

Newsletter Extra

SEPTEMBER 2025

Pilgrimage Mass at the Shrine of Blessed Dominic Barberi

Saturday 13 September 2025

Special Pilgrimage Mass in honour of the Venerable Elizabeth Prout at the Shrine of Blessed Dominic Barberi (WA9 1ZD) on Saturday 13 September at 12.00 noon. Celebrant: Bishop Mark Davies of Shrewsbury. All are welcome. Enquiries: Parish Office 01744 811935 (Mondays & Fridays, 9.00 am – 4.00 pm).



PILGRIMAGE WALK
ST MARY'S PUBLIC ORATORY CHURCH
AUGHTON, ORMSKIRK, (L39 6TA)
SATURDAY 20 SEPTEMBER
This Season of Creation, join us for a pilgrimage walk!
Scan here to sign up!
• Starting at 11am
• 3.5 mile circular route
• 3 prayer stops on the route
• Mass at 1:30pm
For more information, contact Chris Higgins:
c.higgins@rcaol.org.uk

Jubilee for Social Justice

Saturday 20 September

Come together for a celebration of change, equality, and unity at Liverpool Metropolitan Cathedral. Mass at 12.00 noon with Archbishop Malcolm, followed by lunch, reflections and an exhibition until 3.30 pm. An opportunity to connect with like-minded individuals and communities, coming together to celebrate God's vision for a more just society. Please book online at:

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/jubilee-for-social-justice-tickets-1374429849679>

Charities and organisations are welcome to host a stall after Mass. For more information, please email: bernadette.durcan@csan.org.uk



STOP child hunger for just 10p
10p = **Mary's Meals**
Join us to celebrate the work of Mary's Meals
Archbishop John Sherrington will be presiding at a special Mass of celebration for the work of global feeding charity Mary's Meals.
All are welcome!
Light refreshments will be served in the church hall after Mass.
Sunday 21st September at 3 pm
St Teresa's Catholic Church,
23 College Road, Upholland, WN8 0PY
marysmeals.org.uk

DAY FOR CATECHISTS FORMATION & REFLECTION

With the facilitation of Sr Carino and Sr Hyacinthe from the Dominican Sister of St Joseph, there will be spiritual input and practical discussion on the mission of catechesis.



Saturday 27 September



09.30 AM - 4.00 PM



St Margaret Clitherow Centre
L17 1AA

Sign up Here!



For more information, please contact Moses at:
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Fr Tony Slingo

Wednesday 1 October 2025



Fr Tony Slingo, former parish priest of St Benedict's (1995-2006), is celebrating the Ruby Jubilee of his Ordination to the Priesthood this year and warmly welcomes parishioners to join him for Mass on Wednesday 1 October at St Teresa's, Norris Green, Liverpool L11 3BW. Mass will be at 7.30 pm and will be preceded by Contemplative Prayer from 7.00 pm. After Mass, refreshments will be available in the Social Centre (which is beneath the church).

Archbishop Malcolm McMahon, OP



There will be a Mass of Thanksgiving for Archbishop Malcolm's ministry in the Archdiocese on **Friday 3 October at 7.00 pm** in the Cathedral. I am organising a coach for our 'Family of Parishes'. If you would like a place on the coach, please phone Bernie in the Parish Office (630127). Please don't leave it until the last minute!

Our new Archbishop, John Sherrington, would like to thank Archbishop Malcolm in two ways. First, by presenting a 'spiritual bouquet' in the form of prayers, Masses and rosaries. Second, a gift from the Archdiocese. If you would like to contribute to this gift, you could place an offering in an envelope marked 'Archbishop Malcolm's Gift' and hand it to me or place it in the Sunday collection. Many thanks. *Fr Dave*

MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE

Getting married in the Catholic Church?

Take time out from wedding planning to focus on your relationship and prepare for married life together.

The Archdiocese of Liverpool is offering a four-session Marriage Preparation Course for engaged couples, led by trained lay facilitators.

Choose from two **identical** courses in June/July or September/October.

Course A: 16 June, 23 June, 30 June, 7 July 6:30pm – 8:30pm (Mondays) Christ the King Church, Queens Drive, Childwall, L15 6YQ	What's Covered? <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Communication skills• Conflict management• Forgiveness & reconciliation• Parenthood• Sexuality• Sacramental marriage• and much more! <p>Course fee: £50 per couple</p>
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Scan here to book now!



Get in touch with us...
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Archdiocesan Jubilee Day



Guild of St Stephen

Jubilee Pilgrimage to Lourdes

The Archdiocesan Guild of St Stephen's Pilgrimage to Lourdes is currently accepting bookings. The pilgrimage will take place from 26 October to 1 November 2025, and further information is included on the flyer at the back of church. For more information, please contact Rose Curry on 07932 729896.



Check out what's going on in the Archdiocese:

www.liverpoolcatholic.org.uk/events

Pastoral Development Newsletter:

www.liverpoolcatholic.org.uk/departments/pastoral-development

Liverpool Metropolitan Cathedral:

<https://liverpoolmetrocathedral.org.uk>

Irenaeus Centre for Spirituality:

www.irenaeus.co.uk

Animate Youth Ministries:

www.animateyouth.org

Catholic Church in England & Wales

www.cbcew.org.uk

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