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22nd NOVEMBER 2026
OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE

MASS TIMES FOR THIS WEEK & MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday 22nd November ***OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST KING OF THE UNIVERSE***	***Sacred Heart*** ***SS Peter & Paul***	**10.00 a.m.** **11.30 a.m.**	Brian Monks RIP Andre Leopold Chembo RIP Monique Nziegain RIP
Monday 23rd November ***St Clement I***	***Sacred Heart***	**9.30 a.m.**	Evelyn Steele RIP (Lately Dead)
Tuesday 24th November ***Sts Andrew Dung-Lac & Companions***	***Sacred Heart***	**6.30 p.m.**	Rosaleen Wainwright RIP (Anniversary)
Wednesday 25th November ***St Catherine of Aexandria***	***Sacred Heart***	**9.30 a.m.**	Andre Leopold Chembo RIP
Thursday 26th November	***SS Peter & Paul***	**9.30 a.m.**	Mamie Fisher RIP
Friday 27th November	***Sacred Heart***	**9.30 a.m.**	Brian Monks RIP
Saturday 28th November ***Blessed Virgin Mary***	***SS Peter & Paul*** ***SS Peter & Paul***	**10.30 a.m.** **11.00 a.m.**	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament & Rosary (This month's Intention: **For those on our November List. May they rest in peace)** Jim Curwen RIP
Sunday 29th November ***FIRST SUNDAY IN ADVENT***	***Sacred Heart*** ***SS Peter & Paul***	**10.00 a.m.** **11.30 a.m.**	Barbara & Jim Worrell (Anniversary) James Rogers RIP

NOVEMBER MASS INTENTIONS: **Please put your November Intentions in the envelopes provided at the back of church and place in the offertory basket.**

SACRED HEART FOUNDATION STONE
Friday 27th November is the 89th anniversary of the laying of the 'new' church's foundation stone

CHILDRENS LITURGY GROUP:
The Children's Liturgy group meet during Mass in each church on 2nd & 4th Sunday of each month.
N.B. There will only be Children's Liturgy group in SS Peter & Paul Church on 13th in December.

NOVEMBER ANNIVERSARIES
Monica Jones, Brian & Angela Haddlesey, Pam Murphy, Nancy Hinds, Fr Bob Horn, Hannagh Whelan, Bert Whelan, Jim Whelan & Joe Whelan May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the Mercy of God, rest in peace.

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK & HOUSEBOUND **George Woods, Margaret Rafferty, Glenn Johnson, Trish McKeever & Kathleen Hawksworth.** (Names of sick & housebound should only be given with the agreement of the family) Please pass any names to a member of the clergy.

BULLETIN: **Kindly send in your message/s for the bulletin at the latest Thursday evening for production on Friday. Please when booking your Mass Intention(s) kindly indicate the Church and Time preferred and give as much notice as possible to avoid duplication of times. In cases of duplication Masses will be said on a first received basis.**

200 CLUB DRAW
15/11/26 Wk. 33 No 164 S McKeever £20

LAST WEEK'S COLLECTIONS & ATTENDANCE

Sacred Heart	**£218.70**	**122**
SS Peter & Paul	**£126.55**	**42**

PARISH NEWS & EVENTS

2nd December FIRST HOLY COMMUNION: Our next meeting of this year's First Communion Programme is on **Wednesday 2nd December at 6pm in Sacred Heart church** for all the enrolled children and their parents. Please remember all our First Holy Communicants in your prayers.

CUPBOARD LOVE FOODBANK: The foodbank organisers at St Michaels sent a message to say how they were overwhelmed by the generosity of parishioners for donating the bounty of our harvest collection to them.

27th November PARISH CHRISTMAS MEAL: REMINDER: Doors will be open from 7:00 for the meal to be served at 7:30.
Please bring some cash for raffle and other incidentals. Don't forget to bring your own alcohol. It is probably a good idea to bring your own glass, too.

6th December COFFEE MORNING at SS Peter & Paul church: The next coffee morning is on **6th December** after Mass and is a special Christmas Coffee morning. All welcome

13th December COFFEE MORNING at SS Peter & Paul church: There will be a Bumper Auction and coffee morning on Sunday **13th December** after 11.30am Mass. All welcome.

CHRISTMAS RAFFLE at Sacred Heart Church: We will be holding our usual Christmas raffle this year, to raise much needed funds for our Parish. We would be very grateful for all Christmas donations for the raffle. A basket will be situated at the back of church for your donations. Many thanks for your help. Tickets are available this Sunday at the back of church after Mass - £1 per strip of tickets. The raffle will be drawn on the Saturday before Christmas and prizes will be available on the last Sunday of Advent.

MISSIO RED BOXES: Please bring your Red Missio boxes to church during November to be emptied. They will be returned to you the following Sunday.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY
Parish Christmas Meal – Friday 27th November
SS Peter & Paul Christmas Coffee morning & Tombola – Sunday 6th December after Mass
SS Peter & Paul Grand Auction & Coffee morning – Sunday 13th December after Mass

RETIRING COLLECTIONS
Lancaster Diocesan Youth Services – TODAY 22nd November
Diocesan Poor Missions – 29th November

SVP: If you would like a visit from any of our members or are lonely or housebound, please contact **Bernard Unsworth, 01772 875151**

O COME LET US ADORE HIM! St Mary's Church, Lea Town, will be open from 10am – 4pm Monday – Friday for silent adoration before the Blessed Sacrament. See the poster and leaflets at the back of church.

HANDEL'S MESSIAH: This is being performed at Manchester Cathedral on **28th November at 7pm.** Mark the beginning of Advent with Manchester Cathedral Choir and Manchester Baroque, performing on period instruments under the direction of Christopher Stokes. Hear Handel's setting of the Christmas story and the promise of resurrection, from 'For unto us a Child is born' to the famous 'Hallelujah' chorus.

MARRIAGE COURSE AT ST CLARE'S CHURCH: The next **Sacrament of Marriage course** is beginning at St Clare's church on **11th January** at 7pm, for all those wishing to prepare for Marriage in the next year. Please see the booklet and poster at the back of church.

JINGLE & MINGLE at Newman College: Weds 2nd December 12 – 2pm. Please phone Carol Gregson on 01772 460181 ext 2236 by **18th November** if you are able to attend. See the poster at the back of church.

RWANDA TABLE TOP SALE: **5th December** in St Anthony's hall at 10am – 1pm. All welcome – your support would be greatly appreciated. See poster at the back of church.

ASHTON COVENANTED CHURCHES – WALKING NATIVITY AND CAROL SINGING: This event is being held again this year on Saturday **19th December** at 4pm starting at St Michaels church. Please see the poster at the back of church.