

# Penwortham, Longton & Tarleton Catholic Parishes

incorporating the Churches of St Mary Magdalen, St Oswald & St Teresa

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## Upcoming Mass & Service Details for the week beginning on 28<sup>th</sup> – 29<sup>th</sup> October 2023

This Weekend:		Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time		Year A (Parish Mass Book Page:146)
<b>28<sup>th</sup> October</b> <i>SS Simon + Jude</i>	5.00pm	St O	Roy Allen(A) Bill Hough (A)	
	6.00pm	St T	For the success of Fr Habila Episcopal Ministry, Parishioners	
<b>29<sup>th</sup> October</b>	8.30am	St O	Andrew Watson (A) Lily Nolan (A)	
	9.30am	St T	For those killed in Israel + Gaza	
	10.00am	OLHC	Parishioners /Holy Souls	
	11.00am	St MM	Michel Airey + son Joseph, Arthur + Margaret Warburton Joseph Jenkinson	
				<b>Divine Office Week 4</b>
<b>30<sup>th</sup> October</b>	9.30am	St O	Priest's Intention	
<b>31<sup>st</sup> October</b>	9.30am	St O	Successful Operation	
	6.15pm	St T	Exposition, Confessions + Evening Prayer	
	7.00pm	St T	Parishioners	
<b>1st November</b> <i>All Saints</i>	9.30am	St O	Bernard Pope, Margaret Ashley (A)	
	9.40am	St MM	Recitation of the Rosary	
	10.00am	St MM	Dorcas Walker + Maureen Lane, Pious List	
	10.00am	OLHC	Parishioners,	
	2.15pm	ST O	St. O KS2 Children, Parents & Parishioners	
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> November</b> <i>All Souls</i>	9.30am	St O	Pious List	
	10.00am	St T	Ken Blanchard (A)	
	10.00am	OLHC	Commemoration of All Souls	
	7.00pm	OLHC	Commemoration of All Souls	
<b>3<sup>rd</sup> November</b>	9.30am	St O	Pious List	
	10.00am	St T	Susan Syrett	
	11.00am	St T	Funeral Service: Jim Hardwick	
Next Weekend:		Thirty First Sunday in Ordinary Time		Year A (Parish Mass Book Page149)
<b>4<sup>th</sup> November</b>	5.00pm	St O	John Dewhurst (A) Pious List	
	6.00pm	St T	Parishioners, Pious List	
<b>5<sup>th</sup> November</b>	8.30am	St O	Patrick Fallon LD Pious List	
	9.30am	St T	Repose of the Soul Cathy Furguson (LD)	
	10.00am	OLHC	Parishioners /Holy Souls	
	11.00am	St MM	Gerard 'Gerry' Smith, Pauline, get well quickly after surgery. Margaret Wilson (LD)	

**Your prayers are asked for:** The sick; Brian Pooley and those who have died recently: Peter Wilson, Jim Hardwick and those who are bereaved.

**Mass** for those who have died in these last 12 months will take place on Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> November at 7pm in St Teresa's Church. Their families will be invited.

**St. Teresa's Ladies:** Our next get together for **Coffee and Chat** will be on Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> November at 10 am in the Romero room. Everyone very welcome.

**Blessing of Graves:** Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> November 11.00am at Hill Road Cemetery.

**SVP Collection:** There will be an SVP collection on weekend 2<sup>nd</sup>/3<sup>rd</sup> November after 6.00pm + 9.30 am at St Teresa's and 11.00am at St Mary Magdalen's.

**Parish Open Meeting in Penwortham St Mary Magdalen + St Teresa:** Our second meeting of the year is on Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> October at 7:30pm in the parish centre. If you have any items to be discussed, please email them to the parish office.

**Pious List:** You are invited to take a Pious List envelope and write the names of loved ones who have died. Mass will be celebrated on Tuesdays and Wednesdays during November for all those on the Pious List. Any offerings will go to the parish.

