

# The Parish of St Vincent de Paul, Altrincham



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## Twenty-Seventh Sunday In Ordinary Time

### Today's Readings

First Reading: Genesis 2:18-24

Psalm: 127

Second Reading: Hebrews 2:9-11

Gospel: Mark 10:2-16

### *Reflection*

The natural way of being for humankind is to be together, to be of one heart with our fellow human beings and in harmony with our environment. It is strange that we seem so divorced, separated and feel, at times, so alone. A child knows its dependence on others and expresses without guile what we appear to be too ashamed to admit, that we belong together, we were made for one another, that is how things are in the Kingdom of God.



## **TODAY - 8 October**

Today the retiring collection is for your CAFOD Harvest Fast donations. Traidcraft Stall after 10 and 11.15 Masses. Latin Mass today at 3 pm in the church followed by refreshments in Westleigh.

### **BONANZA**

Quarterly and half yearly subscriptions are now due. If you would like to join please contact Bart on 928 3628. The draw for September will take place on today Sunday October 8, after 11.15 am Mass.

### **THANKS!**

The Mass for the sick and housebound was a great celebration. Thanks to all those who contributed to its success.

### **FIRST SACRAMENTS - YEAR 2 AND ABOVE.**

Preparation for First Forgiveness and First Holy Communion for those children attending a school other than St. Vincent's will commence in November. If you wish to register your child/children for this preparation please contact Mary Farrell on 0161 282 9340, mobile 07976 366 128 or email [apfandmtfarrell@ntlworld.com](mailto:apfandmtfarrell@ntlworld.com)

### **RCIA**

Do you want to know more about the Catholic Faith? Perhaps you are thinking about becoming a Roman Catholic? RCIA is a series of sessions for non-Catholic members of our parish, who are interested in knowing more about their partner's faith or are thinking of becoming a member of the Roman Catholic Church. Meetings on Thursdays at 8 pm.

### **PARENTS AND TODDLERS**

The group meets on Monday and Thursday mornings from 10 - 12 noon. There are no afternoon meetings. The Thursday group is already over subscribed and has a waiting list. There is a possibility of another group being started on Wednesday morning if there is sufficient interest. For more information please contact Christine on 282 3421.

### **A ROSARY WALK OF WITNESS**

The walk will take place at 2.00 pm on Saturday, 21st October at the Old Market Hall Square in Shrewsbury and will commemorate the 150th Anniversary of Shrewsbury Cathedral.

### **OUR LADY OF THE VALE**

Sr. Sheila invites you to come to pray with her on Friday, 13 October at 2.15 pm, at Bowdon Vale, giving thanks for miracles being worked in our midst.

## NOTICE FOR ALL MINISTERS OF COMMUNION

All ministers are now required to complete a Diocesan volunteer application form. Forms can be found in the church porch. Please complete and return by the 11th October.

### DIARY

Mon 9 Oct	Parents and Toddlers	10 am - 12noon
	Cheerful Companions	1 pm - 3 pm
	Men's SVP	7 pm
	Serra	7.15 pm
Tues 10 Oct	Brownies	5.45 pm - 7.15pm
Wed 11 Oct	Wednesday Club	After 12.15 Mass
	Child Protection checks	6 pm - 7.30 pm
	CaFE	7.45 pm
	CRB checks	6 pm - 7.30 pm
Thur 12 Oct	Parent and Toddlers	10 am - 12 noon
	RCIA	8 pm
Fri 13 Oct	Youth Club (School yrs 10 and 11)	7.30 pm - 9 pm
Sat 14 Oct	Marriage Care Day	10.30am - 5 pm
Sun 15 Oct.	Traidcraft stall after 10 and 11.15 am Masses	

**Quiz Night and Hot Pot Supper - Westleigh - Thursday 16 November.**

### SVP - HELP

The SVP cannot accept working electrical equipment without a test certificate from a qualified electrician and it proves embarrassing when we have to reject kind offers of such untested items. Is there a qualified electrician in the parish who might be able to help us? Please let the parish office know - 928 1689.

### NEW YOUTH DROP-IN - School years 10 & 11

Sign up now! Westleigh 7.30 pm to 9 pm, October 13, November 10, 24, December 8.

### THE VINEYARD

If you would like to contribute to the Christmas Issue, simply write up to 200 words about your favourite bible verse(s). Deliver your article to the presbytery by the deadline, which is Sunday 22 October.

