



ROMAN CATHOLIC PARISHES OF FLEETWOOD  
ST MARY'S  
ST WULSTAN AND ST EDMUND'S



27<sup>th</sup> July 2025 – 17<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Ordinary time

**RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS  
(RCIA):**

In September we will be starting a new course for those wishing to become Catholic. If you are interested or know of anyone who would like to explore what it is to be a Roman Catholic Christian, please speak to Fr Stephen to register.

**MASS OFFERINGS:** We currently have plenty of free spaces in our Mass diary. Having Mass offered for a loved one living or dead, or for a specific intention is the greatest of gifts that we can give. If you would like to have a Mass offered there are envelopes at the back of church which you can complete and either leave in the offertory collection plate or post through the presbytery door.

**JUBILEE PILGRIMAGE TO WALSINGHAM:**

In this Jubilee Year our annual Diocesan Pilgrimage to Walsingham, the National Shrine to Our Blessed Lady, will take place 20-24 October 2025. I invite you to join me! A Jubilee Year is a moment of grace in the life of the Church.

Some of you are familiar with Walsingham. For others, it will be your first visit. In the Middle Ages, the Shrine was one of the great ancient Marian places of pilgrimage in the whole of Christendom. It is known as England's very own Nazareth and is a place where the incarnation of Jesus is particularly remembered. The all-inclusive cost is £475.00-£550.00 (dependent on accommodation type). Coach collection/drop-off will take place in Workington, Carlisle, Penrith, Lancaster and Preston. Fr Billing is the Rector and is a wonderful host for us, coming as we do from his home Diocese. He is keen to open the treasure of Walsingham to pilgrims who have never been before as well as those of us who are regular pilgrims. It is also an opportunity to support him in his national role.

For more information and booking details contact the pilgrimage organiser Deacon Charlie Conner on 07895 742 732 or email [charlie.conner@lrdc.org.uk](mailto:charlie.conner@lrdc.org.uk)

**CHURCHES TOGETHER PRAYER CALENDAR:**

This week we are praying for  
St Wulstan's & St Edmund's Parish and the people of Belmont Road, Dock Street, Hatfield Walk, Lofthouse Way, Peel Road, St John Avenue and York Avenue with the prayer:

***May the peace of Christ be in their hearts  
and in their homes.***

**DIOCESAN LOURDES PILGRIMAGE:** A number of our parishioners are currently in Lourdes on the diocesan pilgrimage. We wish them a blest and holy time. Please keep us in your prayers.

**REMEMBRANCE SERVICE AND  
BLESSING OF GRAVES:**

Fr Alf will be celebrating the annual Mass in the cemetery for the deceased members of our Fleetwood parishes.

The Mass will take place at 11am on Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> August in Fleetwood cemetery. After the Mass there will be the opportunity to have the grave of your loved one blessed.

**If the weather is inclement we will be celebrating the Mass in St Wulstan's at the same time.**

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## ST MARY'S NOTICES



*St. Mary's Church will be open from 09:30 to 1pm on weekdays.*

Previous Mass attendance: 11am – 84    Facebook – 120

**Please pray for those whose Anniversaries are about this time:** Ron Templeton, Helen Andrew, David Loughnan, Margaret McKenna, Mary Wright, Pauline Bullen, Norah Clarkson, Catherine Smalley, Anne Steadman, Shaun Dutton, Patrick McDermott, John Wilson, Janet O'Connor, Bernard Hearty, Mary Casey, Monica Muscroft, Hilda Brookes, Jeanne Moreau, John Dicks, Mark Coxall, Stella Fishburn, Alice Avery, May Martin

Divine Mercy Chaplet  
will be prayed on  
Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> August at 3pm. in  
St. Mary's Church

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**The next meeting of the Council will take place on Wednesday 3rd September**

Council Members: Fr. Stephen Talbutt, Deacon Bernard Farrell-Roberts, Peter Connor, Steve Dale, Anne Duxbury, Judith Halloran, Lindsay Newton, Steve Price and Sammy Ranasinghe

**Do you have any ideas / thoughts you wish to raise with the Council?**

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Weekly Collection: £194.28

Candles: £50.74

Church Flowers: £

St Anthony: £16.73

Restoration Fund: £17.71

World Needy: £42.51

**Please pray for the sick and housebound of our parish,** Charlie Andrews, Audrey Armour, Zephan Barretto, Vera Berry, Louise Cantrell, Catalina Carredu, Greta Carus, Janice Chadwick, Fred Chew, Patsy Coll, Kathryn Dale, Marianne Delaney, Sarah Finley, Jacob Gray, Joseph Higgins, June Jagger, Christina Jones, Liam Edward Lenihan, Alison Lyons, Les Morris, Fr. Michael Murphy, Michael O'Sullivan, Irene Rankine, Mary Schon, Peter Scott, Scott and Dale Families, Marie Slater, Mark Surelock, Jacqueline Wilding, Frank Ward, David Wilkinson, Fred & Mary Wylie, Nan Lusia

**Those who have died recently:** Rae Tollan

**READER: 3<sup>rd</sup> August**

11.00am Mass: Kath

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Kath and Julia

**Children's Liturgy:** NONE

Many thanks to those who helped at Tram Sunday, despite being drenched in a downpour, they rallied on!

Sadly, the Ukulele Band was unable to perform.

Total takings will be published later.

### **Tea and Coffee after Sunday Mass**

We currently need more help with the serving of tea and coffee after the Sunday Mass.

Please speak to Fr. Stephen or one of the volunteers if you would like to help in this great ministry. Please join us for tea/coffee, biscuits and a chat after Mass in the Millennium Room. It's a great way to get to know each other and build our community.



