

## Mass Intentions Received

Gerard Webb (RIP), Holy Souls, Mgr Peter Cookson (Birthday Wishes), Thomas Kennedy (RIP), Collette Shudall (RIP), Marlene Ashburner (RIP), Martha Connolly (In Remembrance), Jack Jennings (Anniversary), John Patrick O'Leary (RIP), Joe Cahill (Birthday Remembrance), Tony (Birthday Wishes), Angela Connerty (RIP), Tracey Pressman (RIP), Michelle Mulcay (Get Well), Garry John Bennett (RIP), Martin McShane (In Memory), Jack Jennings (Anniversary), Kathleen Lambertson (Intention), Mary Lambertson (Intention), Mr

Sullivan (RIP), Kate (Birthday), Pat and Karlis Muceniaks (RIP), Agnes Feeley (RIP), Father Mark Beattie (25 Anniversary of Ordination), Maria Dowd (Birthday Remembrance), George Garnett (RIP), Ann and Percy Start (Remembrance), Jerry Webb (90 Birthday Remembrance), Colette Quigley (RIP), Deacon Peter Mawtus (Celebration), Purvis Family (Intention), Breege Mulvihill (Get Well), Topsy Forshaw (RIP), Al Cook (RIP), Peter Tallon (Birthday), Jeanette Connor (Intention), Sister Bernadette Naughton (RIP), John and Beryl Farrar (RIP), Peter Mawtus (Intention).

## Mass & Service Times

All services take place in the cathedral unless marked otherwise

WEEK COMMENCING: 14 July 2019

### Sunday 14 July

#### 15<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time

**8.30am** Mass  
**10.00am** Family Mass Crypt  
**11.00am** Solemn Choral Mass  
**3.00pm** Choral Evening Prayer  
**4.00pm** Mass RLUH  
**7.00pm** Mass Crypt

### Monday 15 July

#### St Bonaventure

**7.45am** Morning Prayer  
**8.00am** Mass  
**12.15pm** Mass Crypt  
**5.15pm** Mass

### Tuesday 16 July

**7.45am** Morning Prayer  
**8.00am** Mass  
**12.15pm** Mass Crypt  
**5.15pm** Mass

### Wednesday 17 July

**7.45am** Morning Prayer  
**8.00am** Mass  
**12.15pm** Mass Crypt  
**5.15pm** Mass

### Thursday 18 July

**7.45am** Morning Prayer  
**8.00am** Mass  
**12.15pm** Mass Crypt  
**5.15pm** Mass

### Friday 19 July

**8.45am** Morning Prayer  
**8.00am** Mass  
**12.15pm** Mass Crypt  
**5.15pm** Mass

### Saturday 20 July

**8.45am** Morning Prayer  
**9.00am** Mass  
**6.30pm** Vigil Mass Crypt

### RECONCILIATION (Confession)

**Monday - Friday:**  
 Following the 12.15pm Mass  
**Saturday:** 11.00am – 12noon & 3.30pm – 4.30pm

### EXPOSITION of the BLESSED SACRAMENT

4.00pm – 5.00pm on Friday

### Crypt

Crypt Chapel

### SS -

55 Seel St,  
 Missionaries of  
 Charity

### RLUH -

Royal Liverpool  
 University Hospital

### CLERGY:

#### PRIESTS:

Canon Anthony O'Brien Dean  
 Mgr Peter Cookson  
 Fr Philip Carr  
 Fr Stephen Lee

#### DEACONS:

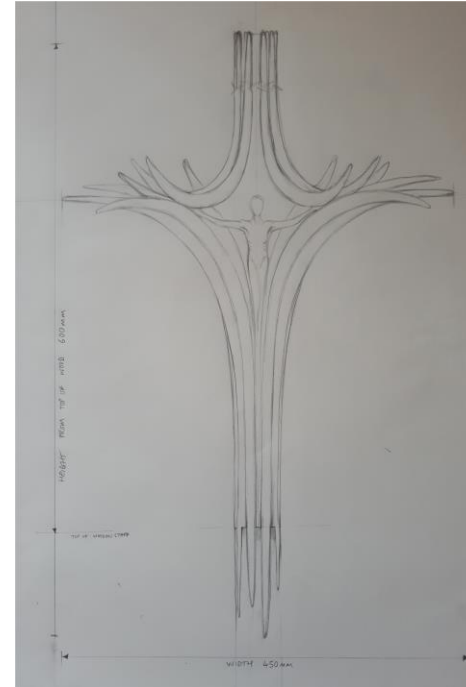
Rev Noel Abbott  
 Rev Paul Mannings



# Cathedral Record

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## New Processional Cross



Cathedral. It will be a 3 dimensional crucifix in the round inspired by the shape of our Cathedral. The top will be finished in a similar crown shape mirroring the top of our building, and signifying the dedication of our Cathedral to Christ the King. It will appear as a cross from every direction and angle so that in procession the whole Cathedral will perceive the cross and figure of Christ through the perpendicular arms.

