



## ***Parish of St Anne and St Joseph***

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### **Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**14th June 2026**



#### **Monday 15th June**

**(Weekday)**

9:00am Holy Mass at St Anne's

**No Holy Mass at St Joseph's**

#### **Tuesday 16th June**

**(St Richard of Chichester)**

10:00am Requiem Mass at St Anne's

**No Holy Mass at St Joseph's**

#### **Wednesday 17th June**

**(Weekday)**

**No Holy Mass at St Anne's**

**No Holy Mass at St Joseph's**

#### **Thursday 18th June**

**(Weekday)**

6:30pm Holy Mass at St Anne's

**No Holy Mass at St Joseph's**

#### **Friday 19th June**

**(St Romuald)**

9:30am Holy Mass at St Anne's

**No Holy Mass at St Joseph's**

#### **Saturday 20th June**

**(St Alban)**

**No Mass at St Joseph's**

11:00am Exposition of the Blessed  
Sacrament and Confessions at St Anne's

12:00noon Mass at St Anne's

5:30pm Vigil Mass at St Anne's

#### **Sunday 21st June**

9:00am Sunday Mass at St Joseph's

11:00am Sunday Mass at St Anne's

#### **READERS' ROTA**

##### **In St Anne's**

##### **Saturday 20th June**

Paul Nester & Anne Anderson

##### **Sunday 21st June**

Tony Yates

##### **In St Joseph's**

##### **Sunday 21st June**

Anne-Marie Parker

#### **PLEASE PRAY FOR**

**Sick:** Helen Hyndman, Joan Gallagher, Margaret Coyne, Stephanie Reid, Davy Lightbody, Sheila Young, Martin Moxham, Sheila Winterbottom, Theo Ralph, Peter Crossley, Fr J P Coulon, Joan Duckworth, Maureen Grady, Adrian Melling, Sr Mary Colette, Tommy McMullan, Janet Flood, Shirley Higginson, Joyce Duckett; Annette McGuinness; Michael Cronin; Audrey Hayes; Ann Reynolds

##### **Birthday Anniversary:**

Patricia Stephenson

**Anniversaries:** Nora Coyne

**Other:** Coleen Hernon, A Mass for Fr. Livesey's Diamond Jubilee

### Confessions in St Anne's

Saturdays: 11:00am - 11:45am  
4:45pm - 5:15pm

### Confessions in St Joseph's

Saturdays: 10:30am - 11:30am

### NO CASH? NO PROBLEM!



You can make donations to the parish using our new card machine in St Anne's located near the collection baskets. There is also an option to Gift Aid your donation. Or, you can make donations to the parish by scanning this QR Code on your mobile phone and it will direct you to a website where you can donate money to the parish.



### SACRAMENTAL PROGRAMME

The next Sacramental programme will be **Monday, 15th June** at **6:00pm** in St Anne's Church.



### REQUIEM MASS



We offer our condolences to the family of **Freddie Scorr** who has recently died. Freddy's Requiem Mass will take place in St Anne's church on **Tuesday, 16th June at 10:00am.**

Please pray for Freddy and his family at this sad time.

### CONFIRMATION 2026

The next meeting will be **Monday, 15th June, at 6:00pm** in St Anne's Church for young people in Year 8 or above who wish to be confirmed this year.



### IN IT TO WIN IT!!! WEEK 9

Saturday Night's winning number was: **50 - Rollover**

Wednesday Night's winning number was: **16 - Spare Number**

**Thank you to all those who support our parish draw.**




### ST ANNE'S LADIES

Our next meeting will be **Monday, 15th June.** We will be going to Mr Gattys. Meet on St Anne's carpark at 12:30noon for lunch at 1:00pm.



### ST JOSEPH'S LADIES

St Joseph's ladies meet every Wednesday, apart from the 1st Wednesday of the month, in the church hall at 1:00pm for chat,  games, quizzes, tea/coffee, cake, occasional meals out and good company.

All welcome!

## FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

The children on the Sacramental Programme will be making their First Holy Communion on Sunday, **21st June, at the 11:00am Mass**. Do please keep them in your prayers. It will also be lovely for you to support them with your presence on the day.



## CONFIRMATION

Bishop John will be coming to St Mary's Church in Oswaldtwistle on 30th June, at 7:00pm, to celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation. Please



keep the children in your prayers as they take part in this important sacrament.

## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBA

Our next meeting is **Tuesday, 16th June, at 7:30pm** in the Marian Room at St Anne's Church.



All men of the parish are warmly invited to attend.

## JUBILEE MASS

A message from Fr. Livesey:

I wish to thank all those who helped to make the celebration of my Diamond Jubilee so joyful and memorable. Thank you for your cards, presents and for the beautiful Papal Blessing and the presentation that was made. Thank you to all those who made the refreshments so outstanding and for the beautiful Jubilee cake. Thank you to Fr. Francis for providing the Mass booklets and for all the other things that he did that made the evening so wonderful.

Thank You!

 **ST MARY'S**  
RC CHURCH  
OSWALDTWISTLE

**ADORATION**  
— OF THE —  
**BLESSED SACRAMENT**



Friday 12<sup>th</sup> June



Friday 19<sup>th</sup> June



Friday 26<sup>th</sup> June

THE AFTERNOON AND EVENING  
WILL FOLLOW THIS PATTERN:



3:00pm – Divine Mercy Chapter & Adoration



5:00pm – Confessions



6:00pm – Holy Mass



6:30pm – Continued Adoration



8:50pm – Benediction



*“All who are thirsty,  
come to the water...”*

(ISAIAH 55:1)

## NO MASS AT ST JOSEPH'S

Due to Fr. Livesey being on leave next week, there will be **NO** morning Mass in St Joseph's from Monday 15th June until Tuesday 23rd June. Sorry for any inconvenience this may cause. Daily Mass goers could come to St Anne's!!!

## With Love and Faith, we achieve together ...

*Father's Musings* The people of Israel were chosen by God, to be his own people. This Moses proclaims in the first reading. And having chosen a people, God does not abandon them: they may be like sheep without a shepherd, but God sends them the Good Shepherd, who feels sorry for them, and entrusts his disciples with the task of giving them new heart. The same God has chosen us, and gives us the same Shepherd. But we must be careful to take to ourselves the call of Jesus: we must pray for labourers to give new heart to the lost sheep of our society. We must also remember our own responsibility - as a kingdom of priests and a consecrated nation those of us in the Church have a mission to fulfil: to live out the Covenant, and truly to be a consecrated nation.



The Diamond Jubilee celebrations for Fr Livesey went very well and it was a lovely occasion and everyone who mentioned it said how much they enjoyed it. The Mass together with the party afterwards was a fitting way to celebrate 60 years of service. As Father encouraged us to do in his homily let us implore the Lord of the Harvest to send labourers into His harvest.

If the Lord spares me I will celebrate 28 years of Priesthood tomorrow 13th June - the Feast of St Anthony of Padua.



On Monday I celebrated the Requiem Mass for the repose of the soul of Maureen Ainsworth and this coming Tuesday I will celebrate the Requiem Mass for the repose of the soul of Freddie Scorr. Please remember them and their families in your prayers.

I am still awaiting results of my BSL Conversation exam. I suppose no news is good news and I have passed but I'm not feeling confident with this one. In the meantime I plod on and prepare for the 3rd and final exam of Level 3 - the receptive exam. Say a prayer for the gift of wisdom!

The Compliance Team from the Diocese have been around during the week making sure that everything is as it should be with regard to our properties. A report will be drawn up that may indicate areas for our attention. Watch this space.

With my prayer and blessing for the coming week



...for we are nothing without Christ.