

The Parishes of

St Jude & St Aidan

Parish Priest: Fr Michael Harwood

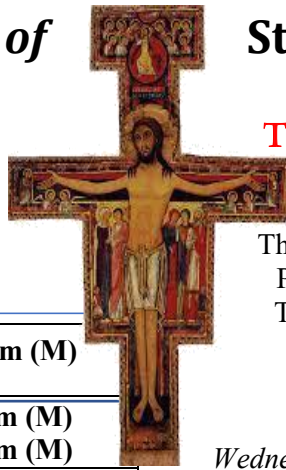
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THE EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

The People of Israel & Palestine, Iran, Lebanon, Syria,
Peace in Ukraine & Russia, Afghanistan, the Sudan.
The people of the parish who are sick and those who

Memorials this week

Monday: *Our Lady of Sorrows*

Tuesday: *St Cornelius & St Cyprian*

Wednesday: *St Robert Bellarmine, St Hildegard of Bingen*

Friday: *St Januarius, St Theodore of Canterbury*

Saturday: *St Kim Tae-gon & Companion Martyrs*

WELCOME to Fr MICHAEL

*We welcome Fr Michael Harwood this weekend
as our new Parish Priest, and look forward to all he brings
in his ministry to the people of St Jude's & St Aidan's*

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	10.00am (M)
Friday	St Jude's	10.00 (M)
Saturday	St Jude's	5.30pm (M)
Sunday	St Aidan's St Jude's	9.00am (M) 10.30am (M)

ADORATION EACH WEEK

CONFESSIONS: SATURDAY, WEDNESDAY
before Mass

CATHOLIC EDUCATION SERVICE: Annual Day of Prayer for students & teachers. Collection 13th/14th September. This Sunday marks one of the oldest Days of Special Prayer in the liturgical calendar of England and Wales, established by the Bishops in 1848. It is an important moment each year to reflect on the vital role of education in the life and mission of the Catholic Church.

THE SEASON OF CREATION

Mass for the Care of Creation St Mary's Oratory, Prescott Lane, Aughton 1.30pm on Saturday 20th September. This is an Archdiocesan event and will be preceded by a Pilgrimage Walk starting at 11.00am from the Oratory.

The Annual Ecumenical Prayer Service will be held at on Tuesday 23rd September 3.00pm at All Saints Church, Golborne. The theme of this years' service is 'Peace with Creation'.

MICHAEL COYNE Sings at St Jude's Social Centre. on Wednesday 24th September 1.00-4.00pm. Ticket's on sale or at the door £5.00.

CATENIAN FUNDRAISING CONCERT for WIGAN & LEIGH HOSPICE: An Irish Night with Michael Coyne Friday 17th October in St Jude's Social Club. Tickets include hot-pot supper £15.00. On sale after the Masses.

OUR SACRAMENTAL PROGRAMME 2025-2026.

Children in Year 4 (or above up to age 14), can begin preparation to receive the sacraments of Reconciliation and Holy Communion. Please collect, complete and return a registration form no later than Sunday 28th September.

MARY'S MEALS: The Archbishop will celebrate Mass for the work of Mary's Meals and the new milestone of reaching 3 million children with daily school meals. Sunday 21st September at St Teresa's Church, College Road, Upholland at 3.00pm. all are welcome. Light refreshments will be served afterwards.

MARY'S MEALS GARDEN PARTY Celebrations continue on Saturday 27th September 1.30-3.30pm at St Peter's Church Hall, Paradise Lane, Formby L37 7EH

FOREIGN CASH FOR MARY'S MEALS: we are collecting left over foreign coins from your holiday again, to turn into cash to feed our Mary's Meals children. Every coin & note count, including currency no longer in circulation. Please put notes & coins in envelopes provided or in any envelope marked Mary's Meals and leave them at the back of church or give them to Liz Clark, Sandra Arpino or Dot Walsh

CELEBRATING MISSIONARIES OF HOPE

Archdiocesan Missio Mass at Our Lady & All Saints Church Parbold, Sunday 28th September 3.00pm with Bishop Tom Neylon.

Wigan & District Catholic Men's Society ROSARY SUNDAY Celebrations; 5th October: Beginning 2.00pm outside St John's Church, Standishgate with a decade of the Rosary before a Procession up to St Mary's for the Service (which includes Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction). Afterwards, refreshments will be available and an opportunity for social time. Everyone is welcome to attend – bring the family!

STJUDE'S CHOIR: would welcome new members; Please speak to Jean or join the choir upstairs for Sunday Mass. You will be greatly appreciated.

HOME MISSIONS: 20th/21st September.

First Mass Count: 20th/21st September

ADORAMUS 2025: Liverpool Cathedral of Christ the King Saturday 8th November.

There will be a Wigan Family of Parishes coach organised for this special day. Please keep the date in mind.