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	<u><i>Spiritual & Liturgical Life</i></u>	<u><i>Parish & Community Life</i></u>
Mon 19 Oct	<i>Church Cleaning -new helpers welcome</i> NO MORNING SERVICES ON MONDAYS	4.30 Scarletts Dance
Tues 20 Oct	9.30:Mass:RD Beverley Crellin, Michael Penrose 10.00 Faith listening Group #1 7.00 RCIA -house	11.30 Community Café: Christ Church 3pm Knit & Natter: house 4.30 Scarletts Dance
Wed 21st Oct	9.30 Mass sp int: Robert Steadman Jnr 2.30 & 3.00 Spiritual counsel 6pm Lectio 6.30pm Accompaniment zoom	5.00 Aleena
Thurs 22nd Oct	9.30 Mass in house-RD Kathleen Sweeney 10.00 Faith Listening Group #2 7.00 Sharing Scripture	12.30 School Ministry 4.30 Scarlett's Dance
Fri 23rd Oct	9.15 Contemplative Eucharist –House – ILM Mary Johnson 7.00 Discerning the Parish Future Mission	<i>School Breaks up for Half Term</i>
Sat 24th Oct	11.15 Baptisms	2.30 Darren & Kim Wedding at Queen of Martyrs
	Sunday 25th October 2026	30th Ord Time
SAT EVE:	5.30pm Confessions 6.00pm Mass; Rd Michael Baccino, Shaun McGarry	7.30 Saturday Night Social <i>Clocks 'Fall' back one hour tonight</i>
SUN 25th October	10.00 Mass—Our parish Vision 11.15am Baptisms 5.00 Faith Listening Group #3 6pm MASS sick Paul Williams, Tina Williams	7.00 Men's Spirituality Group

Please pray for all who are lonely or housebound; those who are sick, at home or in hospital, all undergoing treatment and all visited by our Eucharistic Ministers.
If you would like to receive Communion at home, please call the Parish Office.

OUR SICK: During all Sunday masses we pray for our sick ,those struggling with life, our dead and anniversaries, and all parishioners are invited to say out people's names.

OUR RECENTLY DEPARTED: Josie Barrow, Sharon Atherton, Michael McEllin, Rhona Inman, Anna Nixon, Thomas Armstrong, William Roberts, Florence Flynn

IN LOVING MEMORY: John Dixon, phil Fallon, Agnes Kiely, Marjorie Rawlinson, Jim Woods

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SCHOOL is supporting parents in new ways, and including a new, updated Home School Parish commitment for parents' responsibility in the partnership and finding ways of empowering parents in their demanding vocation

OUR NEXT MONTHLY MASS FOR CHILDREN with our school choir is the

Feast of All Saints on Sunday November 1st

YOUNG PEOPLE are all invited to our special interactive mass on the Feast of Christ the King, Sunday November 22nd at 11.00am at eh Queen of Martyrs Church. With special food , games and quiz afterwards in the Social Centre, this mass is the ONE ONLY that weekend for parishioners of St Teresa's and Croxteth.

NEW ADULTS FINDING FAITH are wonderfully accompanied in our super RCIA sessions which meet each Tuesday now at 7.00pm in the parish house

LOOKING AHEAD:

Music and the Liturgy is a special, joyful session with Mike Anderson on Saturday 14th November 10 til 12.30 at Queen of Martyrs. All welcome, all ages, ...sure to be a real blessing and fun.

PARISH MASS WITH OUR BEREAVED is on Sunday 15th November at 6.00pm mass....all who have had loved ones die this year are invited to light a candle as their names are called out: any others who wish to include a loved one deceased can then join in.

"PEOPLE'S EMERGENCY BRIEFING": film on climate emergency is showing in the parish house on Wednesday 28th October at 7.00pm