**When Mass intentions are received by the Parish, the names will be put on the Newsletter the following week so that prayers can be said by everyone for those people and then Masses will be offered by a priest in the order that they are handed in & appear in the parish Mass book. When people’s anniversaries, or birthday remembrances fall in a given week, their names will also now be listed on the newsletter for that week.**

**At some point in the future, the individual’s name will also now be printed on the newsletter for a particular Mass, to show that the Priest is fulfilling his obligation to offer in his own prayers that named person during a particular Mass.**

**We cannot guarantee that any specific Mass intention will be possible at a particular Mass, on a particular day, but their name will now appear on the parish newsletter up to three times – the week it was handed in, the week of the actual anniversary/birthday and the day the Mass intention is being offered by the priest at Mass. Every Sunday and Holy Days the Parish Priest must also offer one of the Masses for all of his parishioners.**

**Every Mass is always celebrated for everyone. No-one is forgotten by God, on any day, whether their name is on the newsletter or not and each of us may also be praying for someone else at the same Mass we all attend.**

**Anniversary Remembrance intentions requested at this time:** Jimmy Fitzgerald; Marie Holgate

**Birthday Remembrance intentions requested at this time:**

**Mass Intentions received this week:** Richard Doyle, Betty Garcia,

Robert Fowler, Jennifer Hughes, Celia Smullen, Henry Morris**,**

Maxine O’Hare,

**Let us pray for all those who have died this week especially:**

**William Skarratts, Harold Highton, Michelle Downes,**

**Celia Smullen and John Morrisroe**

Your prayers are also asked for their families and friends at this time and;

- all those who have died recently, their families and friends,

- all those who are sad, the sick, lonely, or depressed.

- all our Special Intentions for family and friends, alive or dead.

- for the empty place at the table; a candle light, prayer before our meals;

- the separated and divorced; the unemployed, the hungry & homeless.

***Saturday/ Sunday 10rd/11th November 2018***

***32nd Week of Ordinary Time / Year B* REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY**

**Mass and Service Times**

Vigil and First Mass of Sunday:

Sat 10th 6.00 pm **Parishioners**

Sun 11th 11.00 am Maggie Healey

**Memorial of St Josaphat, 17th Century Polish Bishop and Martyr**

Mon 12th 9.00 am **Pious List**

**10 30am FUNERAL William Skarratts**

Tues 13th 9.00 am John Brennan

**3.00pm FUNERAL Harold Highton**

Wed 14th 2**.30 pm** Holy Hour in the Convent

Thurs 15th 10.00am **FUNERAL Michelle Downes**

**7.30 pm Annual Mass for the Dead**

Fri 16th 9.00 am **Pious List**

Sat 17th 10.00 am Mass @ St Michael’s and All Angel’s Church

**33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year B:**

Vigil and First Mass of Sunday

Sat 17th 6.00 pmJosie Doyle

Sun 18th 11.00 am **Parishioners**

**Sacrament of Reconciliation/Confession**

**& Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament at the Altar**

**Saturdays 5.15-5.45pm & Sundays 10.15-10.45am.**

**Special Annual Mass for all those who have died,**

**especially those who have had funerals here in the past twelve months, on Thursday, 15th November at 7.30pm**

***Special Collection weekend of 24th/25th November for ‘National Youth Sunday’, which contributes to the running costs of ‘Animate’, the youth service in the Archdiocese of Liverpool***

***April 2018.***

***Fifth Sunday of Easter /Year B.***

**Mass and Service Times**

Vigil and First Mass of Sunday

Sat 28th 6.00 pm **Parishioners**

Sun 29th 11.00 am Celia Smullen (Sick

**Third week of Easter**

Mon 30th 9.00 am

**May**

Tue 1st 9.00 am

Wed 2nd 9.00 am No morning Mass

**2.30 pm Holy Hour at the Convent**

Thur 3rd  **7.30 pm** Mary Carroll

Fri 4th 9.00 am

Sat 5th 9.00 am No morning Mass

**Sixth Sunday of Easter** (Vocations Sunday)

Vigil and First Mass of Sunday

Sat 5th 6.00 pm Catherine Hegarty

Sun 6th 11.00am **Parisshioners**

***This*** *Weekend is World Day of Prayer for the specific vocation of the* Priesthood and religious life, of orders and lay associations. The ‘Priest Training Fund’ special collection will **NOT** be taken next weekend,

as instead we have a Special Missionary Appeal for the

St Patrick’s Missionary Society (Kiltegan Fathers) at both Masses next weekend. The collection for Vocation Sunday will be taken at some time in the future, as advertised on the newsletter.

