to my voice, says the Lord, I know them and they follow me. Alleluia**

Gospel **Matthew 15:21-28**
Women, you have great faith.

Holy Masses

Mon No Mass

Tues No Mass

Saturday

Vigil 5.00pm St Mary's

Wed 10.00am St Hubert's
Requiem for Joyce Robinson

Vigil 6.30 pm St Wulstan's

Sunday

Thurs 10.30 am St Hubert's
Requiem for Robert Charles

Mass 9.00am St Hubert's

Mass 11.00 am St Wulstan's

Friday No Mass

Anniversaries

19th Aug Ena Ragen

20th Aug Hubert Baron; Dick Eddleston; Clara Green; Renie Phelan; Victor Driver

21st Aug Joan Hall; Albert Butterworth

22nd Aug Rosa Ciallella; Maria Rejniak; Mary Florence Thornley

23rd Aug Joan Cottam; James Grime; Roland Rathbone; Matthew Thompson; Genia Foks

24th Aug Mary Stephenson; Ellen Snape

25th Aug Joe Galpin; Arthur Peters; Gerald Speers; Grace Lambert

Mass Intentions

Lately Dead: Repose of the Soul of Patrick Mulcahy



Other: Margaret Westwell (Anniversary 18th August); Repose of the Soul of Mary Dabrowski (7th August); Lloyd Hargreaves and Family (2); Bernard Jackson; In Thanksgiving; Special Intention; Walters Wells; Kenneth Wells (2); John Victor Teague (Anniversary 13th August); Rosa Ciallella (Anniversary 22nd August)

Unwanted Toiletries

Please keep bringing your unwanted toiletries in. Pauline Galpin will collect them and deliver them to Nightsafe and Maundy Grange who can use these to provide homeless clients with the soap, shampoo etc. that they need. .

Found

A stone from a ring has been found at Our Lady and St Hubert's Church. Is it yours?

Newsletter items can be e-mailed to jennifer.holden2@btinternet.com or ring 883517.

The Word This Week

Today is one of those occasions when, even though the second reading is not chosen to correspond to the theme of the Gospel and first reading, it does in fact fit very well. Indeed, much of the letter to the Romans is explained in this Sunday's Liturgy of the Word: the whole theme is summed up in this: the Messiah came first of all to the people of Israel, to whom the promises were made in the past - but it could not remain there. The good news had to be taken to the ends of the earth, so that all peoples, indeed the whole of creation could welcome the Messiah and take a place in the Kingdom of God. All nations are welcome on God's holy mountain: "Let all the peoples praise you, O God!"



The £1000 Club

The agents have now got their new packs of tickets – thanks to them once again for carrying out this money-raising service for the Parish. If you want to join again for the 2017 Club (first of the 10 weekly draws on Friday, September 22nd - £50, £25, and £10, the £1,000 draw will take place at the Winter Wonderland event on Sunday, November 26th) please get in touch with your agent and purchase a ticket. If you are joining for the first time please see the noticeboards at the back of the two churches to find the name of an agent. Best of luck – Remember “You’ve got to be in it to win it”. Thank you.

Civic Society Horticultural Show

Saturday 2nd September in St Wulstan's School Hall

Entry forms with the details of the categories are available in both churches now.

Children's sections include - artwork; handcraft; baking; horticulture and miniature gardens.

Stamps for the Hospice Important Information

Many thanks to all the parishioners who save used stamps and put them in the box at the back of the church.

When saving the stamps please will you leave a one centimetre edge around the stamp.

Please keep giving! Every little helps and proceeds go towards the Hospice.