



# SAINT BONAVENTURE'S MISSIONARY AREA

Serving the Parishes of Our Lady Queen of Peace,  
Sacred Heart & Saint Peter, Saint Hilda & Saint Aidan  
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## Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> June – 10<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

<b>Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> June</b> <i>First Mass of Sunday</i>	17:00 Saint Anthony	For the people of the parish
	18:00 Saint Hilda	Private Intention
<b>Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> June</b> <i>10<sup>th</sup> Sunday in O.T.</i>	09:30 Saint Elizabeth	Thanksgiving for successful heart surgery
	10:00 Saint Aidan	Healing for Anne Usher
	11:00 Saint Anthony	Michael McKenna RIP (Anv)
	11:30 Sacred Heart	Catherine Tetlock RIP (Anv)
<b>Monday 10<sup>th</sup> June</b> <i>Ferial</i>	09:00 Saint Anthony	Julian Griffiths-Searle
	12:00 Sacred Heart	Thanksgiving for the blessings
<b>Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> June</b> <i>Saint Barnabas, Apostle</i>	09:30 Sacred Heart	Peter Swinnerton
<b>Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> June</b> <i>Ferial</i>	09:00 Saint Anthony	For the sick and housebound
	09:30 Sacred Heart	Martin Connaughton RIP
	10:00 Sacred Heart	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
	<b>13:00 Sacred Heart</b>	<b>Funeral Service For The Late Donna Molloy</b>
<b>Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> June</b> <i>Saint Anthony of Padua, Doctor</i>	09:00 Saint Anthony	John Hayes and family
	18:30 Saint Anthony	Adoration & Benediction
<b>Friday 14<sup>th</sup> June</b> <i>Ferial</i>	09:15 Saint Anthony	For our Priests
	09:30 Sacred Heart	May Murtagh (Anv)
<b>Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> June</b> <i>Optional of the Blessed Virgin Mary</i>	10:00 Saint Anthony	For the souls in purgatory
	10:30 Sacred Heart	First Holy Communion - Sacred Heart & Saint Peter's
<b>Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> June</b> <i>First Mass of Sunday</i>	17:00 Saint Anthony	People of the Parish
	18:00 Saint Hilda	Tony Brunt
<b>Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> June</b> <i>11<sup>th</sup> Sunday in O.T.</i>	09:30 Saint Elizabeth	Joseph Lomas Snr
	10:00 Saint Aidan	Joe Phelan (Anv)
	11:00 Saint Anthony	Secular Clergy Fund
	11:30 Sacred Heart	For the souls in purgatory

### *Father Owen Writes:*

Hello and welcome to this week's newsletter. Jesus reminds us that nothing can be done if we are not united in His Name to the Glory of God. So, any and all actions done without believing are just simple good actions. But we, as Catholics, are called to more than just walks of faith and good actions highlighting what is already known. We are called also to pray, to be united as one in His wonderful Sacred Heart and to live our faith.

If we are divided, then nothing can be done. We cannot be His Mother, Brother, Sister. We will never stand up for life, hope and true Love, because we will be divided from Him and His word. In today's world there are enough people to claim to be His, but a dearth of those who actually are. Let us pray to the Most Sacred Heart this month especially so that we may not just talk the talk, but that we may Be His in this world of chaos and noise where division is rife, and people serve to masters.

<b>1<sup>st</sup> Reading</b>	I was afraid because I was naked, and I hid.	Genesis 3:9-15
<b>Psalm</b>	With the Lord there is mercy and fullness of redemption.	Psalm 129(130)
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Reading</b>	We are being trained to carry the weight of eternal glory.	2Cor 4:13-5:1
<b>Gospel</b>	A kingdom divided against itself cannot stand.	Mk 3:20-35

## **SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION** **Saturday St Anthony's 10:30 – 11:15**

**CONGRATULATIONS:** To our children who have made their First Holy Communion in recent weeks and to those who have yet to make it. May the Lord continue to Bless you and your families!

