

The Parish of Blessed James Bell

Serving St Benedict's, St Mary's & St Oswald's, Warrington



Archdiocese of Liverpool

Newsletter

Sunday 1 July 2018

13th Sunday of Ordinary Time (B)



Our Benedictine Heritage

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St Benedict's Church is open Monday - Friday 9.00 am - 4.30 pm for Private Prayer (Exc. Bank Holidays)

St Benedict's & St Oswald's Masses & Services 1 - 8 July 2018		
	ST BENEDICT'S Rhodes Street, Warrington WA2 7QE	ST OSWALD'S Padgate Lane, Warrington WA1 3LB
Sunday 1 July <i>13th Sunday of Ordinary Time (B)</i>	10.30 am Mass <i>The Parishioners & Cornelius Kane</i>	(Sat) 6.00 pm Vigil Mass <i>Michael Wood</i> 8.30 am Mass <i>Lol McGann</i> 3.30 pm Polish Mass
Monday 2 July		7.30 pm Prayer Group
Tuesday 3 July <i>Feast of St Thomas, Apostle</i>	12.15 pm Mass <i>Anthony Dewane</i>	9.30 am Mass <i>Brenda Malone</i>
Wednesday 4 July	9.30 am Mass <i>Private Intention</i>	
Thursday 5 July		9.30 am Mass <i>Philip Kershaw</i> 7.30 pm Novena
Friday 6 July	12.30 pm Funeral Service <i>Kevin Burrows</i> 6.45 pm Meditation	
Saturday 7 July	4.00 pm Slovak Mass	10.00 - 11.00 am Exposition 6.00 pm Vigil Mass <i>Margaret Morris</i>
Sunday 8 July <i>Feast of St Benedict</i> Sea Sunday	10.30 am Mass <i>Ian & Liz Broughton</i> <i>(Ruby Wedding)</i>	8.30 am Mass <i>The Parishioners</i> 3.30 pm Polish Mass



SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (Confessions)

Weekdays	11.40 am - 12.05 pm	St Mary's Shrine
Tuesday	11.30 am - 12.05 pm	St Benedict's*
Saturday	10.00 am - 11.45 am	St Mary's Shrine*
	5.15 - 5.45 pm	St Oswald's

*With Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

WEBSITES Parish: stmarysandstbenedictswarrington.co.uk
St Mary's: www.stmaryswarrington.org.uk



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LATIN MASS IN THE EXTRAORDINARY FORM (with translations)

Holy Mass <i>Sunday</i> 11.00 am & 6.00 pm <i>Monday to Saturday</i> 12.10 pm	Confessions <i>Everyday</i> 30 minutes before Mass <i>Saturday</i> 10.00 – 11.45 am	Adoration & Benediction <i>Saturday</i> 10.00 – 12.00 noon	Holy Rosary <i>Sunday</i> 5.30 pm <i>Monday to Saturday</i> 11.30 am
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THIS WEEK

PADGATE WALKING DAY

Many thanks to all those who took part in last Saturday's annual Walking Day, especially:

- Those who acted as marshals and carried the banners and statues.
- The Warrington Pipe Band wonderfully led by the drum major, Billy.
- Those who adorned the statues with the most beautiful flowers.
- All the children in their beautiful outfits accompanied by the staff from school.
- Parishioners and parents who lined Padgate Lane.

Finally, special thanks to John Lawless for organising us all and doing it all so calmly!

Fr Dave

ST BENEDICT'S DRAMA GROUP

Presents



'Ahoy there my hearties!' St Benedict's Drama Group are hosting their Summer Pantomime this week at 7.30 pm on Wednesday 4, Thursday 5 and Friday 6 July in St Benedict's Parish Centre. Please support this important part of Parish life for our younger members. Tickets are available from Miriam Lawton after the 10.30 am Mass, or you can pay on the door. Tickets cost £3.00 on the 4 July, £3.50 on 5 July and £4.00 on 6 July.

FEAST OF ST BENEDICT

Next weekend, we will keep the Feast of St Benedict. While the community at St Benedict's will be celebrating their Patronal Feast Day on Sunday and Wednesday, it is also a special feast for St Mary's and St Oswald's which were founded by the Benedictines.



RED MISSION BOXES (St Benedict's)

As from 1 July, the Red Mission Boxes will no longer be collected from homes. Instead, when your box is full, please bring it to Sunday Mass or to the Parish Office during the week. If you are unable to do this, please phone the Parish Office and arrangements will be made to collect your box. May I thank those who have so kindly given their time to collecting the boxes from homes over the years, to Ellen Coyne for coordinating the collectors and counting the donations, and to all who contribute so generously to the missions overseas. *Fr Dave*

CATHEDRAL EDUCATION SERVICE

The Cathedral Education Service are looking for retired teachers who could offer as little as two hours a month, or more if they wish, to join the present team who teach over 4500 children who visit the Cathedral each year. If you are interested, or would like more information, please contact Sean Murphy on s.murphy@metcathedral.org.uk

TEACH IN CHINA

Cultural exchange with China (CEC) in collaboration with AITECE (Hong Kong). See noticeboard for further details or www.cecchina.co.uk

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

ST BENEDICT'S FEAST DAY AT SCHOOL

St Benedict's Catholic Primary School will be celebrating their Feast Day on Wednesday 11 July with Mass at 9.15 am and a special Summer Fun Day from 3.00 - 5.00 pm. There will be a bouncy castle, Sweet & Bottle Tombolas, 'Beat the Goalie', refreshments and a raffle with many prizes. Parishioners are welcome to attend, especially if you have grandchildren at school!

