

REPEAT NOTICES

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS:

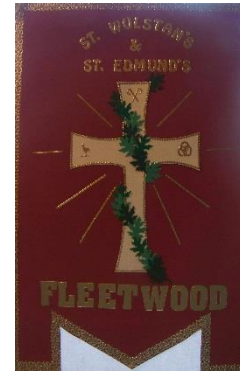
The Government is holding a consultation to remove the 50% cap on faith admissions, seeking views on religious designation reforms for new and existing free schools and special academies.

Part 1) To remove the 50% cap on faith admissions, with the aim of enabling all faith groups to apply to open new faith free schools and

Part 2) To allow new special academies and existing special academies with a recognised faith ethos to apply to be designated as having a religious character.

Read more - [Faith schools reform: Everything you need to know \(schoolsweek.co.uk\)](http://schoolsweek.co.uk)

Please give your views - [Faith school designation reforms - Department for Education](http://Department for Education)




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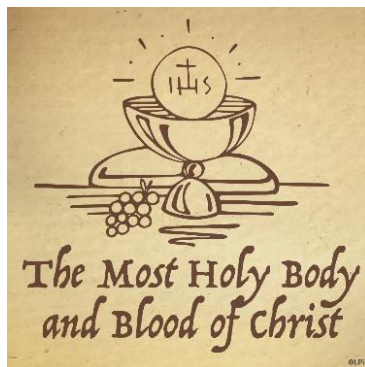
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10th SUNDAY OF THE YEAR ~ Year B ~ 09/06/24

Sunday 9 th	0900 (W) 1100 (M)	Oliver Alderson (Anniversary) Francis Turner (MS)	<i>Mass Intentions</i> 
Monday 10 th	No Mass		
Tuesday 11 th	1800 (W)	Holy Souls	
Wednesday 12 th	1000 (M)	Fr Gerry Dakin (LD)	
Thursday 13 th	No Mass		
Friday 14 th	0930 (W)	Eucharistic Service	
Saturday 15 th	0930 (W)	People of both parishes.	
Sunday 16 th	0900 (W) 1100 (M)	John Docherty (Cancer) Bob Rawcliffe (RIP)	

CORPUS CHRISTI ~ Year B ~ 02/06/24

Sunday 2 nd	0900 (W) 1100 (M)	Lena Walsh (LD) Joseph Walmsley	<i>Mass Intentions</i> 
Monday 3 rd	No Mass		
Tuesday 4 th	No Mass		
Wednesday 5 th	0930 (W)	Eucharistic Service	
Thursday 6 th	No Mass		
Friday 7 th	0930 (W)	SACRED HEART OF JESUS Eucharistic Service	
Saturday 8 th	No Mass		
Sunday 9 th	0900 (W) 1100 (M)	Oliver Alderson (Anniversary) Francis Turner (MS)	



SUNDAY MASS IS LIVESTREAMED ON YOUTUBE VIA OUR PARISH WEBSITE
The Lady Chapel is open every day from 0800-1700 for private prayer.

Confessions during Benediction : Saturday 9.50 - 10.20

Collection	Attendance	Website
26 th May £526.40	131	79 Households

Keeping in Touch: X (formerly Twitter) <https://twitter.com/ssWulstanEdmund>
Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/st.wulstansfleetwood/>

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: Kathleen Williamson, Jessie Witkowski, David Higgins, Peter Nolan, Harold Cottier, Hannah Provoost, John Pritchard, Kieran Sullivan, Lillian Mair, Thomas Fyall, Joan Coniola, Sam Harrison, Joseph Ackers, Fr Thomas Whelan, Margaret Goffin, Canon Mick Taylor,

BAPTISM ANNIVERSARIES:

Callum Daniel Dobby	2 nd June 2014	Alfie Gordon Swales	12 th June 2014
Michael James Hartley	14 th June 2009	Jessica Louise Hartley	14 th June 2009
Spencer Jay Peoples	15 th June 2014		

CHURCHES TOGETHER PRAYER CALENDAR: This week we are praying for St Peter's Parish and St Mary's Parish and the people of Avon Avenue, Avon Green, Darbshire Road, Dean Court, Harbour Trading Estate, Harbour Way, Leven Avenue, Leyburn Avenue, Northway, Oak Street, Southfleet Avenue, Southfleet Place, Witton Avenue and Witton Grove with the prayer: *May the peace of Christ be in their hearts and their homes.*

NEW NOTICES

BULLETIN: Please keep this bulletin for Mass times as there will be no bulletin next week.

SUPPLY PRIEST: We are very pleased to welcome Canon John Gibson to celebrate Sunday Mass for us next week (9th June). John is a native of Fleetwood and was ordained with Fr Peter Sayer, also from Fleetwood, on 7th March 1971 in St Wulstan's.

