



# The Parish of St William served by the Churches of St John & St Patrick

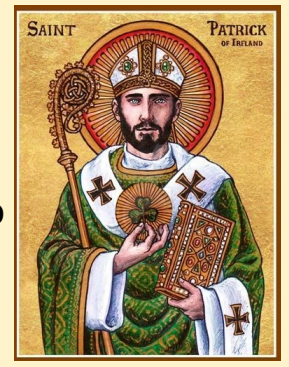
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## Sunday 28th August 2022 – 22nd Sunday of Ordinary Time

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### Parish Diary for the week ahead including Mass Intentions

Sun 28 Aug	<b>22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>	Holy Mass <b>St Patrick's 9.15am</b> —Margaret McNulty (A) Holy Mass <b>St John's 11.00am</b> —Sosamma Mathew Confessions <b>St John's 3.45-4.15pm</b> Holy Mass <b>St John's 4.30pm</b> —Parishioners Parish Zoom Rosary <b>6.30pm</b>
Mon 29 Aug	<i>Passion of St John the Baptist</i>	Holy Mass <b>St John's 8.30am</b> —Thomas McGann & Mary Leonard Gardening Team <b>St John's 2-4pm</b>
Tue 30 Aug	<i>St Edmund Arrowsmith, Priest, Martyr</i>	Eucharistic Adoration <b>St Patrick's 6.15-7.15pm</b> Holy Mass <b>St Patrick's 7.30pm</b> —Winnie Frost (LD)
Wed 31 Aug	<i>St Aidan, Bishop and the Saints of Lindisfarne</i>	Holy Mass <b>St John's 7.30pm</b> —Tom & Teresa Carney (A)
Thu 1 Sep	<i>Sts Margaret Clitherow, Anne Line &amp; Margaret Ward, Martyrs</i>	Requiem <b>St Patrick's 1.00pm</b> for Ellen Irene Mulligan Ladies Group Meeting <b>St Patrick's 7.00pm</b> Traditional (Latin) Holy Mass <b>St John's 7.30pm</b> —Michael & Mary Maye
Fri 2 Sep	<i>Week 22 of Ordinary Time</i>	Holy Mass <b>St John's 10.00am</b> —Pauline Walkden Requiem <b>St Patrick's 10.00am</b> for Jean Eccleston
Sat 3 Sep	<b>St Gregory the Great, Pope and Doctor</b>	Holy Mass <b>St Patrick's 9.15am</b> —Jean Eccleston (LD) Afternoon Tea <b>St Patrick's 2-4pm</b> All welcome
Sun 4 Sep	<b>23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>	Holy Mass <b>St Patrick's 9.15am</b> —Edna Marshall followed by Coffee Morning in the Lappin Room (Restoration Fund) Holy Mass <b>St John's 11.00am</b> —Thanksgiving for a new home Confessions <b>St John's 3.45-4.15pm</b> Holy Mass <b>St John's 4.30pm</b> —Parishioners Parish Zoom Rosary <b>6.30pm</b>

(A) - anniversary  
(LD) - lately dead

**CONFESSIONS:** For ten minutes after each weekday Mass and at St John's from 3.45 – 4.15pm on Sundays.

**Please remember in your prayers those who are sick:** Sheila Parkinson, Agnes Pendlebury, Anthony Rutter, Rita Draisey, Brian Connolly, Arthur Harrison-Scott, Mary Moreton, John Heyes, Celia Marshall, Teresa Foster, Georgia Fradley, Albert Winstanley, Paul Fairhurst, Michael Pitcher, Tim Moran

**Please remember those who have died recently:** Markus Jon Schickoff, Rene Mulligan

**ANNIVERSARIES:** Margaret McNulty, Tom & Teresa Carney, Dawn Taylor, Marie Compton, Joseph Connell, Julia Gavaghan, Ellen Walsh, John Conway

**MASS INTENTIONS RECEIVED:** Philomena Elizabeth & Francis Thomas Dorgan (A), Margaret Collier (A), Brian Rignall (A), Margaret Gaskell (LD), Roberta Higginson (LD), Winnie Frost (LD), Jean Eccleston (LD), Rene Mulligan (LD), Julia Gavaghan.

**BAPTISMS:** today are at St John's – we welcome Isla Rose Holt, Leo Jack Topping and Jackson Pearson into our parish community. Please remember them and their families in your prayers.

**CHANGES TO MASS TIMES THIS WEEK:** Please note the changes to Mass on Wednesday and Thursday this week. Thank you

**PILGRIMAGE TO ROME:** . A meeting has been arranged for Wednesday 14th September at 7.00pm in the Campbell Room at St John's to discuss final details.

