

Parish Collections

Sunday 8th April

St. Agnes - £520.73

St Aidan - £386.70

Easter Offering

St. Agnes - £231.54

St. Aidan - £145.48

St. Agnes' team to count: Team 2

March Standing Orders

St. Agnes- £ 943.00

St. Aidan- £ 90.00

Special Collection: Holy Places

Thank you for your generous support

Baptism



St. Aidan's Baptism Preparation:

2nd Monday of the month in
St. Aidan's church at 6:30pm

St. Aidan's Baptisms:

3rd Sunday at 11am (Deacon)

4th Saturday at 12 noon (Fr. Anton)

St. Agnes' Baptism Preparation:

1st Tuesday of the month in
St. Agnes' church at 7:30pm

St. Agnes' Baptisms:

1st Sunday at 12.30pm & 2pm (Fr. Anton)

4th Sunday at 12.30pm (Deacon)

If you wish to have your child baptised, you **must** contact the Parish Office on **489 3085** and you will be booked into a preparation meeting.

Offertory Envelopes

Just a few envelopes are awaiting collection from the back of the church. Please help by collecting yours today. Thank you for your support.

Dementia Information Session

Maureen Knight from the Archdiocesan Pastoral Department will be leading a 'One Hour Dementia Information Session' in Sr. Elizabeth Kelly Room on Tuesday 1st May 7.30pm
www.pastoralcareproject.org.uk.

St. Agnes' Little Church

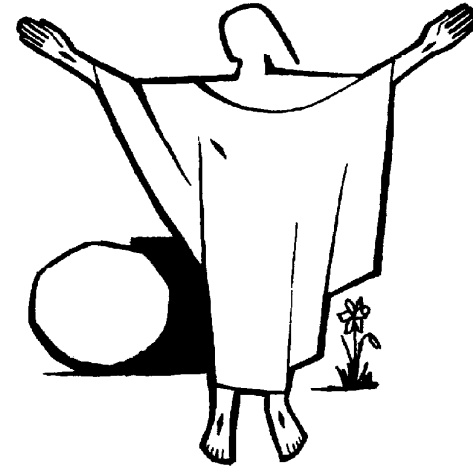


Sunday, 22nd April
Janice plus one

Sunday, 29th April
Honor and Julie

The Parish of St. Agnes and St. Aidan

NEWSLETTER



Sunday 15th April 2018

Third Sunday Of Easter

Liverpool Roman Catholic Archdiocesan Trustees Inc.
Reg. Charity No. 232709

Mission Statement of the Archdiocese of Liverpool

Taking to heart the last words of the Lord Jesus, we will go into the world and proclaim the Good News to the whole of creation.



