

**PS from Brian Wood:** Until recently, whenever the Queen was at Sandringham, she often went shopping, especially to the local sweet shop, for sweets for the children. On one occasion, she was in the shop waiting for the shop owner to finish weighing out her sweets, when a woman came into the shop. She looked at the Queen and said, "Do you know, you look exactly like the Queen." Her Majesty laughed and replied "Oh, how very reassuring". Dear Jesus, continue to give the Queen good health and wisdom in her life of public service.

**REPEAT NOTICES**

**Returning to Sunday Mass - A message from our Bishops:** In the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, the Lord's Supper, the Lord Jesus entrusted to us the precious gift of Himself. With humility, we glory in being a Eucharistic people for whom attendance at Mass is essential. Looking forward to the forthcoming feast of Pentecost, we now invite all Catholics who have not yet done so to return to attending Mass in person. As the Church needs the witness of the presence of each person, so too each believer needs to journey in faith and worship with their fellow disciples. Nourished by our encounter with the Risen Lord Jesus, fed with His Word and His Body and Blood in Holy Communion, and supported by the presence of each other, we receive strength week by week, to serve the Lord and glorify Him with our lives

**Women Together in the Diocese of Lancaster:** Invite you to Our Lady and St Edward's Social Centre, Fulwood, Preston PR2 9UE, to explore and reflect on our Mission in the Church, on Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> June from 1030-1530. Mass at 12noon. Lunch will be provided. The reflection will be led by Sister Philomena Grimley SHJC. For more details or to book for lunch, ring 01524 412409, 01772 715495, or email [suegornall@talktalk.net](mailto:suegornall@talktalk.net)

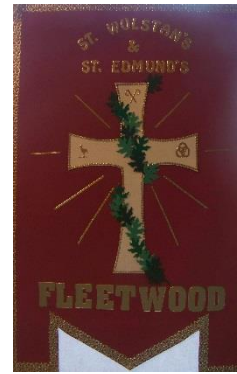
**Fylde Memorial Arboretum:** For those who don't know, as I didn't until recently, there is a lovely arboretum in Bispham, well worth a visit, a place of peace, reconciliation and tranquillity amidst the hustle and bustle of the industrial estate nearby. I came across it because I've been asked to dedicate a memorial stone there for the 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Falklands War. This will take place at 1100 on Friday 24<sup>th</sup> June. If anyone would like to come, I'm happy to take the minibus. Let me know.

**PRAYER FOR THE QUEEN:**

**Priest:** O Lord, save Elizabeth, our Queen. **Response:** And hear us on the day we call upon you.  
 O Lord, hear my prayer. And let my cry come before you.  
 The Lord be with you. And with your spirit.

**Together:** Almighty God, we pray, that your servant Elizabeth, our Queen, who, by your providence has received the governance of this realm, may continue to grow in every virtue, that, imbued with your heavenly grace, she may be preserved from all that is harmful and evil and, being blessed with your favour may, with the royal family, come at last into your presence, through Christ, who is the way, the truth and the life and who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever. Amen.

At the end of Mass, Joe will sing a specially composed Latin Motet, the translation of which is: (O Lord, save Elizabeth, our Queen and hear us on the day we call upon you).



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**Pentecost Year C 5/6/22**

Sunday 5 <sup>th</sup>	1000 People of the Parish
Monday 6 <sup>th</sup>	<b>No Mass</b>
Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup>	1800 Sister Evelyn Wilson (Anniversary)
Wednesday 8 <sup>th</sup>	0930 Kieran Sullivan (Anniversary) 1000 - Holy Half Hour and Benediction
Thursday 9 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Our Lord Jesus Christ, Eternal High Priest</b> 1800 Jo and Catherine Lupton (Birthday Anniversary)
Friday 10 <sup>th</sup>	0930 Ryan Savage (RIP)
Saturday 11 <sup>th</sup>	0930 People of the Parish
Sunday 12 <sup>th</sup>	<b>THE BLESSED TRINITY</b> 1000 Deceased Cuffe Family Members



**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**

<b>Collection</b>	<b>Attendance</b>
29 <sup>th</sup> May £902.30	Sunday - 151    Weekdays (total) - 332    Website - 72 Households

Thank you

**Keeping in Touch:**

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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:** Harold Cottier, John Pritchard, Kieran Sullivan, Lillian Mair, Thomas Fyall, Joan Coniola, Sam Harrison, Joseph Ackers.

**Churches Together Prayer Calendar:** This week we are praying for St Nicholas Church and the people of Arthur Street North, Church Street, Fleetwood Road, Kentmere Close, Melbourne Avenue, The Ridgeway and Ullswater Avenue with the prayer: *May the peace of Christ be in their hearts and their homes.*

## NEW NOTICES

**Bonus Ball:** Winners for 21<sup>st</sup> May were Annie Benson and Peggy Parkinson with No 8. Winner for 28<sup>th</sup> May was Margaret Yeo with No 20.

**Meetings This Week:** Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> 1900 Maintenance Committee in Presbytery  
Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> 1830 Bible Share in the presbytery.

