OUR PRAYER LIFE

POPE LEO'S PRAYER INTENTION Let us pray for the proper use of wealth, that not succumbing to the temptation of selfishness, it may always be put at the service of the common good and solidarity of those who have less.

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 Freda Flattery, Adam Fletcher, Prof Sarkar, Paula Coggins, Paul Carson, Pat Bold, Maureen Ramekin, Kathleen Doyle, Rita Lewin, Robert Jones, Elizabeth Cindy Kellett, Wilfred Bunny Harding, Maureen Hampson

IN LOVING MEMORY: Emily Kellan, John Cassin, Nanette Coakley, Thomas Spellman

List names with donation in an envelope to be included in our November masses for our dear departed

MINISTRY MATTERS:
Rotas will be updated soon, please let the office know if you will be away and will need to change your mass or avoid certain dates during November and December.

SOCIAL LIFE:

"The Chatty Teapot" invites you weekly on Tuesdays 12.30 to 2.30 in the Social Centre downstairs, for good company, a cuppa and chat. Free entry, stay as long as you like……

BAPTISMS

WELCOME to Elsie Green, Billy Doyle, James Birch, Jessi Obrien, Auraya Lunt, Maggie Redmond, Neva Baker, Noah Baker, Tehilah Manuwa, Micah O Manuwa, Ava Rose Harper, Nellie Harper, Nieve Harper & Shea Cain who were all Baptised into our Faith family over the last few weeks.

MONEY MATTERS:

LAST WEEK'S OFFERTORY was £601.63 plus £283 standing orders. Thank you.
We also have a **Card Machine** for your donations, available at the entrance to church. Easy instructions provided.

NEW: **online donation facility on the WEBSITE** is another option to make your offering: one off or regular payments and **Gift Aid** can be added if this applies to your donation.
Flowers Donations are welcome: and can be in memoriam of someone if you wish.
PARISH WEBSITE: new simplified address **stteresasnorrisgreen.com**

LIVING THE LITUGY

Today's Scriptures tell of a time of great change of circumstances and outlook for the first century Christians. The delay of Jesus's Second Coming after his Ascension created **a change of era** in how the Christians practiced the faith!
The story is told of bridesmaids running out of oil for the lamps to greet the bridegroom, coming to his bride's house…..they were not prepared for this unexpected turn of events, that he was delayed. Their lights went out!
This represented the challenge in real life of how to ensure Christians do not "run out of steam" in having to persevere in the demands of faith, much longer than first imagined! Only those who took extra oil for the lamps had enough wisdom to "be prepared" for new things, to be able to adapt to the unexpected, to still do what was necessary for faith to flourish in the changed circumstances.
In our own times we have many changed circumstances! In the last 60 years our world and our country have changed so much…..and our Church has been changing, adapting how we practice the faith, changing in order to stay faithful…. What is God asking of his people now???.... in what the Pope's have called **"a change or era".** **For us in our story of faithful living,** the "flasks of extra oil" stand for our **turning ever more deeply to the Holy Spirit of Jesus to fuel the light of our faithing.**

SHARING RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE PARISH FUTURE

Joining in with the Archdiocesan training in "The Art of Accompaniment", our parish is now involved in prayerful reflection in this **time of transition.** Only through the Wisdom of the Holy Spirit with the faithful efforts of our parishioners will we come to know what changes should happen. For this work I have initiated **"The Parish Discernment Team",** starting with those of us who have already received some learning from the Archdiocesan team.
New members are welcome to try out joining us in this sharing of leadership, the responsibility to follow where the Spirit is leading the Church. We use the method of listening to each other, to listen for the guidance of the Spirit, called "Conversations in the Spirit".
Our discernment team meets next on Friday 13th November 7.00pm, for no more than an hour and a half. We will welcome new participants or talk to Fr Tony before then.

CHANGES IN OUR DEANERY

Only recently we had some changes of priests: Fr Mark Fairhurst came to Holy Name, Fr Mark Madden to St Paul's, Fr Mark Drew to St Matthews.
The Archbishop has now told us that in January new priests will be Fr Stephen Pritchard in St Margaret Mary's, and Fr Mike Thompson in Queen of Martyrs. This affects us most by the sad loss of Fr Anthony Kelly, and the addition of Blessed Sacrament, Holy Name and St Philomena's to our Family of Parishes.

