

**The Roman Catholic Parishes of
St Mary's, Clayton-le-Moors St Charles Borromeo, Rishton
Our Lady and St Hubert's with St Wulstan's, Great Harwood**

2 March 2025

8th Sunday in Ordinary Time (C)

Monday	8.00am - 8.45am	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	St Wulstan's
	9.00am	Holy Mass	St Wulstan's
	10.00am	Holy Mass (Adoration from 8.45am)	St Mary's
	11.00am	Requiem Mass for Wilfred Catlow	St Wulstan's
Tuesday	8.00am - 8.45am	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	Our Lady and St Hubert's
	9.00am	Holy Mass	Our Lady and St Hubert's
	7.00pm	Holy Mass	St Mary's
Ash Wednesday			
	9.00am	Holy Mass	Our Lady and St Hubert's
	9.05am	St Hubert's Whole School Mass	St Hubert's School
	10.00am	St Mary's Whole School Mass	St Mary's School
	10.00am	St Charles' Whole School Mass	St Charles' School
	1.30pm	St Wulstan's Whole School Mass	St Wulstan's School
	6.00pm	Holy Mass	St Wulstan's
	7.00pm	Holy Mass	St Mary's
Thursday	9.00am	Holy Mass	St Wulstan's
	10.00am	Holy Mass	St Mary's
Friday	10.00am	Holy Mass (Adoration from 8.45am) followed by Confessions	St Mary's
	5.30pm	Stations of the Cross followed by	St Wulstan's
	6.00pm	Holy Mass	St Wulstan's
Saturday	10.00am	Holy Mass	St Mary's
	4.00pm - 4.45pm	Confessions	St Mary's
	5.00pm	Holy Mass (Sunday Vigil)	St Mary's
Sunday	9.00am	Holy Mass	Our Lady and St Hubert's
	9.30am	Holy Mass	St Mary's
	10.30am	Holy Mass	St Charles' School
	11.00am	Holy Mass	St Wulstan's

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Mass Intentions received this week

Repose of the soul of Frank Hayes RIP (3); Peter Slater - Anniversary; Pat Slater - Anniversary; David Kemp; Special Intention; Frank Holmes (2); James Melia; James Melia Junior; In honour of Our Lady of Lourdes and St Bernadette for a very special intention; Thomas and Margaret Rutter; Margaret Melling - Anniversary 17 March; Wynne Beet - Anniversary 7 February; Joseph Makin - Anniversary 26 February; Special Intentions.

Stations of the Cross

Stations of the Cross will take place every Tuesday and Friday during Lent:

Tuesday	6.30pm	St Mary's
Friday	5.30pm	St Wulstan's

Fasting on Friday at St Mary's

Each Friday in Lent we offer soup and rolls after the 10.00am Mass at St Mary's. Donations will be sent to Mary's Meals to feed hungry children in poor countries. All are welcome.

Annual Novena to St Joseph

You are all invited to this year's annual Novena in preparation for the Feast of St Joseph, the Husband of Mary and the Protector of the Holy Family, and the Patron Saint of the Religious Order of the Oblates of St Joseph that serves our parishes. The Novena will take place from Monday 10 March to Tuesday 18 March and it will be a time to ask for God's blessings on ourselves, our families, and for the intentions of all those who support the devotion to St Joseph.



There will be daily Masses for the period of the Novena at 6.00pm at St Wulstan's (apart from Sunday 16 March when it will be combined with the 11.00am Mass). Petitions can be made in the box in front of the Statue of St Joseph during the Novena. All are invited and encouraged to participate in this annual Novena.

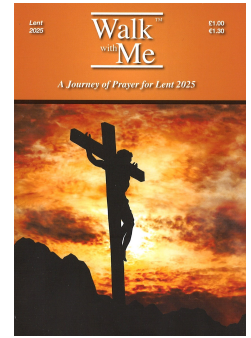
Sacrament of Confirmation

The Sacrament of Confirmation in our Deanery has been scheduled for Tuesday 1 July at St Mary's, Burnley and Thursday 3 July at St Joseph's, Accrington. If you wish to take part in this Sacrament, please email the Parish Office to indicate your interest and readiness to take part in the preparations for the reception of the Sacrament by 31 March.

Walk with Me

A Journey of Prayer for Lent

These booklets are available from church. The suggested donation is £1.00. Please place in the basket.



Our Lady and St Hubert's Piety Stall

St. Patrick's Day - 17 March. Coming soon: A small selection of St. Patrick's Day Cards, Irish Blessing Prayer Cards, Irish Blessing with small Pin Brooches and Celtic pin brooches.

SPUC White Flower Appeal

The retiring collections for The Society for the Protection of Unborn Children (SPUC) held recently in our parishes, amounted to £495.54. Thank you for your generosity, the donations have been forwarded to SPUC.

Great Harwood SVP



There will be a collection for the Saint Vincent de Paul Society (SVP) after the Masses at Our Lady and St Hubert's Church and St Wulstan's Church today, Sunday 2 March. The next meeting will be on Monday 10 March at St Wulstan's Church.

St Mary's Gift Aid Envelopes 2025/2026

Boxes of envelopes for the new tax year can be collected from the back of St Mary's Church.

Our Lady and St Hubert's with St Wulstan's Gift Aid Envelopes 2025/2026

Boxes of envelopes for the new tax year can be collected from the back of both churches.

Once the new envelopes begin on 6 April, please do not use any envelopes from previous years, as some numbers have been reallocated. To aid this, the new envelopes are yellow.

If you would like to join the Gift Aid Scheme, at any of our parishes, please contact the Parish Office.

Retired Priests Fund

Next weekend there will be a retiring collection for the Retired Priests Fund.