CATHOLIC PARISH SUMMIT: From 12th - 14th June, the above will take place at the Harrogate Convention Centre and will be attended by Catholic Parish Reps from all over the country, to look at the way ahead for our church in these veer changing times. Our delegates are Fr Alf, Kim Hindle, Catherine Anderton from St Wulstan's and Ania Morgan from St Mary's. Hopefully, we'll be able to bring back some great ideas from our fellow Catholics for the benefit of all. Please pray for the guidance of the Holy Spirit do discuss what God has in mind for us.

DO JUSTICE : A VISION FOR SPIRITUAL AND CIVIC RENEWAL:

At Caritas Social Action Network, we've just launched our Do Justice campaign. You can find out more at: <https://dojustice.co.uk/>

The aim of the campaign is to encourage Catholic parishes and schools to discern the needs of their local communities in the light of the Gospel and to act with the skills and resources they have at their disposal to bring about a more just society. These are some resources that we have created to facilitate the Do Justice campaign at the local level, particularly in Catholic parishes and schools across England and Wales. We are inviting parish communities to 'see' the needs of their local area and consider how the Gospel might call us to respond. We are also regularly updating our website with resources on other topical issues that you can view here: <https://dojustice.co.uk/resources/downloads/>

CHURCH CLEANING: Please could you spare some time for Church Cleaning on Monday, June 3rd at 9.30am. If you can come, please enter by the Choir door.

ST MARY'S FOLK GROUP: Has issued and invitation for anyone who would like to join. Contact Anne Towler for details at Sunday Mass.

BONUS BALL WINNERS: May 25th - No 25 - David Thompson

VIEW FROM THE PEW: I was surprised and somewhat saddened to hear Father Alf say recently, that if he wants to be alone and undisturbed, all he has to do is go and sit in the confessional. Are we all so saintly and saintlike that we do not need the Sacrament of Reconciliation? The graces which come from this Sacrament are powerful and come from the infinite mercy of Jesus. He smiles at us and offers us peace and joy but we do not seem to want to take Him up on this offer. It gives us the opportunity to examine ourselves and our spiritual performance, to see where we are going and where we might need to change tack. Venerable Archbishop Fulton Sheen used to say that people would spend a fortune to lie on the psychiatrist's couch in the search for freedom from guilt whereas the Sacrament of Reconciliation offers us the opportunity to acknowledge our guilt openly, face to face and, in a few moments of burning sorrow, have it removed for ever by the infinite smiling mercy of Jesus. His mercy is sure and his forgiveness is sure. Why are we so reluctant to reach out and accept this wonderful offer "Come now, let us talk this over." Whether our soul is stuck fast in the claggy mud of sin, or we see our lives through the shimmering veil of our peccadilloes, Jesus waits for us in the confessional, beckoning, smiling and patient and will always forgive us if we are sorry. All we have to do is ask. Going to the Sacrament of Reconciliation once a month will give us an accurate evaluation of our state of spiritual health and direction of travel and will help us to grow closer to the infinite love of Jesus. Take advantage of His generous offer "Come now, let us talk this over" and enjoy the peace and joy which only Jesus can give.
Brian Wood

VACANCY FOR A HOSPITAL TEAM CHAPLAIN: The Trust has just published a job advertisement for a Team Chaplain. In the Advert it advises that the position is open to both those seeking full time and part time working. This is because there is actually more than 37.5 hours' worth of vacancy in the department, and the number of hours worked by any individual successful applicant is open to negotiation at the interview stage. This position (these positions) are open to Catholics if they are prepared to work within the general Chaplaincy provision of the hospital. A link for more information is provided below.
[Our Vacancies](#) | [Blackpool Teaching Hospitals NHS Trust](#)

ASIAN HORNETS: The real threat to our Glory Bees is getting closer. A message from Lancashire Beekeepers gives information about what we can do :
https://www.nationalbeeunit.com/assets/PDFs/3_Resources_for_beekeepers/Fact_Sheets/Fact_01_Asian_Hornet_Monitoring.pdf

PS FROM BRIAN WOOD: In 1970, on a sunny afternoon I was walking from Leeds City centre to our flat in Headingley. There was a power cut going on and the traffic lights at the corner of Woodhouse Lane were not working. As a result, the traffic was having great difficulty negotiating the crossroads. Suddenly, in the distance, we could hear the "nee naw" of the police car leading the Judge's limousine from the Court buildings to the Residence in Headingley. The crossroads were blocked with traffic. Suddenly, out of a doorway a tramp strode purposefully, right into the middle of the melee, sorted out the blockage, waved all the cars out of the way and cleared the junction. Then the Police car arrived with the Judge's limousine and swept safely through the empty junction. As the limousine drove past, the tramp came to attention and produced a very smart military salute. Cometh the hour, cometh the man! I hope the Judge appreciated it all! Dear Jesus, please look after all those who need our help and support.