### MACMILLAN COFFEE MORNING

Many thanks to everyone who was able to come to the MacMillan Coffee Morning at Westleigh. It was a great success with £426.54 raised for the charity.

### PARISH WALK

The next parish walk is on Saturday 14 October. Please meet at Westleigh at 10.30 am.

**CONGRATULATIONS to Fr. Stephen who has been made a canon of the Cathedral chapter.**

## Mass Times and Intentions

<b>Sun 8 Oct 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>	6.00 pm OLL 7.00 pm (Sat) 8.30 am 9.30 am BV 10.00 am OLL 10.00 am 11.15 am 3.00pm 6.30 pm	Priest's Intention Joseph Lucock Bill Castermans John Kennedy (Sick) Parishioners Zenon Rybicki David Hyam Latin Mass Parishioners
<b>Mon 9 Oct St. Denis</b>	12.15 pm OLL 12.15 pm	Priest's intention Funeral Mass of Mary Gleave
<b>Tues 10 Oct St. Paulinus of York</b>	12.00 am BV  12.15 pm	Requiem Mass Sr. Catherine Mullarkey IBVM John Jepson
<b>Wed 11 Oct</b>	12.15 pm OLL 12.15 pm	Priest's Intention <b>Celebration of Word &amp; Communion</b>
<b>Thurs 12 Oct St. Wilfrid</b>	10.00 am BV 12.15 pm 5.00 pm Lor	Delia Veronica Forde Peter Heraghty Priest's Intention
<b>Fri 13 Oct St. Edward The Confessor</b>	9.15 pm OLL Sch 12.15 pm 7.30 pm	Harvest Sch Mass Winifred Merry Kate Flanagan
<b>Sat 14 Oct</b>	12.15 pm  1.30pm 6.00 pm OLL (Sat) 7.00 pm (Sat)	Angela Comber (Anniv) Wedding of Markus Aberle & Lyndsy Kelly Priest's Intention Wyn Casey (sick)
<b>Sun 15 Oct 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>	8.30.am 9.30 am BV 10.00 am OLL 10.00 am  11.15 am  6.30 pm	Parishioners Andrew Gormally Parishioners Baby James Edward Connors Jennie & Peter Atherton (Silver Wedding Anniv) Joseph Duffy

**Key:**

BV = Bowdon Vale Convent, Grange Rd; OLL = Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Chapel Lane, Partington. Lor = Loreto Convent, 28 Hartley Rd.

**Sacrament of Reconciliation:** Saturday 11 am - 12 noon  
6.00 pm - 7.00 pm

**Morning Prayer:** Weekdays 8.45 am - Week 3 of the Psalter

We welcome into God's Family, Florence Edwards who was baptised last weekend. Congratulations to Jennie & Peter Atherton on their Silver Wedding Anniversary. Congratulations to James & Kate Ireland on their Golden Wedding Anniversary. Please keep them in your prayers.

**Requiescant in Pace**

Please pray for those who have died recently including, Sr. Catherine IBVM, Jack Goy, Ian Patrick Holt, Mary Gleave, Margaret Marsh, Maureen McDaid and all whose anniversaries occur about this time including:- Baby James Edward Connors, Winifred Merry, Kate Flanagan, Joseph Duffy, Michael Flatley, Angela Comber.

Please pray for the sick who include: Amy, Anthony Ball, Peggy Bramwell, Mauritia Bouquet, Monica Cardiff, Wyn Casey, Ted Charleson, Rita Corcoran, John Dalton, Barry Doran, Margaret Eccles, Louis Edgerton, Bernard Flynn, Rita Frame, Freda Goy, Ellie Hardman, Nora Hardy, Carol Houghton, Robert Jones, Josie Miller, Warren McCourt, Leo Morgan, Baby Thomas, Evelyn Poland, Edith Reynolds, Willa Sheldon and all in our hospitals and homes.

**Pope's Intentions:**

That all baptised people grow into a mature faith and manifest it by the choices they make in their lives. That the missionary spirit be increased everywhere, by the celebration of Mission Sunday.

**Fr. Albert Knight will celebrate the following Mass Intentions:**  
 Peggy Meenan, Holy Souls, Susan, Eileen Keogh, David O'Connell, Sr. Maura, Mabel Howarth.

**Money Matters**

Offertory Collection

1 October 2006

£1370.25

Sacred Heart Missionaries

£1219.00

Traidcraft £118.20

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