**MASS INTENTIONS:** Father Owen would like to gently remind people that when a Mass intention has been announced in the Newsletter then it has been announced publicly. It is not needed to be announced for whom the intention of the Mass has been made at the beginning of the Mass. When a Mass intention has been made, the Mass does not 'belong' to any one person as was said to one of our priests rather rudely recently. The Mass belongs to everyone, and you cannot 'sell' a Mass as this is illegal!

You should also consider when requesting an intention how much is given. The Mass intention came from the idea of 'keeping the Priest' and so the parishioner paid enough that would feed the priest for the day on which the intention was remembered at the Altar.

**SHREWSBURY YOUTH MISSION TEAM:** The Youth Mission Team will be in Saint Anthony's Primary School for a week-long mission from June 10<sup>th</sup> to the 14<sup>th</sup>. They will be basing a lot of their week in Saint Anthony's Church. When you come in for Mass etc, you may find a boat at the bottom of the sanctuary, or cables. Please bear with us as we offer our students a wonderful opportunity to explore their faith!

**SAINT ANTHONY'S ROOF:** The green envelopes are now available at the back of each of our churches in Wythenshawe. Please feel free to fill one in or as many as you wish to help us rebuild our roof. The project has leapt in price to almost £700,000. If you are already a gift aid participant then identify this on the envelope and we can earn that gift aid back. Thank you to those who have already given.

**LOURDES 2024:** As you know Father Owen and Father Robert will both be in Lourdes this year. If you wish to have any intentions brought to the Holy Shrine then please hand them in at any of the presbyteries, the office, via the collection plates and make sure that you write Lourdes Intention on the envelope.

**MEDJUGORIE:** As you know Father Owen will be leading a group to Medjugorje on the 22<sup>nd</sup> of June. If you would like him to pray for any particular intentions, please pass them to the office. He will gladly bring them with him and present them to Our Lady and her Son in Mass and in prayer while there. Please give them in by no later than the 19<sup>th</sup> of June.

**LUCKY FOUR DRAW ENVELOPES:** The Lucky Four envelopes go live this weekend at the back of our churches. They are a white envelope and it only costs £2 to enter. **Choose 4 numbers between 1-25** and then place the envelope in the offertory collection, or drop it into the post box at either Sacred Heart or Saint Anthony's presbyteries. Make sure to put your contact details onto the envelopes so we know who to contact. You have until Wednesday to get your entry in and be counted. The jackpot is £250 for the first week. Good luck...

**LUCKY FOUR WINNERS:** Congratulations to Dave Doyle and Julia Barker who are the winners of the very first Lucky Two. We will be in touch regarding the prize. Thank you for your continued support of our Catholic Churches of Wythenshawe.

**CALLED TO THE PRIESTHOOD:** Have you considered a vocation to the Diocesan Priesthood in imitation of Jesus the Good Shepherd? If you would like to explore God's call for your life and learn about other opportunities for discernment, please email the diocesan vocations director at [vocationsdirector@dioceseofshrewsbury.org](mailto:vocationsdirector@dioceseofshrewsbury.org). For more resources, see the National Office for Vocation at [www.ukvocation.org](http://www.ukvocation.org) and [www.ukpriest.org](http://www.ukpriest.org).

**THE MERCY BROTHERS:** Featuring Fr Nick. A musical evening in aid of SVP youth work in Salford & Shrewsbury. Friday 21<sup>st</sup> June 7pm Our Lady's Social Club, Flint St, Stockport SK3 8GE. Tickets £15 purchase online or on the night. Please see poster.

**OUR LADY OF FATIMA:** Visitation of the pilgrim virgin statue & relics of SS Jacinta & Francisco to Our Lady & St Christopher's Church, Romiley SK6 3BA Sat 15<sup>th</sup> June 10 – 4pm. See poster at the back of Church or call 0161 430 2704 for information.

**SAINT AIDAN'S EUCHARISTIC PROCESSION:** This was a great opportunity, and the clergy were overjoyed to see so many people come and offer their hour with the Lord. This will now be an annual event.