Prayer Requests

For those who are sick or in special need of our Prayers

Vera Cummins, Philip Bromwell, James Soundie, Mary Organ, Thomas Clegg,
 Daphne Flynn, Aidan Morris, Maria Edge, Kay McNeill, Wendy Paveley,
 Elsie Blundell, Kitty Barnes, Maureen McGurk, Amy Adair, Phil Ridler, Eddie Doran,
 Sandra Rowley, Winnie Witter, Joseph Hill, Rose Sankey, George Gibbons,
 Averyll Fairfield Logan, Carol Atkinson, Sr. Ann, Christine Lees, Susan McDougale,
 Pat Madden, Marion, James Taylor, Philip Gallagher, Ursula Erfani,
 Clare Pendleton, Victoria Hill-Edmundson, Wyn Graham, Josie Riley, Jennifer McLaughlin,
 Caelan McKeown, Mary Davis, Jimmy Jones, Margaret Flynn, Aaron Carmichael,
 Triona Bromwell, Patrick McKeown, Maisie Pritchard, Janet & Ray Cragg,
 Maisie Linda O'Keefe, Margaret Sergison, Nancy Evans, Collette Garlick, Anthony Winrow,
 Nick Gregory, Kathleen Hughes, Philip Malone, Nathan Davies, Mrs Lynch, Ann Gavin,
 Roisin & Pdraig McRory, Jerome Mitchell, Lawrence McClintock, Pauline Irvine, Peter Kelly,
 John Kennedy, Laura Mitchell, Sophie Bond, Colette Martin, Jennifer McKeown,
 Christina Hill, Baby Sonny, Angela Smith, Alan McMahon, Graham Dawson,
 Kathleen Keenan, Kate Williams, John Humphry, Rose Rawlinson, Marie Hunter,
 Tommy Swift, Nicholas Cragg, Sarah Doherty, Eileen Critchley,
 Terry Martin, Fr. Bernard Higham, Michael Ryan, Stella Passey. Fr. Simon, John Mulcahey,
 Sr Egno, Bruce Dixon, Marjorie Clutton, Grace Fernando, Peter Lovelady, Margaret Murphy,
 Fr Nicholas Wild, Molly Kennedy, James Abraham, Ann Holden, Margaret Leadbetter, Mave
 Mooney, Brenda McArdle, Bridie Dillon, Gerry Reid, Kayleigh Martin, Patricia Coltman,
 Jimmy Williams, Tricia Andrews

There are a number of young adults in our parishes who are terminally ill at the moment. Please remember them and their families specially in your prayers.

Lately Deceased

Bernard Hunt.

Anniversaries

Gary James Osborne, Martin Anthony O'Donnell, John & Nora Fleming, John Cronin, Bella Kearns.

Sanctuary Lamps week beginning – 15th April, 2018

St. Agnes - Parishioners of St. Agnes and St. Aidan

St. Aidan - Parishioners of St. Agnes and St. Aidan

Please ensure that details of your dedication are written on the front of the envelope and placed in the black post box in the Sacristy.

Please enter your Gift Aid Number if you have one. Thank you.

PARISH OFFICE/PRESBYTERY

Main Parish Office: St. Aidan

92 Adswood Road, L36 7XR

Tel/fax: 0151 489 3085

Office Hours:

Monday-Thursday 9.00am - 12.30pm

Friday 9.00am - 4.00pm

St Agnes Church

82 Huyton Hey Road, L36 5SQ

Tel: 449 2209

Mass cards available from either church

Email Address:

agnesaidan@rcaolp.co.uk

For your information:

Parish Newsletters are posted on

Parish Website every week at:

www.stagnes-staidan.org.uk

Newsletter items by Thursday morning to parish office

St. Aidan's Parish Centre

Memberships available

MONDAY

Slimming World 3.30pm, 5.30pm & 7.30pm

TUESDAY

Slimming World 9.30am, 11.30am

(Michelle: 07940181515)

Country Night

7.30pm

WEDNESDAY

Bingo at 1.00pm Quiz Night

THURSDAY

Bingo

7.30pm

SUNDAY

Cabaret Night

Function room for hire Friday, Saturday and noon Sunday. Provide your own catering or ask for a quote. All enquiries contact: **Jacqui on: 0151 489 9024**

PARISH CONTACTS



SISTERS:

Helpers of the Holy Souls

Sr Elizabeth 0151 480 7904

Sr. Mary Rose 0151 482 6895

Sisters of St. Mary of Namur

Sr. Barbara 0151 481 0968

Sr. Gabriel 0151 489 1302

Sr. Louise 0151 489 1302

PRIMARY SCHOOLS:

St. Aidan 0151 477 8370

St. Joseph 0151 477 8990

St. Anne's 0151 477 8260

PARISH CLERGY:

Parish Priest

Rev. Fr. Anton Fernandopulle

0151 489 3085

Deacons:

Mike Whelan, Joe Morgan

PARISH CLUB

St Aidan: 0151 489 9024

'Parish of St. Agnes and St. Aidan'

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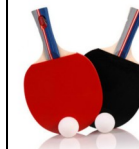


TABLE TENNIS

Tuesdays in St Aidans

All Welcome

(year 6 and above)

Rosary at St. Aidan's

The Rosary will be prayed on the 1st Sunday of the month at 4pm in St. Aidan's.





