

Ellesmere Port & Hooton Local Pastoral Area (LPA 10),

Parishes of

St. Saviour & St Mary of the Angels and Our Lady Star of the Sea & St Bernard of Clairvaux

“Working Towards Building Missionary Parishes for the future”

LPA Office: Tel: 0151 355 5877 Email: parishesoff@rcchep.co.uk Website: www.rcchep.co.uk

Contact Details

St Saviour & St Mary of the Angels
Father Louis Maggiore
Deacon Tony Hunt
Tel: 0151 327 6158
Email: parishstm@rcchep.co.uk

Contact Details

Our Lady Star of the Sea & St Bernard of Clairvaux
Father Niall Mullaley
Deacon Paul Sutton
Tel: 0151 355 1255
Email: parishol@rcchep.co.uk

16th June 2019 – The Most Holy Trinity - Year C

St Saviour & St Mary

Sat 15th June: Vigil of ‘The Most Holy Trinity’

St Saviour’s 5.00pm John Carrigan

Sun: 16th June, ‘The Most Holy Trinity’

St Mary’s 9.00am J Smith
St Saviour’s 11.00am Parishioners – St Saviour’s
Primary 1st Communions

Mon: 17th June

St Mary’s 9.15am Agnes Mary Christmas -70th B/day Int

Tue: 18th June

St Mary’s 10.30am Requiem Mass – James Bridger

Wed: 19th June

St Saviour’s 6.00pm Holy Hour
7.00pm Kevin McMullen RIP
7.30pm Rosary & Novena

Thu: 20th June

St Saviour’s 11.00am Requiem Mass – Jim Fowler

Fri: 21st June – St Aloysius Gonzaga

St Saviour’s 10.00am Requiem Mass – Rose Burns

Sat 22nd June – Ss. John Fisher & Thomas More

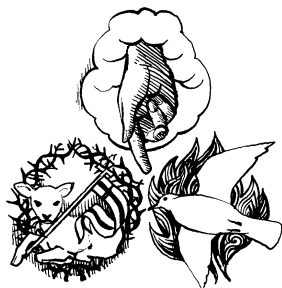
St Mary’s 10.00am Holy Hour
11.00am Fr Louis’ Intention

Sat 22nd June: Vigil of The Body & Blood of Christ

St Saviour’s 5.00pm Vic Shipman RIP

Sun: 23rd June, The Body & Blood of Christ

St Mary’s 9.00am Parishioners
St Saviour’s 11.00am Estefan T Tadit (Nora) RIP



Our Lady & St Bernard

Sat 15th June: Vigil of ‘The Most Holy Trinity’

Our Lady’s 6.30pm Chris Duke Intention

Sun: 16th June: ‘The Most Holy Trinity’

St Bernard’s 9.00am Catherine & Lewis Hughes
and Barbara Jackson
Our Lady’s 11.00am Parishioners

Mon: 17th June

Our Lady’s 9.15am Alice O’Donnell

Tue: 18th June

Our Lady’s 12.noon Remembrance for
Chalkie White

Wed: 19th June

St. Bernard’s 9.30am (in School) Pauline Moor Int.

Thu: 20th June

Our Lady’s 9.15am Pat Fitzpatrick

Fri: 21st June– St Aloysius Gonzaga

Our Lady’s 11.00am Holy Hour
Our Lady’s 12.noon Alice Byrne
Our Lady’s 7.00pm Creation Mass to launch
‘Our Common Home’

Sat: 22nd June– Ss. John Fisher & Thomas More

Our Lady’s 12.noon Mass for the Sick

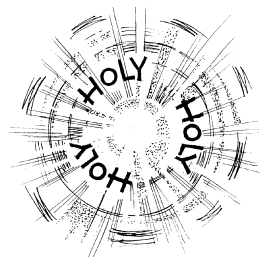
Sat 22nd June:

Vigil of The Body & Blood of Christ

Our Lady’s 6.30pm Betty Gildea

Sun: 23rd June: The Body & Blood of Christ

St Bernard’s 9.00am Cath Sinclair
Our Lady’s 11.00am Parishioners



Parishes General Information

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Our Lady's Saturday 11.15am – 11.45am
St Saviour's Saturday 4.20pm-4.50pm
Sunday 10.30am-10.50am unless delayed
St Mary's Sun 8.30 -8.50am

Available on request at other times, depending on availability or by prior appointment

Recently Baptised: Please pray for Florence May Russell, Baptised at St Saviour's last week.

