

## Mass Intentions Received

Peter Stephen Whelan, Gerard Webb (RIP), Holy Souls, Donnelly Family Deceased (RIP), Sandra Ambrose (Birthday Remembrance), Mrs Christina Fahey (Birthday Remembrance), Mr John Owens (RIP), Martin Denson (RIP), Michael Byrne (RIP), Pauline Jones (Birthday), Margaret Kennedy (Get Well), Jane McClean (RIP), Declan O'Brien (RIP), Martin Doherty (RIP), Christopher Johnson and Wife (Get Well), Mary and Alan Forde (Get Well), Billy Lea (RIP), Sister Kate Dryhurst (Diamond Anniversary), Paul Albert Louis Morgan (RIP),

Boardman Family (Intentions), Ann Burkert (Speedy Recovery), Philomena Berry (Intention), Marie and John Murphy and Family (Intention), Marie Hennesy (RIP), Sandra O'Brien (RIP), Dominick (Anniversary Remembrance), Mavis Hesketh (RIP), Eileen Garrity (RIP), Janette (RIP), Thea's Mum (RIP), Mary Vecciong (Intention), John Fairclough (Birthday Remembrance), Ann Russell (Loving Mother and Grandmother), Nora Twomey (Get Well), Peter Morgan (RIP), Margaret and Peter Profetto (Remembrance), John Glover (Remembrance), Mary and Joseph McLoughlin (Remembrance).

## Mass & Service Times

All services take place in the cathedral unless marked otherwise

WEEK COMMENCING: 14 October 2018

### Sunday 14 October 28th Sunday of Ordinary Time

**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 15 October St Teresa of Avila

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

### Tuesday 16 October

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

### Wednesday 17 October St Ignatius of Antioch

**7.45am** Morning Prayer  
**8.00am** Mass  
**9.00am** MASS (Frank Silker and Family) STV  
**12.15pm** Mass Crypt  
**5.15pm** Mass  
**5.45pm** Choral Evening Prayer

### Thursday 18 October St Luke

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

### Friday 19 October

**8.45am** Morning Prayer  
**8.00am** Mass  
**9.00am** Mass (Francis Kirwin) STV  
**12.15pm** Mass  
**5.15pm** Mass  
**5.45pm** Choral Evening Prayer

### Saturday 20 October

**8.45am** Morning Prayer  
**9.00am** Mass  
**6.00pm** Vigil Mass (Mary Stout) 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 Stephen Lee  
Fr Philip Carr  
Fr Silviu Climent

#### DEACONS:

Rev Noel Abbott  
Rev Paul Mannings



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# Cathedral Record

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## Future Vacancies

Back in July when I wrote in the Cathedral Record about my 25 years of full time employment at the Cathedral I mentioned that the turnover of staff was relatively low, and we managed to retain our staff. Recruitment was not something that we really need to concern ourselves with. Once employed here at the Met the team tend to stay! I would like to think it is because it is such a great place to work. No two days are ever the same whatever role you have, and to have the opportunities to meet, get involved and work on the most exciting of projects is amazing. However, within the space of a week or so, two of our highly regarded and much respected members of staff have tendered their resignation. Kevin, who has been on the Maintenance team for just over 10 years, has decided that it's time for some new challenges and goals and will be leaving at the end of the month, and Sarah who has been the Music Department Administrator for 5 years has been offered a full time position closer to home and will finish at the end of the half term next week. Both of them have been an integral part of the Cathedral machine and I know that making the decision to leave has not been easy for either of them. They go with our best wishes and the knowledge that they will both always be a part of Cathedral history. We will keep in touch with them and wish them both the very best of luck as they have new adventures in different places. Both of these very different positions will be advertised in the very near future so please keep your eye out for details, and if you would like to register your interest in either of them then please do let me know.

We start the week by welcoming, as we do every year, the staff, students and parents from St Edward's College for their annual Mass. In addition to the Choirs that come together at the

Mass we are also pleased to welcome the Stoneyhurst Chapel Choir who have been collaborating with our own Cathedral choristers and who will all sing together at the Mass at 11.00am. As the College have taken 'Mary' as their theme for 2018 Monsignor John Armitage, Rector of the Shrine of Our Lady of Walsingham, will give the homily. Although this occasion is always a full Cathedral there is always room for people who would like to come along.

The week rolls along with an event taking place in the Crypt each day, ranging from a wine society event to an infection and global health seminar organised by Liverpool University to two days of Careers Fairs. As the Careers Fairs always attract a great number of students we will need to transfer the 12.15pm Mass which usually takes place in the Crypt Chapel to the Blessed Sacrament Chapel on Wednesday and Thursday next week so please make a note of this if you are a regular at the 12.15pm Mass.

Now that the blisters have healed and the swelling of feet and legs has subsided and after the success of the Camino we are turning our thoughts to walking the 62 miles of St Cuthbert's Way next May. This will be a much smaller venture and only a limited number of people can do it at one time due to the small number of places to stay along the route. It is envisaged that the walk will be done over 5 days and 6 nights and would mean that there are a couple of days when you would need to walk approx. 18 miles! If you would like to register your interest please let me know at [c.hanlon@metcathedral.org.uk](mailto:c.hanlon@metcathedral.org.uk).

