

# The Parish of Adlington St Paul

## 18<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time 3<sup>rd</sup> August 2025

### Worship for this Week

<b>Today</b>	<b>Sunday</b>
<b>8.00 am</b>	<b>Mass</b>
<b>10.30 am</b>	<b>Sung Mass</b>
<b>Monday</b>	<b>No Service</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	
<b>7.00 pm</b>	<b>Mass</b> <i>Feria of Week 18</i>
<b>Wednesday</b>	
<b>9.30 am</b>	<b>Mass</b> <i>The Transfiguration of the Lord</i>
<b>Thursday</b>	
<b>12.15 pm</b>	<b>Mass</b> <i>Feria of Week 18</i>
<b>Friday</b>	
<b>8.00 am</b>	<b>Mass</b> <i>Feria of Week 18</i>
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>No Service</b>

### Items for Prayer

Any items for particular prayer, please contact Fr Graeme, Fr Jean, Julia or William.

In our prayers we pray for those who are suffering ill-health, Cathryn Caton, John Tobin, Jack Ainscough, Keller Ironfield, Audrey McNutt, Joyce Cleary, Wendy Ormrod, David, Joseph Ackah, Alex B and Poppy.

Also, the dearly departed Harry Turner, John Kerr and John Ellis.

**There is a sheet at the back of church for those you wish to include in prayers for the sick. Could we please ask that you put the person's full name on the list?**

### Notices and Events

#### **BOWLING CLUB – Friday, 10.00 am.**

Church Club Bowling Green. Bowls provided, no experience needed. Please wear flat shoes.

**CRAFT CLASS** - Tuesday Church Club 10.00 – 12.00 noon. Bring your own craft or join in with church. Please come and help.

#### **STUDY GROUP**

If you would be interested in a study group, please see list at back of church. Other details to follow - interest only at this stage.

#### **PARISH/SOCIAL EVENT**

FILM NIGHT - 30<sup>th</sup> August - Mama Mia

#### **ARE YOU ABLE TO HELP?**

We are looking for more people to go on the rota for readers, in particular Sunday's 8 am service. Also people to lead intercessions and be a sides person. If you think you could serve our church in any of these important roles, please speak to Fr G, Fr J or one of the Wardens.

**RESTORATION** Due to the amount of repair work to be done on our church, Fr Graeme needs 3 or 4 people to meet with him to help sketch out a restoration plan.

### The Walsingham Youth Pilgrimage 4th - 8th August

Please pray for Fr Jean, Kyran and the hundreds of young people who will be attending this important and wonderful annual pilgrimage. The cost of sending each child is £150. It is hard to describe the pilgrimage unless you have been yourself! Young people are the future of the church and we are blessed to have so many here at St Paul's, who we would love to experience that. Any donations towards the cost of the pilgrimage would be gratefully received. Please see Fr. Jean.

### **WALSINGHAM PILGRIMAGE - OCTOBER 2025**

24-26 October 2025. Speak to Julia for details and to book. If anyone is interested in Walsingham for OCTOBER 25.... Deposit £20.00 can be paid to reserve your space.

### **CHURCH HIGH SCHOOL ADMISSIONS**

Advance information for any parents/guardians of children in Years 4, 5 and 6 who are considering applying to a Church of England High School. Potential applicants should be aware that the Blackburn Diocese Admissions Policy for Church schools requires attendance at worship in person. **Letter with details is available at the back of church.** **Church attendance cards for the academic year 2025 – 2026 will be available from 22<sup>nd</sup> August 2025.**

### **PLANNING AHEAD - CRAFT FAIR – 8<sup>th</sup> November**

To help in organising the various stall and preparation for the ever-popular Craft Fair, could we please ask those who are planning or would like to make items to sell to let us know. We plan to have the usual Cakes, Craft, Raffle, Chocolate Tombola, Bottle Hoopla, Holiday stall. Play your Cards Right plus other games. There is a list at the back of church for other suggestions, please add your name and type of craft/stall you would like to contribute.

Each month we will put out a request for items. This month could we please have donations of prizes for "Play your Cards Right" and other similar games. Also, on your 'jolly holidays', bring back a small trinket or something suitable for us to sell.

### **ONLINE GIVING QR CODE**

To donate in this way, scan the code, or access this through the church's A Church Near You website:

<https://www.achurchnearyou.com/adlington-st-paul>

For regular donations, please join the Parish Giving Scheme. For more information, speak to Fr Graeme, Fr Jean, Julia or William.



**BROWN ENVELOPES** - On the pews are for 'Gift Aid' giving. If you are a taxpayer, please fill in your details to enable us to claim tax relief on your donation. If you do not wish to 'Gift Aid' please place your donation on the plate.

**HELP THE HOMELESS** - Please continue to remember the homeless. Particular items needed are vegetables, biscuits, jam (not strawberry) tinned meat, dried food and long life milk. Also toiletries and treats.

### **NOTICE SHEET - Please forward notices by 6.00 pm**

**Thursday** of each week to: Fr Graeme, Fr Jean, Julia, William, Or email [aud.yates@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:aud.yates@hotmail.co.uk)

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