

**KSC Young People's Zoom Virtual Seminar:** Faith - Family – Fraternity. An invitation to young Catholics aged 16-23 years old. Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2020. For full details, please see youth page on the parish website.

### REPEATS

#### LIFE Shops:

Exciting news! Life's shops are reopening throughout July, and you're just around the corner! Your help to those shops is *vital* to help Life bounce back from lockdown. And we are accepting donations when we're open. Our nearest shop is at St John Vianney's, Blackpool. For more information go to [leadership@lifecharity.org.uk](mailto:leadership@lifecharity.org.uk).

**Marriage Care - we're still here to help couples:** Relationships are hard to do at the best of times, but right now, families are having to juggle so many new problems - home schooling, job losses and more. Marriage Care continues to offer Relationship Counselling via online web cam 'face to face' services e.g. Zoom. Financial pressures mean that spending money on Counselling support is the last thing on a couples mind. There is no set charge for counselling, but a donation towards the Counselling session. There are Marriage Care Counsellors across the country ready & available to offer On-Line 'face to face' Counselling services via web cam. Appointments hot line: **0800 389 3801** Mon-Thurs (10.30am - 6pm) or go to [www.marriagecare.org.uk](http://www.marriagecare.org.uk)

**Help to get out and about:** Community Transport is a door-to-door service available to Lancashire residents who find it difficult to access public transport. Fares are payable to the driver (currently £2 each way) and can provide access to local supermarkets and other destinations. Tel: 01772 537290 for info.

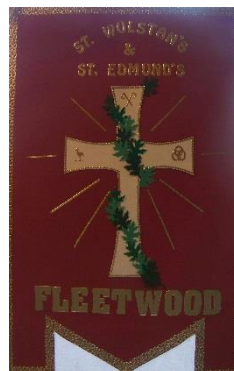
**Zoom Green Hut Tea and Coffee:** Feel free to join us on Zoom after Mass on Sunday from 1100-1130, having made yourself a nice cuppa. See repeat news overleaf for details. To join <https://us04web.zoom.us/j/6786424346?pwd=dzhJRmFwVXJ5UjQ4Z092YXlndiNkdz09>  
The Meeting ID: 678 642 4346  
Password: 7Ajkr7

#### Keeping in Touch:

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- > **Facebook:** <https://www.facebook.com/st.wulstansfleetwood/>
- > **Instagram:** St Wulstan & St Edmund

**A Note from the Hospital Chaplain:** If you have people there whom you would like the Catholic Chaplain to visit you can call him at St Kentigern's on 01253 393439. The Hospital Chaplaincy Office number is 01253 953876 or you can email [bfwhospitals@nhs.net](mailto:bfwhospitals@nhs.net). In urgent cases ring the switchboard 01253 300000 and ask for the on-call Catholic Chaplain.

**Our Centenary:** As you know we will celebrate the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of St Wulstan's 2025 so it would be good to start gathering memorabilia, photos, anecdotes, tales of characters, parish priests, events, history, which we can put towards a great celebration. If you have photos to share, please put your name on the back, and annotate any people you know in the photo. Please hand in at the presbytery. They will be returned to you after they have been scanned.



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### 16th Sunday of Year A 19/7/20

Sunday 19 <sup>th</sup>	People of the Parish 1000 (On Parish Website)
Monday 20 <sup>th</sup>	<b>No Mass</b>
Tuesday 21 <sup>st</sup>	1800 (W) Fr Peter Sharpe (Thanksgiving 50 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary)
Wednesday 22 <sup>nd</sup>	<b>ST MARY MAGDALENE</b> 0930 (W) Bernadette and Tom Delaney (RIP)
Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup>	<b>ST BRIDGET, PATRON OF EUROPE</b> 1800 (W) Margaret D'Ambrosio
Friday 24 <sup>th</sup>	<b>NB 1800 (W) MARTYRS OF CUMBRIA</b> Dennis Clarke (RIP)
Saturday 25 <sup>th</sup>	<b>ST JAMES, APOSTLE</b> 0900 (W) Pat Wilson (RIP)
Sunday 26 <sup>th</sup>	People of the Parish 1000 (On Parish Website)

**CONFESSIONS:** On request - providing social distancing is observed

*St Edmund's church is closed until further notice*  
**In addition to Mass times, when church will be open from 30 minutes before the start of Mass: St Wulstan's is now open for personal prayer Tuesday & Thursday from 17.00**

<b>Collection:</b> £502.50	<b>Attendance (Website)</b> 225 Households	<b>Weekdays Mass attendance</b> 117 (total)
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Thankyou.



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

**Anniversaries this Week:** Florrie Garrett, Christine Leadbetter, Joan Rankine, Louise Latus, Fr Ron Ward, Bernadette Delaney, Rose Murphy, Connie Betty

**Baptism Anniversaries:**

Dominic Andrew Ackrell 19<sup>th</sup> July 2015

Beau Breakell 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2017

William Martin James Robinson 24<sup>th</sup> July 2016

**Churches Together Prayer Calendar:** This week we are praying for the Salvation Army and the people of Back Cop Lane, The Croft, Garfield Street, Lamour Place, Monroe Drive, Rossall Grange Lane, Warren Avenue South with the prayer: *May the peace of Christ be in their hearts and in their homes.*

**NEW NOTICES**

**Volunteers for Faith in the Community:** As you know, our SVP Foodbank amalgamated with St Peter's Mustard Seed Group some months ago, to form "Faith in the Community", a united Christian outreach to those of our community who are in need. Our new premises will be in the old Fleetwood hospital which is to be known as "The Pantry". We were due to open in May, but Covid 19 put an end to that.

