

### IRENAEUS NEWS:

#### 'THE WORD OF THE LORD ENDURES FOREVER'

Fr. Chris Thomas will offer reflections on the Letters of Saint Peter and Saint Jude. These will take place by zoom on Thursdays 10th, 17th, 24th June, and 1st July from 10:30am—12:00 noon. To book a place, please email: [jenny@irenaeus.co.uk](mailto:jenny@irenaeus.co.uk)

#### PETITION TO STOP DIY HOME ABORTIONS

Carla Lockhart (MP) has launched a parliamentary motion calling on the Government to end 'DIY' home abortion. It is vital that as many MPs as possible sign this motion, to send a clear message to the Government that they must end these dangerous 'DIY' home abortion services as soon as possible. "**Right To Life UK**" has launched an easy-to-use tool which makes it simple for you to send an email to your MP asking them to sign the motion. Please visit the link to contact your MP: [www.righttolife.org.uk/DIYmotion](http://www.righttolife.org.uk/DIYmotion)

#### PAULINE BOOK AND MEDIA NEWS

Dear friends, our new centre is now open, at the new address: **84 Church Street, L1 3AY**. We are: **Customer friendly** – everything on one floor. **Convenient** – easy access for wheelchairs and prams. **Fun for children** – special, inviting space for little ones. **Vibrant** – featuring a stimulating range of products. **Exciting** – a meeting space with regular events. We will be delighted to reconnect with old friends, as well as meet new ones. God bless you at this challenging time of the pandemic, please keep safe. For information or enquiry, please call us on: 0151 709 1328; or email: [liverpool@pauline-uk.org](mailto:liverpool@pauline-uk.org)

#### CAFOD PARISH CONTACT VOLUNTEER ROLE

After a number of years as our volunteer CAFOD parish contact, Phil Elliott is now standing down from the role. She would like to thank everyone for their kindness, help and support of CAFOD during her time in this role. If anyone is interested in taking over this role, and becoming our CAFOD parish contact, either speak to Fr. Liam at the Parish Office, or Colette Byrne at CAFOD (mobile: 07779804242; or email: [liverpool@cafod.org.uk](mailto:liverpool@cafod.org.uk)). Phil will be happy to discuss the role with anyone thinking about volunteering, and will provide support to any new parish contact.

## The Parishes of Saint Oswald and Saint Sebastian

### Parish Clergy

Fr. Liam Collister

Dcn. John Power

Dcn. John McGeogh (*Retired*)

### Parish Office

Saint Oswald's Presbytery; St. Oswald Street;  
Old Swan; Liverpool; L13 5SB

Tel: 0151 228 3327

**Office hours:** Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday  
9:00am — 3:00pm.

***The office and presbytery are closed on Wednesday***

**Facebook:** Friends of St. Sebastian's and St. Oswald's

**Email:** [stoswaldstsebastian@rcaol.org.uk](mailto:stoswaldstsebastian@rcaol.org.uk)

**Webpage:** [www.sebosw.org](http://www.sebosw.org)

**Sunday 6th June 2021:  
Corpus Christi**

Take this, all of you, and eat of it,  
for this is my Body.

Take this, all of you, and drink from it,  
for this is the chalice of my Blood.

Do this in memory of me

## MASS INTENTIONS

Sat 5	16:30	Parishioners
Sun 6	09:30	Foundation Mass
	11:00	Sr. Joseph Whitby (RIP)
Mon 7	10:00	Deceased members of L.I.S.C.F.
Tues 8	10:00	Michael Gorrie (RIP)
Wed 9		<u>No Mass / service</u>
Thurs 10	10:00	Christina Fahey (RIP)
Fri 11	10:00	Religious Vocations
Sat 12	16:30	Eileen Jones (RIP)
Sun 13	09:30	Parishioners
	11:00	Michael Owens

At the moment, all our Masses and services will be celebrated in Saint Oswald's Church; as Saint Sebastian's Church is not able to reopen at this time.

## MASS ATTENDANCE

**You no longer need to book a place to come to any of our Masses, but you will still have to give your contact details at the church door.** All other restrictions still remain in place, including a restriction on numbers allowed to attend Mass, but we can accommodate more people within our church.

Funeral services will be celebrated within the church, Requiem Masses will not be celebrated at this time.

**The maximum number who are allowed to attend a funeral within the church is up to 60 people.**

**If you are at clinical risk of COVID-19, or have been told to shield, please follow the medical advice, and stay at home.**

## PIETY SHOP

The piety shop at Saint Oswald's Church will reopen from 4:00pm on Saturday 26th June; the shop will then be open every weekend. We stock Mass Cards, statues, various religious items, and will be open for half an hour before all the weekend Masses begin. Mass cards can still be purchased from the office during the week.

## PRAYER LISTS

*We remember all who have died recently, including:*

**Sally Reed, Ruth Rossiter, Mary Parkes**

*and all whose anniversaries occur about this time.*

*We also remember all prayer intentions, including:*

**Joseph Keaveney; Marilyn Brandon; Gary, Alma, & Alf Thomas; Danielle, Tom & Baby Luke; Pdraig Egan; Ann Tyrrell; Mary & John Murphy; Baby Anthony Bowman & Family; Lily Thomas; Josh Thomas; Wally & Kath; Religious Vocations; Adam Mawer, Lil Corner, Mary Carroll, Debbie Froud, Stephen Parkinson, Jade Wilson, Baby Harvey McGarry & Family, John Sparkhill, Elodie Carmichael**

*If you wish to have an intention placed on our list, please contact the Parish Office.*

## PRAYER LAMPS

*The Prayer Lamps may be lit for any prayer intention*

Marian Lamp — **Sheila Owens (RIP)**

Sacred Heart — **Josie Murphy (RIP)**

*If you wish to have an intention placed on our Prayer Lamps, please contact the Parish Office. (We ask for a donation of £5 per Prayer Lamp)*

## RECRUITMENT FOR BOY & GIRL CHORISTERS 2021

Do you know a child who would like to be a chorister at the Metropolitan Cathedral of Christ the King here in Liverpool? The search is now on for our next generation of Boy and Girl choristers. We are recruiting boys who are currently in year 2 & 3, and girls who are currently in year 5. All choristers are educated at Runnymede St Edward's Catholic Primary School (Boys year 3-6) and St. Edward's College (Boys & Girls year 7-10.) If you know of a Catholic family who might be interested in this wonderful opportunity, please share this information with them. Full details of chorister-ships at the Metropolitan Cathedral, alongside application forms and voice trial booking slots can be found at:

<https://www.liverpoolmetrocathedral.org.uk/music/joining-the-choirs/>