**SAINT AIDAN'S FOODBANK:** There is a basket at the back of St Aidan's Church for donations to the foodbank.

**HOLY SPIRIT GIVER OF LIFE:** The proposed talk has been cancelled until further notice by the Parish Priest.

**DIVINE MERCY CELEBRATION AND VENERATION OF 1<sup>ST</sup> CLASS RELIC OF ST FAUSTINA:** Led by Fr Peter Prusakiewicz from Poland, who travels the world proclaiming the Divine Mercy devotion and talking about his experience. Join us at Saint Anne's Rock Ferry-12 noon to 2.30pm on 19<sup>th</sup> June for Holy Mass and a talk, followed by Eucharistic healing service with veneration of a 1<sup>st</sup> class relic of St Faustino.

**SAINT ANTHONY'S CHOIR:** Jill Lingard and the choir will lead us on 22<sup>nd</sup> June 2024 at Saint Anthony's 5pm Mass, in memory of 3 Parishioners who have been called home by God - Peter Concannon, Margaret Mayne and John Gretton. Please join us for the Mass and singing. All are welcome.

**GIFT AID:** if you are new to our churches or have not already done so, would you like to consider 'Gift Aiding' your offertory donation every week. Gift Aid is when after the Financial Year End the church, through your generosity can receive an extra 25% on every pound that has been 'Gift Aided'. That means that for every £1 you give, the Church can receive 25p and so help us keep our buildings open. Please do consider if you are not already a member of this giving system joining as it will help us even more.

**SAINT ANTHONY'S SVP:** Many thanks to all for the generous donation of £207.90. This will be a great help in supporting those in need.

**SAINT JOSEPH'S CANDLE AT SAINT AIDAN'S:** Burns this week for **Andrea Smith**. If you wish to have the candle burn for your intention, please contact Joby or Jeanette.

**OUR LADY CANDLE AT SACRED HEART:** Burns this week for **the sick and housebound** If you wish to have the candle burn for your intention, please contact the parish office.

**WELCOME TO:** **Kobe, Kyla and James** who have joined the family of God through the blessed sacrament of Baptism. May God bless you now and always.

**FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK:** We pray for **Maria Barlow, Theresa Taylor, Ray Caldwell, Susan Marley, Leroy Walcott, Pat Berry, Norah Quigley, Tom Finan, Audrey O'Donnell, Ann Usher & John Finnegan**.

**FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED:** We pray for the repose of the soul of **Eralda Connell, Gail O'Donnell, Valerie Hudson, Anthony Heffernan, Margaret Stirrup, Donna Molloy, Tracy Ann Cox, Sheila Lydon & Carrie O'Reilly**.



**WEEKLY COLLECTION:** Last week's collections are below. Thank you for your ongoing support of our work in Wythenshawe.

Our Lady Queen of Peace Parish	Sacred Heart & Saint Peter's Parish	Saint Hilda & Saint Aidan's Parish
Saint Anthony's £399.72	£427.77	Saint Hilda's £66.00
Saint Elizabeth's £232.53		Saint Aidan's £635.86

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### Catholic Social Action Wythenshawe

Telephone: 07907 620 891

### Wythenshawe Hospital Chaplaincy

Telephone: **0161 291 2297** Please ring this number if you need a visit from a chaplaincy team member whilst in hospital.

### Parish Sisters

Sr Damien – 0161 437 8772  
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### Our Church locations:

<p><b>Sacred Heart &amp; Saint Peter's RC Church</b>          Floatshall Road,          Baguley,          Wythenshawe,          Manchester          M23 1HP</p> <p><b>OFFICE LOCATION</b></p>	<p><b>Saint Hilda's RC Church</b>          Kenworthy Lane,          Northenden,          Wythenshawe,          Manchester          M22 4EF</p>	<p><b>Saint Aidan's RC Church</b>          230 Wythenshawe Road,          Northern Moor          Wythenshawe,          Manchester          M23 0PH</p>	<p><b>Saint Anthony's RC Church (Our Lady Queen of Peace)</b>          Portway,          Woodhouse Park,          Wythenshawe,          Manchester          M22 0WR</p>	<p><b>Saint Elizabeth's RC Church (Our Lady Queen of Peace)</b>          Holliney Road, Peel Hall,          Wythenshawe,          Manchester          M22 5JF</p>
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