

St Margaret Clitherow & St John Rigby

Parishes In Leigh Pastoral Area

Pentecost Sunday (A)

31st May 2020

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LITURGICAL CALENDAR

Psalter	Week 1
Readings	Pentecost Sunday (A) Weekdays - Ordinary Week 9
Sunday	Pentecost Sunday (A)
Monday	Our Lady, Mother of the Church
Wednesday	St Charles Lwanga and Companions
Thursday	Feast of Our Lord Jesus Christ, The Eternal High Priest
Friday	St Boniface
Next Sunday	Trinity Sunday (A)



LEIGH DEANERY

Parish of St. John Rigby

Sacred Heart

Hindley Green

Sacred Heart

Hindsford

St. Richard's

Atherton

Parish of St. Margaret

Clitherow

St. Ambrose Barlow

Astley

St. Gabriel's

Higher Folds

Holy Family

Boothstown

Parish of St. Edmund

Arrowsmith

Our Lady of the Rosary

Sacred Heart

St. Joseph's

Twelve Apostles

Leigh

Parish of St. Catherine of Siena

and All Saints

Golborne

Parish of St. Lewis

Croft

CORONAVIRUS IMPACT

Baptisms are postponed until further notice.

Funerals will not be celebrated as either Mass or a Service in church, only a service at the crematorium or graveside will be permitted. A funeral Mass in memorial can be offered once we are allowed to gather safely.

All meetings are suspended for the time being. Decisions about First Communion Masses and other events will be made nearer the time and dependent on instruction from the Bishops and the Government.

All Masses are to be in private without a congregation and we are not currently able to open churches for private prayer. Any intentions received will be posted on the online newsletter on appropriate days as usual.

Mass on the internet: YouTube link is <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCdiZm6Nq-14daTz6Q9ZcRLQ> This is also on Facebook on the page titled 'Parish of St Margaret Clitherow, Leigh'. The Sunday 9.30am Mass will be broadcast and for those who can access it the video will remain to be watched anytime afterwards if you miss it live. Where possible daily Masses will be broadcast and other prayer services which can also be watched and participated in at any time later.

Rosary and Benediction will continue to be broadcast on Sundays at 3pm.

Other Parish News

Please make use of this address when contacting the parish office: stmargaretclitherow@rcaol.org.uk

A reminder: Please could all items for the newsletter be sent to the office at Holy Family or the above email by Wednesday evening.

Making an offering to the parish by text message: This is an alternative to making contributions by transfer, forms for which can be obtained for St Margaret Clitherow from Fr Paul G. Here is the information from the finance department of the Archdiocese.

Text giving is now available for each parish and the details below are ready to use for accepting both one-off and regular donations. Four text giving campaigns have been created for each parish, as follows:

Text **CLITHEROW** to 70085 to donate £2. Texts cost £2 plus one standard rate message and you'll be opting in to hear more about our work and fundraising via telephone and SMS. If you'd like to give £2 but do not wish to receive marketing communications, text **CLITHEROWNOINFO** to 70085.

Text **CLITHEROW** to 70450 to donate £3. Texts cost £3 plus one standard rate message and you'll be opting in to hear more about our work and fundraising via telephone and SMS. If you'd like to give £3 but do not wish to receive marketing communications, text **CLITHEROWNOINFO** to 70450.

Text **CLITHEROW** to 70460 to donate £5. Texts cost £5 plus one standard rate message and you'll be opting in to hear more about our work and fundraising via telephone and SMS. If you'd like to give £5 but do not wish to receive marketing communications, text **CLITHEROWNOINFO** to 70460.

Text **CLITHEROW** to 70470 to donate £10. Texts cost £10 plus one standard rate message and you'll be opting in to hear more about our work and fundraising via telephone and SMS. If you'd like to give £10 but do not wish to receive marketing communications, text **CLITHEROWNOINFO** to 70470.