Have a good week!

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# Cathedral Notice Board

## ST VINCENT'S LOTTERY NUMBERS

The lottery numbers for week commencing 6 October were not available at the time of printing. The prize was £550. There were no winners. Next week the prize will be £600. Please speak to a member of staff in Cathedral House if you would like to join up.

## CATHEDRAL WALKING GROUP

The next date for the Cathedral Walking Group will be on Sunday 4 November where once again we will meet at 12.30pm at the Cathedral Car Park. Previous walks have been excellent! Further details from [c.hanlon@metcathedral.org.uk](mailto:c.hanlon@metcathedral.org.uk) New walkers are always welcome.

## CATHEDRAL BOOK CLUB

The next meeting of the Cathedral Book Club will be on Thursday 8 November at 7.00pm in the Gibberd Room when we shall meet to discuss 'Do No Harm' by Henry Marsh. What is it like to be a brain surgeon? How does it feel to hold someone's life in your hands, to cut through the stuff that creates thought, feeling and reason? How do you live with the consequences when it all goes wrong? This book offers an unforgettable insight into the highs and lows of a life dedicated to operating on the human brain, in all its exquisite complexity. With astonishing candour and compassion, Henry Marsh reveals the exhilarating drama of surgery, the chaos and confusion of a busy modern hospital, and above all the need for hope when faced with life's most agonising

decisions.

## REFLECTIONS ON THE JOY OF LOVE (Amoris Laetitia)

In this 325-paragraph document, Pope Francis provides his prayerful reflections on marriage and the family: their strengths and weaknesses, their call from God and the challenges they face. Pope Francis recommends that The Joy of Love be read "patiently and carefully". Each week we will print an extract from the Pope's letter and reflect on how it might relate to our family lives. "Dialogue is essential for experiencing, expressing and fostering love in marriage and family life. Yet it can only be the fruit of a long and demanding apprenticeship. Men and women, young people and adults, communicate differently. They speak different languages and they act in different ways. Our way of asking and responding to questions, the tone we use, our timing and any number of other factors condition how well we communicate. We need to develop certain attitudes that express love and encourage authentic dialogue." (Amoris Laetitia 137). Be aware this week of communication within your family, being mindful of how family members dialogue with one another. Are there patterns of communication that can be affirmed and others that may need improvement.

## TRAFFIC WARDENS

Please note that we have been made aware that Traffic Wardens have been ticketing vehicles parked on Mount Pleasant at the top of the steps to the Crypt Chapel.

They have been ticketing cars that have parked there whilst people attend the 7.00pm Mass on Sundays. Please note that for this reason the Car Park is open on Sundays for people going to Mass. We want to try and avoid you getting a ticket at all costs.

## EXHIBITION

'50 Faces' of the Holy Land is a photographic exhibition commissioned by the Catholic Bishops' Conference of England & Wales to highlight and promote the lives of the faithful in Israel, Gaza and the Occupied Territories. The photographs taken by Marcin Mazur show how the faces of people are marked with the history, the diversity, the joys and sufferings of the Holy Land. Each face tells a story. Each person, a memory. It will be displayed in the Metropolitan Cathedral from Sunday 29th September - Sunday 21st October. Archbishop Patrick will celebrate Mass in the Cathedral on Wednesday 17th October at 5.15 p.m. for the intention of the Christians of the Holy Land. All are welcome.

## SYNOD 2020

Next weekend is the first Synod Sunday. There will be a letter from the Archbishop telling us about the Synod and about how we can get involved. The Archbishop will also tell us why he has decided to call a Synod. A special leaflet has been prepared which you will be able to get next weekend. Please keep the Synod in your prayers.

## JOURNEY IN FAITH

There are many ways to become a Catholic! Here at the Cathedral, our way is through exploring the Journey in Faith process and you are welcome to join us. We begin again in September. Meanwhile we would like to gather a group so that we can initially meet and plan. Do join us! Please contact: [enquiries@metcathedral.org.uk](mailto:enquiries@metcathedral.org.uk)

## 'WHY WE NEED MORE DEACONS'

Archbishop Malcolm McMahon will host an evening for men who may be wondering if they are called to serve as deacons and what the formation involves. Wives, priests and deacons are also welcome. Please come along to St Mary's Parish Centre, Broadfield Drive, Leyland, PR25 1PD on Tuesday 20 November from 7.30pm - 9.00pm. Refreshments will be available from 7.00pm. For more information or further details please call 0151 522 1042 or email [diaconate@rcaol.co.uk](mailto:diaconate@rcaol.co.uk).

## FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PREPARATION

We will be starting First Holy Communion Preparation in October for any children in Year 4 or above who attend Mass regularly at the Cathedral or Crypt, but do not attend our parish schools. If you would like to enroll for the classes you will need to send your name, the name, age, and name of school that your child attends and give the Mass time that you attend at the Cathedral. Please send all the details to [c.hanlon@metcathedral.org.uk](mailto:c.hanlon@metcathedral.org.uk).

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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



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