**ST PATRICK'S AFTERNOON TEA AT THE PRESBYTERY:**

Saturday 3rd September: Some tickets remaining, priced at £5. This is a ticket only event due to capacity. If you are unable to purchase after Mass today, please contact Josh for a ticket: 07713520717. All proceeds to Restoration Funds.

**THE LATE JEAN ECCLESTON RIP:** The Holy Rosary will be prayed at Banks' Funeral Parlour, Scholes, this coming Thursday (1st September) at 6pm for the late Jean Eccleston. All are welcome. Please find her funeral details overleaf and remember Jean and her family in your prayers at this sad time.

**ST PATRICK'S COFFEE MORNING:** Please note that the Coffee Morning, originally scheduled for this Sunday, has been **postponed to next Sunday (4th September)**, after Mass. This is due to the Bank Holiday. Apologies for any inconvenience this may cause and thank you for your understanding.

**ST BERNADETTE'S RELICS TRIP:** If you have a place on the coach, please can you pay your money in advance of the trip. Please hand to Julia Gibson in the Repository after Mass at St Patricks so your name can be ticked off. If you can no longer attend, please inform Maureen O'Bern as soon as possible as a waiting list is in place. Thank you.

**THE FLAME OF LOVE - A TALK BY FATHER ANDREW UNSWORTH:** Father Andrew explains the history and revelation of Elizabeth Kindelmann of Hungary and how the universal triumph of Jesus will come about through love of the Immaculate Heart of Mary. Saturday 24th September, 10.45am-3.30pm. St Joseph's Parish Hall, Crow Orchard Lane, Wroughtington.

10.00 am Holy Mass 10.45 am Tea/ Coffee 11.00 am First Presentation

1.00 pm – 1.45pm Lunch Break (please bring your own lunch) 1.45 pm -3.00pm Second Presentation.

3.00 pm Fame of Love Devotions & Close

To register and for more information, please either email: stjosphwrightington@rcaol.org.uk or telephone: 01257 676027. Tea and coffee provided. Suggested donation £5

**SPONSORED PILGRIMAGE WALK TO WALSINGHAM:** You can check out the photographs at the back of both churches over the next week—just look out for the blue photobook. If you haven't settled your sponsorship please do so this weekend. Thanks. There is still time to donate at: [www.justgiving.com/WalsinghamWalk22](http://www.justgiving.com/WalsinghamWalk22).

**PILGRIMAGE MASS AT THE SHRINE OF ST EDMUND ARROWSMITH:** is today (Sunday 28th August) at 3.00pm. The Church of St Oswald & Edmund Arrowsmith, Liverpool Rd, Ashton-in-Makerfield, WN4 9NP. There will be an opportunity to venerate the relic of the Holy Hand. Fr Gorman has also produced a 30 minute documentary about St Edmund's life and martyrdom. You can view it on Youtube by searching 'Saint Edmund Arrowsmith'.

**EVENING OF REFLECTION FOR READERS:** Those who carry out the Ministry of Reader in our parishes are invited to an Evening of Reflection and Training on Tuesday 20th September, 7.00-9.00pm at St Michael's Church, Widnes, WA8 8TF. The evening will be led by Rev. Paul Mannings, Deacon of the Metropolitan Cathedral and CCRS Coorindtor. All are welcome to attend to reflect upon this important ministry within the Church. Please email Fr Mark Moran in advance to express your interest at [m.moran@rcaol.org.uk](mailto:m.moran@rcaol.org.uk)

**PRAYER FOR THE PEOPLE OF UKRAINE**

Holy Michael Archangel, defend us in the day of battle;  
Be our safeguard against the wickedness & snares of the Devil.  
May God rebuke him, we humbly pray and do thou,  
Prince of the heavenly host, by the power of God  
thrust down to hell Satan and all wicked spirits,  
who wander through the world for the ruin of souls. Amen.

*Dates for your diary...*

Saturday 10th September	St Patrick's <b>Knit and Natter</b> in the Lappin Room, drop in from 2-4pm. Everyone welcome.
Mon 12th September	Cleaning at <b>St Patrick's 6.30pm</b> Please come and help. Many hands make light work!
Wed 14th September	Rome Meeting <b>7.00pm St John's</b> Campbell Room
Saturday 17th September	Sr Bernadette's Relic Tour and Trip to Liverpool (now fully booked)
22nd—29th October	<b>Parish Pilgrimage to Rome</b>



'St John's RC Church, Standishgate, Wigan'  
'St Patrick's Catholic Church, Wigan'

'St Patrick & St John Wigan'

