

St Helen's Church

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27th/28th June 2026

SS Peter & Paul

4th/5th July 2026

**14th Sunday of OT
Year A**

St. Joseph's Church

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*Patron: Blessed Lawrence Johnson
Sefton Coast South Deanery.*

<https://www.seftoncoastsouthdeanerynorthfamily.org/>



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St Helen's

Sunday 28th

10.00 am Mass for Vera Dunn (lately dead)
4.00 pm Mass for Paul Donegan (sick)

Monday 29th

7.00 pm: Holy Hour

Tuesday 30th

7.00 pm: Men of St Joseph

Wednesday 1st July

10.00am Mass for Anne Higham (lately dead)

Saturday 4th

11.00 am Exposition (Fatima Prayers 11.10 am
Confessions from 11.20 am)
12.00 Mass for John Duffy (anniversary)

Sunday 5th

10.00 am Mass for Pauline Edgar (lately dead)
4.00 pm Mass for Janette Collins (lately dead)

Monday 6th

7.00 pm: Holy Hour

Tuesday 7th

7.00 pm: Men of St Joseph

Wednesday 8th

10.00 am Mass for Agnes Paul (birthday remembrance)

Saturday 11th

11.00 am Exposition (Confessions from 11.20 am)
12.00 Mass for Marie Tinsley (lately dead)

Sunday 12th

10.00 am Mass for Margaret Ball (anniversary)
4.00 pm Mass for Nora Kilbane (lately dead)

St Joseph's

Saturday 27th

5.30 pm Exposition & 6.00 pm Confessions
6.30 pm Mass in thanksgiving (Golden wedding)

Sunday 28th

11.15 am Mass for Paul and Bernadette Crossey (R.I.P.)

Friday 3rd July

10.00 am Mass for Etty Bentley (lately dead)

Saturday 4th

5.30 pm Exposition & 6.00 pm Confessions
6.30 pm Mass for Terri Bainbridge (R.I.P.)

Sunday 5th

11.15 am Mass for Denis Jones (anniversary)

Friday 10th

10.00 am Mass for Linda Burns (lately dead)

Saturday 11th

5.30 pm Exposition & 6.00 pm Confessions
6.30 pm Mass for Vincent Mulholland (lately dead)

Sunday 12th

11.15 am Mass for Eddie Blackburn (lately dead)

Anniversaries:

Catherine Moran, Stephen Ruane, John Dunne, Margaret Ball, John Duffy, Irene Gaskell, Celia Ross, Alice Wildman, Cecil Bradshaw, Joan Newton, Christina Evelyn Wilson, Charlotte Gibson, Maureen Miller, Kathleen Loftus, Philomena Potter, Joseph Howard, Denis Jones, Margaret Charnock, Gerald Murray.

Please remember in your prayers those who are sick:

Celia Bradshaw, Sheila Lupton, Gavin Hodson, Bridget Kilbane, Margaret Dunne, Bernadette Hockenhull, Sue Halsall, Stephen Traynor, Freda Hart, Fred Wilson, Alma Pritchard and all our sick and housebound and those in hospitals and nursing homes.

Please remember in your prayers : Nick Owens, Stephen Molloy and Craig Carden who died recently

SVP:

Many thanks for the donations to our June collection. These totalled £378.88 from **St Helen's** And £339.95 from **St Joseph's**

United Morning Prayer—9.45 am
Thursday 2nd July @ All Saints with St Frideswyde
Thursday 9th July @ SS Peter & Paul

Thursday prayers - Peace in the Holy Land

Please see the notice at the **back of church** or visit
<https://sabeel.org/category/wave-of-prayers/>

