



Holy Apostles and Martyrs Parish

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Ash Wednesday is celebrated this week as we begin Lent, Masses will be at **9.30am and 7pm in our Church** and at **St Alban's at 10am** and **St Joseph's at 12 Noon**. Please note there will be no individual distribution of ashes this year, instead Fr Phil and Fr Ramesh will be ashed and receive the ashes on behalf of everybody in the parishes. **LENT EXTRA** is available at the back of Church if you would like some spiritual reading for Lent, please do take copies and deliver to anybody who is housebound or self-isolating at the present time.

Here to help, I know that there is a lot of help and support already taking place in the Parish, however if you or anybody that you know needs anything please let me know and I will try and arrange it through the Parish. Take care and stay safe, **Fr Phil x**

CAFOD Walk for Water – a challenge for Lent 2021. We are being asked to walk 10 000 steps each day in solidarity with people who have to walk to collect clean water. Fr Phil, Anne Litherland and Jill McNamee are taking up the challenge. As a parish, we would like to support them and ask that as many people as possible can help them on their journey. We would like to encourage everyone to make an extra effort to walk during Lent and to contribute to the parish step count. We are not asking you to walk 10,000 steps a day, just as many as you can and as often as you are able. As individuals or as a family, you could count your steps, remember to count everybody's steps. We ask that you email your total number of steps each Sunday to ham.creation.2020@gmail.com. Alternatively, you could write down the number of steps and put them into the box at the back of Church each week. We will add up all of the steps and keep you informed of our running total. If you are able to, we ask that you also send a photo of yourself or family walking to the above address. Please note that we will be collating these photographs and using them on our social media. By sending a photograph we take this as your permission for their use. All the steps will count and go towards our commitment to thinking about our brothers and sisters around the world who are not as fortunate as we are.

We would ask that if you could support us with a donation, please go to the Just Giving page <https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/holy-apostles-and-martyrs-walk-for-water> or place a CAFOD envelope in the collection basket. Thank you as ever for your continued support. Together we can make a big difference.

FOODBANK APPEAL – Please note that the Foodbank needs the following items: **Tinned meat, tinned fruit, squash, sugar (small if possible), washing up liquid, jam, coffee and instant mash**; please consider giving something extra to those in our local community who are in need this Lent.

14th February 2021

6th Sun OrdTime

Year B

Psalter Week II

First Reading

Leviticus 13: 1-2, 44-46

Response to Psalm

You are my refuge,
O Lord; you fill me with
the joy of salvation.

Second Reading

1 Corinthians 10: 31 – 11: 1

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

May the Father of Our Lord
Jesus Christ enlighten the
eyes of our mind, so that
we can see what hope his
call holds for us.

Alleluia!

Gospel

Mark 1: 40 -45

Please pray for the sick,
housebound and all those
self-isolating in our parish.
May the Lord in his love &
mercy help them through
the grace of the Holy Spirit.

Rest in Peace

Please remember in your
prayers **Kev Bowe,**
Ellen Moore and all those
who have died recently and
those whose anniversaries
occur around this time.

Social Media

Twitter: @HamParish

Facebook Page: Holy
Apostles Catholic Parish

The SVP assist anyone who would like a visit at home or who needs practical help. Please contact us, email: svphelpine@gmail.com or ring our confidential phone number 07563966654 and we will get back to you as soon as possible.

100 Club - Any queries or anyone wishing to become a member, please contact Fiona Keogh on 07791 900122

Waste and Recycling in Wirral.

Do you want to know what can and can't go in your recycling bin and why? Pick up a booklet at the back of Church or go to [Recycling in Wirral – RecycleRight](#)

Tackling Fuel Poverty -

Further to the recent meeting referrals can be made for anyone who is in fuel poverty or who needs help through this link: <https://www.epplus.org.uk/referrals/>



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Mass Times and Intentions

Saturday	6.00pm	(Mary Bamford)
Sunday	9.30am	(James Howell)
	11.00am	(People of the Parish)
Monday	9.30am	(Fred McEneaney)
Tuesday	6.45pm	(Christine McGowan)
Wednesday	9.30am	(Christine Warriner)
ASH WED	7.00pm	(Christine McGowan)
Thursday	9.30am	(Anita Kenny)
Friday	9.30am	(Ints of Andrew Miller)
Saturday	6.00pm	(David Cummins)
Sunday	9.30am	(Christine Warriner)
	11.00am	(People of the Parish)

Our Common Home – As a parish, we want to reduce our Carbon emissions and thus our contribution to further climate change. One way to do this is to change energy supplier, the Diocese has already done this for the Church and the presbytery, now there is an opportunity for parishioners to do so through Merseyside Collective Switch. This will save money and support the local charity Energy Projects Plus. Once you register, you will be able to choose which deals, if any you wish to take up. To register to join the Collective Switch visit www.lcrenergyswitch.co.uk or call the local **Save Energy Advice line on freephone 0800 043 0151 by 16th February**. All who switch to a renewable energy supplier will receive a free #fairtrade bar of chocolate. If you have already switched, please let us know by emailing ham.creation.202@gmail.com This is all evidence for our #LiveSimply award.

VCT LENT Study Groups

2 Zoom groups available, with choice of morning, afternoon and evening. You will need to register, and buy booklets, allow 6 days to arrive. The groups will be: **CLAREMOUNT** – 5 sessions, Tuesdays @ 10.30am from 23rd February using booklet 'The Things He Carried' by Stephen Cottrell, available from Eden Books or Amazon. To register/link contact revviv1948@btinternet.com ;
URC – 6 sessions, Tuesdays @ 7.30pm from 23rd February or Thursdays @ 2pm from 25th February, using booklet 'Prayers of Jesus' by Amy Boucher Py, also from Eden Books or Amazon. To register/link contact kazzakk@hotmail.com or jeffrhughes@virginmedia.com Allow 6 days delivery for either book, details also on poster in Church.
