Services, Mass Times and Intentions

Saturday 10th Ma	y 2025 4th Sund	day of Easte	er
Sat 4:30pm	All Saints	Sacrament of Reconciliation	
Sat 5:00pm	All Saints	Mass	Keith Burns, Sharon & Helen Sconell
Sunday 11th May	2025 4th Sunda	y of Easter	
Sun 9:00am	St. Lewis	Mass	Edward Wall, Margaret Lawrenson, Shelagh Conroy, John Lee, Bill Burke
Sun 10:30am	All Saints	Mass	Sheila Wright, Pat Hawkes
Sun 11:30am	All Saints	Baptism	Georgia Rose Slater
Tuesday 13th May	2025 Feast of	the Dedicat	ion of the Cathedral
Tues 10:00am	St Lewis	Mass	Dr. Chris Harrison
Tues 2:15pm	All Saints	Requiem Mass for Anne Marie Flanagan	
Wednesday 14th N	∕lay 2025 Feast	of St. Matt	hias
Wed 9:30am	All Saints	Mass	Thelma McGuire
Wed 10-11am	All Saints	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	
Thursday 15th Ma	y 2025 Thursda	y in the 4th	Week if Easter
Thurs 10:00am	St. Lewis	Mass	Esther, Wilfred & Brenda Seddon
Friday 16th May 2	025 Friday in th	e 4th Weel	of Easter
Fri 9:30am	All Saints	Mass	People of the Parishes
Saturday 17th Ma	y April 2025 Fift	th Sunday o	f Easter
Sat 4:30pm	All Saints	Sacrament of Reconciliation	
Sat 5:00pm	All Saints	Mass	Jacob Gannon
Sunday 18th May	2025 Fifth Sund	ay of Easte	r
Sun 9:00am	St. Lewis	Mass	Bernie McMahon
Sun 10:30am	All Saints	Mass	Celia Redmond
Sun 11:30am	All Saints	Baptism	Elias Gribbon



Please remember in your prayers: the sick of our community; all those who have died recently especially **Anne Marie Flanagan** and all whose anniversaries occur at this time.



Newsletter for the Parishes of St. Catherine of Siena & All Saints and St. Lewis



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SUNDAY 11TH MAY 2025 FORTH SUNDAY OF EASTER—YEAR C

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I Know My Own Sheep & My Own Know Me

During this Easter season we are celebrating the presence of the Risen Jesus in our lives and in our world. Jesus tells us that he knows his flock and because of this 'knowing', they follow him.

As Christians, we are called towards 'knowing' God more intimately and more deeply. Each of us, on our own



journeys and paths, vocations and ministries, are part of this 'flock' because of the deep desire to 'know' God more deeply.

It is a very special thing. No matter what our role is in our community, parish, church and so on, it is important to remember what it is that brings us together – the desire to know God, to know God's love and to share that love and 'knowledge' with others, especially those who are lost and at the margins.

Very often, those most 'lost' in our communities do not experience the presence of the Christian community as they should; they can feel cast aside and excluded.

Jesus tells us here that no one can snatch them out of His hand.

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Dear brothers and sisters,

It is with a profound sense of joy and thanksgiving to God that we welcome the news of the election of Cardinal Robert Prevost as the Holy Father Pope Leo XIV, the 267th successor of St Peter. The Cardinal Electors, inspired by the Holy Spirit, have chosen a gifted and prayerful pastor to walk in the shoes of the fisherman to be a focus of unity for the Church today.

After the call and legacy of the late Pope Francis calling the Church to be missionary disciples and proclaim the joy of the Gospel, we as the Catholic community of the Archdiocese of Liverpool pledge our closeness in prayer and our support to Our Holy Father the Pope.

I invite all the faithful of the archdiocese, and men and women of good will to pray with me at this time.

O God pastor and ruler of all the faithful, look with mercy upon Pope Leo XIV who you have appointed to shepherd the Universal Church.

Renew deep within him the spirit of
Holiness to be the shepherd, the guide of the Church
or the needs of the world today in 2025.
Through Christ our Lord Amen.

Holy Mary, mother of the Church, pray for us!

Saints Peter and Paul, apostles of Rome. Pray for us!

Archbishop Malcolm McMahon OP

Archbishop elect- Sherrington added:

I unite my prayer with Archbishop Malcolm and the people and clergy of the Archdiocese of Liverpool for Pope Leo XIV as the successor of St Peter and the shepherd of the Universal Church. *We rejoice in his election!*

All Saints Foodbank

If you are able to make food donations this week, could we please ask you to bear in mind that we are in need of the following Tinned Products: **Tinned Tuna, Vegetables, Tomatoes. Coffee. Long Life Milk (not oat, soya etc...)**



<u>Donations:</u> If you make a monetary donation to the Foodbank using the envelopes provided, could you please put your envelope in with the offertory collection. Thank you to the staff, parents and children from All Saints School for collecting items during Lent which they kindly donated to the Foodbank.

Also thank you to the residence of Lowton West who made a donation of £225.00 to the Foodbank which they made from an afternoon tea for all the residents.

This Week's Joke:

What do we call it when it starts raining ducks and chickens? **Fowl weather!**

2nd Collection This weekend: Priest Training Fund

Message from Pope Francis, written in March 2025:

On this, the 62nd World Day of Prayer for Vocations, I wish to extend to you a joyful and encouraging invitation to become pilgrims of hope by generously offering your lives as a gift. A vocation is a precious gift that God sows in our heart, a call to leave ourselves behind and embark on a journey of love and service. Every vocation in the Church, whether lay, ordained or consecrated, is a sign of the hope that God has for this world and for each of his children.

Prayer for Peace around the World

O God, You are the source of life and peace.
We pray for the end of all violence and conflict,
and for the healing of broken hearts and communities.
May Your Spirit guide us to be peacemakers,
to listen to one another with empathy, and to find common ground.
Give us the courage to challenge injustice
and work for a world where all people are treated with dignity
May Your Kingdom of justice and peace come to pass,
and may we be faithful instruments of Your peace in this world."

Churches Together Lowton & Golborne

Churches Together are holding Pentecost meetings at Lowton and Golborne Community Church, 149a Lowton Rd, Golborne, Warrington WA3 3HT at junction with Windsor Road on 28th May and 4th June starting with refreshments at 7.30pm and talk at 7.45pm. **Everyone is Welcome.**



Family Tea & Coffee

The next family tea & coffee morning will be on Sunday 18th May 2025 in the Francis room after 10:30 Mass. Everyone is Welcome.

Family of Parishes Social Walk: Pennington Flash

The Parishes of St. Catherine & All Saints, St. Lewis and St. Edmund Arrowsmith (St. Josephs & Sacred Heart, Leigh) are holding a Social Walk on the afternoon of **Sunday 18th May** at Pennington Flash. We will meet at the main carpark at 2:30.

Golborne Carnival: Sunday 1st June

Golborne Carnival will be held on Sunday 1st June on Legh Street park beginning at 12pm. There will be no procession and no road closures this year.



The Sanctuary Lamp at both churches will be lit Week Commencing 11th May for: **A Special Intention**