**Tuesday Evening Bingo £1000 Donation - In aid of the Church.** Thank you to all the volunteers and regular attendees of St Mary Magdalen Tuesday evening Bingo who have supported this social event for well over forty years.

#### **St. O Sacramental Programme 2023-2024**

The Sacramental Programme for St. Oswald's will be starting with a meeting of parents on **Monday 6<sup>th</sup> November at 6.30pm** to outline the programme followed by an **Enrolment Mass on Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> November at 10.30am**. This will lead to the Sacrament of Reconciliation during Advent and then First Holy Communion in May 2024. The parents of the children in Y4 at St Oswald's have already received this information but if there are any baptised Catholic children in Y4 or above attending other schools who wish to join the programme then their parents should contact me as soon as possible. Fr. M

**Hutton Service of Remembrance: 10.45am on Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> November** at Hutton Village War Memorial.

**St Oswald's: Act of Remembrance:** Our local Longton churches will gather for the **Annual Act of Remembrance at 10am on Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> November at our Crucifix**. You are encouraged to join us on this important occasion.

**St Oswald's Blessing of Graves: Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> Nov at 2pm.** There will be a short prayer service starting in the church followed by the blessing of graves in our cemetery.

#### **Prayer for the Week – Holy Souls**

All powerful God, whose mercy is never withheld, look kindly on all who have departed this life and number them among your saints for evermore.

It is our certain faith that your Son, who died on the cross, was raised from the dead, the first fruits of all who have fallen asleep.

Grant that all who have gone to their rest in Christ may share in the joy of his Resurrection.

The Lord bless them and keep them.

The Lord make his face shine upon them and be gracious to them.

The Lord lift up his countenance upon them and give them peace.

Eternal rest grant to them, O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon them.

May they rest in peace. **Amen.**

**Remembrance Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> November:** The Mass at St MM will be at 5.00pm Saturday evening. Parishioners are invited to attend the Service at the War Memorial at 10.45am on Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> Nov.

**Journey in Faith:** If anyone would like to become a catholic, please contact Fr Ian and he will arrange preparation to be received into the church.

**Caritas Lunch:** The next lunch will be on Friday, November 17<sup>th</sup> at St Teresa's Parish I Centre beginning at 12pm. We look forward to seeing all our friends and any new participants on that day.

**November Foodbank:** This month the Church's Together foodbank is asking for tinned meat (stew, curry, mince, chicken in white sauce etc), tinned cooked meats, tinned fish especially tuna as well as plain biscuits. Many families are still needing our donations. Thank you.

**Could you be a deacon?** Archbishop Malcolm will be hosting an Information Evening for men who may feel called to the diaconate. The evening will begin at 7.30pm, with refreshments available from 7.00pm, and finish by 9.00pm. Wives and supporting deacons or priests will also be very welcome.

•Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> Nov in St Bede's, WA8 6EL.

If you are unable to attend the session, please email Fr Chris Fallon, c.fallon@racol.org.uk, or Deacon Paul Rooney, p.rooney@rcaol.org.uk for more information.

**CAFOD Fix the Food System campaign:** Over 70,000 parishioners from 762 parishes supported Salina's letter calling on the World Bank to protect farmers' rights to access their traditional seeds. The letters were delivered into the hands of the Director of Global Food Practice at the World Bank's recent annual meeting. The World Bank has agreed to meet Cafod representatives to look at this. Many thanks to all who signed the letters in our parish.

**Saint Mary of the Isle Inauguration Ceremony - Friday 3 November 12 Noon:** The Church of Saint Mary of the Isle, Douglas, has been granted cathedral status by Pope Francis as a co-cathedral of the Archdiocese of Liverpool. The inauguration ceremony, at which Archbishop Malcolm will be installed in his seat by the Apostolic Nuncio to Great Britain can be viewed on: Manx Catholic – The Roman Catholic on the Isle of Man

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#### **St Teresa Parish Centre:**

*For all your family celebrations please contact  
Georgina on: Tel: 07377 341993*

*Please leave donations for the foodbank, on the table  
near the entrance.*