**ST JOSEPH AND ST LAURENCE’S PARISH**

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Our **HOME-CHURCH-SCHOOL** links, each support and build up the parish family, as we recognise and celebrate being part of something bigger; the visible Body of Christ; the gathered community; this is what CHURCH is really all about- we are the People of God- laity, deacons, priests, bishops, across our archdiocese of Liverpool, making up part of the world-wide family of the Church, gathered by God the Father, under the Word of God and the Holy Spirit and with the Pope.

The terrible failure of War is remembered with added poignancy this weekend, as we mark the 100th anniversary of the Armistice of hostile actions, on the Western Front, the end of the First World War. The fact that this was indeed the first war of global scale, that twenty years later saw its second, ironically emphasised that it was not in fact the ‘war to end all wars’. Peace needs justice and justice needs love-in-action to temper the sometimes-harsh edges of our human reactions, that can head towards retribution, or vengeance at its worst. Politics and diplomacy, virtues and conscience all form a complicated jig-saw that lead us to,or prevent War. We pray that today we will remember and learn and act accordingly, to minimise the occasions of violence, in speech, or action.

**FR SEAN**

**The Youth Groups that travel by Coach to Lourdes each year assist with those adults needing assistance and the sick pilgrims, enjoy their company, gain new friends and deepen their faith, in a communal experience of service to each other. There is a Knowsley Youth Coach that leaves from Kirkby each year**. The Youth pilgrims travel Thursday 18th July and return the 27th July 2019. Application forms are downloadable from the youth service website from Monday, 1st October: **animateyouth.org**

This is for young parishioners 15years old (or in year 10) – 22 years of age.

The price is £530 per person, but the parish with part-fund at least £300 per young person from our parish and there will also be fundraising activities arranged with and for the young people, to meet the rest of the cost - so effectively for FREE. Hard-copies of the forms are also at the back of Church.

**FINANCES: CATHOS £296.98 Church repairs £12.42**

**SAB £27.99 Lourdes £19.92**

**Thank you for your generosity, support and prayers.**

**Holy Hour @ 2.30pm @ Convent on Wednesday**

***NEXT Weekend***

***1st Tony Bennett TeresaTtaylor***

***2nd Anthony Ely Christine Callaghan***

***INT Libbie Ely Barbara Lye***

***HL Joe Bennett Margaret Byrne***

***CL Jane Hines Alex Fleming***

***CL A McGuinness Ann Murphy***

***HR Gerard Riley Sr Jessie***

***CR Leslie Lester Ellen Richards***

***CR*** ***Chris Davies Ann Conning***

***\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* Thank you to all the children who have been prepared and received the gift of Jesus’ Body & Blood in Holy Communion for their FIRST time. It is wonderful now to continue to receive this gift from God every week and every time they attend Mass. Thank you to their Families, Schools and Catechists, for their support.***

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*Please continue to use the Car Park at the BACK of the Presbytery and back of the Parish Centre at the weekends- the back gate and side doors to the ‘Collins Room’ will be open, to walk through to the back of the Church and into Masses*

**Congratulations** to all our young parishioners who have worked so hard for their A level and GCSE exams this past year. All Saints Catholic High School also had its best results. The efforts of the staff, pupils and family support is seen in the overall positive environment that has been created there, over recent years. Please continue to support Catholic education, for the benefit of the wider community too. All Saints Catholic High School, and both St Joseph and St Laurence’s Primary Schools all provide wonderful care to our children, as they study and learn for life. **Together, as Home- Church-Schools, we will look to build upon the support and care we can give to each other and our wider society.**