

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

18 January 2026

2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time (A)

Monday	8.00am - 8.45am	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	St Wulstan's
	9.00am	Holy Mass	St Wulstan's
	10.00am	Requiem Mass for Hilda Reidy	St Mary'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
Wednesday	9.45am	St Charles' School Mass - Class 2	St Charles' School
	10.00am	Holy Mass (Adoration from 8.45am)	St Mary's
	6.00pm	Votive Mass of St Joseph	St Wulstan's
Thursday	9.30am	St Wulstan's School Mass - Year 5/6	St Wulstan's
	10.00am	Holy Mass	St Mary's
Friday	10.00am	Holy Mass (Adoration from 8.45am)	St Mary's
	5.30pm	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Confessions, 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

Roisin Lee RIP - Lately Dead; Francis McCabe RIP - Lately Dead; Tony Ford RIP - Lately Dead (3); Mr James Cleary; Peter Wells - Anniversary 18 January; Joseph Lockett - Anniversary; Mrs T; Peter Slater; David Kemp (2); Thomas Smith - Anniversary 19 January.

Caritas Sunday - 25 January

Next weekend, there will be a retiring collection for the work of Caritas Salford - supporting local people experiencing poverty, homelessness and disadvantage.

Peace Sunday

Today is Peace Sunday, a day designated by the Catholic Bishops Conference of England and Wales as a day for us all to reflect on the Pope's message for the World Day of Peace on 1 January.

The theme chosen by Pope Leo for his message this year is: "Peace to you all: Towards an 'unarmed and disarming' peace".

Bishop John Arnold writes: "Pope Leo is telling us that peace should not rely on fear, threats or weapons. Peace should have the capacity to resolve conflicts and open hearts through mutual understanding and hope"

The Pax Christi movement tries to respond to this aim through publications, prayer, public witness and nonviolent action. We are in a world torn by violence and war; a time of uncertainty; a time when strong leadership can help disperse doubt and show a positive way forward in full hope.

Pax Christi tries to give practical expression to this hope through its outreach work in promoting the Gospel message of nonviolence and offering peace education in schools. It is a national organisation but with a small committed staff team.

The generosity of parish communities each year makes a big difference to the funds needed for its vital work to continue. You are asked to pray for peace in our world and for the success of Pax Christi by possibly making a donation - envelopes are available at the back of church. Your help is very much appreciated. May God continue to help us all to be instruments of his peace.

Baptism



Our parish family welcomes with great joy:

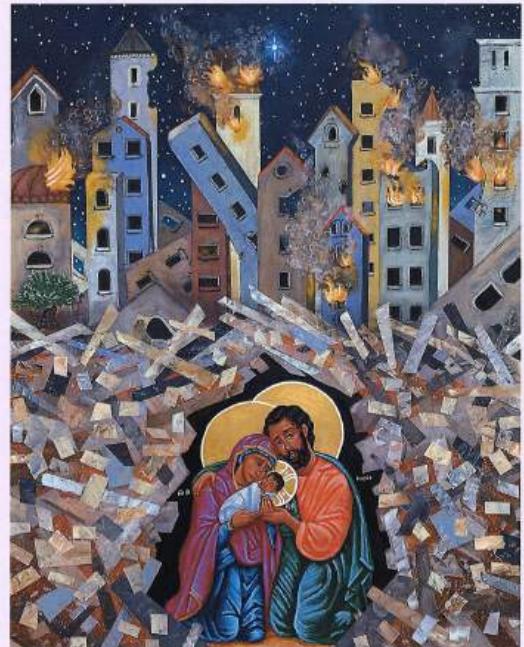
Charlie James Richard Green, son of Bradley Green and Natalie McDonough who was Baptised on 10 January at St Wulstan's Church.

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.

Peace Sunday 2026



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**Peace be with you all:
towards an
'unarmed and disarming' peace**
(Pope Leo)

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