

**Sacred Heart & St William
R.C Church
Uppermill
Newsletter
29th Sunday in Ordinary time
Newsletter for week
beginning 22nd October 2023**



Let the Sacred Heart be in our minds, and let St. William be our constant inspiration.

Masses for the coming week

Monday - NO MASS
Tuesday – 10am Liturgy of the Word
Wednesday – 10.00am MASS
Thur. Mass - 10am Liturgy of the Word
Friday – 10.00am MASS

WEEKEND MASSES

Sat Vigil - 12.15pm – St Joseph's
Sat Vigil 6pm – Sacred Heart Uppermill
Sunday – 9.30am Sacred Heart Uppermill
Sunday 11.00am – St Joseph's

Masses received this week

Please pray for the following....

Lately Dead

Emmett Ivers, Philip Patterson

Anniversary

Margaret Shea, Jean Collins, Thomas Boyle, Pauline Higgins, Mary Greenwood, John Kehoe, Mary Palmer Also **Week commencing.. 22/10**
Dennis Greenwood, John Lancashire, Catherine Kennedy, Donald Maden, Michael Regan.

Special intention

Mick Farmer (S), Frank Mason (B)
Mason Family, Harry Heaton (Bir mem)
Janet Heaton (Bir mem)

November Mass for the deceased.

On Wednesday 8th November, there will be no morning Mass, it will be replaced by a 7pm Mass that day, which will be offered for all the members of our families and community who have died. Please come and join us for this traditional November Mass for the dead.

CAFOD APPEAL ENVELOPES

LAST CALL - Would you please return your recent Cafod envelopes as soon as possible. If you do not have an envelope would you be able to put your donation in an ordinary envelope with CAFOD written on the front. Many thanks, Anne

Cafod Harvest fast

37 envelopes & offerings have been returned so far, giving a total of £375. Many gift aided adding £56 extra to Cafod. There is still time to give to the appeal. Many thanks Anne

Offerories 8/10

1st collection

£282.20

2nd collection

£73.70

Shop £268.20

Offerories 15/10

1st collection

£282.25

2nd collection £65.00

Shop £181.25

Thank you

The Rosary

October is the month of the holy rosary. The rosary will be recited each Wednesday and Friday before mass at 9:40am. Please join us if you can. We will be praying for the success of the Synod.

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PRAYER FOR THE SYNOD OF BISHOPS ADSUMUS SANCTE SPIRITUS

We stand before You, Holy Spirit, as we gather together in Your name.

With You alone to guide us, make Yourself at home in our hearts.

Teach us the way we must go and how we are to pursue it.

We are weak and sinful; do not let us promote disorder.

Do not let ignorance lead us down the wrong path
nor partiality influence our actions.

Let us find in You our unity so that we may journey together
to eternal life and not stray from the way of truth and what is right.

All this we ask of You, who are at work in every place and time,
in the communion of the Father and the Son, forever and ever. Amen.

Our Lady of Unfailing Help... Pray for us!

Peace be with you

A whole day retreat on the 14th November at Theodore House, Stonyhurst. See Mary Farmer for more details. There are still places available.

A message from CAFOD to our Parish rep, which we would like to share with you all.

Dear Christopher

We have all been shocked and saddened by the images and stories in the media from Israel and Gaza and we join Pope Francis' urgent call for peace and an end to the violence.

We're writing to you in your role as a parish volunteer to update you on our response to the Israeli-Palestinian crisis so that you can respond to any questions from your parish priest or other parishioners.

You can read more about our work in the occupied Palestinian territory (oPt) and Israel and what we have heard this week from our partner, Caritas Jerusalem. You can also find information about our Israeli-Palestinian Crisis Appeal, our prayers for peace, and our invitation to email the Foreign Secretary.

<https://cafod.org.uk/news/emergencies-news/israeli-palestinian-crisis-how-you-can-help>

Pope Francis has invited everyone to a day of prayer, fasting, and penance for peace on Friday, 27 October 2023.

God of peace, bearer of hope,
we seek your help
for the peoples of the Middle East.

Quiet the clamour of war
and guide us towards peace.

Where there is hatred and division
sow seeds of calm and openness.

Where there is destruction
help us to rebuild.

Where children are crying
bring an end to tears.

Shelter your peoples and protect them
Guide them and keep them from harm.

Show us how to break down the barriers of history and fear
and breathe whispers of hope.

Amen.