

Sick and Housebound
LET US HOLD IN PRAYER

Those who are sick or housebound, especially:

- Teresa Crosby
- Ann Dingsdale
- William Donohoe
- Beryl Gaskell
- Oliver Gazda
- Vera Green
- Bernard Halliday
- Carol Heath
- Christine Hollinghurst
- Angela Pearlman
- Mary Powell
- Kate and Terry Rigby
- Hughie Slavell
- Rita Smith
- Kath Swales
- Nell Taylor
- Aoife White

May the Lord embrace them with His healing love.

Lately Dead

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED RECENTLY:

- P.V.Chacko
- Anne Connaughton
- Peter Anthony Hanley
- Alan Rawlinson

Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them.

May they rest in peace. Amen.

Anniversaries

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR

PRAYERS

- Tim and Pat Farrelly
- Jean Heaps
- Christine Powell
- Christopher Stanton
- Margaret and Owen Toale
- Dorothy Worthington

whose anniversaries occur at this time.

Collection Amounts

Week beginning 2nd March 2025:

The offertory collection for St Leo's was **£113.58**. For St Luke's it was **£360.37**.

Thank you for all your contributions.



SURVIVE-MIVA Appeal: on Sat. 15th and Sun. 16th March, one of their representatives will be giving a talk to the congregations of St Leo's and St Luke's about the work that they do.

SURVIVE-MIVA is a UK-based lay Catholic Association and Registered Charity. Founded in Liverpool in 1974, they make grants to fund essential forms of transport for the Church's vital health outreach work and pastoral ministry in the developing world.

Mill Hill Mission Boxes

Please bring your red missionary boxes into church to be emptied.

CAFOD Lent Appeal – Family Fast Day collection (Friday 14th March)

Please donate to our Family Fast Day parish collection and be a pilgrim of hope with CAFOD this Jubilee Year. You'll be supporting communities experiencing the impacts of war, poverty and climate change to find solutions and hope. Use the CAFOD envelope in church, donate online at cafod.org.uk/envelope or call us on 0303 303 3030. You can also text CAFODLENT to 70085 to donate £10.

During **Lent** there will be a Lenten Alms collection box in each church for your Contributions. Stations of the Cross will take place every Friday in **Lent** after the 9am Mass.

Holy Rosary after weekday Masses.
Baptisms on Saturdays at 11.00am

Sacrament of Reconciliation on Saturdays 10.30am—10.50am



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Rev. Joseph Morgan (Parish Deacon)
Judith Aveling (Parish Administrator)

FIRST WEEK OF LENT, YEAR C - MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS

Saturday 8th March		VIGIL OF THE FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT
St Leo's	5pm	Margaret and Owen Toale (A)
Sunday 9th March		FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT
St Luke's	9am	Christopher Stanton (A)
	10am	Preparation for the Sacraments: <i>Come back to me</i>
Hospital	11am	NHS STAFF & FAMILIES
Tuesday 11th March		First Tuesday of Lent
St Luke's	9.15am	Anne Connaughton (LD) - Year 5 Class Mass
Wednesday 12th March		First Wednesday of Lent
St Luke's	9.15am	Daisy James (T) - Year 6 Class Mass
Thursday 13th March		First Thursday of Lent
St Leo's	9.30am	Special Intentions
Friday 14th March		First Friday of Lent / CAFOD Family Fast Day
St Luke's	9am	Jean Heaps (A)
	9.30am	Stations of the Cross
Saturday 15th March		First Saturday of Lent
St Luke's	10am	Christine Powell (B)
		VIGIL OF THE SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT
St Leo's	5pm	Special Intentions
Sunday 16th March		SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT
St Luke's	9am	Tim and Pat Farrelly (A)—Christine Powell (A)
Hospital	11am	NHS STAFF & FAMILIES



Responsible Giving Guidelines:

Gift Aid Envelopes and Standing Orders

For us to claim 25% per pound on your donations (at no extra cost to you) please sign a **Gift Aid Declaration Form** if you are a taxpayer and wish to Gift Aid your donations. Please ensure you have filled in a Gift Aid Declaration Form **if already registered**.

Please notify Tracy Vickers or Peter Stanley, if you:

- ⇒ No longer pay sufficient Income Tax/Capital Gains Tax to Gift Aid – see the HMRC website for more details.
- ⇒ Want to cancel your envelopes or standing order
- ⇒ Have changed your name, address, email or phone number and not told us yet
- ⇒ Wish to change from envelopes to standing order or vice-versa.
- ⇒ Picked up a box of envelopes last year and didn't complete a Gift Aid Scheme Form or Gift Aid Declaration Form

The Gift Aid scheme raises thousands of pounds each year. Thank you for your generosity in supporting our parish this way.

Cast away Winter blues and welcome Spring Sunshine with

Asylum Link Merseyside's Fundraiser

7.00pm Saturday 15th March 2025

at ST ANNE'S CHURCH, OVERBURY STREET, LIVERPOOL L7 3HJ

For your pleasure, and to raise funds to support destitute asylum seekers and refugees, we welcome you to join us to enjoy an evening with our generous and talented performers

Asylum Link Choir welcome

Rachel Harland Ensemble

The Scottish & Irish Pipers

Hayli Kincade & the Wavertree Community Gospel Choir



To book your £5 tickets, which includes free refreshments – donations welcome:

Call in, or ring Illa on 0151 709 1713, or contact us: info@asylumlink.org.uk

We will also be offering you the chance to be included in our raffle

Join us: on our website  Facebook  Twitter 

www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/alm www.iustgiving.com/asylumlink/Contact

ALL PROCEEDS TO THE ASYLUM LINK, MERSEYSIDE
Wednesday 13 Jan 2025

CHARITY NUMBER 1095180

Join CAFOD's Big Lent Walk in the Jubilee Year

You are invited to join CAFOD's Big Lent Walk and journey together with Catholics in England, Wales and Scotland as Pilgrims of Hope in this Jubilee Year - walking 200km over 40 days during Lent. Journey to one of the churches or shrines designated as places of pilgrimage in our diocese as part of your Big Lent Walk. Every £1 you raise will support communities like Lokho's in Kenya, experiencing the worst impact of the climate crisis, to rebuild their lives in hope. **Sign up here: <https://walk.cafod.org.uk/>**