

PARISH of SAINT MARGARET MARY

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LITURGICAL CALENDAR

Sanctuary Lamp burns for: Sue & David Woodward

First Sunday of Advent (A)

Our Lady's Lamp burns for: Sheila Davies

| DAY | TIME | SERVICE | INTENTION |
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| Saturday | 29th November | 16:30 Adoration, confession | |
| | 17:30 | Sunday Vigil Mass FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT | Parishioners |
| Sunday | 30th November | 10:00 Mass FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT | Phil Gibbons |
| Tuesday | 2nd December | 18:40 Rosary 6:15, Evening Prayer | |
| | 19:00 | Mass | Timothy Brennan |
| Wednesday | 3rd December | 10:00 Mass | Helen Lloyd |
| Thursday | 4th December | 10:00 Funeral Mass Mary Devlin | |
| | 11:45 | Funeral Service Martin Ellis | |
| Friday | 5th December | 10:00 Funeral Mass Winifred Loughman | |
| Saturday | 6th December | 16.30 Adoration, confession | |
| | 17:30 | Sunday Vigil SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT | Parishioners |
| Sunday | 7th December | 10:00 Mass SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT | Simpson Family |
| | 12:00 | Baptisms | |

PARISH CENTRE CALENDAR

| DAY | TIME | EVENT | DETAILS |
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| Thursday | 12:00 | Over 55's Lunch Club | Two courses for £5 cooked by Lynne & Peter Fiddler. To book your place phone 0151 481 0032 |
| Thursday | 14:15 - 16:00 | Knit and Natter Group | |
| Thursday | 19:30 | UCM Meeting | |
| Thursday | 21:30 | Quiz | |
| Sunday | 11:00 | Coffee Morning | Sunday after 10:00 Mass. Everyone is welcome. |

Opening Hours: Thursday – Sunday from 7pm & Sunday afternoons from 12 noon.

Mondays – Wednesdays: functions – bar closes at 8pm.

For functions, contact Karen, the manager, Tel 0151 220 6616.

Warm and cosy centre: Our parish centre is open on Thursdays to all between 1:30-2:30pm, with Free tea, coffee and biscuits, access to TV and WIFI and friendly company.

Please pray for the sick: Lee Mulvihill, Susan Heron, Peter Bryan, Mary Jo Davis. Angela Batey, Liz North, Frances Woods. John Murphy, Gerry Lowe, Peter Beswick. John May, David Wheatley. Ann Nolla.

Please pray for the recently deceased: Mary Devlin, Sheila Rusk, Martin Ellis, Winifred Maud Loughman,

Mass Association: Andrew Prescott, Des Platt, Teri Ann Corrie, Grace McIlroy, Philip Hargreaves, Pat Riozzi, Theresa Reid, Joe Taubman. Margaret Rose Hemstock, Christopher Owens, James Draper.

Office Hours - The Parish Office is usually open on:

Tuesday's, Wednesday's, Thursday's & Friday's, between 9.30am – 1.30pm.

**Prayer to the Holy Spirit: Let us pray for a renewal of our Parish here at St Margaret Mary's.
Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on us. Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on us.
Break us, melt us, mould us, fill us. Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on us.**

THE POSADA JOURNEY

Advent begins next weekend and as usual, the Holy Family will begin their journey around our parish. This is a beautiful way for us all to unite as a parish through Advent. Please sign up for a day that you would like the Posada to be with your family. The family before you, brings it to your house early first thing that day. You then take it to the next family the following day. Please sign up to have the family in your home for one day. Let your Advent be a journey with Mary and Joseph as together we prepare to welcome the birth of Jesus into our community. (Sign-up sheet in the narthex)

Three Advent Wednesday afternoons in 55 Swanside Road. December 3rd, 10th and 17th at 2pm - 3.20: ending this year of Hope with new longing and expectation. (Posters with details are available in the narthex). Sr Bridget.

CHRISTMAS IS COMING SOON!!!

With your help we can make Christmas a little easier for some families and especially for their children by providing some toys. **YOU CAN HELP US ACHIEVE THIS BY** -Donating a new toy for boy or girl Donating nearly new toys. A small donation to buy some toys or other gifts Please drop any toys at the Irenaeus Centre, Monday–Thursday 10.00am–4.00pm or ring Jenny on – 0151 949 1199 to arrange collection, if necessary, Thank you Jenny.

We have 2 events on the 9th and 10th December, at the Irenaeus Centre. On the 9th December at 6.30 pm is our Carol Service and on the 10th December at 2.00pm we have our 'Frank Sinatra' afternoon which is Dementia friendly. I would be grateful if you would advertise these in your newsletter and display the posters. For any more information, contact jenny@irenaeus.co.uk or phone 0151 949 1199. Jenny (Details in the narthex)

Archbishop Malcolm's Episcopal Silver jubilee Mass will be celebrated next Saturday 6 December at 12noon at the cathedral. All are very welcome.

The Liverpool Metropolitan Cathedral Choir Presents A Celebration of Christmas – Saturday 13 December

A Celebration of Christmas returns this year on Saturday 13 December with a night of musical cheer, guaranteed to get you into the festive spirit. Join the Metropolitan Cathedral Choir and some very special guests for what promises to be a magical event for all the family. Sing along to classic carols, enjoy traditional readings and celebrate Christmas in the glorious surroundings of the Metropolitan Cathedral.

Tickets: £10 each/ £18 family, available from www.ticketsource.co.uk/metcathedral

2026 SMM Calendar – I have put together a calendar once again this year. The theme is based around our patron Saint and her devotion to The Sacred Heart of Jesus. They are currently being printed, and I hope that they will be ready in approximately 2 weeks for the start of Advent. They will cost £5.00 this year, and any profits will go to the SVP to help support those in need in our community. Stephen Von Bargen.

Financial Matters: 23/11/25 £484.20 Many Thanks



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SUNDAY MASSES IN OUR FAMILY OF PARISHES

| VIGIL/ MORNING MASS | St. MARGARET MARY (0151 394 0507) | St. PAUL (0151 228 3405) | St. TIMOTHY (0151 228 3405) |
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| Saturday Evening Vigil Mass | 17:30 | | 17:30 |
| Sunday Morning Mass | 10:00 | 08:30 & 11:15 | |