

Soup Lunches for Ten Ten Theatre

To raise money for Ten Ten Theatre, as thanks for their wonderful evangelizing through the Runcorn Passion, Soup Lunches will be held each month at Holy Spirit. Each church in the LPA will take turns to provide the soup as per the following rota:

3rd September: St. Augustine's

1st October: St. Luke's

Crossing the Threshold: Ministry and outreach to non-churchgoing (lapsed) Catholics

On Home Mission Sunday the Bishops of England and Wales invite us to pray for and support the work of evangelisation in our countries through having a second collection. The money raised will fund a number of national projects, including the development of resources to support ministry and outreach to non-churchgoing (lapsed) Catholics. Thank you for your support and do pick up a free prayer and information leaflet about Home Mission Sunday on 15 Sept. For more info please see: www.catholicnews.org.uk/hms13 Please use the prayers for your own family, friends, parishioners & invite them to come to Mass with you on the weekend of 21/22 September—especially children & young people.

Loving Father,

**Whose arms are always open to welcome us home, we bring you all
those that we know who are non-churchgoing Catholics...
(SILENTLY BRING TO MIND THE PEOPLE THAT YOU KNOW)
May the Spirit guide them on your path and help us to see
how we might support them on their faith journey. AMEN**

Rite of Christian Initiation in Adults (RCIA)

This is the method of approach to prepare adults for baptism or reception into the Catholic Church. The meetings are on Monday evenings at St. Edward's and will be starting soon.

Who will you invite?

Ladies Group

St. John's Beacon Viewing Gallery, Liverpool. Admission £4. Please meet at Tower at 17:50

Christmas Night Out at Daresbury Hotel, 12th December. £17.50 per head.

A deposit of £10 is required by 4th Sept if you wish to go.

Enquiries to Mary Wheelhouse 566807 or Chris Williams 563830.

Holy Spirit Catholic Primary School. Cotterill, Halton Brook, Runcorn, Cheshire. WA7 2NL

Tel: 01928 563148. Head teacher: Mrs. C. Smith.

St Clement's Catholic Primary School. Oxford Road. Runcorn. Cheshire. WA7 4NX

Tel: 01928 572129. Head teacher: Mr M. Parker

St Edward's Catholic Primary School. Wivern Place, Runcorn, Cheshire. WA7 1RZ

Tel: 01928 572317. Head teacher: Mrs Karen O'Hare

St Chad's Catholic and C of E High School. Grangeway, Runcorn,

WA7 5YH Tel: 01928 564106. Head teacher: Mr. A. Keeley.

Catholic Children's Society. Holy Spirit Community Complex,

Fernhurst, Halton Brook, Runcorn, WA7 2NJ Tel/Fax: 01928 581459

All other churches in our Pastoral area of Runcorn and Frodsham

Our Lady Mother of the Saviour. (Palacefields) **Contact St Augustine's**

St Martin de Porres. (Murdishaw) **Contact St Augustine's**

St Augustine. (Castlefields) Father George Malecki, 01928 566068.

St Luke. (Frodsham) Monsignor Peter O'Neill, 01928 733127.



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Parish News

Holy Mass Times and Liturgical Celebrations
Sunday 1st September 2013
22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

This week's readings: Ecclesiasticus 3:17-18.20.28-29; Psalm 67;
Hebrews 12:18-19.22-24; Luke 14:1.7-14

In your goodness,
O God,
you prepared a
home for the poor.



Don't lose sight of Jesus!

A day to launch a varied programme of activities for young Catholics aged from 16 to 35.

There will be on-going activities to meet the needs of this broad age group at St Columba's, Chester CH2 1SA on **Sunday 8th September 2013**, 12 noon to 6pm concluding with the celebration of Mass. Please bring a packed lunch.

A repeat but shortened meeting will take place at St Peter's, Hazel Grove SK7 4EA on Monday 9th September 7.00-9.00pm for those unable to join the Sunday launch.

