

# Newsletter for the Parishes of **St John Vianney & St Thomas Becket**

## **The Body and Blood of Christ**

**2<sup>nd</sup> June 2024**

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***A Warm Welcome to all our First Communion Children on this special weekend, when we celebrate The Body & Blood of Christ. Jesus said: "I am the living bread which has come down from heaven. Anyone who eats this bread will live for ever; and the bread that I shall give is my flesh, for the life of the world." (John 6)***

**PLEASE PRAY FOR** ~ Barbara Moore, Theresa Evans, Susan McDonald, Dennis Green who have died recently and for all our departed brothers and sisters.

**SISTER PHYLLIS** ~ Would like to thank everyone who helped to make her Diamond Jubilee such a memorable and enjoyable experience last Sunday. In spite of the gloomy forecast, it turned out to be a great afternoon. Thanks for the many cards, Mass offerings & gifts. Mass will be celebrated for your intentions.

**D-DAY 6TH JUNE** ~ Weaverham Churches Together are marking this special day with a service in St Mary's at 6pm followed by a social. For further details speak to Sr Phyllis.

**ST WILFRID'S SVP** ~ Are meeting this Wednesday in St. Wilfrid's Hall. 7.30pm. All welcome.

**THE LADIES FELLOWSHIP GROUP** ~ Will be gathering this Thursday in St Wilfrid's Hall 7.30pm. New Members very welcome.

## TIMES OF MASSES & SERVICES 2<sup>nd</sup> - 9<sup>th</sup> June 2024

5.30pm ( <i>vigil</i> )	<i>Our Lady's</i>	Davenport Family
6.00pm ( <i>vigil</i> )	<i>St Bede's</i>	Parishioners / Erna & Lawrence Welsh
9.15am	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Rosaleen Jones
11.00am	<i>St Thomas Becket</i>	Priest's Int
11.15am	<i>St Bede's</i>	Paul & Roisin In
4.00pm	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	<i>Holy Hour</i>
5.30pm	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Patrick Murphy
<b>MONDAY</b>		
9.30am	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Maria Elisabet & Family
12.30pm	<i>Our Lady's</i>	<i>Requiem</i> ~ Denis Green
<b>TUESDAY</b>		
9.30am	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Holy Souls
11.00am	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	<i>Requiem</i> ~ Susan McDonald
6.00pm	<i>St Bede's</i>	<i>Exposition &amp; Benediction</i>
7.00pm	<i>St Bede's</i>	Aideen McGarvey
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>		
12.00pm	<i>St Boniface</i>	Herbert & Alice Archer & Family
<b>THURSDAY</b>		
9.30am	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Lorenzo, Maria & Rita Falzon / Gloria's Int
12.00pm	<i>St Bede's</i>	Pat Mundy Int
<b>FRIDAY</b>		
9.30am	<i>SACRED HEART OF JESUS</i>	Saro, Nella, Emanuele, Lucia Goodcore / Ivy Murphy Int
12.00pm	<i>St Bede's</i>	Sal Banali
<b>SATURDAY</b>		
10.00am	<i>Immaculate Heart of Mary</i>	<i>School 1<sup>st</sup> Communion Mass</i>
11.50am	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	<i>Exposition with the Sacrament of Reconciliation</i>
12.00pm	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Denise Binks
5.30pm ( <i>vigil</i> )	<i>Our Lady's</i>	Dennis Green
6.00pm ( <i>vigil</i> )	<i>St Bede's</i>	Madeleine Cunningham
<b>SUNDAY</b>		
9.15am	<i>10<sup>th</sup> Sunday Year B</i>	Parishioners / Susan McDonald
11.00am	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Priest's Int.
11.15am	<i>St Thomas Becket</i>	Joan Fannon
4.00pm	<i>St Bede's</i>	<i>Exposition &amp; Benediction</i>
5.30pm	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Special Int

**ST BEDE'S MONDAY CLUB** ~ Will take place on the 10<sup>th</sup> June, starting with Midday Mass. Our Lady's & St. Wilfrid's SVP will also be present. Come and join us for an Afternoon Tea. For catering reasons, please sign the form at the back of church or speak to one of the SVP Members. All welcome.

**A PRAYER SERVICE** ~ Will be held at Kitwood Nursing Home this coming Thursday 11.00am. Do come and bolster the singing! Contact the Parish Office for more details.

**DRAGON BOAT FESTIVAL** ~ Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> June. Our Hong Kong community invite you to celebrate this festival with them in St Bede's garden after the 11:15am Mass. There will be activities such as storytelling and Rice Dumpling making. If you would like to participate in the Dumpling making, please sign the list after Mass or email: [ukkycheng@gmail.com](mailto:ukkycheng@gmail.com). Thank you.

**DAY TRIP TO ST MARY'S SEMINARY, OSCOTT** ~ Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> June. 12.45pm. - 8.00pm. The afternoon will include tea with the students; a tour of the College, including the great Pugin chapel; a tour of the Museum and end with Evening Prayer. £10.

**A DAY TRIP TO LLANGOLLEN** ~ Which will be hosting the International Eisteddfod, has been planned for Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> July. We will depart the Parish at 9.00am. Mass will be celebrated in the local parish church on our arrival and you will then be free to wander around the town or to enter into the Eisteddfod grounds (fee payable). At 4.30pm the Parade of Nations will process through the town. We will depart Llangollen at 6.00pm arriving home for approx. 7.15pm. £15 (coach only). To book on the above trips, please contact Anne: 07484 879 693.

**'SISTER ACT'** ~ Liverpool Empire Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> October 7.30pm. Tickets £38.50 (transport not included). Cheques should be made payable to 'St John Vianney Social Account' and handed into the Parish Office before 20<sup>th</sup> June. Thank you.

**ACCOMPANYING PEOPLE ON LIFE'S FINAL JOURNEY** ~ A Conference at Thornycroft Hall, Macclesfield on Sat. 15<sup>th</sup> June starting with Mass at 10.00am. Includes a talk by Deacon David, Chaplain at Leighton Hospital. Further details from Virginia: [acmcgough@gmail.com](mailto:acmcgough@gmail.com)

**LAST SUNDAY'S COLLECTION** ~ £1131.56. Thank you.

**~ THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS ~**  
Is celebrated this coming Friday



**“The Sacred Heart is not a simple devotion of sentiment; it is the synthesis of all Catholic doctrine summed up in the love of Jesus Christ. God loves: to love is to give. God has given us everything, that is Creation. God loves: to love is to speak, and that is Revelation, the Sacred Scriptures, God's Law. God loves: to love is to make oneself like the person loved; that is the Incarnation. God loves: to love is to save the person loved: that is Redemption. To love is to wish to be perpetually present to the person loved: that is the Blessed Eucharist. To love is to give oneself to each of those whom one loves: that is Holy Communion. Finally, to love is to wish to make happy with oneself for ever all those whom one has loved: that is the eternal happiness of heaven!”**

(Louise Margaret Claret De La Touche)