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The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

7th June 2026



Monday 8th June (Weekday)

9:00am Holy Mass at St Anne's

7:00pm St Joseph's Jubilee Mass

Tuesday 9th June (St Ephrem)

9:30am Holy Mass at St Joseph's

10:00am Requiem Mass at St Anne's

Wednesday 10th June (Weekday)

No Holy Mass at St Anne's

9:30am Holy Mass at St Joseph's

Thursday 11th June (St Barnabas)

6:30pm Holy Mass at St Anne's

No Holy Mass at St Joseph's

Friday 12th June

(The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus)

No Holy Mass at St Anne's

9:30am Holy Mass at St Joseph's

Saturday 13th June

(The Immaculate Heart of The

Blessed Virgin Mary)

10:00am Holy 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 14th June

9:00am Sunday Mass at St Joseph's

11:00am Sunday Mass at St Anne's

READERS' ROTA

In St Anne's

Saturday 13th June

Julie Leishman & Margaret Gaskell

Sunday 14th June

Caroline Farrelly

In St Joseph's

Sunday 14th June

Catherine Devenport

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

Lately Dead: Michelle Clegg

Anniversaries: Mary Livesey

Other: Robert & Freda Kenyon (RIP)
Wedding Anniversary

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.



CANTONESE SPEAKERS

歡迎廣東話使用者

Do we have any Cantonese speakers in the parish who would be prepared to help a priest learn this language so that he can take up a ministry to the Chinese Community of the Diocese?

If so have a word with Fr Francis for more details.



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 8

Saturday Night's winning number was: **33 - Sharon Gallagher**

Wednesday Night's winning number was: **44 - 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!

SVP COLLECTION



The SVP would like to thank all those who donated towards their latest appeal. Your generosity raised an amazing amount of **£384.00**. Thank you!

MASS AT ST ANNE'S

Due to Fr Francis having to interpret in Sign Language at a funeral in Urmston this coming Friday, there will be **NO 9:00am Mass at St Anne's**.
Many thanks for your understanding

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.

COMPLIANCE TESTING

During the week the Compliance team of the diocese will be looking at all our parish properties to make sure we are compliant and up to date with the latest legal requirements.

REQUIEM MASSES

We offer our condolences to the families of **Catherine Ainsworth and Freddy Scorr** who have both recently died. Catherine's Requiem Mass will take place in St Anne's Church on **Tuesday, 9th June at**



10:00am. Freddy's Requiem Mass will take place in St Anne's Church on **Tuesday, 16th June at 10:00am**.

Please pray for Catherine, Freddy and their families at this sad time.

SAVE THE DATE

Father Livesey's Diamond Jubilee
This Monday, 8th June,
at 7:00pm in St Joseph's Church followed by refreshments in the hall.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We will be setting up the hall, in preparation for Father Livesey's Jubilee on Monday, 8th June at 1:00pm. If you are able to spare the time, please do come along to help.

CORPUS CHRISTI

THIS SUNDAY AFTERNOON at 3:00pm. There will be a procession of the Blessed Sacrament at:



**St Mary's Magdalene's Church
Gawthorpe Road
Burnley
BB12 0JP**

This is a wonderful way to demonstrate our belief in the Holy Eucharist - 'our highway to heaven' as St Carlo Acutis called it. I strongly encourage all of you to be present at that procession. We need to witness more to our faith in a public way rather than just sitting back & doing nothing!

IF THE LORD SPARES ME

I shall celebrate the 28th Anniversary of my Ordination on 13th June.

With Love and Faith, we achieve together ...

Father's Musings

The Eucharist – the Body and Blood of Christ – is a mystery with so many layers and a depth that takes more than a lifetime to penetrate. It is not just a “thing” that we receive – however reverently – it is a person, a relationship, a belonging and a transformation that we consume, that becomes part of us: “Receive what you are – the Body of Christ”. The readings invite us to reflect on how our celebration of the Eucharist brings Christ’s words to our reality: “... who eats my flesh and drink my blood lives in me and I live in him.” The people of the Old Testament had God living in their midst, walking with them on their journey, feeding and nourishing them with the gift of manna from heaven. Jesus walks with us, not looking on from afar, journeying “in communion” with us – living within us, as we eat and drink the gifts he extends from the Last Supper. And as Saint Paul reminds us, our communion with the One Christ is also a communion with each other – God lives in us as the Church, as we become His Body.



I’m still waiting in anticipation of the results from my latest BSL Exam. As I say I’m not confident and what will be will be. We have now started working towards the third and final exam for this year - the receptive exam.

On Monday we had the next session with our little band of Confirmandi received the Sacrament at the hands of Bishop John on 30th June. Please keep them in your prayers as they take this next step in faith. The little group also attended Mass this Friday morning at St Anne’s.



On Tuesday I was present for the Annual Festival of the Mother’s Union that took place in St Joseph’s Hall. Many thanks to those who helped with locking and unlocking and making what seemed like endless cups of tea. I was told that I could be enrolled as a member of the Mother’s Union. In the words of Fr Jack ‘that might be an ecumenical matter!’

The re-opening of the Cathedral and Dedication of the new altar will take place on Thursday 16th July - the Feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel. Each parish is invited to bring to parishioners to this Mass. If you would like to attend then please have a word with Fr Francis as soon as possible as he has to give the details of those attending to the organisers by the end of June.

PLEASE MAKE EVERY EFFORT TO BE PRESENT AT THE BLESSED SACRAMENT PROCESSION IN BURNLEY THIS WEEKEND.

With my prayer and blessing for the coming week.

...for we are nothing without Christ.