ORDINATION TO THE PRIESTHOOD

Next Saturday at 1.00 pm in the Cathedral, Archbishop Malcolm will ordain Philip Carr (St Benet's, Netherton), Anthony Kelly (St Mary's, Wigan) and Carl Mугan (St Catherine & All Saints, Golborne) to the priesthood. All are welcome.

NATIONAL GRANDPARENTS PILGRIMAGE

The National Grandparents Pilgrimage will take place at the Shrine of Our Lady, Walsingham, on Sunday 22 July. See noticeboard for full details.

PARISH OUTING TO PORT SUNLIGHT VILLAGE

A Parish Outing is planned to take place on Thursday 16 August to the Port Sunlight Village situated on the Wirral. Port Sunlight is a beautiful model village and award winning tourist attraction. There is a sign up sheet at the back of each of the three churches for you to add your name if you wish to go on the coach. The cost will be confirmed once we know how many people are going. For more information, speak to Angela Birchall or Chris Sykes.

WARRINGTON YOUNG CARERS

For those of you who missed the Fashion Show at St Benedict's Catholic Primary School last Wednesday, you missed a real treat. Children from all over Warrington modelled African clothing to raise funds to support young carers in the community. It was great fun and Fr Dave had to be held back from modelling his cardigan on the catwalk! Congratulations to Fola's Olurin's daughter, 11-year-old Toni Omotosho, who helped with the wonderful designs and organised the event. It was brilliant!

*We will Rise Unafraid
Whether it is today or tomorrow
We will Rise Unafraid*

*Forgetting that nothing is forever
Nothing stays the same
We will stand the test of time
We will Rise Unafraid*

*So, I discover I have challenges
But it does not define ME
I discovered that today and
tomorrow aren't the same
I will Rise Unafraid*

*I rise because I can
I can because I will
To share as part of my will
To be strong today and be the best tomorrow.
I will Rise Unafraid.*

*Be the helping hand, be the listening ear
Be the kind words, Be the one to reach out when no one can
Together we shall all Rise Unafraid*

(Written by Toni Omotosho)



**National Eucharistic Pilgrimage & Congress
Liverpool 7-9 September 2018**

1) There are still some tickets available for the **Echo Arena Event** on Saturday 8 September with Bishop Barron and other speakers. If you would like to go, please book online as soon as possible: www.jumpdp.com/adoremus2018

2) There will be two **National Pilgrimage Masses** in the Cathedral on Sunday 9 September – Archbishop Malcolm McMahon will preside at Mass at 9.30 am, and Cardinal Nichols will preside at Mass at 11.30 am. If you would like to attend, please book online (see link above).

3) There will be an **Adoremus Parallel Programme** for Friday to Sunday, 7-9 September. Full details can be found in a brochure at the back of church or online at: www.liverpoolcatholic.org.uk

4) **Adoremus Youth Congress** – Saturday 8 September at the Echo Arena Auditorium. Join 1000 young people aged 13-20 in a unique experience of being the Young Church. Contributions by Katie Prejean, Jo Boyce, Rise Theatre, CAFOD, Animate, Salesians, One Hope, Joel's Bar, Cardinal Nichols, Archbishop McMahon and much more. Cost only £10. Visit www.adoremusyouth.co.uk for full details and booking form.

POPE FRANCIS TO NEW CARDINALS

“Dear brother Cardinals and new Cardinals! In our journey towards Jerusalem, the Lord walks ahead of us, to keep reminding us that the only credible form of authority is born of sitting at the feet of others in order to serve Christ. It is the authority that comes from never forgetting that Jesus, before bowing his head on the cross, did not hesitate to bow down and wash the feet of the disciples. This is the highest honour that we can receive, the greatest promotion that can be awarded us: to serve Christ in God's faithful people. In those who are hungry, neglected, imprisoned, sick, suffering, addicted to drugs, cast aside. In real people, each with his or her own life story and experiences, hopes and disappointments, hurts and wounds. Only in this way, can the authority of the Shepherd have the flavour of Gospel and not appear as “a noisy gong or a clanging symbol” (1 Cor 13:1). None of us must feel “superior” to anyone. None of us should look down at others from above. The only time we can look at a person in this way is when we are helping them to stand up.” (St Peter's Basilica, 28 June 2018).

A PRAYER FOR THOSE SUFFERING DEPRESSION

Tender God,
your gentle and kind-hearted love
waits for us in the darkness
and shields us from the light
when it feels too overwhelming.
We remember all those who live in the depths of
depression.

