ST WILFRID'S, GARSTON / ALLERTON / GRASSENDALE

7th SUNDAY OF EASTER (B)

12 MAY 2024

Parish Priest: Fr David Potter; Deacon: Revd Paul Whitehead Tel. 0151 427 4015

MASSES & SERVICES

Saturday 11 May (Vigil Mass of Sunday)

5.15 pm Confessions

6.00 pm Vigil Mass (Parishioners)

Sunday 12 May (7th Sunday of Easter B)

8.45 Confessions

9.30 Mass (John Abbey)

11.15 Mass (Stephen Wakefield)

12.30 Baptisms

Monday 13 May (Feast of the Dedication of the Cathedral of Christ the King)

- 8.30 Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
- 9.10 Morning Prayer
- 9.30 Mass (John Doyle)

Tuesday 14 May (Feast of St Matthias, Apostle)

- 8.30 Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
- 9.10 Morning Prayer
- 9.30 Mass (In Thanksgiving for a Successful Operation)

Wednesday 15 May (Our Lady of Fatima)

- 8.30 Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
- 9.10 Morning Prayer
- 9.30 Mass (Pat Doyle)
- 7.30 Perpetual Succour Novena & Benediction 3/9

Thursday 16 May

- 8.30 Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
- 9.10 Morning Prayer
- 9.30 Mass (Patrick McGann)

Friday 17 May

10.30 May Procession

- 7.10 Rosary
- 7.30 Mass (Mr F. Lussy)

Saturday 18 May (Eastertide Votive Mass of Our Lady)

- 9.10 Rosary
- 9.30 Mass (Keith Potter)
- 5.15 Confessions
- 6.00 Vigil Mass of Pentecost (Laurens Gadd)

Next Sunday 19 May (Solemnity of Pentecost B)

- 8.45 Confessions
- 9.30 Mass (Parishioners)
- 11.15 Mass (George Craig)
- 12.30 Baptisms
- 4.00 Pentecost Rosary & Benediction

SICK LIST

Sean Armstrong, Joseph Ball, Linda Barry, Mary O'Neill, John Tallon, Nicholas Cavanagh, Eileen Fowler, Chris Doyle, Pat Toner, Keith Garcia, Tracy Hobson, Michael Peter Holmes, Philip Hendrick, Dorothy Lynch, Michael Holmes, Susie Bell, Barbara Brooks, Pam Foster, David Brookfield, Shannon McGrath, Fred Keegan, Betty Needham, Kay Smith, Bob Cramsie, Ann & John Davies, Pauline Preston, Pat Threlfall, Stella O'Donnell, Julia Robertson, Pat Craig, Jenny McGann, Jane Shanley, Andrew Gargon

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

We must learn to regard people less in the light of what they do or omit to do, and more in the light of what they suffer. (Dietrich Bonhoeffer)

WELCOME

We extend a warm welcome to Carter Morgan and Finlay Morgan, who will be baptized today.

MAY PROCESSION

Children in Years 3 to 6 from our two primary schools, and members of staff, are coming to church on Friday morning for a May Procession and crowning of a statue of Our Lady. Parents and relatives of the children, and parishioners generally, are welcome to join us for this celebration. Please bear in mind that up to 350 children could be taking part, so all the central block benches will be required for them, and some side benches may also be needed. If you are coming to the May Procession, please avoid using the church car park on this occasion, as we will be gathering in the car park before the procession begins and returning there at the end. All the available space will probably have to be used. It would help if, while in church, you could sit in the cross benches and the organ gallery. The service will begin at **10.30 am** on **Friday 17 May**.

SUMMER FAYRE

The inaugural St Wilfrid's Parish Summer Fayre will take place on **Sunday 14 July**, starting at **12.30 pm**. There will be a wide range of stalls, raffles and activities, including a Bouncy Castle, a dance show from the award-winning Bluebell School of Dance, a car wash, and games such as Beat the Goalie and Hook-A-Duck. Music and refreshments will also be provided, and a team of professional Princesses will be on hand to welcome people as they arrive and stroll around dispensing good cheer. Donations of bottles of wine or spirits, books, DVDs, CDs/cassettes/vinyl records, clothing, toys, sweets, cakes, plants, teddy bears and gifts of various kinds would be gratefully received.

STANDING ORDERS

I am very grateful to everyone who supports the parish financially, whether by cash donations or by Standing Orders. Several people still have Standing Orders in the name of St Austin's parish, whereas it would be much easier administratively if those Standing Orders were (like all the others) in the name of **St Wilfrid's**. If you still have a St Austin's Standing Order and would be willing to make this transition, please let me know.