

# The Parish of Adlington St Paul

## 27<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time, 4<sup>th</sup> October 2026

### Worship for this week

**Today SUNDAY**

**8.00 am Mass**

**10.30 am Sung Mass**

**HYMNS See Hymn board**

**Monday No Service**

**Tuesday**

**7.00 pm Mass Feria of Week 27**

**Wednesday**

**9.30 am Mass Feria of Week 27**

**Thursday**

**12.15 pm Mass Feria of Week 27**

**Friday**

**8.00 am Mass St John Henry Newman**

**Saturday No Service**

### 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, Deborah Catterall, Beverley Allen, Rita Denver, Joseph Acka, Amy Mellor, Eddie Wraith, Andy Dowson and John Gregory. Also, the dearly departed, Audrey McNutt.

Let us also bring to mind those whose anniversary falls at this time. Brian Parkinson, Abigail Taylor, George Shaw, Gladys Holden, Florence Massey, Emma Fielding, Gordon Wane and Nathan Weaver

### NOTICES AND EVENTS

#### DIOCESAN CENTENARY PRAYER

"Heavenly Father, in our Centenary year, we rededicate ourselves and our Diocese to you. Send the Holy Spirit to give us confidence in our witness, generosity in our service, and love for our neighbours, that your Church may be renewed and many come home to you, through your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen."

#### MOTHERS' UNION

The Mothers Union will be meeting again on Thursday, 15th October at 2.00pm in the Church Club. The speaker is Derek Cartwright from Horwich Heritage who will be giving a talk on Rivington after the Fires. All are welcome to come along.

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

#### CHILDREN'S CORNER – Gentle Reminder

The children's corner is for Pre School children and their parents. We encourage older children to sit with their parents in the pews. There are activity sheets provided to help young folk to follow the service, please ask the sidespeople.

**HARVEST** - Sunday, 18th October 2026

**PCC Meeting** This Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> October, 7.30 pm in the club.

**BOWLING CLUB FELLOWSHIP** From last Friday, 2nd October, the bowling green will be closed until next year. As an alternative social activity it has been suggested that a weekly Friday morning walking group could be arranged (weather permitting). We would meet at church at 10 am and walk approximately 2 - 3 miles in the local area.

If you are interested please meet at church for 10 a.m. wearing suitable clothing and footwear. The church club will be open afterwards for tea/coffee and biscuits. (Small donations to cover costs will be appreciated).

#### CHURCH HIGH SCHOOL ADMISSIONS

Information letter at the back of church. Please remember to check the High School admissions policy for any changes. Church attendance cards for academic year 2026 –2027 available at the back of church.

#### PARISH/SOCIAL EVENTS

##### LUNCH CLUB

Anyone interested in helping please speak to Fr Graeme.

#### CRAFT FAYRE 7<sup>th</sup> November 2026

When you go on your hols, please bring back a little something for the holiday stall at the Craft Fayre. We need suggestions for more stalls and more volunteers (list at the back of church).

There are also boxes at the back of church for donations of items: Anything in a bottle. Chocolate Tombola. Hamper Raffle. (list at the back of church for items needed for hampers).

**Hamper Raffle Tickets, please take some to sell to family and friends.** **SANTA** will visit us again this year. Details of bookings available soon.

**EASYFUNDRAISING** St Paul's Church, Adlington is registered on #easyfundraising which means you can raise free funds for church as you shop online, at no extra cost!

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#### 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 information, speak to Fr Graeme, Fr Jean, Julia or William.

**BROWN ENVELOPES** - On the pews are for 'Gift Aid' giving.. If you do not wish to 'Gift Aid' please place your donation on the plate.

**HELP THE HOMELESS** - Particular items needed are coffee/milk/tea/cordial/ tinned fruit/ baking ingredients (the chef bakes puddings/cakes for the customers). Plus the usual items - vegetables, biscuits, jam (not strawberry) tinned meat, dried food and long life milk. Also socks, 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), or instagram @stpaulschurch\_adlington



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