

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

8 February 2026

5th 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	Holy Mass (Adoration from 8.45am)	St Mary's
	11.30am	Requiem Mass for James 'Tony' Ford	Our Lady and St Hubert'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	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 Reception/Year 1 and Year 1/2	St Wulstan's
	9.30am	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

Parish Pilgrimage to Lourdes - Register of Interest

This is the first step towards what we hope might be a return to Lourdes for the Parish Group. Before we take that first step, we would like to know how many people would be interested in going to Lourdes this year.

We are looking at perhaps going mid July 2026, everything depends on availability of the hospital, available flights and ever increasing cost.

To register your interest in the first instance, please contact Fr Ethelbert, Fr Stephen, Stephen Theaker or Jane, leave your contact details and we'll call you for a chat.

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Mass Intentions received this week

Peter Slater; Tom Whiteley - Anniversary; Leonard Tomlinson - Anniversary; David Kemp (2); Agnes Cooke - Birthday 9 February; Pawel Brzozowski RIP - Anniversary 10 February; Mona Wells - Anniversary 13 February.

Rosary Club at St Charles' School

Come and join the children at St Charles' School, Rishton at their Rosary Club, held every Thursday at 10.40am.

Mount Carmel RC High School Ofsted Report

Please use the link to see the latest Ofsted Report for Mount Carmel RC High School. The school website also highlights the latest news. There is such a lot happening in the school - an interesting and informative read.

<https://www.mountcarmelhigh.co.uk/news/2026-01-27-ofsted-inspection-report-published>

Healing Service - Wednesday 11 February St Mary's, Oswaldtwistle

St Mary's Roman Catholic Church Oswaldtwistle

HEALING SERVICE

Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes
World Day of Prayer for the Sick
Wednesday 11th February

12.00 pm – 1.00 pm –
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
& Sacrament of Confessions

1.00 pm – Mass of Our Lady of Lourdes
♦ Including the Sacrament of the Sick
♦ Refreshments to follow

7.00 pm – Prayer & Healing Service
♦ With Fr Michael Doody & Gill Atkinson
(Diocese of Leeds)
♦ Opportunity for the Sacrament of the Sick

Personal Prayer Ministry available
after each service.

"Where two or three are
there am I among them."
Matthew 18:20

Walk with Me Booklets

A Journey of Prayer for Lent

These booklets are available from church.

The suggested donation is £1.50.

Please place in the basket.



Racial Justice Sunday

On Sunday 8 February, parishes across the Diocese of Salford will mark Racial Justice Sunday, a day that invites us to reflect prayerfully and honestly on how we live the Gospel call to love our neighbour, to uphold human dignity and to challenge racism wherever it exists – including within our own communities.

A prayer from the Catholic Association for Racial Justice by Yashoda Sutcliffe:

Father, you created each one of us in your own image.

Yet yours is a world made glorious by its rich diversity.

This we sometimes misunderstand, sometimes fear.

Give us the patience to build on what unites us, to celebrate our differences and to learn from them.

Grant us the wisdom to recognise your Church beyond the walls of a building, reaching out across all communities, countries and cultures.

Give us the courage to offer refuge to those in need, to challenge prejudice and seek justice for all.

Help us see that you created us in your image.

Neighbour or stranger, always our brother or sister. Amen.

Foundation Governors at St Charles' School

St Charles' Primary School in Rishton has vacancies for two Foundation Governors. Please contact the school if you are interested, for further information.

Baptism Donations

Although there is no charge for a Baptism, it is customary for the family to make an offering towards the running and upkeep of the parish. Many thanks for your understanding and support.