

**August Break:** Our hard-working Catechists and Choir will take a well-earned rest during August, so there will be no Children's Liturgy or Choir Practice till September.

### REPEAT NOTICES

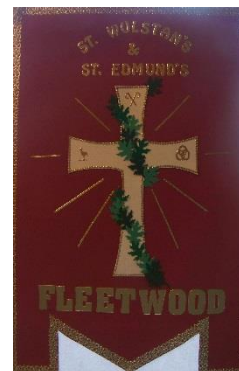
**Stephen's Next Move:** As mentioned at Mass last Sunday, the Bishop has decided to post Stephen to St Mary's, Morecambe, in preparation for his first year of seminary, hopefully at the Beda College, Rome, in late September. St Mary's will be his place of residence when he returns home during holidays. Stephen will be leaving St Wulstan's on 20<sup>th</sup> August, and I, personally, like many of you, will be sorry to see him go. He has been a great pastoral asset, not only to the Parish, but to Cardinal Allen and a fair number of the needy of Fleetwood in general, especially those with drug addiction.

**Annual Pilgrimage to Cleator:** The Annual Pilgrimage to the Diocesan shrine of Our Lady of Lourdes at Cleator will take place on **Sunday 11th September 2022**. The principal celebrant and preacher will be Bishop Paul Swarbrick. Our theme this year is 'Our Lady, Help of Christians.' A broad interpretation of this title - acknowledging the needs of our world internationally and locally. We hope to provide tea and coffee. If needed people can bring their own packed lunch. As well as having a beautiful replica of the Lourdes grotto, we also have in the grounds of the shrine at Cleator statues of the Cure of Ars and St Therese of Lisieux. The pilgrimage will be an opportunity not only to honour Mary the Mother of God, but also these two great saints, and to ask their intercession for healing and consolation.

**Education Mass:** St Peter's Cathedral, Lancaster, Friday 7<sup>th</sup> October 2022 at 6:30 pm. All parishioners are invited to join Bishop Paul Swarbrick at the annual Diocese of Lancaster Education Mass. This invitation extends in a special way to all those involved in education and faith formation; priests, deacons, catechists, youth ministry, children's liturgy, those in seminary and teachers outside of the Catholic sector. The celebration gives us the opportunity to express our thanks and acknowledge the contribution made by all those in the Diocese involved in the work of education and formation in the faith. Together we ask for God's blessing on the mission of education and formation in our diocese

## *Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary 14/8/22*

Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> 1000 Stephen Bamber's Intentions  
 Monday 15<sup>th</sup> **No Mass**  
 Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> 1800 Fr Patrick Quinlan (RIP)  
 Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> 0930 Marie Garrity (End of Life Care)  
 1000 Holy Half Hour and Benediction  
 Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> 1800 Fr David Duane (RIP)  
 Friday 19<sup>th</sup> 0930 Holy Souls in Purgatory  
 Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> 0930 Bernadette and Tom Delaney (RIP)  
 Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> 1000 People of the Parish



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## *19<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Year C 7/8/22*

Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> 1000 Joan Casey (RIP)  
 Monday 8<sup>th</sup> **No Mass**  
 Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> **St Teresa Benedicta, Patron of Europe**  
 1800 Anne Murphy (LD)  
 Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> **St Lawrence, Deacon**  
 1100 Funeral Mass for Marjory Bamber RIP  
 Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> 1800 Eileen Wright (For good health)  
 Friday 12<sup>th</sup> 0930 Winifred Faulkner (RIP)  
 Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> 0930 People of the Parish  
 Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> **THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BVM**  
 1000 Stephen Bamber's Intentions



**SUNDAY MASS IS NOW LIVESTREAMED ON YOUTUBE VIA OUR PARISH WEBSITE**

**CONFESSIONS:** 0900 - 0930 on Saturdays or anytime on request

*St Wulstan's will be open 30 minutes before the start of each Mass.  
 The Lady Chapel is open every day from 0800-1700*

### Collection

24<sup>th</sup> July £532.58  
 31<sup>st</sup> July £659.20  
 Thank you

### Attendance

Sunday - 121 Website - 152 Households  
 Sunday - 123 Website - 99 Households

### Keeping in Touch:

Twitter <https://twitter.com/ssWulstanEdmund>

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Instagram: St Wulstan & St Edmund



**Please pray for:** All the sick and housebound of our parish family and also those in care or in hospital

**Anniversaries this Week:** Sybil Wright, Margaret Dunne, Jenny Harrison, Ann Bailey, Frank McAvoy, Frederick Fenlon, Elizabeth McCloud, Sybil Whiteside, Rita Roney, Joan Farrell, Florence Watson, Sally Flynn, Ralph Lewis, Maura Haughton.

**Baptism Anniversaries:**

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| Lola Grace Challoner     | 4 <sup>th</sup> August 2013  | Isla Rae Peoples     | 6 <sup>th</sup> August 2017  |
| Isabella Lisa Bailey     | 7 <sup>th</sup> August 2011  | George Jacob Wilson  | 7 <sup>th</sup> August 2011  |
| Archie Peter Fairbrother | 7 <sup>th</sup> August 2016  | Finley Jay Munton    | 9 <sup>th</sup> August 2009  |
| Poppy Mai Harris         | 11 <sup>th</sup> August 2013 | Isaac Joel Challoner | 13 <sup>th</sup> August 2017 |
| Jacob George Stedman     | 14 <sup>th</sup> August 2011 | Niamh Moore          | 19 <sup>th</sup> August 2017 |

