



LEST WE FORGET

# The Parish of St CUTHBERT

## Remembrance Sunday 14 November 2021

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### Interfaith Walk – Thurs 18th Nov, 2pm

As part of Interfaith Week Bolton Interfaith Council are organising an 'Interfaith Walk' on Thurs 18th Nov at 2pm in the Kearsley area. The walk will be a flat walk of approximately 2 miles and will include visits to the St John Fisher Catholic Church and Community Gardens, the Schoenstatt Shrine and the Wat Siriratanaram Thai Buddhist Temple.

If you would like to participate in this walk please contact Keith Armstrong

at [tcc@bolton.gmim.org.uk](mailto:tcc@bolton.gmim.org.uk) or on 07500928573 who will then send you more details about the walk including meeting time and location.

If you need a lift to get to St John Fischer at Kearsley, please ring

Mairead on 07428340797 or John on 07771524542.

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 ...*




### Thanksgiving Mass

All members of:	In Memory
Oxtoby, Clossick & Holland Families	
Mike McGovern	Lately Dead
Oksana Sarapok RIP	Anniversary
Pauline Lomax RIP	Anniversary
Mary Bancroft RIP	Anniversary
Lomax, Entwistle & Simms Families	
	In memory
Bancroft & Moore Families	In memory
Thanksgiving Mass	Good Results

### Mass Offertory Envelopes

If there are any parishioners who have not yet collected their Offertory Envelopes, these are in the Church Porches. Please arrange for collection. Thank You

# The Parish Liturgy for the Thirty Third Week in Ordinary Time

Monday November 15	Tuesday November 16	Wednesday November 17	Thursday November 18	Friday November 19	Saturday November 20	Sunday November 21
<i>St Albert the Great</i>	<i>St Margaret St Gertrude St Edmund of Abingdon</i>	<i>St Elizabeth of Hungary St Hugh of Lincoln St Hilda</i>	<i>Dedication of the Basilica of St Peter &amp; St Paul</i>	<i>Weekday</i>	<i>Weekday</i>	<b>Christ the King of the Universe</b>
No Service	<b>Mass</b>	<b>Mass</b>	<b>Mass</b>	<b>Mass</b> Reconciliation after Mass	Reconciliation 4.45 - 5.15pm <b>Vigil Mass</b>	 <b>Masses</b> 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	
	Thomas of Canterbury	St Joseph	Thomas of Canterbury	St Joseph	Thomas of Canterbury	

## PRAYER TO RENEW OUR CHURCH

Lord Jesus, you speak to us today, as you spoke to holy men and women who have gone before us.

In every age and in our own time, you call to us and say: Renew My Church.

Pour out the gift of your Holy Spirit upon us, and so enable us

- to hear you clearly
- to listen to each other attentively
  - to imagine our future boldly
  - to discern your direction wisely
- to persevere in your holy will courageously
  - to stay together in charity
  - to surrender our own plans readily
  - to embrace the greater good
- to hand on your gifts to future generations

May we remain in the holy company of the Blessed Virgin Mary, the apostles, and all the saints.

May their example and presence inspire us with patent confidence in the work of your grace.

We ask this of you who live and reign with the Father in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen

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## THANK YOU FOR THE MISSIO WORLD MISSION SUNDAY COLLECTION

A sincere thank you to all who donated so generously to the recent **World Mission Sunday Collection**, using the World Mission Sunday envelopes, or by direct donations, credit or debit card, cheque, or text & to all who donated by Gift-Aid. The total raised by **St Cuthbert's Parish**, for **MISSIO**, from the retiring collection at each Mass, was **£787.75**. Your prayers and donations will help missionaries to work alongside communities throughout the world, that are poor or in need, regardless of their background or belief. Please contact Norman Shard Tel: 846352 St Joseph's, Bernadette Robinson [Tel:492805](tel:492805) St Thomas of Canterbury with any Missio/ Red Mission Box enquiries.

# CAFOD

Catholic Agency for Overseas Development

**Thank you** for your support for the CAFOD event held during the week in

the parish. We heard directly from three Colombians telling us about their work in South America. They are helping people living along the Atrato River to protect the environment and make sustainable use of the land and natural resources. It was a real blessing to be able to host the guests in our parish for an afternoon visit to Thornleigh and for the talk in the evening.

## Entrance: Abide with me Laudate 907

Abide with me: fast falls the eventide;  
the darkness deepens; Lord, with me abide.  
When other helpers fail and comforts flee,  
Help of the helpless, O abide with me.

Swift to its close ebbs out life's little day;  
earth's joys grow dim, its glories pass away.  
Change and decay in all around I see.  
O thou who changest not, abide with me.

I need thy presence every passing hour.  
What but thy grace can foil the tempter's power?  
Who like thyself my guide and strength can be?  
Through cloud and sunshine, O abide with me.

