

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
- Carol Heath
- 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
- Mrs Dodd
- Peter Anthony Hanley
- John Jefferies
- John (Jack) Mulvoy
- 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

- Fr Peter Fox
 - Joseph Johnson
 - Mary and John Rimmer
 - Christopher Stanton
 - Margaret and Owen Toale
 - Dorothy Worthington
- whose anniversaries occur at this time.

Collection Amounts

Week beginning 23rd February 2025:

The offertory collection for St Leo's was **£156.09**. For St Luke's it was **£317.49**.

Thank you for all your contributions.



Offertory Envelopes for the New Tax Year

For those who already are registered to receive boxes of Offertory Envelopes and those who have recently applied for them, please see the A3 poster on the noticeboard at the back of church for more information. If you have Offertory Envelopes and pay tax, but haven't yet filled in a Gift Aid Declaration Form, please pick one up from the back of church, and return it to the parish office or sacristy. **Thank you.**

Please ensure that your Mass Intentions envelopes are handed over at least 2 weeks before your preferred date. Please refer to the A3 Availability Sheet on the noticeboard at the back of church to make sure that the date is available. **Thank you.**

February's Lotto Winners

- 1st Prize: Pauline Kelly (no 10)
- 2nd Prize: Sharon Halligan (no 22)



Lent

Lent begins on Ash Wednesday (5th March) which is a day of fasting and abstinence. The school will be joining us for the 9.15am Mass. 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.

Baptisms



We welcome into God's family of the Church

Hugh Wilbur Fitzhenry
Michael Andrew Kelly

who were baptised at St Luke's on Saturday 1st March.

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

Sacrament of Reconciliation on Saturdays 10.30am—10.50am



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Whiston, Prescot

Fr Michael Thompson (Parish Priest)

Rev. Joseph Morgan (Parish Deacon)

Judith Aveling (Parish Administrator)

Eighth Week of Ordinary Time - MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS

Saturday 1st March		VIGIL OF THE EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
St Leo's	5pm	Veronica Cummins (RIP)
Sunday 2nd March		EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
St Luke's	9am	John Jefferies (LD)
Hospital	11am	NHS STAFF & FAMILIES
Tuesday 4th March		Memorial of St Casimir
St Luke's	9am	Dorothy Worthington (A)
Wednesday 5th March		Ash Wednesday
St Luke's	9.15am	Alan Rawlinson (LD)
Hospital	11am	NHS STAFF & FAMILIES
St Leo's	5pm	Special Intentions
Thursday 6th March		Thursday after Ash Wednesday
St Leo's	9.30am	The Dunn Family
Friday 7th March		Friday after Ash Wednesday/Women's World Day of Prayer
St Luke's	9am	P.V. Chacko (LD)
	9.30am	Stations of the Cross
Saturday 8th March		Memorial of St John of God, Religious
St Luke's	10am	Beatrice Sherratt (B)
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

**THE CALL OF HOSEA;
TO TURN OUR HEARTS
BACK TO GOD**



SCRIPTURE MORNINGS
preparing for Lent

Wednesday mornings 10:30 – 12 noon
19th, 26th February and 5th March 2025

At the Irenaeus Centre
Great Georges Rd.
Waterloo
L22 1RD

Zoom links available
Contact jenny@irenaeus.co.uk

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER 2025
Friday 7 March

**I made you
Wonderful!**

Join us on this year's
World Day of Prayer for Women.

**A time for women
to pray and a time to share
2pm – 3:30pm**
At the Irenaeus Centre L22 1RD

For more information contact moira@irenaeus.co.uk



Cook Islands *I made you wonderful*

INFORMED PRAYER | PRAYERFUL ACTION
24/7 365 Days a year. Prayer movement. Ecumenical. International. Women-led.
wwdp.org.uk Registered Charity Number: 233242

**JOURNEY THROUGH
THE WILDERNESS**
A silent retreat
led by Moira Meeghan
at the Irenaeus centre L22 1RD
7th – 9th March 2025

