

# Parish of Holy Trinity, Worsley

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# 4 July 2021 – Fourteenth Sunday of the Year

# Greetings

**St Anne's House:** The house is now full – thanks again to all concerned. We are now working with Salford Property Link to see how best we can support the residents. Please keep them in your prayers, and regardless of their faith (or lack of it), they are now members of our parish community – No one is beyond reach!

**Care for Creation:** The news of the heat-wave hitting the Western seaboard of North America calls us to serious prayer: Loving Father, we pray for our world, Your gift to us, with all its diversity and the delicate balance of Nature. We are called to be Guardians of Creation. Help us to an ecological conversion in our lives, caring for all that is entrusted to us, caring for our brothers and sisters and our common home, and providing for our children's future well-being.

**USA:** Today is Independence Day in the States. Let us pray that all people, including politicians, will continue the process of 'building bridges not walls' and continue the essential work of caring for the weakest and most isolated

**Covid and our schools:** A number of classes in our primary and secondary schools have had to isolate this week causing disruption to school routines and our children's education. This has added to all the stresses and strains felt by teachers and families during these times. We are in admiration of the commitment of all involved and the great sacrifices which have been necessary. Please keep the children and their families – and their teachers and school staff - in your prayers **Lockdown:** There is still no change on the various protocols around attendance at Mass - only come if you feel it is safe. If you know anyone who needs particular support please inform Fr John or a member of the SVP or the Safeguarding team **Outreach** Thank you for your generous support of the Food Bank – they are very grateful for your donations. It will be important to keep up with this important work during the summer

# This week

Please remember to book on for Mass in church by contacting Maureen Hawes: her email is <u>MaureenHawes@live.co.uk</u> Saturday: (today)

12.30pm Mass at Our Lady and Lancashire Martyrs 5.00pm Mass at Christ the King

# Sunday:

9.00am Mass at St Edmund's; 11.00am Mass on Zoom

#### Monday:

6.00pm Mass on Zoom; 7.00pm Poetry Evening on Zoom - all welcome

# Tuesday:

10.00am Mass at Our Lady & Lancashire Martyrs

# Wednesday:

#### 10.00am Requiem Mass for Nancy Lansley at Christ the King followed by interment at Wardley Cemetery

#### Thursday:

6.00pm Mass at Christ the King

#### Friday:

6.00pm First Holy Communion Mass at Christ the King - limited family numbers only

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#### Finance and Admin.

The work on the flat roofs at Christ the King begins this week. Would anyone like to help with the maintenance of Trinity Garden prior to reopening? Parish donations and Mass intentions can be posted through the door at CTK

#### **Prayers please**

For those who are sick especially James, Tom, Maureen, Simon, Lyn, Nieve, Audrey, Adela, Sylvia, Paddy and Anne; for Vincent, Nancy, Michael, Frank & Joan, Eileen, Khaleed and Edward who died recently, and for Freda and all whose anniversaries are at this time

In prayer, we remember all those on the **'frontline'** in any kind of way. We think especially of our doctors, nurses and carers, and those who must care for people who are vulnerable in any kind of way, along with our teachers and school staffs, our transport workers and shop assistants. We are grateful for their work which must continue particularly with the new variants. **Masses received:** Emily Louise Jones, Freda Jones, Vincent Duffy, Michael Collins, Anne Fitsell, Vera Buffey, Frank and Joan Boyce, Edward Enright

**Safeguarding** For many months now we have been told to stay safe. Home should be place of safety but for some this is not the case. If you feel you are under domestic pressure or are concerned about someone who might be, the Diocesan Safeguarding Office is able to support you confidentially. More information is available from the Diocesan Safeguarding Co-ordinator on 817 2206, Fr John or our Parish Safeguarding Representatives. Healing through Community Project also offers help. Their number is: 0161 236 2182.