Our next fundraiser for **WCMAD** will be on Friday 20 April in St Aidan at 7.30pm There will be entertainment, raffle and a shared table. We look forward to your company for a family evening.



Saturday 28th April 2018

This will be held on the last Saturday of every month from 8am -12pm in

Sr. Elizabeth Kelly's meeting room
St. Agnes Church, Huyton Hey Road

The Men's Rites of Passage 25th - 29th July 2018

The Bield at Blackruthven, Nr Perth, PH1 1PY.

A 5-day life-changing program for men devised by Richard Rohr OFM which has been undertaken by over 5000 men across the world.

This is not about religion, but about spirituality. About age-old traditions that guide men into manhood. About coming to trust that there is something much greater at work in your life than you could ever imagine. Taking you sometimes OUT of your comfort zones, but more deeply back into your own life. You may find yourself mentally, intellectually, emotionally or spiritually challenged. This is part of the experience for some men: it may feel risky or uncomfortable; you may not always feel in control. Throughout the 5 days you will be held by an experienced team of male elders who have all previously undertaken the Rites themselves. As the Elders take you through the process of the Rites you will experience drumming, ritual, fire, silence, small groups, wilderness, solo-time, teaching . . . and more.

The Men's Rites of Passage are suitable for men of all colour, age, sexuality, ethnicity and faith tradition (or no faith); men with more severe physical disabilities are asked to provide more details of their restrictions during the application process and we will provide further advice.

<http://www.malejourney.org.uk/rites>

or speak to Fr. Richard Sloan or Fr. Anton



First Communion

Dates

The dates for this year's First Communions are:

Saturday 9th June 2018 –10am
St. Aidan's School

Saturday 16th June 2018 –10am
St. Joseph's School

Saturday 16th June 2018 –12.30pm
All other schools (St. Aidan's Church)

Saturday 23rd June 2018 –10am
& 12.30pm
St. Anne's School

Please do not request a specific time as this cannot be catered to on an individual basis due to the large numbers of participants.

THE OLD SCHOOLHOUSE

'Sometimes you need to sit in a quiet room in order to hear your own voice and not let it drown in the noise of others' - Charlotte Eriksson

The Old Schoolhouse on St John's Road has opened a room for quiet reflection, a space to think, a place to pray. It is open to all who feel the need for a time alone with their thoughts and a chance to speak with God.

Please know you are welcome to come anytime Monday to Friday 8.30am to 5.00pm

St. Aidan's Little Church

Sunday, 22nd April
Cath G.

Sunday, 29th April
Jane



Mass Intentions

Saturday 14th April

St. Agnes Mass 5.30pm - Joseph Flute, Billy Vaughan.

Sunday 15th April– Third Sunday Of Easter

St. Aidan Mass 9.30am - Sheila Whitehead, Malcolm Swainbank, John Downie
St. Agnes Mass 11.00am - Joe Hart

Monday 16th April

St Agnes 9.30am - Celebration of The Word and Communion

Tuesday 17th April

St. Agnes Funeral Service 11.00 - Bernard Hunt

Wednesday 18th April

St Agnes 7.30pm - Celebration of The Word and Communion

Thursday 19th April

No Mass

Friday 20th April

St Aidan Mass 12 noon - Anna Leatherbarrow.

Saturday 21st April

St. Agnes Mass 5.30pm - Cecilia Wilkes, Sr. Alice Doyle M.S.A.

Sunday 22nd April – Fourth Sunday Of Easter

St. Aidan Mass 9.30am - Margaret Dempsey
St. Agnes Mass 11.00am - Joan & Marie Crowney, Florence Russell

Please note: There will be a Funeral Service for Joan O'Keefe at 12.15pm on Monday, 23rd April at Springwood Crematorium.