In the meantime, both our organisations formed an alliance with West End Community Centre, Fleetwood Town, Wyre Borough and other organisations to form "Fleetwood Together", which has been operating out of the Marine Hall, staffed entirely by volunteers, and taking crates of food every week to over 1200 people, not only in Fleetwood, but across Wyre Borough.

At the end of July, however, we will have to hand back the Marine Hall. Luckily, work on the Pantry has been going on in earnest throughout June, and all signs are that it will be ready for handover by the end of July. Clearly, because of space, we will not be able to operate on such a grand scale, but this is being taken into account during planning for the transition.

The Pantry will be open Mondays to Fridays from 1000-1500, and will be staffed by volunteers, under a manager. There are many different types of volunteer work involved, and people are free to choose what they would like to do, and what day or days they would like to volunteer. If you would like to volunteer, please pick up a Volunteer Application Form from the back of church, or ask Fr Alf to drop one through your letter box.

As you can see by the above dates, there is a little note of urgency in the appeal, so I would be very grateful for a speedy response if you are able to help. Thank you.

**Bonus Ball:** Winners for 11<sup>th</sup> July were Susan Noble and Jeannie Hibbell with No 22.

**Parish Prayer Group on Zoom:** Takes place every Saturday at 1000. Code for this Saturday is 882 174 7392 and the Password is Abc123

**Notes from Healthier Fleetwood:**

First steps to fitness - Ideas for 10 minute workouts and link s to apps that support and measure your progress can be found on NHS One You website.

A healthy mind too - artists or members of a writing group are invited to take part in a research project on how Covid 19 has affected them and to encourage creativity in the future.

A helping hand - Gingerbread is for single parents: in the future they hope to hold meetings, offering a brew and support for mums and dads. Visit their Facebook page to find out more.

**CAFOD CORONA VIRUS APPEAL:** Thanks to generous support from the Catholic community, we are already working across 26 countries, to prevent the virus' spread, and limit food shortages it has caused in the poorest communities. But there is so much more to be done. The needs are immense, long term, complex, and evolving, and so our response needs to be large scale, and multifaceted. If your parish has already donated, thank you so much for your support. If you are able to invite your parish to respond this month, please see [the ways you can do so](#). Your local CAFOD representative will be very pleased to help with any of these: Patrick Gardner at [pgardner@cafod.org.uk](mailto:pgardner@cafod.org.uk) Mobile: 07920 565 454. Emma Nolan at: [enolan@cafod.org.uk](mailto:enolan@cafod.org.uk) Mobile: 07769 931 373. Whatever is possible at this time in your parish, we ask you continue to pray for the communities worst hit by this pandemic and its many effects. Everything we do, in every region, is different because of this disease. The challenges are enormous and ongoing, but your support is enabling us through our Catholic networks, to adapt and respond. I am as ever grateful for your trust and support. Thank you.

**St Mary's:** For those shopping down town, St Mary's is now open for private prayer on Saturdays from 1000 till 12noon.

**Donna Worthington's Online Retreats via Zoom:**

RUBLEV'S ICON | Gaze at this remarkable painting... an invitation to sit at the table of The Trinity. Sunday 9th August 2-5pm

THE WILD MAN, THE RIVER & THE BEE | Journeying with Jesus to the river where he was baptised by wild man John the Baptist, (eater of wild bees' honey), we explore the Christian symbolism of 'the bee', the 'honey' and 'the hive'.

Sat 15th August 2-5pm OR Mon 17th 9.30am-12.30pm. If you wish to attend, just choose the date that suits you and email me [drworthington@live.co.uk](mailto:drworthington@live.co.uk)

**Parish Quiz Night:** Following the success of the previous 'Zoom Parish Quiz Nights' we will be holding another one on **Wednesday** evening next week in two sections. Please join us.

Part 1: 7.00-7.45 & Part 2: 7.45-8.30 : Meeting ID: **616 766 9574** ~ Password: **4Pdd7w**

<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/6167669574?pwd=UU1FK1Qxam5YZEJ0TWlFNk9Pd05xQT09>

**'Children's Challenge'**

**This week's challenge continues from last week....**

We are hoping to produce a booklet of children's prayers and letters to God.

Could you write a prayer or a letter to God and send it to [wulstans@gail.com](mailto:wulstans@gail.com) ?

All letters and prayers will be published on the website and then compiled into a booklet.

More details on our children's page on the website.

**For more details and for pictures of our previous challenges, Please see our website.**

**Postscript from Brian Wood:** Martyrdom, something I aspired to as a small child. How simple...a quick death, then straight off to heaven. But life's not like that. Our martyrdom is moment by moment...the stubbed toe, the rheumatic twinge. Through our morning offering, we are all martyrs of the moment. Dear Jesus, let me offer you everything I suffer so that nothing ever goes to waste.