

ST WILFRID'S, GARSTON / ALLERTON / GRASSEDALE

26th SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME (YEAR C)

27/28 SEPTEMBER 2025

Parish Priest : Fr David Potter; Deacon : Revd Paul Whitehead

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MASSES & SERVICES

Saturday 27 September (Vigil Mass)

5.15 pm Confessions

6.00 pm Mass (For One Sick J. McG.)

Sunday 28 September (26th Sunday of Ordinary Time C)

8.45 Confessions

9.30 Mass (Maureen & Joseph Smith)

11.30 Mass (Parishioners)

Monday 29 September (Feast of Ss Michael, Gabriel & Raphael, Archangels)

8.30 Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

9.10 Morning Prayer

9.30 Mass (In Thanksgiving for the Gift and Mission of our Catholic Faith)

Tuesday 30 September (St Jerome, Priest & Doctor of the Church)

8.30 Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

9.10 Morning Prayer

9.30 Mass (Joseph Brophy)

Wednesday 1 October (St Therese of the Child Jesus, Virgin & Doctor of the Church)

8.30 Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

9.10 Morning Prayer

9.30 Mass (In Thanksgiving)

7.30 Perpetual Succour Novena & Benediction 6/9

Thursday 2 October

7.00 pm Mass of Confirmation

Friday 3 October

9.30 am Mass (Frank & Imelda Lomgworth)

N.b. no Exposition or Morning Prayer

Saturday 4 October (Solemnity of St Francis of Assisi, Patron of the Parish Church)

9.10 Rosary

9.30 Mass & Litany of St Francis (Lancashire Infirm Secular Clergy Fund)

5.15 Confessions

6.00 Vigil Mass (Parishioners)

Next Sunday 5 October (27th Sunday of Ordinary Time C) Annual Mission Appeal

8.45 Confessions

9.30 Mass (Intentions of the Congregation of the Holy Spirit)

11.30 Mass (Hilda Preston) 12.45 Baptisms

SICK LIST

Sean Armstrong, Linda Barry, Mary O'Neill, Nicholas Cavanagh, Eileen Fowler, Chris Doyle, Keith Garcia, Michael Peter Holmes, Philip Hendrick, Dorothy Lynch, Fred Keegan, Bob Cramsie, Ann Davies, Pauline Preston, Pat Threlfall, Stella O'Donnell, Julia Robertson, Pat Craig, Jane Shanley, Peter Jeffrey, Grace Astbury, Gerard Doyle, Ann Ghorbal, Ray Pealing

HARVEST FESTIVAL

A Harvest Festival is being celebrated in our church this weekend. Masses on **27-28 September**. All items brought will be distributed to people in need by the Missionaries of Charity on Seel St.

ANNIVERSARY OF THE RESTORATION OF THE HIERARCHY

This Monday 29 September sees the 175th anniversary of the Restoration of the Catholic Hierarchy in England and Wales. By the same token, it is the 175th anniversary of the Archdiocese of Liverpool. To commemorate this significant milestone, Mass will be offered "In Thanksgiving for the Gift and Mission of our Catholic Faith".

OCTOBER DEVOTIONS TO OUR LADY

During October, the Rosary will be prayed at **7.10 pm** before Friday evening Masses, as well as at the usual times. The remaining parts of this year's Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Succour will be celebrated at **7.30 pm** on **Wednesday 1 October, Friday 10 October, Wednesday 15 October** and **Monday 27 October**. Pope Leo has asked Catholics to pray the Rosary for peace throughout October.

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

Please pray for the following, who will be confirmed in our church this week.

Anna Maurice Lawrence

Brian Lawrence

Gerard Lawrence

Joseph Lawrence

Martin Lawrence

Kirsty Lawrence

Nikita Lawrence

Shania Lawrence

Tulisa Lawrence

William Lawrence

Patrick Ward

Tamara Ward

Winnisha Ward

ARCHBISHOP EMERITUS MALCOLM McMAHON OP

This Friday **3 October** at **7.00 pm**, a Mass will be celebrated in the Cathedral to honour and give thanks for the ministry of Archbishop Malcolm McMahon, who was in office from 2014 until earlier this year. All are welcome.

KNIGHTS OF ST COLUMBA SPONSORED WALK

Sponsorship envelopes for the KSC Sponsored Walk will be collected in next weekend.

ANNUAL MISSION APPEAL

Next weekend, **Fr Peter Otuonkpaikhian CSsP** will preach the 2025 Mission Appeal at all Masses on behalf of the Congregation of the Holy Spirit, also known as the Spiritans. More details will be given in the following newsletter.

