

### Masses received this week:

#### Lately Dead

Terence Turner (2)  
Shirley Devine  
Bernadette Hodgkinson  
Anne Bradley (2)

#### Anniversary

Susan Philbin  
Tommie Kenny  
Ilse Jungmayr  
Lesley Lester

#### Sick

Josef Jungmayr

#### RIP

Alice Connolly

#### In Memory Of

Catherine Rafferty

#### SANCTUARY LAMPS DEDICATIONS

Winifred Platt – St Patrick's



### Parish of Pope St John XXIII - Parish Priest: Fr Robert Lasia

12th OCTOBER 2025

#### TWENTY EIGHTH WEEK OF ORDINARY TIME

#### St. Mary's of the Annunciation

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#### Services to Sunday 19th October (Twenty Ninth week of Ordinary Time )

Monday 13th October	10 am	Mass St Marys
Tuesday 14th October	10 am	Mass St Patricks
Wednesday 15th October	10 am	Mass St Marys
Thursday 16th October	-	No Mass
Friday 17th October	10.00am	Mass at St Marys
Saturday 18th October	10.00- 10.30am 12.00 pm	Confessions at St Mary's Mass at St Patricks ,followed by confessions
Sunday 19th October	9.30 am 11.15 am	Harvest mass at St Patrick's Mass at St Mary's Baptism Doran Stephenson

**We are very grateful for contributions received  
for the weeks ending 5th October**

**Gift Aid £451**

**Loose £429**

#### Columban Mission Appeal

St Mary's £386

St Patrick's £222

#### CAFOD Family Fast

St Mary's £80

St Patricks £216



#### ROSARY

Thursday 16th October. Please use the sacristy door near the school gate.

Rosary, online, every Wednesday at 7pm

For further information, email John at

[stmarysr90@gmail.com](mailto:stmarysr90@gmail.com)

#### Companions of Mary

Monday 20 October, 2 pm St Patrick's Presbytery

Newcomers welcome, just turn up.

#### TLC (Talk, Listen, Care) Bereavement Support Group

St Mary's Parish Centre, Tuesday 14th October

10.30 am-12 noon

Contact Julie Liepins on 07522 978953 for further information

The requiem mass for Terence Turner, who was a friend to a number of parishioners across both churches will be held at

St John's RC Church , Dowling St Rochdale, OL11 1HR

Tuesday 14th October 12pm





**St Patrick's RC Primary School**  
**OPEN EVENING FOR SEPTEMBER 2026 PLACES**





**Monday 13th October**  
**Tours of the School from 4:30pm – 6pm**



*Love and Service*



#### St Patrick's Peace Day

Last week, children from year 1 to 6 walked to church to reflect Peace Day. We welcomed some of our parishioners who recognised the beautiful work of the children. The children created a prayerful atmosphere and prayed for peace in the world.



#### St Patrick's Harvest celebration



On Sunday 19th October some school children will be bringing their donations of food to Mass before donating to Rochdale Foodbank, if you would like to contribute they are requesting the following goods.

Jam, Long Life Milk, Pasta /Cooking Sauces, Tinned Fruit, Tinned Potatoes, Instant Mash, Whole Milk (UHT) Semi Skinned Milk, Sugar(500g), Tea bags, Instant Coffee, fruit juice , Tomato Ketchup, Custard, Tinned Meat, Tinned Fish , Rice, Breakfast Cereals, Biscuits, Snacks/Crisps Personal Toiletries

### We pray for those who are sick:

Robert Fitzgerald, Mary Ascough, Pat Brown,  
David Cunningham, Ann Deering,  
Beryl and Peter Hampton, Jane Mason, Pat May, Anthony McCar-  
ron, Cindy Nuttall, Peter O'Donnell, Anne Peacock, Vanessa  
Munella,  
Sheila Byrne, Ian Murton, Jonathan Wallwork,  
Illona Eckhard, Christine Wildman, Josef Jungmayr

### Lately Dead:

**Agnes Fleming, Terence Turner, Anne Bradley, Shirley Devine,  
Bernadette Hodgkinson**

*If you would like to include someone on the sick list please fill  
in the relevant form (available from the back of church). This is  
to comply with  
safeguarding rules.*

