

# *St Teresa & St John Southworth Churches, Cleveleys*

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## **SATURDAY, 25 JANUARY**

6.30 pm Jean Murphy (A)

## **SUNDAY 26 JANUARY – Third Sunday of Ordinary Time**

9.00 am Tom McNamara 10.30 am Edna and Jack Lang (A)

5 pm (at StJS) Rita Griffiths (LD)

## **MONDAY, 27 JANUARY**

9.30 am Pauline Walsh

## **TUESDAY, 28 JANUARY – St Thomas Aquinas**

9.30 am Sarah Laird (A)

## **WEDNESDAY, 29 JANUARY**

9.30 am (atStJS) Emily Cherry (LD)

12 noon (at StTs) Funeral Mass: Mary Czyzyk

## **THURSDAY, 30 JANUARY**

9.30 am Jo Laird (A) & David Sandiford (A)

## **FRIDAY, 31 JANUARY**

9.30 am Rita Spencer

## **SATURDAY, 1 FEBRUARY**

9.30 am Service 6.30 pm Stella Bajkowski (LD)

## **SUNDAY, 2 FEBRUARY – Presentation of the Lord**

9.00 am Marian Waters (A) & Family 10.30 am Tony Waters (LD)

5 pm (at StJS) Catherine McVeigh (A)

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**Sacrament of Reconciliation** - Saturday 10.30-11.30 am and 6.00-6.20 pm

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Attendance last Sunday: St T's: 312

StJS: 55

Collection: StT's £832.87

StJS: £140.81

received with thanks

**WE REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS** June Callery and Barbara Bootle whose Funerals were last week, and Mary Czyzyk whose Funeral Mass is at St Teresa's on Wednesday, 29 January at 12 noon. We remember them and their families, and all those whose anniversaries are at this time. May they rest in God's peace.

**WE ALSO REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS** all our parishioners who are ill, especially Dominic Barlow, Thomas McShane, Christine Wadland, Mavis McQuillen, Harry Likover, Win and Peter Campbell, Ann Blyth, Colette Coates, Carol Rowlands, John Bostock, Diane McKenzie, Teresa Doherty, Marion Broxton, Bob Walker, Betty McCafferty, Susan Crahan, Pauline Hall, Alison Leece, Nigel Sillis, Michael Taylor, Gerry Diamond, Yvonne Rawcliffe, Muriel Gradwell, Gerard Brimelow, Mary Ciotkowski, Carole Healey, Ian Richardson, Pam Mitchell and all those who receive Holy Communion at home.

**WE WELCOME INTO THE FAMILY OF THE CHURCH** Mia Jane Fenney-Mitchell whose Baptism takes place this Sunday.

**WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON GROUP** On 5 February the group re-commences after the Christmas break. If you enjoy knitting or crocheting (or would like to learn), please come and join us at 1 pm in St Teresa's Parish Hall. We make hats, cardigans and blankets for premature babies born at the Neo-natal Unit at Blackpool Victoria Hospital. All are very welcome.

**THERE IS A DAY OF RENEWAL**, entitled "The Power of the Holy Spirit", and led by Sr Maria Natella, on Saturday, 8 February, 10 am – 4 pm, starting with Mass at 10 am, at St Clare's Church (Parish Hall), Sharoe Green Lane, Fulwood, Preston, PR2 9HH. Please bring a packed lunch – tea and coffee are available. For information please phone Christine 07745 009694 or Annette 07954 429333.

**THE REDEDICATION OF ENGLAND AS THE DOWRY OF MARY** In their November 2017 meeting the Bishops agreed to the re-dedication of England as the Dowry of Mary on or around the Feast of the Annunciation 2020 (25 March).

The re-dedication in 2020, unlike the dedication of King Richard II in 1381, will not be the gift of the country of England, but the personal gift of the faith of the people of England to the Mother of God, to seek her help in building a strong spiritual foundation for the New Evangelisation. We call upon Our Lady to guide and protect our country in the years to come that the people of our country may work together to build a Common Good, as we seek to embrace the truth of the Gospel, that inspires us to create a culture that respects life, embraces the great diversity of our people, and inspires all to a greatness of heart that will serve our community, seeking the good of others before ourselves, especially the poor and marginalised of our world.

Part of the Spiritual preparations will be the Dowry Tour, where the statue of Our Lady of Walsingham from the Slipper Chapel is visiting every Catholic Cathedral in England. An exhibition explaining the Dowry of Mary will be on show, along with a programme of prayer and talks. The Dowry Tour reaches our Cathedral in Lancaster on 6 February, till the 8 February. A full programme of events, including Mass each day, can be found on the noticeboard at the back of church.

**ST TERESA'S PASTORAL PARISH COUNCIL** next meets on Monday, 3 February, 7 pm in the church sacristy.

**"THE GOD WHO SPEAKS"** The Catholic Bishops' Conference of England and Wales have also decided to dedicate 2020 as a year of focus on the Bible and *The God who Speaks*. In response to this the Xaverian Missionaries now based in Fulwood, Preston, are hosting various events to look at Biblical themes that we encounter throughout the year. All the events take place on Saturdays from 10 am to 2 pm at the Xaverian Mission Spirituality Centre (formerly Tabor), 169 Sharoe Green Lane, Fulwood, Preston, PR2 8HE ([preston@xars.org](mailto:preston@xars.org), Tel 01772 717122. Please see the notices in the church porch for the full programme, and for a full outline of the first event "Liturgy and the Bible" on 8 February. Tea and coffee are provided but please take your own lunch. There is no cost to the event, however, donations are welcome.

**THE SENIOR KEEP FIT AND DANCE GROUP** have begun to meet again, 7.30 pm in St Teresa's Parish Hall. All are very welcome.