

Sacred
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Sacred Heart Hindley Green NEWSLETTER

Priests: Fr. P. Seddon, Fr. K. O'Grady, Fr. P. Grady.
Fr. C. Feeley. Deacon: Ken Holding (Tel: 255834)

DATE: - 10th. March 2019.

SATURDAY 5:30pm.
Isabella Mills.

SUNDAY - 9:00am.
Kathleen Murphy.

St Benedict's
Saturday - 7:00pm.
Sunday - 11:00am.

Monday. 7-00pm.
Thomas Delaney.

Tuesday. 9-15am.
Margaret Delaney.

Wednesday - 10:00am.
Bernard Darbyshire.

Thursday.
No Service.

Friday -
Stations of the Cross
6-15pm followed by
Mass 7:00pm.
Harry Holden.

Next Weekend.
Sat. 5:30pm.
People of the Parish.
Sun. 9:00am.
Sherley Powers (Int).

Pray for our sick

Joan Baines. .
Michael Gallagher. .
Joyce Gorton. .
Tommy McLoughlin.
Jimmy Rafferty.
Jean Rafferty.
Eileen Watkinson.
Eileen McAlister. .
Elsie Byron. .
Maureen Blears. .
Bridie Phillips.
Robert Barron.
Jean Culkin.
Martin Culkin.
John Atkins
Anne Murphy
Doreen Smith

Lately Dead

St Benedict's

Mon. 9am.
Tues.
Wed. 7pm.
Thurs.
Fri. 9am.

Anniversaries

Gordon Woodward.
Harry Holden.
Mary Critchley.
Robert Green.
Christopher Eastham.
Lawrence Rowson.
Alice Porter.

Collection Last Week

Envelopes: £335-00
Loose Plate: £279-00
CAFOD Box: £22-00

Sacred Heart Club. (Behind the church)

Bingo: Tues + Sun at 9:00pm Concerts every Saturday

NEW MEMBERS WELCOME.

Function room available for hire. .

We welcome into our Parish family, Florence Rose Feeley who will be Baptised into our Church this Sunday. May God bless her and her parents Daniel and Nichola.

There is a Parish Meeting after Mass on Monday in the Gordon Room to discuss the events for this year.

On Thursday 14th March there will be a meeting of the Pastoral Area in the Club at 7pm.

Next weekend retiring collection for CAFOD fast day. 16th- 17th
The Lent Collection will be taken the week after. 23rd-24th

Message from the Leigh Pastoral Area

At a recent meeting of the Archdiocese, along with priests from Leigh Deanery, it was decided that four priests of the original Deanery – Fr. Paul Seddon, Fr. Kieran O'Grady, Fr. Colin Feeley & Fr. Paul Grady – will together be co-Parish Priests of Sacred Heart, Hindley Green.

For a number of years now the Leigh Deanery has been split into two wider parishes - the parishes of St. Edmund Arrowsmith & St. Margaret Clitherow. Under a special canon, that is Canon 517, the four priests have been co-Parish Priests since the development of the new bigger parishes. Sacred Heart, Hindley Green, will, for the time-being at least, become part of this arrangement were the priests and people work in 'solidum' together.

In practice this means that Sacred Heart will now have four parish priests who will share out the workload of the Parish, working in collaboration with Deacon Ken, Fr. Strowbridge and hopefully the wider Parish Community for the foreseeable future. The four priests will come along to celebrate Mass at Sacred Heart over the forthcoming four weekends.

The Acies Ceremony for the Legion of Mary will take place on Monday 25th March at St. Jude's, Poolstock, Wigan, commencing at 7pm with the Rosary, Renewal of Promise, followed by Mass. Refreshments served afterwards. Legion Members, Auxiliaries and all are welcome to attend.



A Minibus has provisionally been booked - please put your name on the list in the Porch by **latest Sunday 17th March**, to secure your place - first come, first served for transport!

S Stations of the Cross



Stations of the Cross will take place every Friday evening at 6.15pm before Mass at 7.00pm.

If you would like to lead the Stations of the Cross on any of the Fridays during Lent, please let Deacon Ken know in advance to practice before the Friday evening.

Remember our Journey and our commitment to Synod – 'To become the Church Christ is calling us to be'. Consider attending the Stations every week leading up to Easter!

The next Sunday afternoon Holy Hour will take place in Sacred Heart Church at 2pm on the 17th March.

WALK WITH ME PRAYER

(As part of our Lenten preparation)

Lord God, our light and our salvation,

We praise you for your gifts of life and faith.

We thank you for the desire that you have planted in our hearts, our yearning to see your face.

Help us to meet you in prayer, to walk in your ways, and to speak to others of our joy and consolation in your presence.

Give us faithfulness in this present life so that we may come to know and praise your beauty, with all our brothers and sisters, in the life to come.

We make this prayer through Christ Our Lord, Amen.

Parish Meeting

A Parish Meeting will take place in the Gordon Room on Monday 11th March after the 7pm Mass. All are welcome.

As we move forward into a new era for our Parish, O Sacred Heart of Jesus guide us and pray for us. Amen.

RCIA (Right of Christian Initiation for Adults) – Many new members will be received into the Catholic Church, in various parts of the Archdiocese, this Easter, please remember them in your prayers.

Are you interested in finding out more about the Faith? Perhaps you know a non-Catholic who wants to know what we believe.

For further information: Contact Joe O'Neill on 01942 813959 or email joneill1916@hotmail.com

Contributions to the Parish Newsletter

If you have anything that you wish to be included, please put the details on a slip of paper and pass to Deacon Ken, or push through the Presbytery letterbox. The deadline for inclusion in the weekend's Newsletter will be Tuesday each week.