Sick & Housebound: Please pray for all who are on our Sick Lists. If someone is ill and requests a visit, please contact us through the details on the front page, and we can arrange this. If someone is in Hospital or Hospice and a Priest is needed, please ask the Ward Staff to call the 'On Call Catholic Chaplain'.

Safeguarding Contacts:

St Saviour & St Mary's:
Sandra Nuttall on 07854 629846
Our Lady & St Bernard's:
Trish Reilly on 07866 458138

Piety Stall & Hall Booking Information:

Please contact the LPA Office on: 0151 355 5877 for further information

Luncheon Clubs:

In Our Lady's Parish Centre: This Tuesday, 18th June, and Friday, 21st June at 11.30am.

In Saviour's Church: Will next take place at St Saviour's Church on Thursday, 20th June at 12 noon to 2pm, All welcome

Our Lady & St Bernard Parish Tote - Winners- 9th June:

1st Prize, £50.00
No. 155, C Thompson
2nd Prize, £30.00
No.1, R Kershaw

Awaiting Collection:

No.36, T McNay
No.153, Mr & Mrs Keegan

Recently Deceased: We remember in our prayers Patricia Hallett, Rose Burns, Kevin McMullan, Victor Shipman, James Bridger, Jim Fowler, and all who have died recently and all whose anniversaries occur at this time. We pray that they may rest in peace

Funeral Information: For details of Funerals taking place this coming week in our parishes, please see the front page of the newsletter.

Kevin McMullan – Funeral Service will take place at Chester Crematorium at 11.20am on Thursday 13th June

Victor Shipman – Funeral Service will take place at Chester Crematorium at 9.20am on Thursday 13th June

Patricia Hallett – Funeral Service will take place at Our Lady's at 10am on Tuesday 25th June

LOCAL & DIOCESAN NEWS

Celebration of Diocesan Priesthood: On Friday, 28th June, the Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, Cardinal Vincent Nichols has invited all the Diocesan Priests of England & Wales to join at 12.noon that day to celebrate Mass at Westminster Cathedral to mark the end of a year of events commemorating the 450th Anniversary of the Foundation of the English College, Douai, and the post-Reformation Mission of the secular Clergy in our countries. It is intended as a special day of prayer for priests. Not all of our priests will be able to make down to Westminster that day, and so in our West Cheshire Deanery we will be joining Cardinal Nichols at that same time in spirit with a Mass at 12.noon at St Columba's Plas Newton Lane, Chester CH2 1PL on that same Friday, 28th June. It is an opportunity to gather on this Solemnity of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, a day of universal prayer for priests, and to ask God's continued blessing on the ministry in England & Wales.

Pause for Hope Service: This Sunday 16 June at 3pm Bishop Mark will lead the third Pause for Hope service to be held in Saint Columba's church in Chester (Plas Newton Lane CH2 1SA). Pause for Hope is an ecumenical service offering all those affected by cancer a chance to come together in a spirit of prayer. It is an opportunity to pray for those living with cancer, for loved ones, carers, doctors, nurses and those scientist searching for a cure for cancer. The service is open to everyone and will include a reflection by Lynne Moorhead from the Hospice of the Good Shepherd. Following the time of prayer there will be refreshments in the parish centre. For more information about Pause for Hope please see their website www.pauseforhope.org.uk

LPA 10 Confirmation and Training for Catechists and Youth Ministry: This last School Year we have had to leave the Celebration of the Sacrament of Confirmation. Our next Confirmation will be on Friday, 8th November 2019 at Our Lady's with Bishop Mark. Our preparation will begin in September and will be open to those who will then be in Years 9 & 10 of Secondary School. Older young who may have missed their Confirmation will be welcome to join the programme. Information about how to join our Programme will soon be available. Our

programme depends on our Catechists (adult helpers); could those Confirmation Catechists who have helped us in the past, and any who might be interested, please get in touch with the LPA Office to help us plan.

