

The Parishes of St. Anne, Ormskirk & St. Elizabeth, Scarisbrick

Registered Charity no. 1063237

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**PARISH OFFICE at St Elizabeth's:
Tuesday's 8.30am till 11am.**

6 January 2019

SOLEMNITY OF THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

Readings Is 60: 1-6; Ps 71:1-2, 7-8, 10-11, 12-13; Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6; Mt 2:1-12.

St. Anne's:

St Elizabeth's:

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| Sat | 5 | 6.00pm | Bill Durman | | |
| Sun | 6 | 10.30am Noon 4.30pm | Tom McGrath <i>Baptism: Eloise Grace Canavan</i> Special Intention (Ann) | | 9.00am John Houghton |
| Mon | 7 | 9.15am 9.30am 8.00pm | <i>Morning Prayer</i> John Bannon <i>S.V.P. in P/Centre Lounge</i> | | |
| Tue | 8 | 11.45am Noon 1.30pm | <i>Midday Prayer</i> Gerard Swarbrick <i>Bereavement Support - P/Centre</i> | | |
| Wed | 9 | 7.30pm | <i>U.C.M.</i> | | 9.15am 9.30am <i>Morning Prayer</i> Bill & Elizabeth Summerscales |
| Thu | 10 | 11.00am | Requiem Mass: Margaret Charnock | | |
| Fri | 11 | | NO MASS TODAY | | 9.15am 9.30am <i>Morning Prayer</i> Marie Wright |
| Sat | 12 | 9.30am 11.15am Noon 5.15pm 6.00pm 7.00pm | <i>Defibrillator Training in P/C</i> <i>Exposition & Reconciliation</i> Tom Marsh -Altar Servers Mass <i>Sacrament of Reconciliation</i> Tommy Graham <i>Volunteers Party in P/Centre</i> | | |

Happy New Year 2019

Or live simply

Dear Parishioners

Once the schools return I always think we are back to normal. Pity the holiday time passes so quickly! I have had the good fortune to have been able to spend a few days with my family, and with so many children around I see that the magic of Christmas is still alive and thriving.

So we launch into a new year and what better feast to start us off than that of the Epiphany which we celebrate this Sunday. The key to the Epiphany is - journeying. Wise men set out on a mission and journey afar. Did they think too much about 'the meaning of life'? After all they were 'wise' men, as opposed to the shepherds who in their simplicity recognised God in their midst.

Most of us these days are people on a journey - to encounter the transcendent. With open hearts and minds let us set out in 2019 asking the Lord to guide us through the twisting roads ahead - and when we ask, the Lord has told us that he does listen!

Godric OSB



St Anne's Volunteers Party:

There is a party for all our volunteers of St. Anne's on Saturday 12 January at 7pm in the pastoral centre. Please sign your name on the list at the back of church if you are able to join us!

St. Anne's Pastoral Centre unless stated otherwise.

Sun 6 Jan Coffees after morning Mass.
Mon 7 Jan Monday Club: 2pm; SVP: 8pm.
Tue 8 Jan Prayer Group: 9.30am; Bereavement Support: 1.30pm;
Bingo: 7.30pm.
Wed 9 Jan UCM: 7.30pm – £5 subs due.
Sat 12 Jan Defibrillator Training: 9.30am; St Anne's Altar Servers
Mass at noon; St. Anne's Volunteers Party: 7pm.
Mon 14 Jan Oblate Meeting in Lounge 6.30pm; J & P in Hall: 7.30pm.
Fri 18 Jan St Elizabeth's Volunteers Party: 7pm.

Anniversaries (Last 10 yrs up to Sat 12 Jan 2019).

St. Anne: *Kevin Judge, John McKechnie, Philip Byrne, Kathleen Spencer, George Kehoe, Geoffrey Sumner, Kit Lindon, John Doyle, Betty Ludlow, Mary O'Halloran, Irene Scogings, John Marsh, Eva Brady, Honora Forrest, Doris Fitzgerald, Catherine Rigby, Tina Pastor, Michael Corrigan.*



St. Elizabeth: *Dorothy Dineen, Sarah Darnell, Frederick Hook.*

Please pray for the sick in our parishes:

St. Anne: *Fr. Boniface, Georgia Addy, Mark Condon, Isabelle English, Margaret Johnston, Charles Kuhwald, Laura Moss, Jim Pierce, Pat Pope, Deborah Smith, Valerie Swinnerton, Kathleen Thorpe, Stephen Wilson.*

St. Elizabeth: *Susan Foster, Josie Prescott, Marie Savage, Margaret Wright.*

Please pray for the repose of the souls of Margaret Charnock, Rev. Peter Knight & Fr Dominic Milroy of Ampleforth who died recently.

Bereavement Support in St Anne's Pastoral Centre Lounge

Tuesday 8 January from 1.30pm till 2.30pm.

Defibrillator Training by Dr Tim Simper

St Anne's Pastoral Centre Hall

Saturday 12 January at 9.30am.

If any more parishioners wish to come along to the training session, please let Colette know at St Anne's parish office.

The Benedictine Year Book 2019
& Liverpool Archdiocese 2019 Directory
Both now on sale in the shop at St Anne's Church.

***Let us continue to say the
Synod Prayer over the
coming months.***

We thank you Father for
the love you have shown us
in the gift of Jesus, your Son.

Keep us grateful each day
for the blessings that surround us.

As we are fed by you, so now send
us out

to share what we have received
with our hungry brothers and
sisters.

We humbly ask your help to
become the Church
that you are calling us to be:
a community that listens, that
trusts,

that lives with courage
and that puts out its nets into new
waters.

May the gentle presence of Christ in
our hearts

be a source of healing, of new life
and of a deeper trust in you.

We ask this in faith through Jesus
Christ, Our Lord. Amen

Synod Service

Metropolitan Cathedral

Sunday 3rd February 2019,

3.00pm - 4.00pm

Join us to welcome Synod
representatives from across the
region as we prepare for a year of
reflection and positive change
within the Archdiocese.



St Elizabeth's News:

Volunteers Party - The date of this year's party has had to be changed to FRIDAY 18th JANUARY please see the list at the back of church if you can come.

St Elizabeth's 200 Club: So far, we have had less than 60 entries for this year's draw PLEASE SUPPORT US IF YOU CAN. Forms at the back of church- PLEASE RETURN FORMS BY SUNDAY 20TH JANUARY.



St. Anne's News:

Volunteers Party: There is a party for all our volunteers of St. Anne's on Saturday 12 January at 7pm in the pastoral centre.

With You Always Sacramental Programme: The next meeting for children & parents is on Sunday 27 January following on from 10.30am Mass or at 3.15pm before the 4.30pm Mass. Both meetings will be held in the pastoral centre.

Ormskirk Foodbank: Volunteers are the life blood of foodbanks. Your skills could be just what we need.

The Foodbank is open at New Church House on a Tuesday and Friday from 11-2pm. To apply, please email info@ormskirk.foodbank.org.uk

The number of vulnerable members of our community we are able to support has gone up by 35% so please we need you to continue to help us with your donations. There is a box at the back of church for any food donations.