

**PARISH
NEWSLETTER**



**FOR THE PARISH OF
ST CHARLES &
ST THOMAS MORE
AIGBURTH**

Parish Mission Statement

The Parish of St Charles and St Thomas More, illuminated by the Light of Christ and led by the Holy Spirit, seeks to bring that light to South Liverpool always striving to be a loving and welcoming community where all people are included and valued, and strangers are treated as friends. Fed and nurtured by scripture, prayer and the Sacraments, we journey together to come closer to God so that we can proclaim His love in our thoughts, words and actions.

Parish Priest:
Fr Ron Johnson

Deacons:
Rev Jeremy Mitchinson
Rev Paul McNicholl (Retired)

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Parish Office Hours

Parish Office is open
Monday to Friday,
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**Sunday 3rd November 2024
31st Sunday in Ordinary Time
Times of Masses and Services**

Day	Date	Times	Feast	Intention
Saturday	2/11/24	5.00 pm	All Souls	Holy Souls
Sunday	3/11/24	9.30 am	31st Sunday in Ordinary Time	People of the Parish
		11.00 am	31st Sunday in Ordinary Time	Holy Souls
Monday	4/11/24	12 noon	St Charles Borromeo	Holy Souls
Thursday	7/11/24	7.00 pm	Weekday in Ordinary Time	Holy Souls
Friday	8/11/24	8.30am	Mass at St Margaret Clitherow Chapel	
Saturday	9/11/24	5.00 pm	32nd Sunday	Martha Halpin
		6.00 pm	Neo-Catechumenate Mass	Priests intention
Sunday	10/11/24	9.30 am	32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time	Holy Souls
		11.00 am	32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time	People of the Parish

Happy Feast Day...

This week the Church celebrates the Feast Day of St Charles Borromeo.

**50 Faces of the Holy Land
Photographic Exhibition**

Our Lady of the Assumption Church, is hosting a photographic and audio exhibition of the lives of people in Israel, Gaza and the Occupied Territories.

Come and discover the real lives of the people in the region marked with its history, its diversity, its joy and its suffering and light a candle for peace.

Open 8.30am-1.30pm each day from the 31st Oct until the 12th Nov at Hedgefield Rd, Gateacre, L25 2RW.

All welcome.

<https://theholylan.org.uk/home/50faces/>

**Ecumenical Service for Peace
in the Holy Land**

On Wednesday 6th Nov
at 7pm in
Our Lady of the Assumption Church,
Hedgefield Rd, Gateacre, L25 2RW
Archbishop McMahon will lead a time
of prayer for peace at this time of
increased violence, hatred, fear and
mistrust in the Holy Land.

Canon Mark Madden will preach.
Through the Word of God, stillness,
reflection, and song, we are invited to
be united in our cry for peace.

All are welcome!

Catholic Pic

The November Catholic Pic is
Available this weekend at the back of
church. Have you collected Your free
copy?

This coming week...

Sunday 3rd November

At 9.30 am Mass
Music Group
Children's Liturgy
of the Word

Tea & Coffee after Mass

At 11 am Mass
Organ Music
Tea & Coffee after Mass

Monday 4th November

Pensioners Club
meets at 2pm

Parish Choir Rehearsal
begins at 7.30 pm

Wednesday 6th November

Parent and Toddler Group
meets at 9.30am

Thursday 7th November

Afternoon Group
meets at 2 pm

Friday 8th November

Bingo meets at 7.30 pm

Sunday 10th November

At 9.30 am Mass
Organ Music
Children's Liturgy
of the Word
Tea & Coffee after Mass

At 11 am Mass
Music Group
Tea & Coffee after Mass

Sacred Music Recital

Candlelight

"LOVE Extravaganza"

A soothing candlelit evening of sung
baroque classics with organ
accompaniment in the warmth of
St Charles Church on
Friday 8th November 2024
at 7.30pm.

Sacred arias, airs and songs for
soprano, mezzo soprano and alto voice
with organ accompaniment.

Soloist: **Nicole Bartos** - soprano.

Accompanist: **Jason Ellis** - organ

Entry is free, but donations are
encouraged to cover the costs and
fundraise for the refurbishment of the
Parish Meeting Room.

Young Catholic Adults

Network (YouCAN)'s

Commission to Mission

Evangelisation Training Day

Saturday 16 November

YouCAN's "Sharing the Church's
Story: Commission to Mission"
will be a whole day of inspirational
talks and training, all on the topic
of evangelisation.

That's not all! We are not just go-
ing to talk about evangelisation, we
are going to move on and do it!

To find out more about YouCAN,
and to book to join this
Evangelisation Training Day,
please contact

rina@youngcatholicadultnetwork.uk

Autumn Quiz

Tickets are available after all Masses
for our Autumn Quiz which will take
place on

Thursday 14th November
at 7.30pm in the parish meeting room.

Tickets are £3 each

This event will raise funds for the
recent refurbishment of the
Parish meeting room

Donations of prizes gratefully
received.

Held in Prayer...

Let us continue to pray for peace in
the Holy Land and Ukraine and in
every other region where people's
lives are affected by conflict.

For all who are sick and
housebound and for all those who
have died recently, including,
Ellen Philomena Proffitt
and

Anthony Charles Roberts
and those whose anniversaries
occur at this time.

With You Always Course

for First Reconciliation and Holy Communion 2024-25

Session Two at 1 pm on Saturday 9th November

Parish Christmas Bingo

8th December at 3pm

Ticket information coming soon.

Candle Intentions

Sanctuary Candle

Holy Souls

Marian Candle

Stephen Burns

Sacred Heart Candle

Fr Ron.

Mass Attendance

30th Sun Ordinary Time

5 pm 111

9.30 am 137

11 am 97

Total 345

Parish Income

30th Sun Ordinary Time

Envelopes £ 348.35

Loose Plate £ 497.23

Standing Orders £ 520.60

Total £ 1366.18

Candle Intentions

Yellow envelopes are
available if you would like to
sponsor
the Sanctuary, Marian or
Sacred Heart Candle,
and dedicate it to a loved one.