**Thank you:** from Judith Wood to all those who supported the Queen's Pre Platinum Lunch on May 24<sup>th</sup>. We raised the sum of £231.30 for the NSPCC. Your support is greatly valued.

**Update of Hospital visiting rules:** Yesterday morning it was announced that the Trust's visiting guidelines have been relaxed further and are now not very different to pre-pandemic arrangements. In the A&E department, patients, and those waiting to be seen, are now allowed one person to accompany them. Generally, out-patients may be accompanied by another person, and in-patients may have two visitors for one of two two-hour visiting slots. Full details, including special arrangements for maternity and ante-natal appointments are available at: [Visiting and outpatients | Blackpool Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust \(bfwh.nhs.uk\)](https://www.bfwh.nhs.uk) All visitors are expected to fully comply with the Infection prevention and control measures put in place (specifically: sanitizing hands, wearing appropriate masks, and social distancing as appropriate).

**The Deanery Pastoral Council:** A few words about our second meeting of Parish Clergy and lay representatives of this important group. Under the headings of looking to the future shape of our Church in Blackpool and North Fylde we looked at creating English Martyrs church as a shared centre for spirituality and adult education, the need for sharing parish catechesis and training, and the possibility of working towards a joint Mass for Young People (Mid teens to thirty year olds) on the feast of Christ the King - partly for its own sake, but also so that parishes work together.

**Strengthen - A Catholic Men's Conference:** Will take place at All Hallows School, Preston on Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> June from 1000-2130, led by our friend John Pridmore, ex East End Gangster. It will be a day to strengthen your *Character* as a man, your core *Purpose* and your everyday missioned *Impact*. Book your place on Eventbrite - Registration £5.00. Voluntary contribution

**Donna Worthington's latest Retreat:** Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> June, 10am-1pm. The Spiritual Canticle of St John of the Cross. Explore this exquisite poem, wrought from his own personal darkness. For more info go to [drworthington@live.co.uk](mailto:drworthington@live.co.uk) or ring 07770 719198.

**Updates from Castlerigg and the Youth Service:** We are still looking for a few more gap year volunteers and we're also looking for a Programme Leader - the latter being a 2-year paid post. Anyone interested can contact [jack@castleriggmanor.co.uk](mailto:jack@castleriggmanor.co.uk) or go to <http://castleriggmanor.com/join-the-team/>

**Castlerigg Open Day, July 17<sup>th</sup>** // The day starts with Mass at 1pm, and ends at 5pm. £5 a ticket, or £1 for under 5s. Tickets include a burger, a drink and (for adults) a raffle entry too. Register at <http://castleriggmanor.com> - it's all about supporting the youth service and connecting with the community! **World Youth Day Lisbon 2023** // Bookings are open. Head to <http://castleriggmanor.com/World-Youth-Day-2023/> for more details

**A Day of Renewal:** will be led by Fr Pat Deegan, Spiritual Director for the Northern Catholic Conference, on the theme of 'The Good Shepherd', at St Clare's, Sharoe Green Lane, Fulwood, Preston PR2 9HH, on Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> June from 1000 - 1600. Please bring packed lunch. For more info 07745 009694 or 07954 429333.

**Jesuit Retreats for Young Adults:** The Jesuits are running retreat for UK based young adults in their 20s and 30s in late July as follows: Online 27th July- 1st August 2022 St Beuno's - Residential 28th July-1st August 2022. For further information see link below. <https://www.jesuit.org.uk/events/see-all-things-new-a-retreat-for-young-adults-in-their-20s-and3>

**Free Resources for The Blind:** The Xavier Society for the Blind have been providing free braille and audio materials to blind and visually impaired people worldwide since 1900. Their materials are spiritual and inspirational, mostly in the Catholic tradition. They have hundreds of books available in braille and audio and serve clients of all ages. Their books range from biographies of saints and classics like Confessions, to more contemporary titles by popular authors like Scott Hahn and Matthew Kelly. One of their biggest lines of service is the Mass Propers - the readings, prayers, and responses to the Mass on Sundays and special Feast days (basically the Missalette). These are available in braille, audio, and large print. For more information see the link below: [xaviersocietyfortheblind.org](http://xaviersocietyfortheblind.org)

**Patrick's Pots:** Further to Patrick Dempsey's idea of parishioners donating an earthenware pot full of flowers, or a plant, in memory of someone they love who has died, a parishioner has suggested that the Parish could first buy the pots, so that they would be the same size. People could then purchase them and place the name of the deceased person on a plaque or marker stick to go on or inside the pot. The pots would be ranged across the front of the Church, bringing a beautiful touch of colour to complement the green sward/swathe of the lawn. Let us know if you are interested.

**Computers** - Mike Smith, one of our parishioners, writes: The West Fleetwood Computer Clinic is a group of volunteer 'Geeks' who have been repairing computers free of charge for over 8 years. During COVID they refurbished and donated nearly 400 laptops to local schools and individuals. They have a few laptops and desktops for donation. If you know of any groups or individuals who would benefit, or for more information, please contact the group through their Facebook page, [www.facebook.com/wfcomputerclinic](https://www.facebook.com/wfcomputerclinic).