Online giving website: The Archdiocesan online giving website is now ready to be used and can receive both one-off and regular monthly donations. Each parish has its own unique link on the website and all donations will go to the parish selected by the donor. There is a detailed guide on how to donate on the website. The link to the page for St Margaret Clitherow parish is: <https://donate.liverpoolcatholic.org.uk/st-margaret-clitherow-boothstown>
The link for St John Rigby parish is: <https://donate.liverpoolcatholic.org.uk/st-john-rigby-atherton>

Archdiocesan Mission Statement



Taking to heart the last words of the Lord Jesus, we will go into the world to proclaim the Good News to the whole of creation.

PARISH MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS

Please pray for those who are Sick	Week Beginning 31st May	Parish of St Margaret Clitherow	Parish of St John Rigby
 <p>All Cancer Patients Anelyse Lewis Anne Broad Anthony Mullen Baby George Baby Grace Baby Iyla Faith Baby Luke Bernard O'Donnell Bill Burke Brenda Southern Brendan Faulkener Bridie Molyneux Catherine Jones Christopher Browne Clare Barlow Clifford Browne Eddie Shaw Elizabeth Hulmes Elizabeth Levien Emma Oldham Enid Kenwright Freda Peake Guy Ryan Hannah Delargy Hilda Almond Irene McIntyre Jack Rothwell Jack & Doreen Travis Jean Tchibukdjian Jennifer Langin Jess Garrett Jessie Lucas Joan Wilkinson John Wall Kathy Kenyon Margaret Case Margaret Wall Mary Bird Mary Tiernan Maureen Halliday Maureen Kelly Michael Wright Phil & Christine Costello Rev Jim Melia Rosalind Richardson Sandra Jones Shelagh Welsby Stephen Howell Terence Flanagan Terry Barlow Thelma Humble Theresa Stanley Thomas McLoughlin</p>	<p>Please note: The priests will say all Masses in isolation until further notice.</p>	<p>Please note: Fr Paul Grady will say Masses at the usual times, for the Intentions listed below, but behind closed doors. The Sunday 9.30 am Mass will be live streamed and where possible daily Masses will also be live streamed.</p>	<p>Please note: Fr Paul Seddon will try to say each Mass, behind closed doors, for the different people who he has been asked to pray for each day.</p>
	SUNDAY	(Sat) 6.00 pm Parishioners 9.30 am Clara Brierley 11.00 am Kearns Family 3.00 pm <i>Rosary & Benediction</i>	 <p>Bishop Vincent Malone RIP</p> <p>The Archdiocese of Liverpool, with great sadness, has announced the death of the Right Reverend Vincent Malone, retired Auxiliary Bishop of Liverpool. Bishop Malone died, aged 88, on the morning of Monday 18 May 2020 at the Royal Liverpool Hospital. He was admitted to hospital after testing positive for COVID-19 a week earlier.</p>
	MONDAY		
	TUESDAY	9.15 am Joan Whitehead (nee Palmer)	
	WEDNESDAY	3.00pm Funeral Service at Tyldesley Cemetery for Dennis Thompson 7.00 pm Joan Clegg	
	THURSDAY	10.00 am For all suffering from Covid 19	
	FRIDAY	10.00 am Mass For those who have died from Covid 19 2.00pm Funeral Service at Howe Bridge Crematorium for Gordon Cooney	
	SATURDAY	10.00 am Private Intention 6.00 pm Parishioners	
	SUNDAY	9.30 am For NHS & all key workers 11.00 am Smith Family	
	 <p style="text-align: center;">LATELY DEAD Please pray for those who have died recently:</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Bishop Vincent Malone Dennis Thompson Gordon Cooney Frank Aspinall Jeff Cooke Joan Whitehead (nee Palmer)</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace. Amen.</i></p>	<p>SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION In accord with the Coronavirus Guidelines there will be no confessions until further notice. Please contact one of the priests for pastoral guidance if required.</p>	