



Our Lady of Compassion Formby

11th Sept 2022 – 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sundays Year C, Weekdays Cycle 2, psalter week 4

School Lane, Formby, L37

**Served by the Church of Our Lady of Compassion and
St. Jerome Chapel of Ease**

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Prayer for the Repose of the Soul

Almighty God,
You are the author and sustainer of all human
life;
grant that your servant, Elizabeth our Queen,
whom you granted a long and happy reign as
Monarch of these lands
may be forgiven her sins and rewarded with that
eternal life
promised to all those born again
in the water of baptism and power of your Spirit.

Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,
Who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the
Holy Spirit God, forever and ever,

Amen.

Newsletter



The news of the death of her Majesty the Queen has come as a shock, even given her recent frailty. It is right that we should pray for the eternal repose of her soul and thank God for her selfless service to our Country, over the last 70 years.

In commending her noble soul to God, let us remember her family and our nation.

Father John

Mass Times

Day	Time	Location	Intentions
Saturday 10th Sept	6.00 pm	St Jerome, Greenloons Drive	Mary O'Donoghue
Sunday 11th Sept	9.00am	Our Lady of Compassion, School Lane	Parish Community
	11.00am	Our Lady of Compassion, School Lane	William & Susan Hickey
Tuesday 13th Sept	09.15am	Exposition of Blessed Sacrament	OLOC
	10.00am	Our Lady of Compassion, School Lane	Kevin Higgins
Wednesday 14th Sept	09.15am	Exposition of Blessed Sacrament	OLOC
	10.00am	Our Lady of Compassion, School Lane	Frederick Wilson
Thursday 15th Sept	09.15am	Exposition of Blessed Sacrament	OLOC
	10.00am	Our Lady of Compassion, School Lane	Mary Daly
Friday 16th Sept	11.30am	Requiem Service – Patricia Padilla	OLOC
Saturday 17th Sept	6.00pm	St Jerome, Greenloons Drive	Damien Mullane
Sunday 18th Sept	09.00am	Our Lady of Compassion, School Lane	Parish Community
	11.00am	Our Lady of Compassion, School Lane	1st Anniversary

The Church of St Jerome is open every Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 09.00am to 11.00am for Quiet Prayer

Please pray for the lately Dead including;

Her Majesty the Queen, Mike Pinnington, Mary Mawdsley, Francis McLean, Patricia Padilla, and all their families.

And let us pray for those who are sick including;

Isabelle Clegg, Teresa Campbell, Eddy Connolly, Alison Botterill, Stephanie Harrison, Ellen l'Anson, Jim McAuley, Ann Long and Ged Cunningham, Margaret Nutall, Mary Pinkman and May Patton.

Contact Father John

If any parishioner needs Father John for any reason whatsoever, particularly if someone is **sick or dying** and needs **Sacraments**, please call **07783354250**.

If the phone is not answered, please leave a **clear message** indicating your **name, the reason for your call** and a **contact number**. If no message is left, Father John does not know that you have called.

You can also call the **Parish Office on 01704 873230**, again leaving the information mentioned above. The answering machine is checked every day and you can also send an email to:-
ourladyofcompassionformby@rcaol.org.uk

Parish Notices

St Jeromes

Coffee/ tea available on a Monday and Friday commencing next week in St Jerome's Hall.

Pastoral Development Bulletin

The latest Pastoral Development Bulletin will now also be available on the website.

UCM Meeting

The UCM monthly meeting will be held on **Wednesday 14th September**. Mass will be celebrated at 10am in Our Lady's Church and all UCM members are invited, along with anyone else interested in joining. Following the Mass, refreshments will be served in the Gild Hall.

Irenaeus Project

We are delighted to announce that the Irenaeus Centre is now open. Why not drop in for a cup of coffee and a chat? The Centre is open from 10.00 am – 4.00 pm, Monday to Thursday. We are also having the Irenaeus Food cupboard; can you help with any donations of dried or tinned food? Thank you, Jenny.

The Women's Group

The Women's group will be meeting at the Gild Hall Formby on **Wednesday 28th September at 7.30pm**. All women across the archdiocese are very welcome to come along. The group is very informal and has been set up to enable women to exchange experiences and to talk about future roles for women within the church. We hope to link in with the National Board of Catholic Women an organisation which strives to give Catholic women a voice within the church. (website : www.nbcw.co.uk). For any further enquiries feel free to contact Clare McCarthy at claremccarthy488@gmail.com

The Chatterry

The Chatterry will welcome their first speaker of the new season this coming **Wednesday 14th September**, when Judy Cranshaw will share her "DNA journey to find her father." Come along to the Gild Hall lounges between 2pm and 3.30pm to find out what she discovered and enjoy tea/coffee and a chat with fellow parishioners. All welcome!

Pause for Hope

There will be a Pause for Hope service at the **Metropolitan Cathedral Liverpool on Sunday 2nd October at 3pm** for all those affected in any way by cancer. No tickets required and further details can be found on www.pauseforhope.org.uk

Visit of the Relics of Saint Bernadette

The Relics of Saint Bernadette are on a tour of Great Britain and will be in the **Metropolitan Cathedral Liverpool from 17th to 20th September** as follows:-

- **SATURDAY 17TH, 3.30PM ARRIVAL & SERVICE OF WELCOME. 5PM MASS & PRIVATE PRAYER 7.30PM, OUTDOOR TORCHLIGHT PROCESSION. CATHEDRAL OPEN UNTIL 10PM.**
- **SUNDAY 18TH, MASS AT 9,10,11 AM & 7PM. 3PM, ANNOINTING OF THE SICK. CATHEDRAL OPEN UNTIL 10PM.**
- **MONDAY 19TH, MASS AT 8AM & 12.15PM. CLOSING MASS, ROSARY & NIGHT PRAYER 7PM.**
- **TUESDAY 20TH. CATHEDRAL OPENS AT 6.30AM, DEPARTURE OF RELICS AT 7AM.**

Anointing of the sick

The cathedral will be celebrating Mass with anointing of the sick on Sunday 18 September at 3pm. We do expect this Mass to be popular and we want to ensure that everyone who would like to be anointed is known to clergy, so nobody will miss out.

We would therefore ask any sick person wanting to be anointed, to let us know in advance that they will be attending by either emailing Claire Hanlon on c.hanlon@metcathedral.org.uk or ringing 0151 709 9222 ext. 201 (please leave a voicemail if Claire is unavailable) by **Monday 12 September**. Please can you make yourself known at the welcome desk when you arrive at the cathedral and you will be directed to your seat. Although Covid restrictions have been lifted in the Cathedral, there will be a block designated for those who wish to socially distance.

To ensure comfort and safety and to avoid queues, visitors are requested, if possible, to register their attendance at events in advance on the cathedral website. (liverpoolmetropolitancathedral.org.uk/relicsofstbernadette).

Sunday Brunch

Sunday Brunch has been put back by one week and will now start on **Sunday 18th September** after 11am Mass.

Lourdes Pilgrimage 2023

Just a reminder that all booking forms and deposits are due to be handed in during the next two weeks, to the sacristy after Mass or to Mike in person. Many thanks to all those who have already done so. Your forms have been forwarded to Northern Star travel who will shortly issue acknowledgements and receipts.