

PRAYERS: *The Sick:* Bob Priestly, Alan Cox, Molly Ince, John Radcliffe, Chris Duffy, Tony Butler, Alice McGowan, Br John de Montalt, Louise Lavery (Cheetham), John Adamson, John Corcoran, Janina Crow, Peter Doherty, Moya Eastwood, Jakki Errington, Pat Fishwick, Beattie Flannigan, Cathy Gaughan, Maureen Gillespie, Joe Higgins, Rose Hornby, Baby Roseanna Howcroft, Bernadette McDaid, Lorna Manning, Amanda Martin, Michael Moughton, Kenzie McDermott, Veronica Morris, Peter Nicholls, Colleen O'Donoghue, Rose Price, Baby Sean John, Amy Rose Sanderson, Anne Marie Seabury, Kath Smith, May Stocky, Elisha Swales, Zara Taylor, Karen Wainwright, Carrie Walmesley, Dorothy Conroy, Rita Fraser, John Welton, Christine Wilde.
Lately Dead: Peggy Holland

OUR SCHOOLS:

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 Head: Mr S Eccles. Email: admin@st-mary.blackpool.sch.uk

Missio/APF Red Box appeal at SJV: If you have a red box, it is time to empty the contents, place in an envelope marked Missio with your name, and the amount, and put in the offertory basket or post to the presbytery letter box. The autumn magazine is now at the back of church. Many thanks.

LIVING LAUDATO SI': YOUR PLANET & YOUR PARISH: 15-18th Oct guest speakers for Zoom weekend, are Bishop Paul and Archbishop Vincent Nichols. See posters for details: email Sr Margaret Atkins margaret@boarbankhall.org.uk

A WARM WELCOME: to new parishioners. Please make yourself known to one of the priests. Welcome too, to those visiting Blackpool for a holiday break.

ENQUIRIES: regarding Baptisms, Marriages, Funerals, First Communions, Confirmations or those wanting to become Catholic, please contact the Parish Office. Also, for all enquiries regarding the newsletter.

FIGURES	OFFERTORY	SPECIAL	ATTENDED
St C	£183.60	£36.15	59
OLA	£353.00	£156.50	103
SJV	£289.15	£139.37	140

**THE PARISHES OF ST CUTHBERT, OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION AND ST JOHN VIANNEY WITH ST MONICA
 28th SUNDAY OF THE YEAR
 10th October 2021**



Riches, it would seem, (even on our level) are a hindrance to a relationship with God. Being rich or just 'comfortable' is not a sin. The danger, as we see in today's Gospel, is that wealth and the cares of this world can impede our relationship with God. These material things can demand so much of our time that God is pushed to the margins. It is only when we put God in the first place that all other things fall into order.



THIS WEEK: We welcome Fr Butler to Our Lady of the Assumption 10.30am.

COVID 19 – UPDATE:

In church: wearing of face coverings is requested, hand sanitising too. More seating is available but please keep a space from the next person. Holy Communion under one kind. Please use the one-way system. To receive on the tongue, please come forward at the end of Communion. Singing is now permitted. We are asked to use the NHS Track & Trace app accessing the QR codes in each church. We must avoid complacency. The virus is still active in our area.

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MASSES THIS WEEK: 10th October 2021

Sunday: Yr B; Weekdays: Year 1; Office: Psalter Wk 4

Sun. TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY

5.30pm Vigil (SJV)

6pm Vigil (OLA)

9am (SJV) People of the Parishes

10am (ST C) Geoff Coggan RIP

10.30am (OLA)

11am (SJV)

3pm (ST C) *Polish Mass*

5pm (SJV) *Mass in the Syro Malabar Rite*

Mon. St John XXIII

9.15am (SJV) Richard RIP

Tue. of wk 28

9.15am (SJV) Ints of Heart Douglas McArthur Garcia

12.00 (ST C)