Continue to cherish us all
when we find it so difficult to cherish ourselves.
Enable us to discover companions of compassion
who will abide with us,
as you abide in all things and in all places
where the heart and mind aches for peace
and a place of rest from the storm.

We ask this in the name of our brother and friend,
Jesus Christ. Amen.

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SCRIPTURE READINGS

13th Sunday of Ordinary Time (B)
Weekdays - Year 2, Week 13
Divine Office – Psalter Week 1

Monday	Amos 2: 6-10, 13-16 Mt 8: 18-22
Tuesday	Eph 2: 19-22 Jn 20: 24-29
Wednesday	Amos 5: 14-15, 21-24 Mt 8: 28-34
Thursday	Amos 7: 10-17 Mt 9: 1-8
Friday	Amos 8: 4-6, 9-12 Mt 9: 9-13
Saturday	Amos 9: 11-15 Mt 9: 14-17
Sunday	Ezek 2: 2-5 2 Cor 12: 7-10 Mk 6: 1-6

LET US HOLD IN PRAYER



Rite of Welcome

This weekend we welcome Savannah Aspinall, Albert Davis-Bedford, D'Arcy McCabe, Freya Burke, Nevaeh Hewitt, Lewy Chorlton and Mia Norris who will be baptised this month, and Zachary Hill who will be baptised today.

Those who are sick or homebound, especially:

St Benedict's Paul Vernon, Brenda Snelson, Jean Molphy, Anne Hill, Susan Keating, Alan Brown, Ann Brown, Bill Hampson, Marney Hampson, Peter Milner, James Malone, Vera Brindle, Thomas Ireland, Michael Mullin, Matilde Valentine, Syd Bradshaw, Sandra Richardson, Mary Monks, Kate Rigby, Ian Buist, Kath McQuillan, Ged Wallace, Ronnie Cooke
St Mary's Luciano Bartolo, Dorothy Parry, Edie Crompton
St Oswald's Susan Disley, Mary Massey, Maureen Holt, Catherine Carne, Sarah Boardman, Sam Johnstone, Hollyann Prince, Betty Mannion, Margaret Watts (nee McGinty), Mary Metcalfe, Kevin Wainwright, Kevin Duffy, Mike McCarrick, Brenda Malone
Other Parishes Daniel Davies, Margaret Fay, Catherine Donaldson, Laurence Finn, Fr Malcolm Prince

Those who have died recently, especially:

St Benedict's Kevin Burrows

This Week's Prayer Intentions

† For those who go hungry in our own country and rely at times on Foodbanks, especially those on low and insecure incomes, those who suffer with disabilities or mental health conditions, and those who are unemployed or on zero hour contracts.
 † For Sr Brenda and Sr Elizabeth who are preparing to leave Warrington in August.
 † For Philip Carr, Anthony Kelly and Carl Mugan who will be ordained to the priesthood next Saturday.
 † That priests, who experience fatigue and loneliness in their pastoral work, may find help and comfort in their intimacy with the Lord and in their friendship with their brother priests (*Pope Francis*).

If you would like to add a parishioner to the prayer list, please check with them first and then email Fr Dave on fdave@rcaolp.co.uk or give him a note of their name and phone number. Many thanks.

ST BENEDICT'S

200 CLUB £100 WINNER

24 June: 58 Mrs B Williamson

POPE FRANCIS TWEET

"We are called to assist the elderly, the sick and the unborn: life must always be protected and loved, from conception to its natural conclusion."

27 June 2018

NEWSLETTER DEADLINE

Please ensure the Parish Office receives items for the Newsletter by Wednesday at the latest. Tel: 630127

ST OSWALD'S PARISH CENTRE Padgate Lane, Warrington, WA1 3LB

The Week Ahead

Sunday	9.00 pm	Quiz – Concert Room
Monday	2.00 pm	Sequence Dancing
Tuesday	7.30 pm	Line Dancing
Wednesday	8.00 pm	Bingo

For Bookings call 07932 404364 before 7 pm, or 812266

ST BENEDICT'S PARISH CENTRE Rhodes Street, Warrington, WA2 7QE

The Week Ahead

Sunday	8.30 pm	Pat Masterson- Crazy Female Vocal
Monday	6.00 pm	Rainbows
	7.45 pm	Bingo
Wednesday	7.30 pm	Robinson Crusoe Production
Thursday	7.30 pm	" " "
Friday	7.30 pm	" " "

For Bookings call 07377 341982 before 7 pm, or 633920

PARISH FINANCE

Total Offertory Collection 24 June 2018

ST BENEDICT'S	£358.90 (£187.23 Gift Aid)
ST OSWALD'S	£469.96 (£236.56 Gift Aid)
TOTAL	£828.86 (£423.79 Gift Aid)

OTHER INCOME

St Benedict's

Grotto Restoration Fund	£40.00
Poor Box Donations	£1099.16
Walking Day from St Benedict's School	£175.00

St Oswald's

Refugee Fund from St Oswald's School	£106.27
<i>(Money donated on Walking Day)</i>	

Thank you so much for your generosity