Youth Ministry and Catechist Training: We are being supported in our Confirmation by our Diocese of *Shrewsbury Youth Mission Team* (SYMT). After a very helpful recent visit from our new SYMT Director Mr Alexander (Sandy) Fairley, SYMT are organising a Training Evening for all involved in wider Youth Ministry and Catechesis in our area. This will be on Thursday, 5th September, 7.00pm at St Mary's Stanley Hall. Again, do please contact the LPA Office for further information. Also for established and new Catechists a **'Gathering for Confirmation Catechists' will now take place on Tuesday, 25th June, (please note the change of date) 7.00pm at Our Lady's Presbytery.** Again, please let the LPA Office know if you are coming.

LPA, SVP Youth Conference: The Youth Conference will be having their next meeting this coming Monday 17th June, 4.15pm to 5.00pm, in Our Lady's Parish Centre. New members are always welcome from 10 years of age plus. For further information contact Chris Duke 355 6954.

Youth SVP Plant Sale: The youth SVP are having a plant sale this weekend at all Masses, this is in aid of this year's project "sending a sick parishioner to Lourdes". Please support their efforts. (Oh yes can we have the empty garden pots, we will need them for next year).

Ellesmere Port & Hooton Pastoral Forum: Many thanks to all who came along to the meeting last week and for the positive contributions that were made. Now that we are clearer of the way forward, it was decided that each Parish, St Saviour & St Mary of the Angels and Our Lady & St Bernard hold an Open Parish Meeting before the School Summer Holidays, and from those Meeting choose 10 or so people to form 'Parish Support Groups' to help advise on more Parish based matters. From each of these Support Groups four people will be nominated to form the 'Ellesmere Port & Hooton Pastoral Forum' which will liaise with the Clergy and Support Groups to take forward, and consider new ways, in all that we are working on together in this Pastoral Area. It is envisaged that the Support Groups will meet three times a year, the Ellesmere Port & Hooton Pastoral Forum meet twice a year and that each Parish hold Open Meetings once a year. This we hope will provide a structure to help move forward, and is also in line with what is happening in the other part of our Deanery with the Chester Pastoral Forum. The details of the upcoming Open Meetings can be found below.

Open Meeting: Parishioners at St Saviour & St Mary of the Angels: On Wednesday 26th June, following the 7pm Mass we will

be holding an open meeting at St Saviour's church and all parishioners are welcome to attend. This will be an opportunity for the clergy to provide some updates on current matters and for a discussion to take place. **Please note that due to this the weekly Rosary & Novena at St Saviour's will now take place on Tuesday 25th June**

Open Meeting: Parishioners at Our Lady & St Bernard: As we have said in the item above, and as St Saviour & St Mary's Parish are doing, on Wednesday 3rd July at 7.00pm, we will be holding an Open Meeting at Our Lady's Parish Centre and all parishioners are welcome to attend. We will discuss the matters mentioned above in the two previous articles.

CAFOD 'Our Common Home' Mass and visit of Brazilian CAFOD Human Rights defender Jose Batista Afonso: As we have previously mentioned, before Easter we had presentations based on Pope Francis' Encyclical 'Laudato Si' with the Bishops' of England and Wales' video, the film 'After the Flood' and a Film about the Refugees Plight in the Mediterranean. We will now be following this up with CAFOD's Programme 'Our Common Home' starting with a Mass Celebrating Creation this coming Friday, June 21st, 7.00pm at Our Lady's Church. After this Mass we will be hosting for CAFOD in the North West of England the CAFOD Human Rights defender Jose Batista from Brazil. Jose Batista is coming over to do a series of presentations, firstly in Brussels and then coming over to the UK. He will be joining us for the Celebrating Creation Mass, and then give a presentation in Our Lady's Parish Centre afterwards. We will be welcoming people from across the Diocese, and indeed the North West of England. It is a great privilege to have him with us to mark our commencement of 'our Common Home' and to host his presentation. Jose Batista Afonso, who is a human rights defender in Brazil, working for CAFOD's partner CPT. Jose Batista defends the rights of landless communities against the large agricultural and mining companies which dominate huge areas of the Amazonian rainforest and cause extreme environmental degradation. This has severe detrimental effects upon the indigenous peoples, of course, but also impacts on global climate change, underlining our interdependency and how the earth is truly 'our common home'.

MISSIO Summer Mass: Celebrated by Bishop Mark Davies and Fr Tony Chantry MHM with talks by Mill Hill Missionaries and Missio's APF. Sat 29 June at 12 Noon. Open to all and especially Red Box volunteers and supporters. Church of St Michael & All Angels, Woodchurch, CH49 5LE. An opportunity to meet fellow volunteers and refresh fundraising activities plus refreshments in the adjacent primary school.