7pm: (OLA) Grazyna RIP

Wed. St Edward the Confessor

9.15am (SJV) George Collinson RIP

12.00 (ST C) For all our clergy

6.30pm (SJV) *Mass in the Syro Malabar Rite*

Thur. of wk 28

9.15am (SJV) Cathy Gaughan - sick

9.30am: (OLA) For peace & understanding

12.00 (ST C) No Mass

Fri. St Teresa of Jesus (Avila)

9.15am (SJV) All our diocesan schools (*Class Mass*)

12.00 (ST C)

Sat. St Margaret Mary

12.00 (ST C)

Sun. TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY

5.30pm Vigil (SJV) For sick & retired priests

6pm Vigil (OLA)

9am (SJV) People of the Parishes

10am (ST C)

10.30am (OLA)

11am (SJV) Veronica Fishwick

3pm (ST C) *Polish Mass*

5pm (SJV) *Mass in the Syro Malabar Rite*

Blank spaces indicate no intention has been requested.

**BENEDICTION OF
THE BLESSED
SACRAMENT &
ROSARY**

St John Vianney:

Sun: 3.30pm

CONFESSIONS: *St Cuthbert's:* Sat: 11.30am & Sun: 9am
St John Vianney: Sat: 5pm & Sun: 8.30am & 3pm
Our Lady of the Assumption: At present: before or after Mass by request. Also by appointment.

THIS WEEK: Spent time with a young couple planning to marry in November. Afternoon tea with 3 Nigerian nuns – one Mother General (best behaviour). Still meeting parents wanting to have their children baptised; assisted the NeoCatechumenal Community with its Penitential Service. Continued a set of ‘class Masses’ at SJV followed by Collective Worship in KS1. Met with the Guide Leader at OLA to plot their return to open meetings. A bereavement meeting with the daughter of one of lovely old parishioners. Painters arrived to work on the outside of the presbytery (SJV) down to bare wood.

SATURDAYS OLA & ST C: 11am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. Confessions 11-11.30 (OLA); 11.30 – 11.50 (St C). Prayers for vocations at both churches 11.50am, beginning October 30th.

SJV SENIOR CITIZENS CLUB has reopened. If you feel you would like to come along and join us please do. Doors open 2p.m. each Wednesday have a chat cup of tea or coffee biscuits and a game of bingo. A warm welcome awaits.

OCTOBER, ROSARY MONTH: St Cuthbert's, 11.40am Tue to Sat. Volunteers at SJV & OLA to lead the rosary before or after Mass still needed, see Fr L.

SJV SCHOOL ADMISSIONS: If you are interested in your child joining the school visit the school website: www.stjohnvianneys.co.uk

FIRST CONFESSION & HOLY COMMUNIONS: Catechesis for these in our three parishes will begin after Christmas. Please watch the bulletin for details.

ADVANCED NOTICE: no noon Mass at St Cuthbert's this Thursday, Oct 14th due to a wedding.

OLA GUIDES & BROWNIES: starting back soon more details shortly.

APF (RED) BOXES (OLA) Pauline Baguley will collect Missio boxes at Saturday evening Mass or otherwise please call me on 01253 423009 and she will arrange collection.

‘MY DAY BY DAY’ books for October & November are now available at the back of church (St C & SJV) put £1 in the collection box.

CONGRATUALIONS: to Anaya & Safina Stack baptised last weekend.

THIS WEEK'S FEASTS: Fewer than of late, indeed, just three memorias and a saint from the English calendar. (Pope) St John XXIII, (King) St Edward the Confessor, St Teresa of Avila & St Margaret Mary. All have wonderful backstories to research.

MODERN SLAVERY EVENT: a Roadshow, Oct 16th in Preston. For details visit: <https://theclewerinitiative.org/>

CATHOLIC VOICE: latest issue (October) available at the back of church

Pope's Prayer Intentions for October: We pray that every baptised person may be engaged in evangelisation, available to the mission, by being witnesses of a life that has the flavour of the Gospel.