

ST MARIE'S & ST PATRICK'S

Good Newsletter

Walking in His Light -together

15th Sunday of Ordinary Time 14th July 2024



FOOD AND DRINK FOR THE JOURNEY

Most of us would be very reluctant to embark on a discipleship that required us to leave everything behind and go out into the world with nothing! When Jesus appointed the first disciples to go out in pairs, He told them to take nothing for the journey except a staff. For lots of us, we have come to believe that many things are so essential to living that we cannot imagine life without them. Yet, Jesus told His disciples that the most important thing that they carried with them was the Good News of God's love and the message of everlasting life. Jesus knew that it would be very difficult for them to carry out their mission of proclaiming a message that the world would try to silence. It was hard for them, and it can be hard for us too! Some will listen.....some won't! As St Paul says... we have been stamped with the gift of the Holy Spirit to help us. Jesus wants us to begin each new day facing new challenges and new opportunities! May our following of Jesus be life-giving to those we meet, so that they too, can blossom with His peace and love. Praise Him!

LITURGICAL WEEK

Today - 15th Sunday of Ordinary Time

Monday – St Bonaventure

Tuesday – Our Lady of Mount Carmel

Next Sunday – 16th Sunday of Ordinary Time

Céad Mile Fáilte – 100,000 Welcomes!

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SEA SUNDAY

Today is Sea Sunday a time to remember the world's 1.9 million seafarers in prayer. Seafarers play a vital role in all of our lives, but they often work in difficult, hazardous conditions. Your support will make a big difference to seafarers and fishers in need. You can donate by visiting www.stellamaris.org.uk/donate, or by texting 'SEA' to 70460 to donate £5. This collection is vital to enable Stella Maris to continue its important work.

"Stella Maris" ("Star of the Sea") has long been the favourite title by which people of the sea have called on Mary our Mother in whose protection they have always trusted.

Without God ...Our week would be.....

SINday
MOURNday
TEARSday
WASTEday
THIRSTday
FIGHTday
SHATTERday

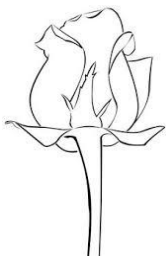
The Lord
IS MY
STRENGTH
AND MY
Song
— PSALM 118:14 —

7 days without God makes one weak

Sadness is looking at ourselves,
happiness is looking towards God.

...Blessed Carlo Acutis

LITTLE ROSEBUD OF THE PROMENADE



Did you know that an American nun who, as a small child lived on Southport Promenade, now has the title Servant of God, the first step towards possible canonisation? At the age of 3, Rose Hawthorne –whose pet name was ‘Rosebud’ was brought to Southport after her Father, the famous American author Nathaniel Hawthorne, was appointed US Consul in Liverpool. The nursing congregation’s mission that was founded by Mother Mary Alphonsa Lathrop is to ‘usher the dying into heaven.’ They nurse for free, taking no insurance and no money from their families or the government. If you are interested about the compassionate nun who was once little Rosebud from the Promenade, so close to our own St Marie’s and St Patrick’s. visit www.dominicansistersofhawthorne

POPE FRANCIS PRAYER INTENTION FOR JULY

For the pastoral care of the sick,

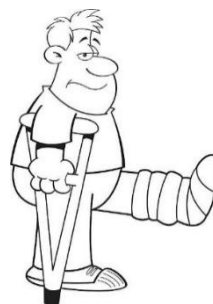
We pray that the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick, confer to those who receive it and their loved ones the power of the Lord and become ever more a visible sign of compassion and hope for all



Next week’s Retiring Collection is for
Priests in Retirement

UPDATE FROM FR JOHN

Thank you so much for your kind messages and prayer as I make a steady recovery. I hope to be back in the Parish on Saturday evening 20th July.



ST MARIE'S MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS

Sunday	8.30am 10.00am	Special Intention Mary White
Monday NO PUBLIC MASS		
Tuesday	12 Noon -Sat	Service of The Word & Holy Communion
Sunday	8.30am 10.00am	People of the Parish George & Teresa Stout

ST PATRICK'S MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS

Saturday	6pm	Mary Lyons
Sunday	11.30am	Vera O' Malley
Thursday	10am	Service of The Word & Holy Communion
Saturday	6pm	Fr Joe Cunningham
Sunday	11.30am	Tommy Sammin

SANCTUARY LAMPS

ST MARIE'S	ST PATRICK'S
<i>Sat Those Ordained at the Cathedral today</i>	<i>Charlie & Yvonne Murphy</i>
<i>Sun Those who work at Sea</i>	<i>The Mission of the Laity</i>
<i>Mon For Christians in areas of conflict</i>	<i>Doctors & Aid workers in war zones</i>
<i>Tues Our Lay Funeral Ministers</i>	<i>Jessie Taylor-Bass</i>
<i>Wed Ben & Family</i>	<i>James Mooney</i>
<i>Thurs Jimmy & Edna Coubrough</i>	<i>Our Music Ministry</i>
<i>Fri Our Sacristans</i>	<i>Those affected by climate change</i>
<i>Sat Christine Mills</i>	<i>Anne Hyland</i>
<i>Sun Patricia Moss</i>	<i>Retired Clergy</i>

We hold in prayer all who are sick in body, mind or spirit also those who have died recently... we pray for those whose anniversaries occur about now.....May those who grieve their passing come to experience the peace of the Risen Christ.

Catholic Chaplaincy Southport Hospital and Queenscourt Hospice

It is advisable for anyone going into hospital as a routine admission, that they request the Sacrament of the Sick from their parish priest, prior to being admitted. In an emergency, please ask the ward staff to call the priest on call. Should a priest not be available, at that time, our Lay Chaplain, Maria Parker, will respond. Tel: 07467 374830 (during normal office hours).