



# FROM THE SPIRE



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



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## 19TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

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Dear faithful,

As you know, part of our mission in Preston includes the formation of future seminarians. Young men come and live with us for a year to discern whether they may have a vocation as a priest or oblate (clerical brother) in the Institute of Christ the King.

God continues to bless us with many candidates for the priesthood (see above)! Since we opened this house, more and more of them are now from England. We can hope that we will soon have more English sisters too!

For every young Catholic man or woman, it is important to take seriously the question of the future. What is God asking of me? When we say “yes” to the will of God, we will never regret it later!

In Christ the King,  
Canon Post

### Barn Dance

14th October 7pm

Come and join us for a fun-filled evening! Dancing with the famous Betty and Tony calling the steps, so no dancing experience required!

The callers have asked that children under six are kept clear of the dance floor for safety reasons.

Tickets online:

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/>

### First Holy Communion:

#### Autumn Classes

Please approach Canon Post or Canon Ducret if you would like your child to make his or her first Holy Communion prior to Christmas!

# TRANSLATION OF THE EPISTLE AND GOSPEL

## 19th Sunday after Pentecost

### Lesson from the letter of St. Paul the Apostle to the Ephesians

#### Eph 4:23-28

Brethren: Be renewed in the spirit of your mind, and put on the new man, which has been created according to God in justice and holiness of truth. Wherefore, put away lying and speak truth each one with his neighbor, because we are members of one another. Be angry and do not sin; do not let the sun go down upon your anger; do not give place to the devil. He who was wont to steal, let him steal no longer; but rather let him labor, working with his hands at what is good, that he may have something to share with him who suffers need.

### Continuation of the Holy Gospel according to Matthew

#### Matt 22:1-14

At that time, Jesus spoke to the chief priests and the Pharisees in parables, saying, The kingdom of heaven is like a king who made a marriage feast for his son. And he sent his servants to call in those invited to the marriage feast, but they would not come. Again he sent out other servants, saying, "Tell those who are invited, behold, I have prepared my dinner; my oxen and fatlings are killed, and everything is ready; come to the marriage feast." But they made light of it, and went off, one to his farm, and another to his business; and the rest laid hold of his servants, treated them shamefully, and killed them. But when the king heard of it, he was angry; and he sent his armies, destroyed those murderers, and burnt their city. Then he said to his servants, "The marriage feast indeed is ready, but those who were invited were not worthy; go therefore to the crossroads, and invite to the marriage feast whomever you shall find." And his servants went out into the roads, and gathered all whom they found, both good and bad; and the marriage feast was filled with guests. Now the king went in to see the guests, and he saw there a man who had not on a wedding garment. And he said to him, "Friend, how did you come in here without a wedding garment?" But he was speechless. Then the king said to the attendants, "Bind his hands and feet and cast him forth into the darkness outside, where there will be the weeping and the gnashing of teeth." For many are called, but few are chosen.

#### Our prayer intentions this week:

For our sick members:

Mr. and Mrs. Smith, Anita.

Mark and Ligaya McKay,

Peter, Bob, Will

Arthur and Maxine Frankland,

William.

For the residents of

Swansea Terrace and

Moor Park House.



#### Publication of Banns of Marriage

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We have the joy to announce the  
Marriage of Mr Dennis Brophy  
and Mrs Anne Fleming  
scheduled next 25th November  
12 noon at St Walburge's  
Preston.

*\*\*If anyone is aware of any canonical  
impediment to this marriage, please contact  
Canon Cristofoli.\*\**

#### A Message from Bob and Jane Latin:

God bless you all for the prayers,  
cards, gifts, visits and other  
support given to us during Bob's  
illness which has sustained us in  
this difficult time. Bob is at last  
home, *Deo gratias*, and would be  
delighted to receive visitors.  
Contact Jane to arrange a time.