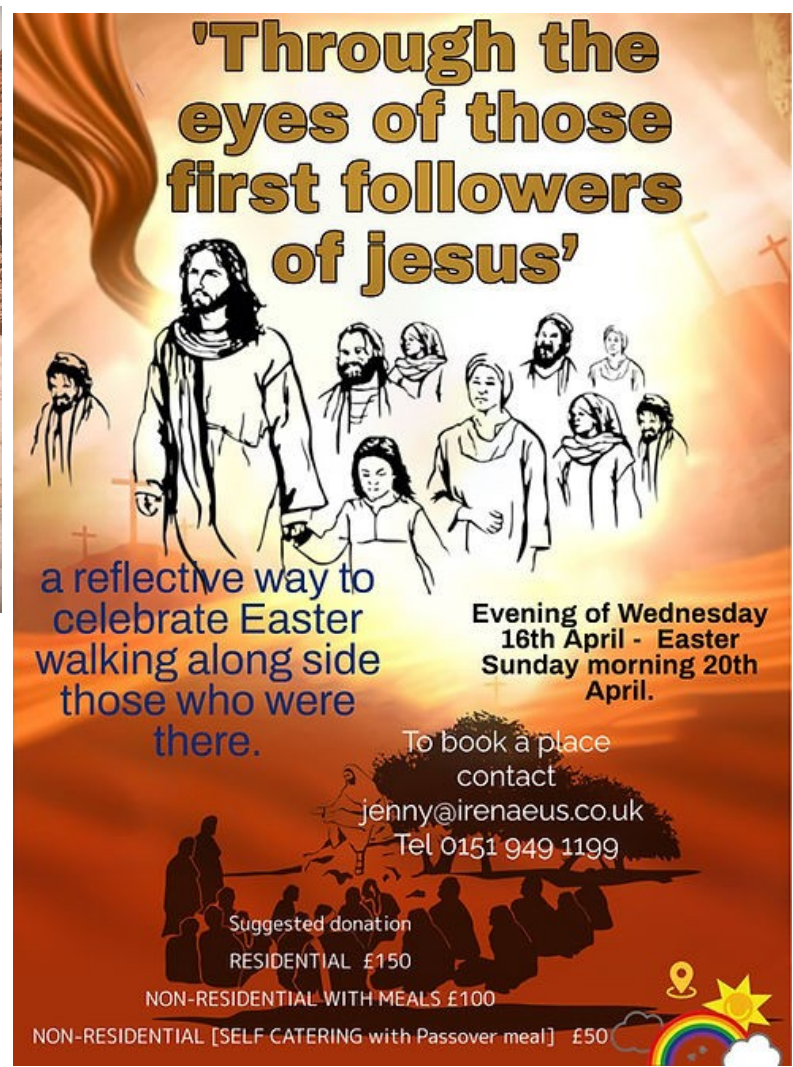


**Residential places available
(book early)**

RESIDENTIAL	£95
NON-RESIDENTIAL WITH MEALS	£70
NON-RESIDENTIAL [SELF CATERING]	£30

To book and for more information contact
jenny@irenaeus.co.uk Tel: 0151949 1199

**'Through the
eyes of those
first followers
of Jesus'**



a reflective way to
celebrate Easter
walking along side
those who were
there.

Evening of Wednesday
16th April - Easter
Sunday morning 20th
April.

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Tel 0151 949 1199

Suggested donation
RESIDENTIAL £150
NON-RESIDENTIAL WITH MEALS £100
NON-RESIDENTIAL [SELF CATERING with Passover meal] £50

ASSISTED

**WE WANT YOU!
FOR LOURDES 2025**

HELPERS

REGULAR

YOUNG

**DID YOU KNOW
LOURDES IS FOR
EVERYONE...**

We want you to come to Lourdes this year. No matter who you are, what your age, how much help you need - or can give - there is a place for you in Lourdes.

If you have time and energy to volunteer and help during the week you can join our amazing hospitalite and medical team...

If you can sing or play an instrument - join our music group...

If you need extra help to get around we can offer you assistance. If you struggle a little more and need more assistance we have a dedicated medical team to care for you...

If you are age 15-22 apply for the youth pilgrimage...

If you want to get away and be with our diocesan family in the summer - enjoying time together, masses and prayers in Lourdes, and a chance to meet old and new friends...

Lourdes is the place for you!
JOIN US 24 - 31 JULY 2025

Friendship Faith Fun Service

FOR MORE INFORMATION ON HOW YOU CAN JOIN THE PILGRIMAGE PLEASE CONTACT US

07484 911623 lourdespilgrimage@rcaol.co.uk www.liverpool-lourdes.org.uk

Liverpool Archdiocesan Council of the Guild of St Stephen

PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES 2025

Sunday 26th October 2025 – Saturday 1st November 2025

Price
£575 Sharing - Per Person
£695 Single Room - Per Person


Includes

- Travel by Luxury Coach with Air Con
- 4 Nights Full Board in a 3* Hotel
- Excursion Programme
- Pick Up Points Arranged

Excludes

- Travel Insurance
- Visa for Europe for 18 – 70 years

SUBJECT TO CHANGE
For more information please contact:
Rose Curry on 07932 729896



Archdiocese Pilgrimage to Rome in November
More places have become available for this Pilgrimage. The dates are Friday 7th - Thursday 13th November. Please email Mpmmurphyat@aol.com for further details and booking forms.

WHISTON TOWN COUNCIL

The Whiston Luncheon Club for the Over 55's provides a warm welcome and a hot meal for a small charge (free on a Thursday).
When: every Monday and Thursday, between 11.45 and 2pm Where: George Howard Centre, Lickers Lane, Whiston, L35 3SR
Bingo and a Raffle take place after lunch at the Town Hall. All are welcome.

