



St. Mary Immaculate Church

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24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

15th September 2024

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Your Prayers are asked for the Sick

Gwen Stanton, Louisa Clare, Terry Swift, Jack Prendergast,

Lately dead

Jim Dolan, Emma Hough, Marie Collins.



Anniversaries

Sheila Critchley, James Pennington, Geraldine Rimmer, Rita Platt, Ronnie Burrows, Austin & Gladys Simms, Kathleen Blundell, Frank Duke (Snr) Gerald Norbury, Shareen Jones, Patrick McVie, Les Baines,



'You are the Christ, the Son of the Living God.'

In today's Gospel we see that some people had no faith in Jesus Christ - others had a mistaken faith.

But Peter showed true faith in Jesus when he declared 'You are the Christ, the Son of the Living God.'

If faith is to be alive and influential in our lives, we have to make the faith our own.

First Reading

The just person is sustained in all trials by the firm belief that God is with him.

Second Reading

Faith without good works is dead.

Gospel

Even though Peter declares his belief in Jesus as the Messiah, he has no idea what this implies.



Fr. Austin Griffin will say Masses in the Parish during Fr. Dooley's holiday.

There will be Mass time changes during the following weeks, depending on

Fr. Austin's diary. He will be available for the weekend Masses.



There will not be any newsletters during Fr. Dooley's absence. Mass intentions will be posted on the notice board in the Church porch,



Mass Intentions
Week beginning Sunday 15th September

Saturday 6 pm Brenda Hartley



Sunday 8 am Parishioners

9.30 am Margaret Hibbert
11 am Mollie Platt

Mon 9. am Eucharistic Service

Tues 10.30 am Requiem Mass Margaret Jackson

Wednesday 9. am Patrick Joyce

Thursday 9. am Eucharistic Service

Friday 9. am Eucharistic Service

Saturday 6 pm Terry Delaney



Sunday 8 am Parishioners

9.30 am Janes Sykes
11 am Teresa Loughlay

Please note the changes in Mass times next week.

Some Eucharistic Services will also be said.

Saturday 6 pm which fulfils the obligation to attend Mass

Sunday Mass Times
8 am 9.30 and 11 am.

The Rosary is at 7.30 pm on Monday.


The Funeral for Emma Hough
has been arranged for
Monday 30th Sept at 12.30 pm.

The Funerals for Marie Collins and Jim Dolan have yet to be arranged.

May they rest in peace

Feasts this week,

Monday Memorial Feast of St Cornelius & St Cyprian. Cornelius was Pope in 251. He was supported by Cyprian who was Bishop of Carthage - both were martyred.

Friday Sts Andrew Kim Taegon & Companions. Martyred in the 19th Century during the terrible persecution that occurred in Korea. 103 of the Christian Community were martyred - mostly lay people who suffered greatly for their faith.

Iraeneus: Warm coat appeal. At the Iraeneus Centre Great George Road L22 1RD are appealing for donations of any warm coats from now until Christmas. These will help those people in need. They are also collecting new and almost new toys to give to people in need. Thank You.

Archdiocese of Liverpool Adoremus - September 21st

A day of Eucharistic Pilgrimage for the Archdiocese to the Metropolitan Cathedral will take place on Saturday 21st September at 9 am to 6 pm.

In advance of the Jubilee year 2025 and is in celebration of the year of Prayer.

Mass will be celebrated, confessions offered, a time of adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Eucharistic Procession. Some workshops will be held. All are welcome.