Ordo	Mass and Confession Times	Offices and Devotions	Mass Intentions
Sunday 08/10 19th Sunday after Pentecost <b>**Guild Sunday**</b>	9:00 EM 10:30 SW 6:30pm SW Confessions: 10am SW	8:00am Lauds 5:30pm Vespers & Benediction	Canon Cristofoli: Novena Abbe Gabriel Canon Post: Benjamin Reese Canon Ducret: Novena
Monday 09/10 St John Leonardi	8:30 Mass SW 12 noon EM Confessions: 6pm SW	7.30am Lauds 5:30pm Vespers 6pm Adoration & Rosary 7pm Compline	Canon Cristofoli: Novena Abbe Gabriel Canon Post: Intentions of Margaret Rushton Canon Ducret: Novena
Tuesday 10/10 St Francis Borgia	8:30 Mass SW 12 noon EM Confessions: 6pm SW	7.30am Lauds 5:30pm Vespers 6pm Adoration & Rosary 7pm Compline	Canon Cristofoli: Thierry Canon Post: Alex Kuhn 70th birthday Canon Ducret: Novena
Wednesday 11/10 The Maternity of the Blessed Virgin Mary	8:30 Mass SW <b>*No Noon Mass*</b>	<b>*School visits during the day, no noon Mass*</b> <b>*No evening offices*</b>	Canon Cristofoli: Ann Mary Finn Canon Post: Thanksgiving St Joseph Canon Ducret: Novena
Thursday 12/10 Feria Votive Masses	8:30 Mass SW 12 noon EM Confessions: 6pm SW	7.30am Lauds <b>9:30-6:45 Adoration</b> 5:30pm Vespers 6:00pm Rosary <b>6:45 Benediction</b> 7pm Compline	Canon Cristofoli: Ann Mary Finn Canon Post: Tony Bamber Canon Ducret: Novena
Friday 13/10 St Edward King of England	8:30 Mass SW <b>12 noon EM</b> Confessions: 6pm SW	7.30am Lauds 5:30pm Vespers 6pm Adoration & Rosary 7pm Compline	Canon Cristofoli: Ann Mary Finn Canon Post: Walther Intentions Canon Ducret: Novena
Saturday 14/10 Saint Callistus	8:30 SW 12 noon SW Confessions 9:15 SW	7.30am Lauds 5:30pm Vespers 6pm Adoration & Rosary 7pm Compline	Canon Cristofoli: Ann Mary Finn Canon Post: Bignell Family Canon Ducret: Guillaume de Penguern
Sunday 15/10 20th Sunday after Pentecost	9:00 EM 10:30 SW 6:30pm SW Conf: 10-10:30 SW	8:00am Lauds 5:30pm Vespers and Benediction	Canon Cristofoli: Mary Ann Mongan Canon Post: Poor Souls in Purgatory Canon Ducret: Novena



# Announcements

**Saint Walburge's Guilds/Catechism Sundays:** This Sunday is our first Guild Sunday of the new academic year (see also 22 Oct., 12 Nov., 26 Nov.). Bring a packed lunch to the church hall following High Mass. Catechetical talks for children of all ages and adults begin at 1pm. Don't miss this opportunity to learn more about your faith!

**Saint Benedict's fundraiser:** Don't want to bring your lunch after Mass? During the Saint Walburge's Guild afternoon, the families of the Academy will be selling hot soup, cakes and other goodies to raised money for our educational work. Please support this important initiative!

**Three Peaks Challenge:** Many thanks to our brave young climbers who took the Three Peaks Challenge. If you made a pledge in support of this event, please see Maria Platt, who is collecting the sponsor money.

**Rector's Heating Appeal:** Want to avoid freezing to death at SW this winter? Help contribute to our £35,000 heated pew project! See the newsletter of 30 July for more details. Also, we are seeking donations of smokeless coal for the presbytery this winter.

**North Merseyside Newman Circle:** On Thursday, 19th October at 7.30 pm St. Helen's parish centre in Crosby (Alexandra Rd. Liverpool L23 7TQ) will host a presentation on "Faith as a mustard seed: the work of Catholic Education." Speaker: Canon Ryan Post ICKSP who is Head of St. Benedict's Academy in Preston. Light refreshments are available from 7.15 pm. There is no charge and everyone is welcome. Further details from [helen.flynn8@gmail.com](mailto:helen.flynn8@gmail.com)

**On the occasion of their 60th anniversary of Marriage (19th October 1963),** our friends Jim and Joyce Lyons would like to invite all our fellow parishioners to the Hall for a Lancashire Hotpot on **Sunday 15th October at 1pm.** Please let us know if you plan to attend. There is nothing to pay! Just offer a smile and a prayer for them in thanksgiving!

**Our Safeguarding Representative:** Mr. Peter Dilworth--[peter.dilworth@icksp.org.uk](mailto:peter.dilworth@icksp.org.uk). See Church notice board for further safeguarding information.

**Last week's collections:** SW: £743.39 Bank transfers: £675.00 EM: £78.15

## **To Donate:**

Institute of Christ the King/St Walburge Charity number: 1144783

Donations via Bank Transfer:

Name: ICKSP; Sort Code: 40-10-22; Account Number: 52347733

Gift Aid forms and offertory envelopes can be obtained at the Presbytery.

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