NOVEMBER: REMEMBERING and APPRECIATING

Autumn also is a time of marked transition….and as we start to look forward to 100 years of parish life in 2028,

- let us include **remembering past gifts of St Teresa's story so far:** what we give thanks for from the past, what do you most miss, feel the loss of…..?
- we mark **Remembrance Sunday** this week
- **Our Dear Departed** are included in the masses throughout November on Tuesdays and Wednesdays at 9.30 in church. You may still include your loved ones departed, in an envelope with a donation, please.
- **NEXT SUNDAY, 15th** November, the 6pm Mass is our **Annual Memorial Mas with Our Bereaved.** Those who have received ministry over the year with us have been invited; the names of their departed this year will be called out with a candle. If you wish to add any names of people personal to you **who have died this past year** please use the slip from the table at the back of church.

COMING TOGETHER WITH OUR FAMILY OF PARISHES:

On Sunday 22nd November there is ONLY ONE MASS
and it is at 11.00am in Queen of Martyrs.

This is the change for our Family of Parishes to join all together for
YOUTH SUNDAY on the Feast of Christ the King.

ALL YOUNG PEOPLE are invited to our special interactive mass and afterwards in the club there for a party with games and quiz, pizza and food
Please offer to bring some food to share……sign up on the list if you can, bring to the Club there from 10am.
Musicians and singers also welcome, with your instruments, gather from 10am for practice together.
Transport from here at 10.30am is of offer…. sign up on the list at back of church.

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,

ST TERESA'S SERVING LOCAL LIFE

Our Parish SVP is here to help for people in need….
We contribute to St Andrew's Foodbank …..
Our Saturday Social in the Parish Centre is open to everyone…..
Liverpool Citizens invites all to our Assembly on Monday 15th….see Fr Tony
PRIDE in PLACE continues with the online survey for your suggestions how to improve life in Norris Green East…..and **all our welcome to the CHRISTMAS MARKET on Sunday 22nd 12 til 3 at Christ Church, Sedgemoor Rd.**



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	Spiritual & Liturgical Life **Sunday 8th November Remembrance Sunday**	***Parish & Community Life***
Mon 9 Nov	*Church Cleaning -new helpers welcome* NO MORNING SERVICES ON MONDAYS	10.00 Pamper Day 4.30 Scarlett's Dance
Tues 10 Nov	9.**30:Mass: Our Dear Departed** 10.00 Faith listening Group #1 **12.30 Chatty Teapot: Social Centre** 7.00 RCIA -house	11.30 Christ church cafe 3pm Knit & Natter: house 4.30 Scarlett's Dance 6pm Pride In PlaceMonksdown
Wed 11 Nov	**9.30 Mass- Our Dear Departed** 6pm Lectio 6.30pm meditation 7.00 SVP -meeting room **7.30 Mass -Cursillo Ultreya: all welcome**	3.00 Spiritual Counsel 4.30 Scarlett's dance 5.00 Spiritual Counsel
Thurs 12 Nov	**9. 30 Mass(house) RD Angela McCreith, Daniel Morton** 10.00 Faith Listening Group #2 **1.00 Funeral Service- Lillian 'Rita' Lewin** 7.00 Sharing Scripture	12.30 School Ministry 2.00 Pax Christi 4.30 Scarlett's Dance
Fri 13 Nov	**9.15 Contemplative Eucharist –House –** **Rd Philip D'Annunzio, Mary Thorn** 7.00 Parish Discernment team	4.30 Scarlett's Dance
Sat 14 Nov	9.00 Warrington Men's Group 10-12.30 music with Mike Anderson **@OLQM** 11.15 Baptisms	2.30 Vides team Review
	Sunday 15th November 2026	**33rd of Ord Time**
SAT EVE:	5.30pm Confessions **6.00pm Mass ILM Terry Cassin, Karen Lawler**	7.30 Saturday Night Social
SUN 15 November	**10.00 Mass—Our Parish Vision –** 11.15 Baptisms **6pm MASS- Annual Mass for the Bereaved**	