

**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**

**11 January 2026**

**The Baptism of the Lord (A)**

<b>Monday</b>	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
	10.30am	Requiem Mass for <b>James Cleary</b>	St Wulstan's
<b>Tuesday</b>	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
<b>Wednesday</b>	10.00am	Holy Mass (Adoration from 8.45am)	St Mary's
	6.00pm	Votive Mass of St Joseph	St Wulstan's
<b>Thursday</b>	9.30am	St Wulstan's School Mass - Year 3/4	St Wulstan's
	10.00am	Holy Mass	St Mary's
<b>Friday</b>	10.00am	Holy Mass (Adoration from 8.45am)	St Mary's
	10.30am	Requiem Mass for <b>Alan Eddleston</b>	St Wulstan's
	5.30pm	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Confessions, followed by	St Wulstan's
	6.00pm	Holy Mass	St Wulstan's
<b>Saturday</b>	10.00am	Holy Mass	St Mary's
	4.00pm - 4.45pm	Confessions	St Mary's
	5.00pm	Holy Mass (Sunday Vigil)	St Mary's
<b>Sunday</b>	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**

Vera Kennedy RIP; Mrs T; Frank Holmes (2); David Kemp (2); Peter Slater; Chris Metcalf - Birthday; Margaret Hicks - Anniversary; Francis Joseph Melling - Anniversary 17 January (2).

### **Mount Carmel Headteacher Appointment**

The Governors of Mount Carmel RC High School are delighted to inform you that they have appointed a successor to Mr Bowers, who is retiring at the end of the summer term.

Caroline Farrelly has been appointed as the new Headteacher of Mount Carmel. She has worked at the school for the past five years as a Deputy Headteacher in charge of all aspects of the quality of education and she is highly regarded by staff, governors, pupils and parents.

### **Thank you from Maundy Relief**

St Mary's Church has received a thank you card from Maundy Relief, who express their thanks to parishioners for their recent donations of £235.26. Maundy Relief have said that it is much appreciated and will be put to the good of our community in these difficult times.

### **Vacancy at Theodore House, Stonyhurst**

Theodore House, Stonyhurst, is looking to recruit a full-time Domestic & Guest Manager to support our small team running Theodore House.

The role requires some flexibility, a fair bit of multi-tasking and good teamwork. A supportiveness for the Catholic mission that Theodore House enables is essential. Please contact the Christian Heritage Centre at Stonyhurst for further details.

### **Governor Vacancy at St Wulstan's School**

The Governing Board of St Wulstan's RC Primary School has an exciting opportunity for a community member to become more involved in our school's governance. We currently have a vacancy for a Foundation Governor.

If you are passionate about education and would like to contribute to the strategic leadership of St Wulstan's, we would love to hear from you. Please contact the school office - 01254 884533. This is a wonderful chance to make a meaningful difference in the life of our school and support the education of our pupils.

### **Relics of St Carlo Acutis to Visit Diocese of Salford**

In January, the relics of St Carlo Acutis will be hosted at two of our churches over five days, during which time the Diocese will welcome schools, parishioners and people from all over for veneration.

Carlo is the first millennial saint, and is celebrated for his profound faith and his use of the internet to log Eucharistic miracles from around the world. He was passionate about spreading the teachings of the Catholic Church up until his death from leukaemia at the age of 15.

The relics will be presented at St Mary's Church, Burnley from 28-29 January before they travel to St Patrick's Church, Collyhurst from 30 January to 1 February. Please see [dioceseofsalford.org.uk](http://dioceseofsalford.org.uk) for a draft schedule of events.

### **Mass for Engaged Couples**

On Saturday 14 February, Bishop John will be celebrating a special Mass for engaged couples across the Diocese. The Mass provides couples with an opportunity to seek God's blessing to guide and strengthen them during this time of preparation.

Newly-married couples are also invited to receive a blessing in their first year of marriage. The Mass will take place at St Patrick's Church in Collyhurst on Saturday 14 February at 1.30pm.

### **Safeguarding Survey - Public Call for Information**

The Catholic Safeguarding Standards Agency (CSSA) are completing a safeguarding inspection within the Diocese of Salford, and would like to hear the views of as many people as possible regarding their arrangements for safeguarding.

Responses will be collected anonymously unless you choose to provide your contact information, and the survey will close at 11.45pm on Friday 16 January. To submit your response, please scan the QR code:

