



Mass Intentions 19 - 26 October 2025

Saturday	18 Oct	5:00pm	Sacred Heart	People of the Parish
Sunday	19 Oct	9:30am	St Richards	Emma Newton Longworth
Monday	20 Oct	10.30am	Sacred Heart	No Mass
Tuesday	21 Oct	10:30am	St Richards	Johnny Finn
Wednesday	22 Oct	10:30am	Sacred Heart	Thomas O'Connell
Thursday	23 Oct	10:30am	St Richards	Private Intention
Friday	24 Oct			No Mass
Saturday	25 Oct	5.00pm	Sacred Heart	People of the Parish
30th Sunday OT	26 Oct	9.30am	St Richards	Ellen, Leslie and James Parsons

Safeguarding DBS Checks. Any Eucharistic Ministers, catechists or children's liturgists who have not completed a DBS form, must do so this week. It is **IMPORTANT** that these checks are completed, **anyone not renewing their DBS will no longer be able to volunteer.** Fr Carl.

Sacred Heart Church. Following all the building works, redecoration, relighting and renewing the carpets. I'm pleased to be able to say that we should be returning to church very shortly (within a week or at most two) I would like to thank everyone for your patience and especially those who have helped in setting up, opening up and keeping the parish centre clean. Thank you.

Care for Creation As part of the church's initiative on how we care for the world around us, we will be meeting with reps from the Diocese to look at how we as a parish, and how we ourselves can live more sustainably and economically, and at the same time look after our world. **ALL** are welcome to come and take part. We will be meeting at **St Richards club at 7:00pm on 4th November.** I hope as many as possible can join us to **MAKE A CHANGE IN OUR PARISH.**

Archbishop John / Deanery Mass- As part of welcoming Archbishop John Sherrington to the diocese and him getting to know us, we will be celebrating a 'Deanery' Mass with Archbishop John on **THURSDAY 30TH OCTOBER 2025** at **St Joseph's Church in Leigh** at 7:00pm. **Everyone is welcome to attend.**

Christmas Market Trip to Chester – 3rd December 2025 Anyone wishing to come along to our Christmas Market trip to Chester, please sign up on the sheet at the back of church, the cost will be announced shortly dependent upon the number of people going. A lovely opportunity to get into the Christmas spirit.

Walsingham 2026 Dates are now available for next year's pilgrimage to Walsingham, the trip will take place between

Monday the 27th of April until Thursday 30th of April 2026. If you are interested, please put your name on the list at the back of church or call Lauren on: 07414146414.

XII Apostles Walsingham 2026 – XII Apostles Walsingham days are now available, the trip will take place between 6-9th April 2026. Anyone interested in join the group please contact Therese Thompson on 0778004502.

The Three Towns Choral Concert – St Richards Parish Centre

Saturday October 25th 7:30pm Jubilee Hall A fabulous evening of choral music with **The Three Towns in Concert.** An evening of Broadway, West End Songs from the shows, Popular and Classical Music; set in a relaxed cabaret setting. **Tickets £8 available after 9:30 Mass at St. Richard's** or by contacting **Kate on 07300 486071**

Christmas Fayre – Sacred Heart Saturday 22 November 2025 Donations of gifts, bottles, raffle prizes and good quality second hand toys will be much appreciated. **Next Meeting of the Christmas Fair Committee will be 20/10/25 at 7pm in the parish centre.**

Christmas Fayre – St Richards 30th November 2025. Raffle tickets will be on sale after Mass this and every week until the Christmas Fayre. Donations of bottles for the Tombola would be very welcome.

Thank You! – To everyone who attended and supported the Motown evening last Friday in aid of the Alzheimer's Society. It was a great success and we raised £1,400. Thank you again.