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## Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, your words O Lord are spirit and life  
Alleluia, open our hearts to your Word.

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## Offertory: In bread we bring you Laudate 609

In bread we bring you Lord, our body's' labour  
In wine we offer you our spirit's grief.  
We do not ask you, Lord, who is my neighbour?  
But stand united now, in one belief.

For we have gladly heard your Word, your holy  
Word

And now in answer, Lord, our gifts we bring.  
Our selfish hearts make true, our failing faith  
renew,  
Our life belongs to you, our Lord and King.

The bread we offer you is blessed and broken,  
And it becomes for us our spirit's food.

Over the cup we bring, your Word is spoken;  
Make it your gift to us, your healing blood.  
Take all that daily toil, plants in our heart's poor  
soil,  
Take all we start and spoil, each hopeful dream.  
The chances we have missed, the graces we  
resist,

Lord, in thy Eucharist, take and redeem.

## Communion: Only a Shadow

The love I have for you, my lord,  
is only a shadow of your love for me;  
only a shadow of your love for me; your deep abiding  
love.

My own belief in you my Lord,  
is only a shadow of your faith in me;  
only a shadow of your faith in me; your deep and  
lasting faith.

*Chorus:*

*My life is in your hands. My life is in your hands.  
My love for you will grow, my God.  
your light in me will shine.*

The dream I have today, my lord,  
is only a shadow of your dreams for me;  
only a shadow of all that will be; if I but follow you.

The joy I feel today, my lord,  
is only a shadow of your joy for me;  
only a shadow of your joys for me; when meet face to  
face.

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## Dismissal: Love Divine, All Loves Excelling Laudate 801

Love divine, all loves excelling,  
Joy of Heav'n to earth come down;  
Fix in us thy humble dwelling;  
All thy faithful mercies crown!  
Jesus, Thou art all compassion,  
Pure unbounded love Thou art;  
Visit us with Thy salvation,  
Enter every trembling heart.



## Contemplative Christianity Events

- December 2021, 6.45-9pm

The Events include:

-a retreat based on the Christian meditation practices as passed on through the teaching of the Benedictine monk Fr John Main (OSB).  
-John Main had his spiritual roots in the tradition of the Desert Fathers & Mothers, so there will also be a short storytelling / theatre performance based on this desert spirituality and set in a modern, contemporary setting.

**St John The Evangelist's RC Church,  
Bromley Cross (Dec 6th)**

*There is no charge for these events as they are funded by The Christian Meditation Trust (UK).*

## TESTIMONY AND PRAISE NIGHT SERVICE

Join us in the special Testimony and praise night Service.

### It is Overcomer's Night.

Testimonies shows us God's power and makes us aware of how God can and does change things or lives.

I will declare thy name to my brethren in the midst of the Church will I praise thee. Hebrews 2:12.

I want you to know about the miraculous signs and wonders the Most High God has performed for me. Daniel 4:2

So if anyone declares himself for me in the presence of human beings, I will declare myself for him in the presence of my Father in heaven. Matthew 10:32.

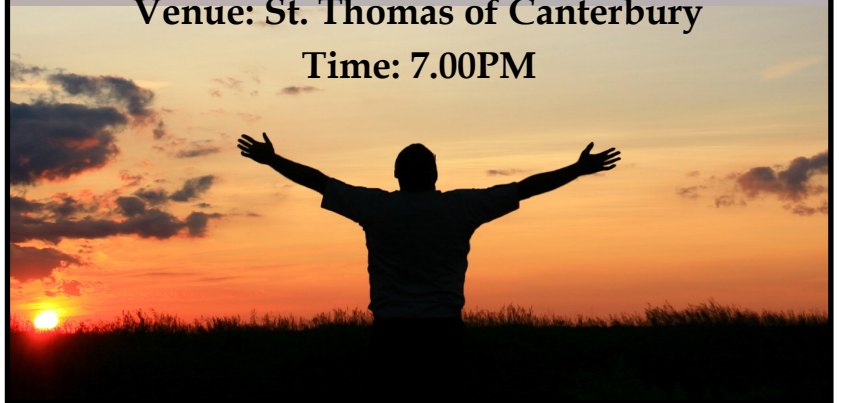
We all have many questions in life; Search your heart, when in your life has God helped you and how? Daniel counted his blessing one by one that is why he testified, you and I can do the same.

**Please come along to share or listen**

**Date: TUESDAY 16th NOVEMBER  
2021**

**Venue: St. Thomas of Canterbury**

**Time: 7.00PM**



### Thursday Coffee Mornings

Our weekly Thursday Coffee mornings after Mass re-commenced on 4th November, after morning Mass.



Please come along and join us and catch up with friends old and new.