PILGRIMAGES TRIPS & SOCIAL EVENTS

St Saviour & St Mary's Garden Party:

Thanks to all who attended the garden party at St Saviour's last Thursday. It was good to come together as a community and to thank all those sharing their gifts and talents in the various ministries they undertake on behalf of our whole parish. Your help and support is greatly appreciated. If you have any spare time and would like to volunteer in any of the ministries - Welcomers, Building & Grounds Work, Cleaners, Flower Arrangers, Eucharistic Ministers, Readers, SVP, Lourdes, Children's Liturgy, Choir, Tea & Coffee Makers, Youth, Sewing & Luncheon Club supporters, etc. - please speak to Fr Louis or Deacon Tony.

Cancelled - Lourdes Concert at St Saviour's - Chester Catholic High Swing Band:

Due to unforeseen circumstances the Chester Catholic High Swing Band fund raiser will not be taking place until the autumn. Watch this space.

Lourdes Volunteers For those travelling to Lourdes as part of the Diocese Pilgrimage, ie not on our LPA Lourdes Youth Group/Coach. If you are hoping to volunteer while there, please note it is your responsibility to complete the necessary Safeguarding Paperwork and training, which is taking place on Sunday 23rd June at St John Plessington High School, Bebington, CH63 7LF at to allow you to volunteer whilst in Lourdes. Details of forms can be found online on the Shrewsbury Diocesan Lourdes Pilgrimage site. If you are on our LPA Coach we will be in touch shortly with the necessary forms.

LPA Scotland Trip: May 2020: By popular request we are once again running a coach trip to the border town of Peebles in Scotland. We depart on Monday 18th May 2020 and will stay four nights in the four star Peebles Hydro Hotel on a dinner, bed & breakfast basis. Costs will be £350 per person sharing or £450 in a single room. **Those requesting a place should receive a booking form, if you have not receive a form please contact the office.** If you are interested in joining us & have not already booked a place please contact the parish office at St Saviour & St Mary of the Angels on 0151 327 6158

PARISH NEWS

St Saviour's First Holy Communion

Mass: This Sunday during our 11am Mass we will be joined by children from St Saviour's Primary School and the wider parish as they receive their First Holy Communion. We very much look forward to this occasion and ask you to please remember the children, their families and

our school staff in your prayers at this special & holy time.

LPA Senior Youth Club & Ministry-Meeting (Please note change of date):

On Wednesday 3rd July at 6.30pm a meeting will be held at St Mary of the Angels (Stanley Hall) for all interested in working as a member of our 'Senior Youth Team Ministry.' If you have already volunteered or are interested in this important ministry please come along to this meeting or speak with Deacon Tony or Mr Rob Smith at the parish office of St Saviour & St Mary of the Angels 0151 327 6158 or contact the LPA Office at Our Lady's on 0151 355 5877 .

Fairtrade Stall: There will be a Fairtrade stall in Our Lady's Church this weekend. (15-16th June), and next Sunday (23rd June) at St Bernard's. Please give your support to the stall by purchasing some of the produce on sale. The items on the stall all come from parts of the world where farmers work in cooperatives to market their produce and this enables them to receive a fair price for the food stuffs they grow. By working within the Fairtrade system there are benefits for the community where they live, including better health and education facilities.

Faith Discussion & RCIA Meeting:

Meeting at St Saviour's this Tuesday 18th June at 7pm. This group is open to all to come together to discuss, reflect and share their faith with one another.

Funeral Planning Regarding Order of Service at St Saviour & St Mary of the Angels Parish:

You are invited to take a document home from church and when it is completed return it to the parish where it will be stored securely. There is recorded on this document the option of making an appointment with Fr Louis or Deacon Tony if you wish to discuss the matter. Please do take one of these documents with you from church. **If you have requested a clergy visit and not received one we intend to complete these visits in the very near future.**

LPA Junior Youth Club: Will be meeting on Thursday 20th June at St Mary's Stanley Hall from 6pm to 7.30pm all Yr 3 to Yr 6 children welcome

St Mary of the Angels Mice Club: This recently formed 'Mum's & Tots' group will meet every Wednesday morning in Stanley Hall. Mums, Dads & Tots are welcome to come along. For further information please contact Magdalena on 07707796137

