

## Mass Intentions Received

Mareta, Camilo Lima (RIP), Gerard Webb (RIP), Holy Souls, Helen Flanagan (Major Surgery), Deirdre Turkington (Intention), Mick Sweeney (RIP), Tony Shields (Good Health), Sylvia Mooney (RIP), Margaret Kiely (RIP), Jim Curran (RIP), Patrick Christopher Walkin (RIP), James Moorcroft (RIP), Nicky and John Hale (Thinking of you), John Smyth (60<sup>th</sup> Birthday), Winifred Thomas (RIP), Marie Brace (RIP), Laurence Anthony Whitty (RIP Anniversary), Angela Lorraine Whitty (RIP Intention), Father Phil (50<sup>th</sup> Birthday), Sheila Fitzpatrick (RIP), Stephen

Timpson (RIP), Carole Edwards (RIP), Josie Di-Blasi (RIP), Kathryn Ann Reid (Intention), Alexandra Reid (Intention), Camila McLoughlin (RIP), Anthony Duffy (RIP), Linda McLoughlin (RIP), Margaret Foulkes (Get Well).

## Mass & Service Times

All services take place in the cathedral unless marked otherwise

WEEK COMMENCING: 1 May 2016

### Sunday 1 May Sixth Sunday of Easter

**8.30am** Mass  
**10.00am** Family Mass Crypt  
**11.00am** Solemn Choral Mass  
**1.00pm** Polish Mass Crypt  
**3.00pm** Choral Evening Prayer  
**4.00pm** Mass RLUH  
**7.00pm** Mass Crypt

### Monday 2 May St Athanasius

**9.45am** Morning Prayer  
**10.00am** Mass

### Tuesday 3 May Sts Philip and James

**7.45am** Morning Prayer  
**8.00am** Mass  
**12.15pm** Mass Crypt  
**5.15pm** Sung Mass

### Wednesday 4 May English Martyrs

**7.45am** Morning Prayer  
**8.00am** Mass  
**9.00am** Mass (Nicholson Family) STV  
**12.15pm** Mass Crypt  
**5.15pm** Mass  
**5.45pm** Choral Evening Prayer

### Thursday 5 May

**7.45am** Morning Prayer  
**8.00am** Mass  
**9.00am** Mass SS  
**12.15pm** Mass Crypt  
**5.15pm** Mass  
**5.45pm** Choral Evening Prayer

### Friday 6 May

**7.45am** Morning Prayer  
**8.00am** Mass  
**9.00am** Mass (Bob Duffy) STV  
**12.15pm** Mass Crypt  
**4.00pm** Exposition  
**5.15pm** Mass  
**5.45pm** Choral Evening Prayer

### Saturday 7 May

**8.45am** Morning Prayer  
**9.00am** Mass  
**6.00pm** Vigil Mass (Sophie Armstrong) STV  
**6.30pm** Vigil Mass Crypt

### RECONCILIATION (Confession)

**Monday - Friday:**  
Following the 12.15pm Mass Crypt  
**Saturday:**  
11.00am – 12noon  
3.30pm - 4.30pm

### Crypt

Crypt Chapel

### STV

St. Vincent de Paul  
Parish Church

### SS -

55 Seel St,  
Missionaries of  
Charity

### RLUH -

Royal Liverpool  
University Hospital

### CLERGY:

#### PRIESTS:

Canon Anthony  
O'Brien *Dean*  
Mgr Peter Cookson  
Fr Gerard Callacher  
Fr Stephen Lee

#### DEACONS:

Rev Noel Abbott  
Rev Paul Mannings



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# Cathedral Record

Incorporating the Parish of St. Vincent de Paul

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## Pentecost

### Solemn Mass on Pentecost Morning

Archbishop Malcolm McMahon will preside at 11.00am Solemn Mass to celebrate the Feast and confer the sacrament of Confirmation. Thirty young children from our two primary schools and choir and 7 adults are to be confirmed at this joyful Eucharistic Celebration of Pentecost and the 49<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the opening of our Cathedral. Please pray for them in this final period of preparation.

