

In Church this week

Date	Time	
Saturday 5 th Sept St Teresa of Calcutta	6.00pm	Peter Barnicle, Rachel Pilkington
Sunday 6 th Sept 23rd Sunday	10.30am	Kate Long, Parishioners Intentions Emma Owen Jones
Monday 7 th Sept	9.10am	Gerard Conyngham
Tuesday 8 th Sept Birthday of Our Lady	9.10pm 7.00pm	Pat Nolan Intentions of HR Ladies
Wed 9 th Sept	11.30am 12 noon	<i>Confessions</i> Funeral Mass: George McCarten
Thursday 10 th Sept	9.10am	Dympna Pyle + Conroy Family
Friday 11 th Sept	9.10am	Maureen + George Morgan
Saturday 12 th Sept	6.00pm	Parishioners Intentions
Sunday 13 th Sept 24th Sunday	10.30am	Mary Kennedy

Confessions: Wednesday at 11.30am
and by request with Fr Philip.

Sunday Missal: Page 663 in the red Sunday Missals.
Page 396 in the blue Missals

**Praying the Parish: Please pray for those who live in
Charterhouse Drive + Uppingham Avenue**

Pope Leo's intentions for September:
For integral ecological conversion. Let us pray that we might learn how to live in a new relationship with creation, protecting it with justice, and that, in contemplating creation, we might find the path toward a more harmonious and grateful existence.



Parish of Holy Rosary

Holy Rosary Presbytery, Altway, Liverpool, L10 2LG

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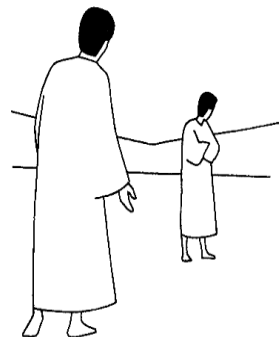
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23rd Sunday of the Year 6th September 2026



The theme of listening runs throughout today's readings: listening to the Divine Voice; to the voice of the prophet Ezekiel; to our community members; to the Church.

In the **First Reading**, God likens the prophet's role to that of a sentry, who has the important job of warning people of approaching danger. Ezekiel must point out to the community both their sins and the consequences of them.

In the **Gospel**, Jesus advises us of our duty to do what we can when an individual's behaviour is a threat to the community. Our community does not live separately from God: the Lord is active and present in the decisions and desires of his people and our prayer and action should reflect this. The **Psalm** picks up the theme of listening and bids the people to heed the message of God and to be receptive to his love and gifts.

Paul emphasises to the Romans that the precious freedom bought for us by Christ also brings with it a responsibility and a debt: to love and care for each other and to live out the consequences of our faith. These words go to the heart of the Gospel message. Jesus has shown us how to love our neighbour by everything he said and did. He also shows us how to be fully alive as a human being. (**Second Reading**) Amidst the distractions and bustle of daily life, we pray to be alert for the quiet voice of the Divine, and to be generous in responding to it. We beg for the awareness of our responsibilities as a church community, especially to those most at risk across the world.

Holy Rosary School admissions: Please make sure that your child is baptised if you wish to apply for the school or the nursery at Holy Rosary. Do not leave it until January - it will be too late then.

Summer Lunch: The next summer lunch is 11th September. This is from 12 noon – food served at 1230 – all welcome.

FoodShare: Please think of those in need as you shop. Any help with pasta and sauces would be appreciated. Thank you.

Parish Account Details: Archdiocese of Liverpool Holy Rosary (183) Sort Code 40-29-12 Account No. 41543849 or a Standing Order form (in church).

Holy Rosary Ladies (HLRG) : starts its Autumn term on Tuesday 8th September with a welcome mass at 7pm followed by fish & chip supper in the parish lounge. HRLG is a social group for women of all ages to come together for fun, companionship and to learn new skills. We meet fortnightly and subs are £2 per meeting. Check out the programme for Autumn on the notice board. If you would like any more information just ask Kathy Collins or Liz Wilson. Come along - we would love to see you!

Macmillan Coffee Morning: We will be holding our annual coffee morning for Macmillan on Sunday 27th September at 11:20 in the parish lounge. Donations of cakes and baked goodies will be much appreciated and can be dropped off at the hall before Mass. Further information: Kathy Collins.

Letter to Breshnev: The parish group are going on Friday 11th September at 7.30pm. There are 3 tickets left if anyone else wishes to go. Get your ticket from Fr Philip this weekend. If you cannot remember if you are going or not there is a list in the sacristy.

Evening Prayer with the Apostolic Nuncio: All are invited to the Metropolitan Cathedral on Sunday 13th September at 3pm for the culmination of the Apostolic Nuncio's Visit to the Archdiocese. The celebration takes the form of sung Evening Prayer. There will be a drinks reception following in the Cathedral Crypt. All are welcome!

Car Rosary Beads: There is a new supply of car rosaries in the piety shop – just £2.00 each.

Eucharistic Ministers: We are needing to train some extra Eucharistic Ministers, especially for a Sunday morning – can you help in this ministry?

Children's Liturgy resumes this weekend. Thank you to Pauline K and the wonderful team.

1st Communions 2027: If you have a child not at Holy Rosary school and you wish them to make their 1st Communion in our parish you must enrol them before the end of September. Forms in church.

Look, Listen, Linger, Love – Retreat at St Joseph's Prayer Centre – Saturday 12 Sept, 10am – 4pm. A peaceful day of reflection, prayer, and time together to help us slow down, notice God's presence, and grow in love for Him. £15 with lunch & refreshments included. To book your place call 01704875850.

Adventurous Accompaniment Day Workshop - 19 September at St Margaret Clitherow Centre: A free workshop at St Margaret Clitherow Centre exploring the ministry of accompaniment, suitable for both beginners and those with experience. Please bring your own lunch.

New Catholics: If any adult wants to be baptised, confirmed or wants to become a Catholic please let Fr Philip know. Please email your request to the parish office: holyrosary@rcaol.org.uk

The season of creation is Sept 1st - 4th Oct (Feast of St Francis). The theme is 'Let Justice and Peace Flow'. Our prayers must call for justice not only for human beings, but for all creation. In covenant with peace, we are called to repent of our ecological sins and to change our attitudes and actions.

Diocesan Directory and Ordo: Please take a form and return it completed with the money. Orders have to be in by the 6th October.

- † Little things are indeed little, but to be faithful in little things is a great thing. We can all do small things with great love.
- † There is a terrible hunger for love. We all experience that in our lives - the pain, the loneliness. There is more hunger in the world for love and appreciation than for bread.
- † God doesn't require us to succeed; he only requires that you try.