

Mass Intentions Received

Gerard Webb (RIP), Holy Souls, Ashton Garvey (RIP), Margaret McGough (RIP), All Deceased Members of the Hamilton Family (RIP), Debbie Riley (RIP, Miss Alice McKeivitt (Remembrance), Mabrie Conlon (RIP), Gill Henry and Family (Special Intentions), Joan Volante (RIP), Ayola May McNally (RIP), Gordon Kerr (RIP), Eileen Ball (RIP), Marie Gabrielle Knauf (RIP), Ann Hanaford (RIP), Ruairi McMillan (Special Intentions), Ernest Manley (Intentions), Mrs Winnie Manley (Intentions), Stephen Ralph Hughes (RIP), Thomas

Westhead (RIP), Mary Darcy (RIP), Foster and McCarthy Families (RIP), Winifred Foster (RIP), Joseph Williams (RIP), Clare Egan (Birthday), Fr Anthony Reynolds (Birthday), Barbara Philip (Birthday), Barbara and Gordon Moseley (Special Intentions), Marie Frie (90th Birthday), Mary Dwyer (RIP), Keith Fitzsimmons (RIP), The Bansal Family (Thinking of You), Sanjay Bansal (Get Well), Mark Badger (Special Intentions), Sheila Watterson (RIP), Ray Baines (RIP), Ellie Davies (Get Well Wishes), Cathy Sherlock (RIP), Laura Smith and Jamie Patterson (Wedding Wishes), Patricia Madden (RIP).

Mass & Service Times

All services take place in the cathedral unless marked otherwise

WEEK COMMENCING: 21 May 2017

Sunday 21st May 6th Sunday of Easter

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

Monday 22 May

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

Tuesday 23 May

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

Wednesday 24 May

7.45am Morning Prayer
8.00am Mass
9.00am Mass (Ena Dixon) STV
12.15pm Mass
5.15pm Mass
5.45pm Choral Evening Prayer

Thursday 25 May St Bede

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

Friday 26 May

7.45am Morning Prayer
8.00am Mass
9.00am Mass (Margaret Kelly) STV
12.15pm Mass
4.00pm Exposition
5.15pm Mass
5.45pm Choral Evening Prayer

Saturday 27 May

8.45am Morning Prayer
9.00am Mass
6.00pm Vigil Mass (Ann Hughes) STV
6.30pm Vigil Mass Crypt

RECONCILIATION (Confession)

Monday - Friday:
Following the 12.15pm Mass

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 Dominic Risley
Fr Stephen Lee

DEACONS:

Rev Noel Abbott
Rev Paul Mannings



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of Christ the King Liverpool

Cathedral Record

Incorporating the Parish of St. Vincent de Paul

www.liverpoolmetrocathedral.org.uk

Volition

If the first two Jubilee events are anything to go by it looks as though we will have record crowds of visitors to the Cathedral over these next few weeks. At present the final preparations are underway for the projection event for Light Night and thankfully the work on the Lantern Tower is finished for the time being, and the protective netting has now been taken down. Everything is in place for our Grand Anniversary Celebratory weekend. Thankfully we have a relatively quiet week ahead of final preparations and so I am taking the opportunity to have a few days break in Scotland before the main celebrations.

Just recently we have had ten people taking part in the 'Volition Programme' within our building, a scheme which has been in place at Liverpool Cathedral for some time. This is a ten week volunteering programme to help those who are out of work to increase their skills, gain confidence and improve their chances of finding work. One of the volunteers, Naomi, has written a report of her experiences here, and I thought you might like to read about her time on the programme. Quite a number of our employed and voluntary staff have offered support to the people on this programme. Many thanks to all who have helped with this – it is an example of some of the good work that goes on behind the scenes within the Cathedral. Naomi said, "I've really enjoyed taking part in the Volition course; my time is split between attending courses aimed to improve my employability and volunteering as an administrator with Cathedral House.

The coursework has helped me better understand what employers are looking for from job applicants and how to make my CV, cover letter or application form reflect that and stand out from other applicants. I have learned about different ways of finding vacancies and gained qualifications while on course.

They give mock interviews with real employers and honest critical feedback to help those who struggle with interviews to really improve their skills. Volition is always updating me on new vacancies that they think will be a good fit for me and supporting me through the application process to ensure I have the best chance possible of gaining employment.

The volunteer work involved with the Volition programme is what first drew me to the course, I have attended employability courses in the past and although they have helped me improve my job searching skills I feel that volunteering with Cathedral House really adds to the programme. I now have experience with working within an administrative team and the variety of duties an administrator has to do and I am confident in my ability to complete those duties well. I have been pushed to complete new and slightly daunting tasks, such as answering and forwarding calls and taking the minutes for a meeting, and simpler tasks like making tea and coffee or preparing letters to be sent. Cathedral House has given me real, necessary work to complete and trusted me to perform those duties while also giving me support and guidance whenever I needed help. The atmosphere within the Cathedral is lovely, all of the staff are friendly and I never feel like I cannot ask for help or that I will be penalised if I make a mistake. It's easy to grow in that kind of environment and I'm learning a lot from my time here. Everyone involved in the course makes me feel like I'm doing something useful with my time, like they care about how I perform on the course and really do want to help me better myself and find work. I'm glad I went on the Volition course, I feel more confident in myself, in finding work in the future and my suitability in an administrative role.'