### Hope Street Pentecost Pageant – a celebration of Hope

For the first time, Sunday 15 May will see the city's two cathedrals teaming up with the city council and Visit Hope Street Community Interest Company (CIC) to expand the biannual celebrations, making Pentecost a full day event. Hope Street will be transformed into a stage filled with performers, singers and artists celebrating Liverpool's Pentecost Pageant. Pentecost – a celebration of the descent of the Holy Spirit on the Apostles – has been marked in Liverpool for 34 years with a 'two cathedrals walk' which sees thousands of people process between the two Cathedrals on Hope Street in a show of unity and celebration.

Starting at midday and running until 3pm, the free event will see music, dance, performance and colour all the way along one of the most iconic streets in the UK, with five main performance spaces creating a unique atmosphere and experience.

Samba bands, the Merseyside Welsh Choir, stilt performers, dancers and creations from the Liverpool Lantern Company will fill the length of the street. The aim is to produce an atmospheric journey for the audience – including performances which will allow the crowds to reflect on momentous moments in people's lives such as marriage and birth, whereas later on in the journey the music soundtrack will provide a celebratory carnival atmosphere.

At 3pm the traditional procession will start from Liverpool Cathedral beginning with a short service and anyone intending to join in is asked to wear red or white clothing – the colours associated with Pentecost. The parade concludes with a final short act of worship from the steps of the Metropolitan Cathedral. After the act of worship the events and activities on Hope Street will continue.

On Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> May the BBC will be recording a 'Songs of Praise' from Liverpool Cathedral from 4.30 until 7.30pm. If you would like to be part of this you will need to apply for free tickets to [songsofpraise@bbc.co.uk](mailto:songsofpraise@bbc.co.uk) as soon as possible.

### Bank Holiday Monday

The Handicapped Children's Pilgrimage Trust are celebrating their Diamond Anniversary this year. They have been taking groups of disabled children, families and helpers from UK and further afield to Lourdes in Easter Week for the last sixty years. The North of England celebration will be at our Cathedral at 12 noon – Bishop Tom Williams will preside at this Mass. They would like to invite all who have supported or taken part in these pilgrimages over the years to come along and celebrate this special anniversary.

Also this coming Bank Holiday as part of Liverpool Organ Day, James Luxton, our Assistant Director of Music, will be giving an organ recital here at 3pm. This forms part of Liverpool Organ Day with recitals taking place at Liverpool Anglican Cathedral (David Poulter at 11.15am) and St George's Hall (Professor Ian Tracey at 5.30pm). James will be playing a variety of pieces ranging from a renaissance morris dance to the intermezzo 'In a monastery garden'.

Canon Anthony O'Brien

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# Cathedral Notice Board

## ST VINCENT'S LOTTERY NUMBERS

For week commencing 23 April. Winning numbers are 1, 4, 6, 9, 10 and 12. Prize was £1,500. There were no winners so the prize is now £1,550. Please speak to a member of staff in Cathedral House if you would like to join up.

## READING GROUP

At St Paul's Book Shop, Bold Street. Pope Francis Amoris Laetitia – The Joy of Love. Every Tuesday from 3 May at 3.00pm Led by Fr James OP. All are welcome.

## DIVORCED & SEPARATED CATHOLICS

The next series of support meetings for Divorced and Separated Catholics will start in late April 2016. We welcome Catholics and other Christians who are divorced or separated (recently or in the past) or who are experiencing the breakdown of a marriage or a long term relationship. The small groups are informative, affirming, free & confidential. For information or to book a place please contact Frances Trotman 0151 727 2195 or 522 1044 / [m.obrien@rcaol.co.uk](mailto:m.obrien@rcaol.co.uk)

## CATHEDRAL READERS

Reading at the Cathedral is a special ministry and a privilege. We are very short of readers for the 8.30am Mass on Sundays. If you would like to go on our rota to read at this Mass please contact Claire in Cathedral House in the first instance on 0151 709 9222 or [c.hanlon@metcathedral.org.uk](mailto:c.hanlon@metcathedral.org.uk) Full training will be given and all your questions answered, and once you have done it for the first

time you will be fine!

