



FROM THE SPIRE



News & updates from our Shrine Churches for our community in Preston, Lancashire, England.



My dear friends,

FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

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I would like to take advantage of this editorial to wish our candidates a happy summer and a successful future. They will be leaving the house on 9th and 10th July. Let's keep praying for their spiritual journey. We must take advantage of the month of the Precious Blood of Christ to ask God for many vocations. We still have a few places left at Preston House for next October. We ask God for young men who have the grace to say yes, and a yes that is repeated every day. We ask God for young women who want nothing more than to follow Christ among our Sisters. O God, give us many holy priests and religious vocations! Finally, thank you all for this wonderful edition of the summer fair!

God bless you!
Canon Cristofoli

Nota Bene: All noon Masses during the week will be at St Walburge's.



TRANSLATION OF THE EPISTLE AND GOSPEL

Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

Lesson from the first letter of St. Peter the Apostle

1 Pet 3:8-15.

Beloved: Be all like-minded in prayer, compassionate, lovers of the brethren, merciful, reserved, humble; not rendering evil for evil, or abuse for abuse, but contrariwise, blessing; for unto this were you called that you might inherit a blessing. For, 'He who would love life, and see good days, let him refrain his tongue from evil, and his lips that they speak no deceit. Let him turn away from evil and do good, let him seek after peace and pursue it. For the eyes of the Lord are upon the just, and His ears unto their prayers; but the face of the Lord is against those who do evil.' And who is there to harm you, if you are zealous for what is good? But even if you suffer anything for justice' sake, blessed are you. So have no fear of their fear and do not be troubled. But hallow the Lord Christ in your hearts.

Continuation of the Holy Gospel according to Matthew

Matt 5:20-24.

At that time, Jesus said to His disciples: Unless your justice exceeds that of the Scribes and Pharisees, you shall not enter the kingdom of heaven. You have heard that it was said to the ancients, 'You shall not kill'; and that whoever shall kill shall be liable to judgment. But I say to you that everyone who is angry with his brother shall be liable to judgment; and whoever says to his brother, 'Raca,' shall be liable to the Sanhedrin; and whoever says, 'You fool!', shall be liable to the fire of Gehenna. Therefore, if you are offering your gift at the altar, and there remember that your brother has anything against you, leave your gift before the altar and go first to be reconciled to your brother; and then come and offer your gift.



Our prayer intentions this week:

For our sick members: Mr. and Mrs. Smith, Anita.

Mark and Ligaya McKay,

Arthur and Maxine Frankland, William.

and for the residents of Swansea Terrace.

Recovery of Bob Latin who suffered a stroke.

For David Madaford's niece.

Thanksgiving Priestly Ordination of Canon Post (5years),

Canon Ducret (2years), Canon Cristofoli (19years).

8th and 9th July: Following the Saturday noon Mass and each Mass on Sunday, we will be joined by Marcela and Agnieszka of the "Pious Lady Shop" (piousladyshop@gmail.com) who will be offering a variety of scapulars, veils and mantillas. Please contact them by email if you are looking for anything in particular or have other requests.

Ordo	Mass and Confession Times	Offices and Devotions	Mass Intentions
Sunday 02/07 5th Sunday after Pentecost (Com: the Visitation)	9:00 EM 10:30 SW 6:30pm SW Conf: 10-10:30 SW	8:00am Lauds 5:30pm Vespers and Benediction	Canon Cristofoli: Greg Mass Kenneth Richardson Canon Post: Canon Tanner Canon Ducret: Aidan Stevenson
Monday 03/07 Saint Irenaeus	8:30 SW **12 Noon SW** Confessions: 6pm	5:30pm Vespers 6pm Adoration 7pm Compline	Canon Cristofoli: Greg Mass Kenneth Richardson Canon Post: Canon Ducret Canon Ducret: Aidan Stevenson
Tuesday 04/07 --Feria--	8:30 SW **12 Noon SW** Confessions: 6pm	5:30pm Vespers 6pm Adoration 7pm Compline	Canon Cristofoli: Greg Mass Kenneth Richardson Canon Post: In actione gratiarum Canon Ducret: Canon Post
Wednesday 05/07 Saint Anthony Mary Zaccaria	8:30 Mass SW **12 Noon SW**	No evening devotions Church closed at 7pm	Canon Cristofoli: Greg Mass Kenneth Richardson Canon Post: Bernard Williams RIP Canon Ducret: John Thompson
Thursday 06/07 First Thursday (NSJC High Priest)	8:30 SW **12 Noon SW** Confessions: 6pm	9:15 Exposition 5:30pm Vespers 6pm Benediction	Canon Cristofoli: Greg Mass Kenneth Richardson Canon Post: Thomas Eyles RIP Canon Ducret: Aidan Stevenson
Friday 07/07 First Friday (Sacred Heart)	8:30 SW **12 Noon SW** Confessions: 6pm	5:30pm Vespers 6pm Adoration 7pm Compline	Canon Cristofoli: Greg Mass Kenneth Richardson Canon Post: Private Intention Canon Ducret: Robert Latin
Saturday 08/07 Saint Elizabeth	8:30 SW **12 Noon SW** 9:15 Confession	5:30pm Vespers 6pm Adoration 7pm Compline	Canon Cristofoli: Greg Mass Kenneth Richardson Canon Post: Walther family Canon Ducret: Aidan Stevenson
Sunday 09/07 <u>Ss. John Fisher and Thomas More</u> (6th after Pentecost)	9:00 EM 10:30 SW <u>***NO EVENING MASS***</u> Conf: 10-10:30 SW	8:00am Lauds 5:30pm Vespers and Benediction	Canon Cristofoli: Greg Mass Kenneth Richardson Canon Post: Walther family Canon Ducret: Peter Sheridan



Announcements



Connect with your fellow parishioners! If you would like to join one of our WhatsApp or Signal groups, please contact Canon Post at 07856 720900. Groups on Signal: *The Spire and the Martyrs*, *The Spire Men's Club* and *TheSpirePrayerGroup*. On WhatsApp: *St. Walburge's*.

****Summer fair grand prize!** "Danny" with blue raffle tickets 446-450 was the winner of first prize (dinner with the Canons featuring homecooked French cuisine). Please come and claim your prize!**

Summer Schedule: There will be **NO SUNDAY EVENING MASS (6:30pm)** during the months of July and August. Please plan accordingly. The final evening Mass before autumn will be on **2 July**.

**Likewise, please note that all Masses during the week will be at Saint Walburge's, unless otherwise indicated in the newsletter.

Adoration in July: Our normal evening hour (6pm) of Adoration will be maintained throughout the month of July. Take advantage of this opportunity to receive many graces! On the other hand, the **all-day Thursday adoration will be temporarily suspended**. Consult the newsletter in August for resumption of this devotion.

The Saint Benedict Academy: Saint Benedict's opens its doors for academic year 2023-2024 on Thursday, 7 September. If you would like to enrol a child or get involved, please contact Canon Post at saintbenedicts@icksp.org.uk

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Saturday, 15 July--Youth Group Walk: More information soon!

Our Safeguarding Representative: Mr. Peter Dilworth--**please note a change in the email address**, all safeguarding concerns should now be reported to: peter.dilworth@icksp.org.uk. See Church notice board for further safeguarding information.

Last week's collections: SW:£777.60. Bank transfers: £365.00. EM:£93.96

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To donate to St Walburge's via bank transfer:

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