

St Anthony of Padua

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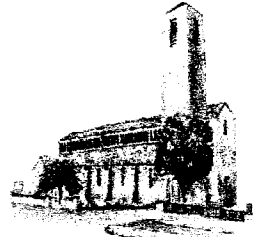
Priest: Fr. Peter Draper (Tel: 725193)

Deacons: Rev. Tom Butler (727678) Rev. John Kilshaw (718258)

Sunday Masses: 6.30 (Vigil - Saturday Evening) 10.15 am (Sunday Morning)

Confessions: Saturday: 6.00 - 6.20pm

Annexe: 725544 Social Centre: 735963 Primary school: 726421



Love One Another

Jesus' commandment to love God and to love one's neighbour as oneself fulfilled and summed up all the other commandments. There was no other commandment greater than these. Jesus' disciples fulfilled their mission when they revealed his love to the world. They were his "friends" if they demonstrated that love by their readiness to lay down their lives for the sake of love.

Jesus did not ask his followers to do anything that he himself was unwilling to do. He would prove his love on Calvary by offering his life for the sake of his friends.

CAFOD

Just one world

Cafod and The Open

During the British Open Golf Championships in Lytham this July there'll be a series of 12 concerts called *Open 2 All* in support of CAFOD's work overseas. With a choice of musical styles from jazz to folk, gospel to classical, we hope to entertain and raise funds for both CAFOD and the two local Catholic churches in Ansdell and St Annes.

Could you a) spread the word b) come and enjoy one of the concerts or c) volunteer at one of them? Have a look at www.open2all.co.uk

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Last Weekend: Attendance: 293
(6.30pm: 126, 10.15am 167)
Offertory: £708.60. Ecclesiastical
Education Fund Collection: £43
Thank you for your generosity.

Masses received this week:

Robbie & Patricia Hasson, In thanks
(Golden Wedding), Special Intention
(DK).

Feasts this week

Monday: St. Matthias

Saturday: St. Dunstan

NEXT SUN: Feast of the Ascension.

Collection for the Catholic Media
Office.

Mass Intentions for the Week

Sat. 6.30pm	Moon family
Sun 10.15am	For our parishioners
Mon 9.05am	Betty Taylor
Tue 9.05am	Billy Ward
Wed 9.05am	The Knight family
Thur: 9.05pm	Imelda Salisbury
Fri 9.05am	Jim Mangan
Sat: 9.05am	For our parishioners <i>then Exposition until 10am.</i>
6.30pm	First holy communion children
Sun 10.15am	First holy communion children

Please pray for those who are sick:

Chris Goldsmith, Mandy North, David Adamson, Jean Clarkson, Fr. John Hawkins,
Dale Joseph Zaporowski, Joe Holden, Rev. John Kilshaw, Elsie Chaplin.

... for those who have died recently: Helen Divine

... and for those whose anniversaries are around now:

Eric Welsby, John Dwyer, Hilda Doreen Myerscough, Hannah Myerscough, Peter
Kevill, May Dickinson, Dorothy Hedley, Veronica Chanter, Gerard Walsh, Richard
and Mary Murphy.

Welcome!

We welcome into the family of faith Nyla Rae Lawrenson and Thomas Hopkinson
who were baptised in St. Anthony's last week.

Murder Mystery Night

Our Lady's High School PTA are having a Murder Mystery Night at 7pm on Friday
25 May. Tickets are £5 including a curry and are available from Miss Beig in the
Admin Office at the High School tel. 326900.

Charity Walk - to Spain

Sean Haslegrave, football coach at Cardinal Newman College is marking a charity
Walk of 1,500 miles from Preston to Santiago de Compostella, raising funds to
help send disabled and disadvantaged children to Lourdes in France, next Easter.
Sean will leave on Thursday, 17th May and estimates two months of walking till
arrival. This is a fantastic feat and a really worthy cause; you can directly sponsor
Sean online at <http://www.justgiving.com/sean-haslegrave-charitywalker>

First Holy Communions

Next week-end the children will be making their first holy communions at both the 6.30pm vigil and 10.15am Masses. It is a great joy for them, their parents and our parish. Please pray for them and their families.

Parish Leadership Group meeting

In the Presbytery this Wednesday at 7pm.

"Fish & Chip" babies

"A big thank-you to all the knitters who have donated wool and made so many jumpers. The response has been amazing. So far we have donated over 1,500 jumpers to International Aid. These have come from our school, our parish, and as far away as Tyneside. Please keep knitting and donating. There will be a box at the back of church". Sue Thompson tel. 865153

St. Anthony's Play Group and Pre-school

There are a few spare places for Monday and Wednesday mornings for September 2012-start. For information ring 715364.

Job Vacancy - Chef/Cook

at the Little Sisters of the Poor, 24 hours per week, Thurs-Sun 1-7pm. More details on the notice board. Closing date: 21st May.

Recipes

One of our parishioners is taking part in a school enterprise activity and will be producing a recipe book. She is looking for local Preston or Lancashire recipes. If you leave any in church before 10th June we'll pass them on to her. Thank you.

CAFOD / Christian Aid Sponsored Walk

Thanks to the Walkers and all who supported them in their Walk last Saturday. Over £600 was raised for CAFOD. If you have access to a computer you can see a Report and photos on <http://cafodlancaster.wordpress.com/2012/05/06/cafod-christian-aid-walk-side-by-side/>

L'Arche Development at English Martyrs

The L'Arche Community in Preston will be launching the appeal for their new project *Opening Doors - Building Lives* on 26th May at English Martyrs Church, Garstang Road, Preston from 3.00pm to 4.00pm with refreshments and a tour of the building from 4.00pm to 6.00pm. Entertainment will be provided by One Voice Community Choir and the Guild Mayor and Mayoress will also attend. The event is free and everyone is welcome.

Opening Doors - Building Lives is a L'Arche project in association with English Martyrs Church and the Diocese of Lancaster to convert the presbytery attached to the church into flats for people with learning disabilities and at the same time create a second L'Arche community in Preston. More information on the event from Brian Kelly, Community Leader on 251113 or brian.kelly@larche.org.uk
Find out more about L'Arche at www.larche.org.uk