## ST WULSTAN & ST EDMUND NOTICES



*St. Wulstan's Church Lady Chapel will be open from 8.30am to 4pm on weekdays.  
(Access from the side of the church)*

Previous Mass attendance 9 am : Mass 135		Website : 79	
<b>BAPTISM ANNIVERSARIES:</b> Lily Grace Clarke 28 <sup>th</sup> July 2013 Maisie Marie Bromley 1 <sup>st</sup> August 2021 Louis Harry Pammenter 2 <sup>nd</sup> August 2015 Judith Rose Clarke 3 <sup>rd</sup> August 2014		<b>ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK:</b> Fr Leonard French, Maureen Johnson, Anthony Lydon, Eddie Clark, Bernard McNamara, Angela Tomblin, Maria Forbes, Mary Abram, Pat Cullen, Bill Whiteside, Bernard Hewitt	
<b>CHOIR:</b> Our excellent choir will be taking a well-earned break over summer and will reconvene in September. If you would like to add your voice to this great ministry please speak with Adrian our organist and composer or Joe our choir master.		<b>CENTENARY OF OUR PARISH:</b> In February 2026, we will celebrate one hundred years of our Parish, St Wulstan's and St Edmund's. We are putting together a booklet to commemorate the event and would be grateful for any photos from your "family archives", details regarding Parish/family celebrations, personal anecdotes etc., etc. Please speak to either Glenda (Kelly) or Sandra (Witton) if you have any contributions / thoughts / ideas. Many thanks in anticipation.	
		<b>Weekly Collection</b> £ 512.00	
<b>The Welcome Project</b> In August 2025 our resettled family will have been here 12 months which marks the completion of the support from the Welcome Project Team. On Saturday 2nd August at 10.30 there will be a Mass in the Lady Chapel with Fr. Alf, to celebrate all the hard work, support and success. Nibbles will be provided in the green hut after Mass To give us an idea on numbers please put names on the list at the back of church along with any dietary requirements.		<b>Bonus ball winners for last 4 weeks:-</b> 28 June - No. 4 - Jessie Graham & Terry Smith 5 July - No. 15 - Annie McKeon 12 July - No. 14 - no winners 19 July - No 15 - Annie McKeon	
<b>GIFT AID:</b> If you make offerings to the parish, pay income tax and have not signed up to Gift Aid your donations, please consider doing so. We can claim an extra 25% on your donations - at no cost to you! Please see Maria D. for more info.		<b>TRINITAS CHOIR:</b> Come along and have some summer fun at St. Wulstan's Church on Saturday 2 <sup>nd</sup> of August at 7.00pm. Trinitas Choir will sing songs from the shows from "Abba", "Les Mis", "My Fair Lady" and "Hair" to name but a few. Come and sing with us! Do you remember hand-jiving? Come and give it a go! <u>Pay on the door £5.00 only.</u> There will be a raffle and light refreshments. All the proceeds will go to the Food Bank which is greatly in need of funds. Tell your friends!	
<b>REPOSITORY:</b> We have a wide range of cards for many occasions as well as gifts and religious items. A new stock of rosary beads has just arrived. Please contact Maria Doherty if there is something you would like as it is impossible to stock all items available.			
<b>NEWS FROM HEALTHIER FLEETWOOD</b> The official opening of the 'Heart of the Hub' community cafe took place earlier this week. It was lovely to see so many visitors, all tucking in to the delicious menu and when the volunteers from One Fylde introduced themselves, there was no doubt about how much it means to them to be part of this fantastic new team. <b>The Healthier Fleetwood Information Centre</b> , adjoining the Cafe, will be open approximately 9.30am to 2.30pm on Tues, Thurs and Fri plus other times dependant on staff availability. Call in to discover up to 150 groups, activities and events in the community to support health and wellbeing. <b>ALSO : Wyre Family Hub</b> > <a href="#">Wyre Family Hub on Facebook</a> or call 01253 741117 for info <b>Wyre Youth Zone</b> and their partners are hosting a series of events for High School ages plus a FREE Fun Day at Memorial Park. > <a href="#">Wyre Youth Zone on Facebook</a> or call 07709 717047 / 07704 712848 for info			



# 17<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 27<sup>TH</sup> JULY - 2025



## Mass Schedule

Date	Time	Location		Intention/Details
Sun 27 <sup>th</sup> July	9:00am	St Wulstan's	17 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time	People of both Parishes
	11:00am	St Mary's		Peter and Hilda Brookes
Mon 28 <sup>th</sup> July	No Mass			
Tue 29 <sup>th</sup> July	7:00pm	St Mary's	Sts. Mary, Martha and Lazarus	William Cordiner RIP
Wed 30 <sup>th</sup> July	10:00am	St Mary's		Michael John Rothwell RIP
Thurs 31 <sup>st</sup> July	6:00pm	St Wulstan's	St Ignatius of Loyola	Mary Agnes Rowe RIP
Fri 1 <sup>st</sup> August	9:30am	St Wulstan's	St Alphonsus	Lurline Brown RIP
Sat 2 <sup>nd</sup> August	10:00am	St Mary's		An end to war and discord in the world
Sun 3 <sup>rd</sup> August	9:00am	St Wulstan's	18 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary time	Stan Campy RIP
	11:00am	St Mary's		People of both Parishes

## Service Schedule

### ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:

- Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> August 10:30 – 11:30am at St Mary's Church with Confessions after Mass.

### FUNERALS:

- Rae Tollan will be received into St Mary's Church on Monday 28<sup>th</sup> July at 6pm, with her Requiem Mass at 11am on Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> July.
- The funeral service of Kathleen Regan will take place on Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> July at 12:30pm.

*May they rest in the love and peace of Christ.*