

Services, Mass Times and Intentions

Saturday 1st February 2025 Feast of the Presentation of the Lord

Sat 4:30pm	All Saints	Sacrament of Reconciliation	
Sat 5:00pm	All Saints	Mass	Rosa Da Silva

Sunday 2nd February 2025 Feast of the Presentation of the Lord

Sun 9:00am	St. Lewis	Mass	Bill Burke, Ann Gibbons, John & Margaret Flynn, Peter Connelly
Sun 10:30am	All Saints	Mass	Maria Shaw, Deceased Members of the Tully Family

Tuesday 4th February 2025 Weekday in Ordinary Time

Tues 10:00am	St Lewis	Theresa O'Connor, Kate Farmer	
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Wednesday 5th February 2025 Memorial of St. Agatha

Wed 9:30am	All Saints	Mass	Fr. Gordon
Wed 10-11am	All Saints	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	

Thursday 6th February 2025 Memorial of St. Paul Miki & Companions

Thurs 10.00am	St Lewis	Mass	People of the Parishes
Thurs 2:00pm	All Saints	Funeral Service for Sheila Wright	

Friday 7th February 2025 Weekday in Ordinary Time

Fri 9:30am	All Saints	Mass	LISCF
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Saturday 8th February 2025 Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sat 4:30pm	All Saints	Sacrament of Reconciliation	
Sat 5:00pm	All Saints	Mass	Tirol Family, Jeno Polgar

Sunday 9th February 2025 Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sun 9:00am	St. Lewis	Mass	Worsick & Twist of Family & Friends
Sun 10:30am	All Saints	Mass	Fr. Michael Hopkins



Please remember in your prayers: the sick of our community;
all those who have died recently especially
Maureen Quinn, Sheila Wright, Muriel Lowe and Jean Kenny
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 2ND FEBRUARY 2025

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‘The Presentation’ happens on the Sunday 40 days after Christmas Day. It was 40 days after the events in Bethlehem and the birth of Jesus that his parents presented Him to God the Father in Jerusalem the Temple. Scripture tells us that whilst at the Temple two people recognised Jesus for who He was.

Simeon and Anna, wise in years, spent their time devoted to God at the Temple. Now they meet Him face to face - God in their midst. Simeon's words, in response to recognising the Lord, are said throughout the world each night, in what is known as the ‘Nunc Dimittis’ during compline (or night prayer).

*“Lord, now you are letting your servant
depart in peace, according to your word;
for my eyes have seen your salvation
that you have prepared in the
presence of all peoples,
a light for the revelation to the Gentiles,
and for glory to your people Israel”
Luke 2: 29-32*

This feast day is also known as ‘Candlemas’ as candles are often blest and lit on this day in reference to Jesus being a ‘light to the Gentiles’.

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Sacrament of Confirmation



Any young person in Year 8 who would like to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation, needs to register at: www.liverpoolcalled.co.uk Once on the website you will need to click '**Register for Confirmation**' which is a blue icon at the top right hand side of the page.

Registration opens on Monday 13th January and will close on Monday 13th March. Information about the programme structure the young people will follow can be found on the Liverpool Called Website.

Red Boxes

Following on from Fr. Dermot's appeal last weekend. We know cash isn't used too much these days but if you didn't get chance to get a red box and would like one to be able to get rid of your shrapnel we have quite a few Red Boxes in the office.

Family Get Together after Mass next Sunday 9th February

Over the last 12 months we have seen the growth of young families worshipping at All Saints and that is why we began the Children's Liturgy again. We've decided to also do something for the family as a whole which is to open up the **Francis Room** on the second Sunday of the month beginning in February for tea, coffee, juice and biscuits so that parents and children can get to know one another.

Parish Council Meeting

The next meeting of the Parish Council will be on **Tuesday 4th February at 7pm** in the Francis room at All Saints.

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:

Fruit, Rice Pudding, Meatballs and Hotdogs. Noodles, Rice. Long Life Milk (not oat, soya etc...)



Donations: If you make a monetary donation to the Foodbank using the envelopes provided, could you please put your envelope in with the offertory collection.

SVP Meeting



The next SVP meeting will be held this coming **Wednesday 5th February at 7pm** in the meeting room at St Lewis.

This Week's Joke:

I'm still upset that they never actually told us how to get to Sesame Street.....

Mardi Gras: Name changed to Spring Fair!!

Saturday 1st March 2025 - 12pm- 3pm

Over the past few weeks several people have asked what a Mardi Gras is... and we appreciate that the name doesn't really explain what will be happening, so to make it a little more familiar to you, we've changed the name to '**Spring Fair**'.

- ♦ **Volunteers:** if you can help on the day, **there is a sign-up sheet in the porch.**
- ♦ **Stalls:** There will be lots of them including: Tombola, Piety, Crafts, Sunflower Seed planting, Music and Dance Line Ups, Refreshments, Pancakes, Pasties & Cakes, Tombola

*If anyone has any prizes they could donate for the tombola stall or raffle could you please bring them to mass or to the office between
9am-2pm Monday to Friday*

Raffle Tickets will be sold before each mass starting next weekend

The Raffle Prizes are: M&S Hamper, Bottle of Whiskey, Bottle of Wine, Box of Shortbread Biscuits.

All proceeds will be donated equally between **Wigan & Leigh Hospice** and **Room at the Inn** which is a Warrington Charity that helps the homeless and was launched after the closure of Warrington's YMCA.

Northern Saints Pilgrimage: 19th - 22nd May 2025

A joint pilgrimage has been organised for St. John Henry Newman in Warrington and All Saints and St Lewis. Travelling by minibus, the pilgrimages will include visits to St. Paul's in Jarrow (site of St Bede's monastery) Durham Cathedral, Holy Island and more... **please see the notice boards for full details.** The cost is between £350-£400.

The pilgrimage will be led by Fr. Peter Montgomery and Fr. Gordon. If you are interested please add your name to the list in the porch and we will arrange a meeting to discuss further details.



Walsingham the Jubilee Year 4th—7th August 2025

If you would like to go to Walsingham for the Jubilee year please contact **Anne on: 07934 677541**. You will need to book by the end of February.



*The Sanctuary Lamp at All Saints & St. Lewis will be lit
Week Commencing 2nd February for: **The Victims of the Holocaust***