Canon Anthony O'Brien

Cathedral Dean

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ST VINCENT'S LOTTERY NUMBERS

For week commencing 13 May. Winning numbers are 3, 4, 6, 7, 10 and 12. Prize was £750. There were no winners so the prize is now £800. Please speak to a member of staff in Cathedral House if you would like to join up.

ST NICHOLAS SCHOOL NEWS

As a school, we felt privileged last Sunday to be part of a beautiful Mass when a number of our Y4 children made their First Holy Communion. A large number of staff also came along to the Mass to witness the special occasion on the 50th anniversary of the first Mass said in the Cathedral! During Lent, St Nicholas Catholic Primary raised money for three good causes by holding a number of exciting and 'wacky' fundraising events. Enough said about Mr Senior receiving a soaking on the last day of term in front of all the children, staff and some parents/carers when he volunteered to have a huge 50 litre bucket of water poured all over him - what a drip! Our fundraising ranged from cake making, toast selling, Easter Egg raffle, quizzes, etc. The even better news is that we had lots of fun whilst raising money for such good causes. We are delighted to inform you that with the help and kindness of children, parents/carers and staff, we managed to raise £805.62 for each of the good causes below: Good Shepherd Fund' £234.51p. 'Missions Together' £181.67 'Comic Relief' £389.44

Fr Dominic continues to be a regular visitor to school working in the classrooms with all our children and taking assemblies on key themes for the children to listen to and pray. One of his projects is due to take place in early July when he will be organising an away day retreat for our Y6 leavers in St Helens - thank you Fr Dominic!

HOPE+ NEWS

We said a sad farewell to our first van "Scipio" last week, who has served us very well over the last two years. We estimate that he must have hauled around four tons of items each week, to say nothing of the weird and wonderful donations we have had, such as 250KG of chapatti flour (which we were still trying to remove with a pressure washer before he was collected) or last week's forty brand new skate boards! However, "Blipio", son of Scipio arrived in the nick of time, and has already visited Liverpool Parish Church, St Bede's, and St Vincent's. We have been very grateful in the last couple of weeks to receive some exceptionally generous donations both of food and money. Very special thanks must go to St Julie's High School, who once again have provided a very large donation for us. Also to Welshot Imaging, a photographic group who have designated Hope+ their charity this year. LA Productions, makers of the new BBC drama "Broken" provided us with a significant four figure sum to help with our work, after we'd moved a pantry session to accommodate their filming, and our wonderful friends at the Shrine of the Blessed Sacrament

have once again provided a most generous gift to help us purchase our shortage items. If you are able to help we are currently very short of Pasta, Rice, Tea, and Cereal.

NEW CHOIR CD

The Dean and Director of Music are delighted to invite you to Choral Evening Prayer on Sunday 14 May at 3 pm, followed by tea and cakes in the Gibberd Room from 4pm, to celebrate the launch of the Cathedral Choir's new Jubilee CD. Please feel welcome to extend this invitation to friends, family and colleagues. Service music will include works by Byrd, Handel and Bruckner. This event is part of the www.choralevensong.org initiative to raise awareness of a cherished choral tradition. "My favourite way of spending an hour with glorious music in a glorious building" John Rutter. RSVP by Thursday 11 May to s.okeeffe@metcathedral.org.uk including numbers for catering purposes, please.

ROYAL LIVERPOOL PHILHARMONIC CONCERT

Join us on the evening of 10th June for a rare opportunity to hear Liverpool's world famous orchestra perform in the unique surroundings of our Metropolitan Cathedral, as they present Gloria by Sir James MacMillan CBE - undoubtedly the most high profile composer of religious music in the country today. The orchestra will be conducted by Sir James MacMillan and joined by leading tenor soloist, Ian Bostridge, the Royal Liverpool Philharmonic Choir and the Metropolitan Cathedral Choir for a glorious evening of music to celebrate our Golden Jubilee. Tickets are priced at £25 and are available from philharmonic box office or liverpoolphil.com/whats-on/gloria

CATHEDRAL BOOK CLUB

The date for the next meeting of Cathedral Book Club will be Thursday 8 June at 7pm in the Gibberd Room

when we shall be meeting to discuss The Trouble with Goats and Sheep by Joanna Cannon. All welcome. Any queries just get in touch with Claire at c.hanlon@metcathedral.org.uk

CATHEDRAL FLOWER FESTIVAL Cathedral Life: A Floral Tribute

To celebrate our Golden Jubilee weekend will officially open on Friday 2 June at 10.00am. Entrance is free so please come and join us for a glorious day out and look at over 25 wonderful floral displays that will be all around the Cathedral. We will be open on Friday from 10am - 4pm and the same on Saturday and Monday. Times will be restricted on Sunday 4 June due to the Masses. Home-made refreshments will also be served in the Gibberd Room.

GOLDEN JUBILEE CELEBRATIONS EVENTS GUIDE

Please pick up your copy from the back of the Cathedral and the Crypt and take it home with you. There are lots of events happening from now until November and we hope there is something to suit everyone's taste.

JUBILEE ORGAN RECITAL

Monday 29 May 2017 at 3.00pm. James Luxton from Metropolitan Cathedral. Tickets are £5 and can be purchased on the day, the Cathedral Gift Shop or www.ticketsource.co.uk/lpoolmetmusic. All welcome.

Last week's collection: **£1,430.00**



LUTYENS
CRYPT

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LUTYENS CRYPT
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Crypt Admission Charges: £3 Adults, £8 Family (2 adults + 2 children) £2 School Parties (per person)

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Sunday
10.00am - 4.00pm

Located in the
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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