### We pray for those whose anniversaries occur up to 19th Octo- ber

**Winifred Platt, James Kelly, Peter Whelan, Bridget McGoulay  
Pat Butler, Sarah Brierley, Billy Collins, Sarah Rigg, Ellen Oldham  
Dennis Greene, Francis Estall, Jean O'Brien, Veronica Kershaw,  
Ernest Renshaw, Kathleen Byrne, Terry O'Neill, Agnes Byrne,  
Robert Law, Margaret Banks, Jane Ann Bruce**

## Choir Practice

Each Sunday 7pm St Mary's Parish Centre. We have already  
started practicing for Advent and Christmas.

Make a note of these dates:

### Afternoon Tea with Entertainment with a Pantomime theme

Sunday 30th Nov at 3pm in St Mary's Parish Centre

**Carol Service** followed by mulled wine & mince  
pies Thursday 18th December 7pm St Mary's



### Save The Date !

**Friday 12th December 25**

**Christmas Meal Riva Restaurant ,Hollingworth**

**Lake 7.30PM**

**Further details to follow**

### Armchair Zumba !

Every Monday £5 including refreshments

Please see Angela Bradley for further information

GETTING IN TOUCH	WEBSITE: stmarysandstpatricks.org.uk
Parish Administrator St Mary's and St Patrick's	Mr Derek Conway TEL: 644412 <b>OFFICE HOURS:</b> 8.30 am to 2 pm Mon-Wednesday (St Pat's) 9.30am to 12.30 pm Thursday (St Mary's)
Safeguarding	<b>St Patrick's:</b> Mrs Monica Walczak 07803 345175, <b>St Mary's:</b> Mrs Angela Garvey 01706 350373
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Parish Centre, St Mary's	Angela, 01706 372990
Gift Aid	St Mary's: Clare Davies, St Patrick's Derek Conway 01706 644412
Gift Shop	St Mary's: Clare Davies, 07813 655014 St Patrick's: Derek Conway 01706 644412

## World Mission Sunday 19th October 2025



### Next Sunday is World Mission Sunday

Next Sunday, the Holy Father invites all Catholics to support Missio ,his chosen

charity for world mission-through a special collection. This day of prayer,  
solidarity and giving unites Catholics worldwide to share the good news of  
God's love which has the power to transform lives and heal our world

Envelopes will be at the back of each church, you can also donate online at  
mission.org.uk. If you can , please consider gift aiding your donation

## CHRISTIAN MEDITATION

Our next meeting will be on Wednesday 15th October at 7pm, Josie Colliers  
home ,63 St Anns Road Rochdale OL16 5AB

If you wish to find out more, please contact Pat Shine on 07717 226758

## Pilgrimage News

Our 27 Pilgrims arrived back safely from Poland a bit tired  
but very happy. It was unbelievable how much we saw and  
experienced in 8 days- it would be impossible to choose  
which was best. We will relive our experience at a Re- union  
on **Thursday 13th November at 7pm** in St. Patrick's Pres-  
bytery where there will be a slide show of photographs and  
we can share memories. On that date there will also be a  
brief introduction to next year's **10 day Pilgrimage to  
Rome, San Giovanni and Assisi: October 13-23. (More  
details next week)** All welcome to attend this  
re-union.

## Sanctuary Lamps

We have weeks available at both churches should you wish to have a  
dedication in front of the Blessed Sacrament for 7 days. Please speak  
to Fr Robert or Derek Conway should you wish to request a week..

	Week commencing 19 October	
	St Mary's	St Patrick's
<b>Greeters</b>	Barbara, Alison	Pailine Farden Eileen Dunn
<b>Welcome</b>	David	Mike Turner
<b>Readers</b>	Jamie O'D Rachel S	Harrison Kenedium Mike Turner Annette Bagaglia
<b>Eucharistic Minister</b>	Helen Ashworth Kath Pollard	Regi Kath Christine
<b>Counters</b>	Jeanette & Denise	Christine Derek
<b>Gift Shop</b>	Clare	Eileen Dunn Pat Lord
<b>Musicians</b>	Jeanette	Tom Caron
<b>Children's Liturgy</b>	-	TBA
<b>Church Closing</b>		Monica