For more information and to register for the meetings email shrewsyouth@gmail.com or follow on twitter @ShrewsYouth

Next week's readings: 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
Wisdom 9:13-18; Psalm 89; Philemon 9-10. 12-17; Luke 14:25-33



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Sunday Cycle C Holy Mass Times and Liturgical Celebrations Weekday Cycle I					
Saturday 31 August	6.00 pm	St Edward's	Mass	22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time	Ralph Wallace
Sunday 1 September	9.00 am	Holy Spirit	Mass	22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time	Frances and Richie Kelly
	10.30 am	St Edward's	Mass	22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time	Les and Ann 40th Wedding Anniversary and Blessing
Monday 2 September	9.15 am	St Edward's	Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion		
Tuesday 3 September	6.45 pm	St Edward's	Evening Prayer		
	7.00 pm		Mass	Bernard Twigg	
Wednesday 4 September	9.15 am	Holy Spirit	Mass	Vera Ryan	
Thursday 5 September	9.00 am	St Edward's	Morning Prayer		
	9.15 am		Mass	John Blackwell	
Friday 6 September	10.30 am	St. Martin's	Requiem Mass followed by internment at Runcorn Cemetery at 12 noon		Choy Mak
	2.00 pm	St Edward's	Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion		
Saturday 7 September	2.00 pm	St Edward's	Nuptial Mass		Donna & Lee
	6.00 pm	St Edward's	Mass	23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time	Josie Ball
Sunday 8 September	9.00 am	Holy Spirit	Mass	23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time	Parishioners
	10.30 am	St Edward's	Mass	23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time	Jane
Lindisfarne Gospels Trip					
For those people going on this trip please note that the cost for transport is £23.00 per head to be paid to Christine Kennedy by Sunday 15th September .					
We have recently received a letter of thanks from CAFOD for our recent donation of £284.98 while will help them support local organisations in more than 30 countries as they strive to tackle poverty and give hope to the poorest communities.					
Last Week's Collections: St Edward's £788.73 Holy Spirit TBA Cafod £74.00 Aid to the Church in Need £20.00 Many thanks for your generosity.					
Please see noticeboard for all rotas					

Rotas for Cleaners and Refreshments

If you feel you can help out on these rotas, or if you would like to come off them, please contact Mary Wheelhouse 566807.

Please support these ministries which make our church as welcoming as possible.

Home Mission Sunday

"How deep a thirst there is among the British people for the Good News of Jesus Christ. You have been chosen by God to offer them the living waters of the Gospel"

Benedict XVI, Oscott College, Birmingham, 19th September 2010

Please continue to use the prayers on the back of this newsletter to pray very specially for all the inactive / lapsed Catholics among our friends and family as we approach Home Mission Sunday on **15 September**.

As this weekend coincides with the weekend retreat to Rhoscolyn, Fr. Peter would like to suggest that we could also invite our friends and family to come to Mass on the following weekend **21/22nd September** which will be our Harvest Festival Weekend.

As an expression of thanksgiving for the Harvest Festival, you might want to donate some tins to the **FoodBank**. To do so, please place on the sanctuary before Mass. Home grown produce such as fruit, veg, or flowers could also be brought in too.

The **Runcorn FoodBank** currently needs **Tinned Fish, Tinned Fruit, Tinned Tomatoes, UHT Milk, Sponge Pudding, Cordial, Sugar, Cup-a-Soups, Coffee and Instant Mash**.

Palestinian Food Demonstration, St. Edward's, Friday 6th Sept, 2013, 7.00

A chance to sample a range of good food from the Middle East. Bring your own drink. Tickets, £10/person, £20/family on sale after Masses or phone Chris Kennedy 573588 or Chris Williams 563830. This is a fundraiser for St. Edward's to reduce the debt we owe to the Diocese from all the necessary works undertaken three years ago. There is also a chance to buy raffle tickets, £1/strip, after Mass. Donations for prizes gratefully accepted.

Parish Pastoral Council

The Parish Pastoral Council will meet on **Monday 23rd September at 7pm** in the hall at **St Edward's** would everyone check they the name and contact details of each link person from the Ministry Groups they represent.

Many Thanks Fr. Peter

Mums, Tots, Prams and Carers

This group will re-open on **10th September** 10am—12 noon. **All Welcome**.

Lourdes 100 Club "FLAME" - Winners for June and July

June: 1. Rita Kennedy 2. B. Sandbach 3. P. Tiemens

July: 1. M. Patterson 2. I. Penlington 3. A. Hill

50:50 Club Draw - Recent Winners

May: No. 58, Prize: £65.00, Winner: J. Lawrence

June: No. 10, Prize: £70.00, Winner: R. Whitney

July: No. 97, Prize: £60.00, Winner: J. Allan

August: No. 99, Prize: £70.00, Winner: M. Brolly

Confessions. Please see Father Peter