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" He began to send them out."

15th Sunday Ordinary Time – Year B

11th July 2021

St. Joseph's St. Edward's

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Saturday	6.15 p.m.		Vigil Mass – HAVE YOU BOOKED?
Sunday	9.00 a.m.	11.00 a.m.	Mass – HAVE YOU BOOKED?
Monday	9.15 a.m.		Mass
Tuesday		9.15 a.m.	Mass
Wednesday	9.15 a.m.		Mass
		2.00 p.m.	St Joseph's School Y6 Mass – by school invitation only
Thursday			NO MASS
Friday		9.00 a.m.	St Edward's School Y6 Mass – by school invitation only
		12 noon	Requiem Mass John Ahern R.I.P. – by invitation only
Saturday		9.15 a.m.	Mass
	6.15 p.m.		Vigil Mass 16 th Sunday Ordinary Time– PLEASE BOOK
Sunday	9.00 a.m.	11.00 a.m.	Mass 16 th Sunday Ordinary Time – PLEASE BOOK



IMPORTANT INFORMATION

COVID RESTRICTIONS UP-DATE

Following local authority advice, we have decided that for 2 weeks after the 19th July the current restrictions will remain in place, due to the very high level of infection rates in our area. We will review the situation at the end of July and hope that by then we may be able to lift or ease restrictions.

Year 6 School Masses

We are very happy to celebrate Year 6 moving on to their high schools. Children and parents have been invited to 2 special Masses one in each Church. We congratulate the children for all they have achieved during their primary school years and wish them success and happiness in the future. Let us pray as they enter secondary school that they enter a return to what is 'normal'.

Football Madness & Hope

Your prayers are asked for all those with a heart condition who are due to watch the football on Sunday evening. May our hearts be full but not broken!



Thanks from Fr Brian

Fr Brian is grateful to everyone at 11am Mass last Sunday for the hospitality towards his family at the baptism of his great nephew.

St Joseph's Scaffolding

We are still awaiting the arrival of scaffolding, to repair the leaking sacristy roof.



PLEASE BOOK SUNDAY MASS

Text only - kept 21 days NHS tracing.

Saturday 6.15pm: 07772 257315

Sunday 9am: 07598 908987

Sunday 11am: 07722 889932

Lines open Mon-Sat 10-4pm. TEXT:

SURNAME - MASS - NO. OF PLACES;

e.g. Smith 9am 2 places.

A simple YES /NO reply will be returned.



Next Parish Walk – Saturday 31st July

8-9 miles Yarrow Yomp 10 am start

Meet at The Royal Arms, Tockholes 10am

Outside the Visitors' Centre BB3 0PA

We will drive 'in convoy' to the start of our walk at

Crookfield Rd car-park next to the A675 Belmont Rd.

The Route: We will climb up towards Great Hill and over the ridge to Redmond's Edge. Here we'll drop down Sam Pasture to Lead Mines Clough and the picturesque valley near Yarrow reservoir, where we will stop for lunch. We will cross Alance Bridge and walk through the fields past the reservoir to Dean Wood House, then back up past Wilcock's farm and the waterfalls at Old Rachel's. We'll cross the ford over the River Yarrow to the pretty ruins at Higher Hemphaws and the short climb back to Will Narr and Hordern Pasture. The final leg will take us back along the ridge to Spitlers Edge then Redmond's Edge, where we'll drop down to the main path back to the car-park. **ALL WELCOME!**

Please bring a packed-lunch/water. Boot or walking shoes are best for these trail paths, plus layers & water-proofs in case of wind-chill/rain. if you need transport to Tockholes, please let us know and we will arrange car-share.



Mass Intentions

Lately Dead: John Ahern

Anniversaries: All whose anniversaries are at this time

Birthday Anniversaries: Winifred Pattinson (7th July), Mary-Ellen Taylor (12th July), Winnie Foster (15th July)
Robert Large (18th July)

Other: For a speedy recovery

Live-Stream St Joseph's church services 
<https://www.churchservices.tv/darwen>

WEEKLY COLLECTIONS THANK YOU



A/C: TSDT Sacred Heart A/C no. 40835803 Sort code: 205534

THANK YOU SO MUCH

to all volunteers in the Diocese of Salford!



If you have not yet registered:

Please book Mass and introduce yourselves to Fr Brian. You will then complete a registration form and can begin to make arrangements for Baptism.



FOR ALL BAPTISM ENQUIRIES PLEASE EMAIL:
admin@darwencatholic.org.uk

Well Done St Bede's

Thanks to St Bede's for all the online transition information. Although they can't visit, our Year 6 primary school children feel like they have been on a tour of the school and are very excited as they look forward to their new adventure.



SUMMER FAMILY WALKS

(Suitable for school-age upwards)
ALL WELCOME - ANY BACKGROUND



Walk 1: Tuesday 27th July 10.30 am

WITTON PARK ADVENTURE TRAIL



Meet 10.30am Witton Arena Entrance BB2 2TP

This 4 mile walk takes us along the River Darwen through woods and trails to the Wainwright Memorial. The spectacular views and beautiful surroundings make it a perfect picnic stop. We then head for Billinge Hill viewpoint and descend the steps into Big Cover Wood to our destination at the Café & play area.



Walk 2: Tuesday 10th August 10.45 am Darwen Station

TRAIN TRIP & JUMBLES JAUNT



Meet at Darwen Station Platform 1 & catch 10:56 train to Bromley Cross for 11.08

We will walk from the station to Jumbles and take a clockwise walk around the reservoir following the woodland & park trails. This is an easy walk on good paths so trainers or wellies will be fine.

We will have a packed-lunch at the picnic area outside the café, with the option of ice-cream or refreshments. There are toilets here and a car-park if anyone wants to meet us here or be collected early. From here it is a mile back to the station & trains are every hour.

We will aim to catch the 15:11 return train arriving back in Darwen 15:24

Adult tickets: £3.90 & children under 15 £1.95



Walk 3: Tuesday 24th August 10.15 am Darwen Station

TRAIN TRIP - RIBBLE RAMBLE & CASTLE CLIMB



Meet at Darwen Station Platform 2 & catch 10.25 train to Clitheroe for 10.56

The day will include a 3-4 mile walk through Brungerley Park and along the banks of the river Ribble, plus a visit to Clitheroe Castle at the top of the hill, which is free apart from the museum. We will have a picnic lunch, a playground park adventure and the all-important café visit if required. Trains are every hour. **We will aim to get the 16:25 train back from Clitheroe arriving back in Darwen 16.55.**

Adult tickets £5.10 adult return & £2.55 for children under 15.