



The Parish of St CUTHBERT

20th Sunday in Ordinary Time
15 August 2021

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Bolton Lunches 2021 – Help still needed on Fridays!

During this summer school holidays Urban Outreach will once again be helping to bridge the hunger gap for those children that would normally receive free school meals via the 'Bolton Lunches' initiative.

There has been a good response for volunteers however they are still short on numbers for Friday mornings.

If you would be available to help with the pack and sandwich making on any Friday during the school holidays from 7am to 8-30am please contact the Urban Outreach office on 01204 385848 or email admin@urbanoutreach.co.uk to add your name to the volunteer list.

Please remember in your prayers.....

All in your families & those of our parishioners who are sick

Remember all those who have died recently....

All those with Anniversaries at this time ...



Veronica Dearden RIP 1st Anniversary

Cornerstone Drop-In

Space, Support, Advice
and a Brew

Every Monday
10.00am - 12.00pm

Bolton Methodist Mission,
Victoria Hall
(side entrance through metal gates near
Central St Car Park)
Tel. 01204 522569

LANGLEY HOUSE TRUST
HELPING PEOPLE TO LIVE CRIME-FREE LIVES

Bolton
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The Parish Liturgy

for the Twentieth Week in Ordinary Time
Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Monday August 16	Tuesday August 17	Wednesday August 18	Thursday August 19	Friday August 20	Saturday August 21	Sunday August 22
St Stephen of Hungary	Our Lady of Knock	Weekday	St John Eudes, Priest	St Bernard	St Pius X, Pope	21st Sunday in Ordinary Time
No Service	Mass	Mass	Mass	Mass	Vigil Mass	MASSES 9.30 am St Joseph & 11.15am St Thomas of Canterbury
	10.00 am	10.00 am	10.00 am	10.00 am	5.30 pm	
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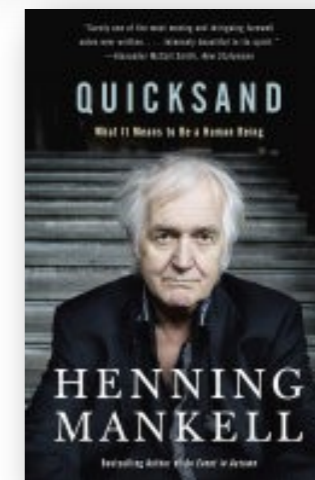
Parishioners Corner.

- a recommended read by Nick Tyldesley

A few weeks ago, I asked parishioners to send in items of interest to be shared via the parish newsletter. Here is this weeks offering.

Nick Tyldesley identifies with Mankell's thoughts because they "speak to my own condition and those of other friends who have recently been going through chemotherapy" ?

His review can be found online in the parish website / Parishioners Corner



Quicksand:

What It Means
to Be a
Human Being

The New 'Cornerstone Drop-in' at Victoria Hall

Bolton Methodist Mission, in partnership with Langley House Trust, have opened a new drop-in on Mondays between 10am and 12 noon at Victoria Hall, on Knowsley Street in Bolton town centre. 'The drop-in welcomes everyone and particularly those who are finding life difficult whether homeless, recently released from prison or simply needing a listening ear.' The drop-in will provide the chance for space, support, advice and a brew and will also signpost people to other activities, churches, agencies and ministries that are happening locally to where people are based.

If you would like to find out more about the drop-in or let the team know about activities/support services at your church/group that could be beneficial to the people they encounter then please contact Darren Holland at darren.holland@methodist.org.uk or on 01204 522569.

In January 2014, Henning Mankell received a diagnosis of lung cancer. Quicksand is a response to this shattering news—but it is not a memoir of destruction. Instead, it is a testament to a life fully lived,

A stunning and poignant autobiographical look at the myriad experiences that shape a meaningful life, by the bestselling author of the Kurt Wallander mysteries.

a tribute to the extraordinary but fleeting human journey that delivers both boundless opportunity and crucial responsibility. In a series of intimate vignettes, Mankell ranges over rich and varied reflections: of growing up in a small Swedish town, where he experiences a startling revelation on a winter morning as a young boy; of living hand-to-mouth

during a summer in Paris as an ambitious young writer; of his work at a theatre in Mozambique, where Lysistrata is staged in the midst of civil war; of chance encounters with men and women who changed his understanding of the world. Along the way, Mankell ponders the meaning of a good life, and the critically important ways we can shape the future of humanity if we are fortunate enough to have the choice. Vivid, clear-eyed, and breathtakingly beautiful, Quicksand is an invaluable parting gift from a great man.