**Confessions: Saturday at St. Agnes 5pm- 5.20pm
and Friday after 12 noon Mass at St Aidan's (Until there is nobody waiting)**

Please contact the Parish office if you would like an anniversary added to the Prayer List in the Newsletter. Thank you.



How are you at making decisions?
 Are there any decisions
 you know you're putting off?
 Would you like to have the 'tools'
 to make better decisions?
 Do you often feel confused about
 the way forward/ conflicting advice?

To go on with a relationship
 To make a commitment
 To change or choose a path in life
 To know what is truly 'life-giving' in the way you are living

A non-residential Workshop on Discernment and Decision-Making

for Adults 18-40

Saturday 21st and Sunday 22nd April

10.00 a.m. - 5.00 p.m.

Old School House, St. Johns Road, Huyton L36 0UX

- Have time for yourself: to breathe, to relax, to reflect
- Get in touch with what you really want, your deepest desires
- Listen to the voice within, always calling you to greater life
- Learn in an experiential way about discernment and decision-making
- Share with others
- Maybe even find a decision emerging... the next step...

We will work through:

- inputs
- times for reflection
- music
- creativity
- sharing
- tools of Ignatian Spirituality.

The workshop is offered by Sr. MaryRose and Sr. Silvia.

If you are interested, please **apply by 17th April!**

Contact: maryrosefitzsimmons@btinternet.com, 07770 830290

Suggested donation:

Waged £15.00, Students and Unwaged £10.00 (includes a light lunch each day).

Lourdes Pilgrimage

17th September 2018 x 5 nights

17th SEPT flying direct Manchester/
 Lourdes 22th SEPT Lourdes/Manchester

£699 per person sharing -

Hotel La Solitude

£36 per night single supplement

**Please note: A non-refundable
 deposit of £250 is required**



Includes: Return flights
 from Manchester Airport,
 transfers in Lourdes. Daily
 breakfast, lunch & dinner.
 Luggage allowance 10kg
 hand luggage + 15kg
 check-in luggage

FREE LISTENING SERVICE

Have you ever been listened to..?

... without comments... without judgement..

... in a safe place ...

... where your feelings and experiences are
 held respectfully ...

... a place where your heart can speak even
 when your tongue is still

The Old Schoolhouse is offering this free
 service with a facilitator who has
 several years experience of accompanying
 people from all walks of life.

This service will be available from 15th March
 at the following times:

Tuesdays 12.30pm – 4.30pm

Thursdays 10.00am – 2.00pm

You are welcome to arrange a meeting by
 ringing the Old Schoolhouse Reception on
 0151 480 9177.

You can drop-in but we cannot guarantee the
 facilitator will be available.



Welcome to the
 Parish family of
 St. Agnes and St. Aidan

Ruby-Leigh Smythe

*who will be baptised on
 Sunday, 15th April at St. Aidan*

Please remember this
 child and her family
 in your prayers.

Children's Liturgy

The Archdiocese of Liverpool supports all adults
 volunteering within this ministry who have a re-
 sponsibility to act and intervene when it appears
 that children need to be made safe from harm.
 This training will equip participants with the skills
 needed to meet their responsibilities.

The training will take place on:

Saturday 5 May 10.00 to 13.00

at St Helen Parish Centre, Crosby L23 7TQ

Monday 14 May 10.00 to 13.00 at LACE

Wednesday 23 May 10.00 to 13.00 at LACE

Saturday 2 June 10.00 to 13.00 at St Marie's
 Parish Hall, Almond Brook Rd, Wigan

Saturday 23 June 10.00 to 13.00

at Our Lady of the Annunciation
 (Bishop Eton) Woolton.

**To reserve a place please contact the
 office on 489 3085 or LACE on 0151 522
 1043 / 0151 522 1103
 or via email on: safeguarding@rcaol.co.uk**