## HOPE+NEWS

Our pre summer campaign is back, and never has it been more needed. Since Easter, we have already seen the number of guests we would only expect to start seeing in the summer months. In our temporary pantry at St Margaret of Antioch, where a lack of storage means every last tin and carrier bag has to be brought and returned each week, our numbers for the last three Thursday's have been 184, 169, and 177. Whilst our guests were treated to the double treat of listening to the Cathedral peal for HM Queen Elizabeth, together with a rousing rendition of the National Anthem sung by all our volunteers (including our Syrian, Ugandan, Saudi, and Iranian volunteers), we were anxiously counting heads to work out is we had enough food and toiletries to provide for them all. With thanks to St Peter's Formby and St Peter's Woolton, we had some wonderful donations ahead of our pantries last week, and St Mary's West Derby and Chadwick Mount URC both brought us very large donations to help restock the shelves for this week. As ever, the Metropolitan Cathedral brought us their amazing weekly van load, and large regular donations were also received from the Quaker Meeting House and Liverpool Parish Church. But we still need everyone to help not only fill the shelves, but to build up a surplus against the summer rush. If you can help, please take your donations to either Cathedral, Liverpool Parish Church, or the Quaker Meeting House, or call us and our very

busy van Scipio will call and collect. Help us to help others, #HelpFillTheseShelves

## HCPT

The HCPT Trust is Celebrating its 60th Diamond Jubilee this Year and wishes to share the joy of the Easter Lourdes Jubilee Mass with past Easter Pilgrims and Helpers, Summer Hosanna House Groups and all our supporters with Diamond Jubilee Celebration Masses across the country on Bank Holiday Monday 2 May. One of the Masses is being celebrated here at the Cathedral at 12.00 noon on Monday 2 May to which all pilgrims, helpers and supporters past, present and future are most welcome. 'Rise and Shine and Come and join the Celebration.'

## CATHEDRAL GIFT SHOP

Now has for sale a large range of Holy Communion and Confirmation gifts and cards. Please pop in and have a look.

## CHEMIN NEUF

Christ the King Student House run by the Chemin Neuf Community is offering the support of a shared common life and a Christian setting for study. The residence is centrally located between the Metropolitan Cathedral and the guild of students. For applications and enquiries, please contact us on [liverpool@chemin-neuf.org](mailto:liverpool@chemin-neuf.org)

## Statement issued by The Most Reverend Malcolm McMahon OP, Archbishop of Liverpool, following the Hillsborough verdicts.

Since the awful events that unfolded when Liverpool played Nottingham Forest at Hillsborough on 15<sup>th</sup> April 1989, the families of the deceased and all who survived that appalling tragedy have been relentless in their quest for justice. I would like to thank the coroner and the jurors for their careful consideration of the evidence and all whose work has led to the conclusion of the inquest into the death of the 96. I hope that the acknowledgment that those who died were unlawfully killed will bring comfort to the survivors and the families of the 96. May they rest in peace, to be for ever remembered in the hearts and minds of the people of Liverpool.

## OCTAVE OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

8-15 May 2016

'Come Down, O Love divine'.

Mass on Sunday 8 May at 6.00pm with Fr Ian McParland with the theme 'Baptism'. All welcome. Mass or service at 6.00pm for the rest of the week with different guest speakers. All takes place at the Chaplaincy, St Philip Neri, Catharine Street. For more details please contact the chaplaincy direct.

Last week's collection: **£1,293.00**



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## GOLDEN BOOK OFFICE

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The 5.15pm Mass on the first Friday of every month will be offered for all those who are recorded in the Golden Book.

Monday – Friday  
10.00am – 3.30pm

