THE PARISH OF ST PETER & ST MICHAEL

Weir Lane, Woolston, Warrington WA1 4QQ



Sunday 26 April 2020

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

Psalter Week 3

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Mass Intentions for the Week

The Church is no longer open for daily prayer during Covid-19 lockdown.

Father Gildea will say daily Mass privately

Sunday 26 April

Mary McAteer; Lily McAteer

Monday 27 April

Terence Larkin

Tuesday 28 April

John & Janet Gildea

Wednesday 29 April

St Catherine of Siena

Derek Fordham

Thursday 30 April

St Pius V, Pope

Stephan McCarthy

Friday 1 May

St Joseph the Worker

Stan Young

Saturday 2 May

St Athanasius, Bishop

No Mass

Sunday 3 May

People of the Parish

Please note the times of Masses which are being live-streamed are available on the Archdiocesan website:

www.liverpoolcatholic.org.uk

WARRINGTON FOODBANK

Please be aware that I can take food to Warrington Foodbank if left on my porch, 58 Lincoln Close (a continuation of Monouth Close). Thank you all for your support in these challenging times. *Mary Hallam*

Please pray for . .

THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES OCCUR
AROUND THIS TIME

Ann Fiddler, Christy Rafferty, Alice Richardson, Lennie Roberts, Canon John S. Tickle, Fred Wilkinson

May all who sleep in Christ find in your presence light, happiness and peace, through Christ Our Lord. Amen.

ALSO THOSE WHO ARE SICK

Sister Charles, Valerie Ashby, Anita Dubique-Ashton, Luciano Bartolo, Mary and Gordon Beddows. Denise Bradley, David Brearley, Bretherton, Craig Cook Jnr (2), Tina Corkill, Les Cowell, Barbara Cowell, Dennis Cowell, Sheila Cowell, Peter Mary Davies, John Dean. John Delouise, F.D. Jr. Barbara Edmundson, Janine Folkard, Jayne Heaton, Brian Hume, Carol Hume, Jonah, Michael Larkin, Laura (19), Ruth Lightfoot, Owen McCourt, Maria Moretti, Jean Molphy, Lynne O'Reilly, Steve O'Reilly, Eileen Peet, Redmond, George Joan Rooza, Barry Stirrup, Tony Stirrup, Arthur Terry, Len Thomas, Jayne Torvill, John Tyson, Maureen Wagner, Sheila Walsh, John Warburton, Yvonne Wareing, Arthur Wilkinson, Bridie Wright, Harry Wright.

God holds the whole world in his hands. We ask him to embrace those who are sick that they may be brought to a fullness of health and life.

Liturgy of the Hours – Week 3

The Liturgy of the Hours keeps us all at the heart of Christ's body, the Church. Our prayers unite us with God, sanctify our whole day and all our activities.

Prayer in preparation for Synod 2020

Father, we thank you for the love you have shown us in the gift of Jesus, your Son.

We thank you for the gift of the Church, through which you show us that you are always with us and are always at work in our lives.

As we journey together to Synod 2020 help us to become the Church that you are calling us to be.

May your Holy Spirit be powerfully at work among us. Strengthen each of us and guide Francis our Pope and Malcolm our Archbishop.

Help us to respond to the challenges of our times in new ways to bring your love to all our sisters and brothers.

We make this prayer through Jesus Christ Our Lord. Amen.



A Prayer from the Archbishop

GOD OUR FATHER, each person is precious to you. You are the giver of life. Have mercy on us and protect us at this time, as the coronavirus threatens health and life. You are an ever-present helper in time of trouble. Watch over those who are suffering, give strength to those who are aiding the sick and give courage to all in this time of anxiety. We ask this of you in the name of your Son, Jesus Christ. Amen.



Synod 2020 update

Dear friends,

In the light of the changes COVID-19 has brought to our lives, we reflect on the kind of Church God is calling us to be.

During these days of isolation and social distancing we are experiencing different ways of being Church. Our prayer and worship has become transformed as we gather remotely, online, from our own home. Our sense of community is challenged as we find creative and new ways of coming together to meet, to socialise, to work, or to check in on each other.

Today begins our extra period of reflection as we consider what our Synod can learn from the experience of living through these difficult and different times. We have produced a short film and a leaflet to help guide your reflection. Please use them and encourage others to reflect too as we continue to discern the Church God is calling us to be. If possible, share these on your personal and parish social media.

Visit our website, reflect on the materials, and submit your proposals for action. We will close the online submission form on Monday 4 May 2020.

With best wishes,

Fr Philip, Fr Matthew, Jacqui, and Matt The Synod Office Team