

# The Parishes of St Jude & St Aidan

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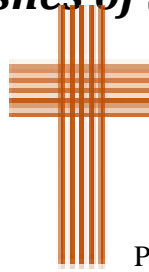
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16<sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY 2025 YR C

SIXTH IN ORDINARY TIME



## REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

### Racial Justice

The holding of the Ceasefire, the People of Israel & Palestine, Lebanon, Syria, Ukraine & Russia, Afghanistan, the Sudan. The people of the parish who are sick and those who have died recently. Those whose anniversaries occur at this time. and all who care for the sick and the dying.

### Feasts & Memorials this week

Monday: Seven Holy Founders of the Servite Order

Friday: St Peter Damian

Saturday: The Chair of St Peter, Apostle

Saturday	St Jude's	5.30pm (M)
Sunday	St Aidan's St Jude's	9.00am (M) 10.30am (M)
Monday	St Jude's	10.00am (M)
Tuesday	St Jude's	10.00am (M)
Wednesday	St Aidan's St Jude's	11.45am (M) 7.00pm (M)
Thursday	St Jude's St Jude's	10.00am (M) 11.00am (FS)
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ADORATION EACH WEEK

CONFESSIONS: SATURDAY WEDNESDAY

before Mass

### Funeral Service St Jude's Church

Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> February 11.00am

**ERIC HODGSON**

*May he rest in peace*

*Our condolences to Eric's family & friends.*

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### THE SACRAMENT of CONFIRMATION

The registration website is open until 17<sup>th</sup> March. Young people in year 8 and above can register at [liverpoolcalled.co.uk](http://liverpoolcalled.co.uk)

**THE YOUTH EFFECT:** For Year 5 upwards. Held at St Aidan's Church on Fridays during term time - 18.30 - 20.00. New Dates: 7<sup>th</sup> March, 21<sup>st</sup> March, 11<sup>th</sup> April. [theyoutheffect@outlook.com](mailto:theyoutheffect@outlook.com)

Please take a Jubilee Prayer Card - available in the porch.

You are welcome to take your Newsletter home.



### SACRAMENTAL PROGRAMME 2024/2025

The next session is on Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> March in St Aidan's Parish Centre starting at 6.00pm. If you are unable to attend, please let Fr John or a catechist know.

### A ROOF for a CHAPEL in the DR of CONGO:

Fr John Paul Ilunga is appealing for funds to complete the chapel and community centre in his late mother's village of Kilumba. A secure metal roof is desperately needed. The full story is printed in the February edition of the Catholic Pictorial. A collection will be taken at St Jude's this weekend (St Aidan's last weekend), then ongoing and donations can be handed in in marked envelopes on the offertory plate or to either presbytery. *Thank you.*

### Celebration Mass for the Miraculous Cure of Jack Traynor

Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> February, 7.00pm at the Metropolitan Cathedral. Free coach travel has been arranged. If you would like to go to the Cathedral please sign the sheet in the porch.

### KEEP IN TOUCH:

Tea and chat. All very welcome. Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> February, 1.30 - 3.00pm in St Mary's Presbytery, Standishgate, Wigan.

### ON SHROVE TUESDAY 4<sup>TH</sup> MARCH

there will be a Wigan Family of Parishes Mass at 7.00pm at St Aidan's Church, Winstanley (WN3 6EE). Traditionally on this day, the old English custom of using up all the fattening ingredients in the house is observed, so that we are ready to fast during Lent. The fattening ingredients that most people had in their houses in those days were eggs and milk. A very simple recipe to use up these ingredients was to combine them with some flour and make pancakes! This year all our clergy will concelebrate at one Mass, which is being held at St Aidan's. We offer a warm welcome to everyone in Wigan - it would be great to see people who regularly worship at our seven Catholic Churches in Wigan! After Mass there will be pancakes served in the club next door (the bar will be open too!) **Please sign up for this Mass on the sheets at the back of Church so that the organisers know how many pancakes we will need.**