Collections coming up:
27th/28th June: Peter's Pence
SVP 4th/5th July

Garden Party at St William of York Parish Centre Sunday 19th July at 1.30pm (organised by the scout, cub, squirrel and beaver groups) Tickets are free but please sign up to the guest list –see poster at the back of church	CAFOD St Helens pray-fast-give Debt Forgiveness Belatedly, thank you for your amazing response last to the request to sign the petition regarding Debt Relief a couple of weeks ago. Thankfully it wasn't raining and you were very patient waiting to sign. There were 140 signatures eventually. I have sent those off and the petition will be gathered in from across England and Wales in September for presentation to the Prime Minister. If you missed the opportunity you can sign online at CAFOD.co.uk. Thank you also for your donations. In recent weeks they have totalled £966. Cheques totalling £1260 have been forwarded for the Sudan Appeal.
Crosby Community Choir Music Festival 2026 All concerts at 7pm Friday Concerts at St. Joseph's Church L236UE Wednesday Concerts at St. Helen's Church L237TQ Wednesday 1st July Cantilena <i>Highly acclaimed guitar and vocal duo perform songs from a range of genres</i> Friday 3rd July Les Boreades <i>Instrumental Baroque Ensemble</i> Wednesday 8th July Crosby string Quartet <i>Music by Mozart and Beethoven</i> Friday 10th July Elm Consort <i>Professional singers present 'Faure Requiem' and 'Vivaldi Gloria'</i> Wednesday 15th July Liverpool Brass <i>An evening of quality music and fun with this dynamic award-winning group</i> Friday 17th July Northern Winds <i>Beautiful chamber music by this exciting professional ensemble</i> Wednesday 22nd July Opera Viva <i>Local operatic society sing your favourite arias and choruses</i> Friday 24th July Michael Foy <i>Ever popular Organ music</i> Wednesday 29th July A Night at the Musicals <i>Music from 'Les Miserables' to 'Wicked'</i> Only £5 per concert—under 16s FREE	FOOD BANK: JOINT UPDATE ST HELEN'S/ST JOSEPH'S Since the last report four weeks ago, we have delivered 71 bags of food items, toiletries and pet food, as well as £340 in cash. <u>CURRENTLY, THERE IS A MAJOR SHORTAGE OF ALL BASIC, SIMPLE TO PREPARE, NON-PERISHABLE FOOD-STUFFS, INCLUDING VALUE BRANDS.</u> Donations can be left at church or at 39 Ilford Avenue, L23 7YE or 1 Halltine Close, L23 6XX. Cash in envelopes, marked Food Bank, can be posted through either letter box or placed in the week-end plate collections.
FUNDRAISER for FR. SIMON CADWALLADER'S PARISH IN PERU on Saturday, 22nd August, at 12.30 pm (following Mass at 12 Noon) in St. Helen's Church Parish Centre, 112, Alexandra Rd. L23 7TQ (Parish Office 0151 924 3417). There will be a short video showing life in Fr. Simon's Parish, Our Lady Queen of Peace. For your extra enjoyment there will also be an 'animated' exhibition of paintings by local artist, Marion Smith. Tea/Coffee/Cakes available, as well as Stalls and a Hamper Raffle. Come along and enjoy a wonderful afternoon for a great cause! DONATIONS of 'nearly new' items and 'unwanted gifts' gratefully received. Also Raffle items (e.g. bottles, sweets, biscuits, much appreciated). Donations can be left in the plastic box in St. Helen's Porch. This will be our 4th Fundraiser!	What's on at Irenaeus? AGAPE MASS @ IRENAEUS 7pm Thursdays 2nd July COME AND SEE Saturday 4th July (10.30 am to 4 pm) with Mark Waters SUMMER SCRIPTURE EVENINGS (With strawberries and cream) 7pm Tuesdays 30th June, 7th & 14th July FUNDRAISING FASHION SHOW WITH CLOTHES SALE 7pm Friday 3rd July SUMMER JAMBOREE SING-A-LONG With special guest Dave Ashley (aka. Frank Sinatra) 2pm - 4pm Wednesday 15th July For more information about all our events contact centreirenaeus@gmail.com or Tel: 0151 949 1199
Sunday July 12th—after the 11.15 am Mass at St Joseph's Strawberries and Fizz All welcome!	As we return to Sundays of Ordinary Time, you might be interested in joining an online Scripture group that meets each Monday (7:30) to study and reflect on the Sunday readings. You can also read a write up of the discussion on martinbennett.substack.com For further details, please contact Martin Bennett on martwinben@gmail.com or 07931902346
All welcome to the next Family of Parishes meeting at St Helen's parish centre on Thursday 9th July. This will be an opportunity to discuss the parish development plan, share ideas and help shape the future of our parish. Everyone is encouraged to attend.	The next Deanery Faith & Friendship ladies gathering will be on Thursday 16th July. Meeting at 6.45pm in Moorside Park Crosby at the memorial stone of Blessed Lawrence Johnson, then walking or driving to St Marys Little Crosby to see the window dedicated to him, and finish with group business and evening prayer. All welcome
<u>PLEASE NOTE: No Padre Pio Prayer group on Thursdays 2nd & 9th July</u>	Contributions for this newsletter need to reach the Parish Office by 12 noon on Thursday. Please provide a contact number in case of query. e-mail: sthelencrosby@hotmail.co.uk