

# The Parish of Adlington St Paul

## 23<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time 7<sup>th</sup> September 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>HYMNS</b>	<b>21, 729, 158, 731, Rejoice the Lord is King</b>
<b>Monday</b>	<b>No Service</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	
<b>7.00 pm</b>	<b>Mass</b> <i>St Peter Claver</i>
<b>Wednesday</b>	
<b>9.30 am</b>	<b>Mass</b> <i>Feria of Week 23</i>
<b>Thursday</b>	
<b>12.15 pm</b>	<b>Mass</b> <i>Feria of Week 23</i>
<b>Friday</b>	
<b>8.00 am</b>	<b>Mass</b> <i>Feria of Week 23</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, John Tobin, Jack Ainscough, Keller Ironfield, Audrey McNutt, Joyce Cleary, Wendy Ormrod, David, Joseph Ackah, Alex B and Poppy.

Also, the dearly departed, Lily Entwistle

**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

**TODAY:** There will be a short meeting after the 10.30 am Mass for people to suggest ideas for events next year.

#### **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 or join in with church. Please come and help.

**STUDY GROUP** will commence on Wednesday, 17<sup>th</sup> September at 7.30 pm.

**PCC** The next PCC meeting Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> September 7.30 pm in the club.

#### **PARISH/SOCIAL EVENT - THIS WEEK**

**BEETLE DRIVE – Thursday, 11<sup>th</sup> September 7pm, Church Club** The fun is fast and furious at our Parish Beetle Drive. Cost £3.00. Refreshments will be available. All are welcome.

#### **HARVEST**

This year we will celebrate Harvest on Sunday, 5<sup>th</sup> October.

### MOTHERS' UNION

The next MU meeting is on Thursday, 18<sup>th</sup> September. It will begin with the 12.15pm service in Church followed by a get together in the Church Club and a talk by Father Jean.

### CRAFT FAIR – 8<sup>th</sup> November - Fast Approaching

There will be the usual Cakes, Craft, Hamper Raffle, Chocolate Tombola, Bottle Hoopla and Holiday stalls. Play your Cards Right plus other games. If there are any more suggestions, please let us know. Raffle tickets on sale soon.

Could we please ask for donations of '**Anything in a Bottle**' for the **Bottle Hoopla** and prizes for "Play your Cards Right" and other similar games? Also, trinkets and gifts from your 'jolly holidays', for us to sell.

### WALSINGHAM PILGRIMAGE - OCTOBER 2025

24-26 October 2025. If you are interested, there are still a few spaces left. Please speak to Julia for details and to book.

### 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.

### CHURCH HIGH SCHOOL ADMISSIONS

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 and church attendance cards for the academic year 2025 – 2026 are at the back of church.**

### 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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