**Churches Together Prayer Calendar:** This week we are praying for Emmanuel and St Paul's Churches and the people of Bayside, Cross Street, Gordon Road, Langdale Court, Mount Street, Rothay Avenue, Warren Street, Beach Road, Crown Lane, Grange Road, Langwood, Mowbray Place, Rothwell Drive, and Warwick Place with the prayer: *May the peace of Christ be in their hearts and their homes.*

**NEW NOTICES**

**Bulletin:** Please keep this copy of the bulletin for Mass times for the whole fortnight.

**Meetings this fortnight:** 1900 Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> August - Finance Committee in presbytery  
1830 Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> August - Bible Share in Presbytery.  
1030 Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> August - New altar servers 'practice

**Bonus Ball:** Winners for 23<sup>rd</sup> July were Maria Stansfield and Pat Tse Lawrence with No 26.  
Winners for 30<sup>th</sup> July were Vivien McCarron and Anne Thompson with No 12.

**Welcome Back:** to Father Dan Daley, ordained priest on 25<sup>th</sup> June at Westminster Cathedral. Dan did his pastoral placement with us during his propaedeutic year at Valladolid, so it is a great joy for us to welcome him back to celebrate Mass for us on Sunday. An added bonus is that he has brought his mum with him for the weekend.

**Father Alf's Golden Jubilee - Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> September:** Mass will be celebrated at 6pm followed by a reception in the school hall to which all are invited; but we do need to know numbers (by 15<sup>th</sup> August) for catering purposes. Please add your name to the list at the back of church. Desserts have not been ordered as the cakes from the bakers in this parish are far superior! We would be grateful for any cakes and bakes for the occasion. Please add your name to the 'bakers' list' if you are willing to bake. We are looking forward to welcoming many of Father Alf's family and friends as well as priests from this diocese and further afield.

**Thankyou 1:** Eileen and Dave Swarbrick and Helen's daughter Mollie would like to thank you all for your prayers and cards, to Anne for the Readings, Adrian for the music and Fr Alf for the Service. Many thanks and God Bless.

**Thankyou 2:** Jo Wright writes - "Thank you for the Requiem Mass celebrated for Joan. We also thank the 'small and tall' altar servers, the lovely Choir conducted by Joe. Those were the days when Joan and I sang with the Boys' Choir many years ago. St Wulstan's holds a lot of memories for me. I also thank Claire and Ruth for the two Readings. With grateful thanks".

**Thankyou 3:** To all who patronised the "BEE TEA" which raised £554, which will be shared between two Charities - Friends of the Holy Land and The Ukraine Appeal.

**Thankyou 4:** CAFOD has written to thank us for our latest donation of £287.00 which will be used for the Ukrainian Humanitarian Appeal, to reach families who have been forced to leave their homes due to the conflict. Our donations are already being used to provide food, clean water, healthcare and travel into safe areas or neighbouring countries. On behalf of the families you are reaching out to with kindness and compassion, thank you.

**Congratulations:** to Kelly Hayton and Robert Clare who will be getting married in St Wulstan's this Saturday at 1pm. We ask God to bless them both as they begin married life and pray that they will have many happy years together.

**St Bernadette's Relics:** You may remember that a few years ago the relics of St Therese de Lisieux came on tour to England, and were greeted with great reverence during the two days she spent in our Cathedral by a huge number of visitors. This year it is the turn of St Bernadette, but the time scale for visits is very tight. She will arrive at the Cathedral at 0800 on Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> September and leave for Carlisle at 0630 on Friday 23<sup>rd</sup>, and there will be a programme of events during the 24 hours. Obviously, because of the great interest, many people will want to go, it is suggested that you register to book a time. All details of the tour, and how to register can be found at [www.stbernadette.org.uk/the-tour/](http://www.stbernadette.org.uk/the-tour/). If there is enough interest, I can make a block booking and will be happy to take the minibus. More details will be issued by the Diocese in the next couple of weeks and in the September version of The Voice. Please put your name on the list at the back if interested.

**Calling All Gardeners:** Our local Bee Association's Gardening Society has arranged for BBC Gardeners' Questions Time to come to Preston. Tickets are now on sale for this exciting event at [Gardeners Question Time - 16th August 2022 - 5pm | University of Central Lancashire Online Store \(uclan.ac.uk\)](http://Gardeners Question Time - 16th August 2022 - 5pm | University of Central Lancashire Online Store (uclan.ac.uk))

**Latest Course from Stoneyhurst:** **The Search for Happiness.** Our yearly course in Thomistic philosophy and theology, in partnership with CEPHAS, focusses on the Cardinal virtues this year. **The Search for Happiness** will offer a close study of the four pillars of the good life, reflecting on the necessary interior structures for responding justly to the challenges of the contemporary world. **Runs 26<sup>th</sup> - 29<sup>th</sup> August 2022.** Further information & booking: <https://christianheritagecentre.com/events/the-search-for-happiness/>

**PS From Brian Wood:** Many years ago, two boys at a public school formed a close friendship and a fierce rivalry at the same time. They competed in everything. As the years went by, one became an Anglican Bishop and the other became an Admiral in the Navy. After many years of never meeting, they bumped into each other on platform four at Euston station, each of them in their full uniform. The rivalry rose again as the Bishop addressed the Admiral "Stationmaster, does the Scotland train go from this platform?". The Admiral, looking closely at the Bishop's cassock and his ample girth, replied "Yes madam it does, but do you think you should be undertaking such a long journey in your condition?" Dear Jesus, we thank you for all the good clean humour in the world which helps to oil the wheels of daily life.