## PIETY STALL

The Piety stalls at both Churches are now open for all your Christmas cards and other gifts

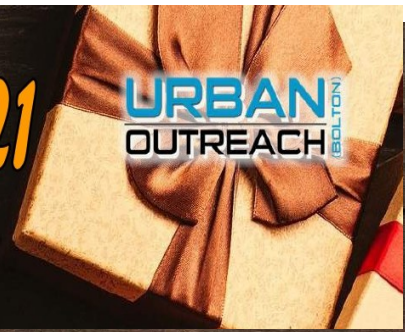




# Christmas Dinner on Jesus 2021

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Working together to bring light & hope to people in Bolton who have had to put Christmas on hold this year due to illness, sadness or financial problems. So how can you get involved?

## VOLUNTEER

Thank you for showing interest in volunteering for this year's Christmas Dinner on Jesus. We have a number of jobs including box making, hamper box packing and fresh bag packing - along with the usual setting up and clearing away.

Hamper packing is taking place on Wednesday 15th December 2021 10am-12pm, 2-4pm and Thursday 16th December 10am-12pm (venue to be confirmed).

Fresh food hamper packing will be taking place on Wednesday 22nd December 10-1pm (venue to be confirmed).

Please book in for the session you would like to volunteer for by emailing [admin@urbanoutreach.co.uk](mailto:admin@urbanoutreach.co.uk) or by calling our office on 01204 385848 and asking to speak to Laura or Jeanette. We will book you into 1 session and put you on a reserve list for any others you would like to do.

This is so we can make sure everyone has an opportunity to do at least 1 session.

In the weeks leading up to this Christmas week we will also have times to make up the boxes ready for the first packing day so please get in touch to find out when these times and dates are.

**Thank you for being a part of Christmas Dinner on Jesus 2021!**

*For full details please view them on the Parish website*

You can also Donate Items for the Hampers

You can Donate Money

You can Nominate People to Receive a Christmas Dinner on Jesus Hamper:



**BOLTON LIONS CLUB TOY COLLECTION  
AT ST CUTHBERT'S PARISH NOVEMBER 27<sup>TH</sup>/28<sup>TH</sup> 2021**

The **Bolton Lions Club** were very grateful, at Christmas 2020, for the support given by St Cuthbert's Parish, to the Just Giving Appeal, which due to the Covid Pandemic, replaced their usual Toy Collection. For more than 30 years, the Bolton Lions Club have supported disadvantaged children, across the Borough, through the Toy Appeal. This year, the Bolton Lions will once again carry out their usual **Toy Collection**. To support this collection in our parish, before and after each Mass, on the **weekend of November 27<sup>th</sup>/28<sup>th</sup>**, there will be a collection box at the back of each of our churches; **St Joseph's and St Thomas of Canterbury**. If you are able to donate; **new toys, books, activity books, jigsaws, craft kits, games etc will be very gratefully received**. Any enquiries please to David Robinson Tel: 492805



A Very Special **THANK YOU** to **GERRY McDONNA** for being such a valuable and dedicated Parishioner and for the many years of service to Our Parish and the Parish Community  
Gerry's help support and expertise have been a wonderful gift to us all.  
Gerry will still be supporting Our Parish but to a lesser degree and we wish him and Pat All the Very Best

**APPLAUSE**



Fr Chris has put together a series of YouTube videos about the Seven Sacraments. He explains them in simple terms so they will be generally helpful to people. You can find the link on the parish website and the Facebook page.

**Crafts**

A Big **THANK YOU** to Angela & Eleanor for hosting the Christmas Bag Crafting Session and Cake Sale to raise funds for Community projects. Thank you to the children who attended who

made lovely decorations and making it a Fun Day.



**Dates  
for your  
Diary**

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| <b>14 Nov</b>    | <b>Coat Collection</b>                  |
| <b>16 Nov</b>    | <b>Testimony &amp; Praise Service</b>   |
| <b>18 Nov</b>    | <b>Interfaith Walk</b>                  |
| <b>27 Nov</b>    | <b>Mass for the Sick</b>                |
| <b>27/28 Nov</b> | <b>Bolton Lions Club Toy Collection</b> |
| <b>3 Dec</b>     | <b>NIGHT VIGIL Continues</b>            |
| <b>Dec</b>       | <b>Contemplative Christian Events</b>   |

**"They shall not grow old,  
as we that are left grow old.  
Age shall not weary them,  
nor the years condemn.  
At the going down of the sun  
and in the morning  
We will remember them"**

**Looking After Our Parish Family**

It is great that more people are now coming back to Church and attending the Masses which means we are getting busier, so to accommodate the numbers, we will be opening up more benches. Over the next few weeks leading up to Christmas they will become fully open. Please continue to take care and use the hand sanitiser and be responsible when leaving Church at the end of Mass so as not to all crowd together. Thank you.