The figure of Christ occupies the centre with the two spaces to front and back being wider than the other six spaces to offer a clearer view of the central figure of Christ. The staff of the cross and shafts of the acolyte candles will be of natural wood. The figure of Christ will be gilded gold to stand out in contrast with the silver of the rest of the cross and acolytes.

The items will be finished later in the year and hopefully will be in use by Christ the King and Advent. The cost of the commission is being largely funded by the Cathedral Friends – I am grateful to them and others who have made private donations to support the creation of these necessary and unique new processional pieces to be used in our Cathedral liturgies.

This weekend our Cathedral choirs sing for the last time before breaking up for the summer holidays and they finish this afternoon with an end of year buffet following Evening Prayer. The Lourdes Departure Mass is at 5pm on Sunday with groups of Diocesan pilgrims departing next weekend for the Annual Diocesan Pilgrimage.

Throughout this coming week the Cathedral will be busy with graduation events. Hope University will be holding their graduation ceremonies at 3pm each afternoon and Liverpool University have booked the Crypt Halls at various times throughout the week for departmental celebrations. The 12.15 mass on Monday will be celebrated in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel.

**Canon Anthony O'Brien** Dean

Over the last few days I have received some photos online of the first stages of production of the new liturgical items for our Cathedral which have been designed and will be made by the artist and silversmith Rauni Higson. I have enclosed an image of the final design for the new processional cross for use on Sundays and feasts when the Archbishop is not presiding - when the Metropolitan cross is not used. The current cross and acolyte candles that are in use, are not a matching set, they have no particular link or association with the Cathedral and are in poor condition. The design of the new processional cross is unique and specific to our

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# Cathedral Notice Board

## CATHEDRAL WALKING GROUP

The next date for the Cathedral Walking Group will be on Sunday 18 August 2019 where once again we will meet at 12.30pm at the Cathedral Car Park. Previous walks have been excellent! Further details from [c.hanlon@metcathedral.org.uk](mailto:c.hanlon@metcathedral.org.uk) New walkers are always welcome.

## CATHEDRAL BOOK CLUB

The next meeting of the Cathedral Book Club will be Thursday 8 August at 7.00pm in the Gibberd Room. The book this month is *Small Island* by Andrea Levy. *Small Island* explores a point in England's past when the country began to change. In this delicately wrought and profoundly moving novel, Levy handles the weighty themes of empire, prejudice, war and love with a lightness of touch and a generosity of spirit that challenges and uplifts the reader. New readers are always welcome.

## NEWS FROM ST NICHOLAS

All the children, (and staff too!), are beginning to get excited as we near the end of another very busy term and school year. Last week all children took home their end of year reports and the practices for our end of year talent show are now in full swing most days after school. Year 6 children are very busy rehearsing for their leavers assembly which they will perform in front of their parents very soon and our Year 4 violinists are busy too rehearsing their musical pieces which will be performed for their parents next week. Year 6 boys and girls were

naturally a little apprehensive when they visited their new secondary schools just a few days ago but on their return to us it was lovely to see them so full of excitement for September and telling us about new friends they made and the activities they took part in. We remain so proud of all our wonderful children.

## WITH YOU ALWAYS

The With You Always Sacramental Programme will be starting on Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> September 2019. Any parents with children wanting to receive the sacraments of First Confession and First Holy Communion, who attend the Cathedral Parish, are invited to bring their children along to this first meeting, and the subsequent meetings for the course. There are seven meetings in total, one a month, all taking place on Saturday Mornings at 10am in the Gibberd Room. If you would like any further information contact Father Philip either by email: [p.carr@metcathedral.org.uk](mailto:p.carr@metcathedral.org.uk) – or by telephone: 0151 709 9222.

## READERS

Have you ever considered being a Cathedral Reader? If so we would like to hear from you. We are particularly short of readers for the 6.30pm Vigil Mass on Saturday evenings. If you would like to apply or would like more information please contact Claire at [c.hanlon@metcathedral.org.uk](mailto:c.hanlon@metcathedral.org.uk) We look forward to hearing from you.

## SYNOD PRAYER

Father, we thank you for the love you have shown us in the gift of Jesus, your Son. We thank you for the gift of the Church, through which you show us that you are always with us and are always at work in our lives.

As we journey together to Synod 2020 help us to become the Church that you are calling us to be. May your Holy Spirit be powerfully at work among us. Strengthen each of us and guide Francis, our Pope and Malcolm, our Archbishop.

Help us to respond to the challenges of our times in new ways to bring your love to all our sisters and brothers. We make this prayer through Jesus Christ Our Lord. Amen.

## CONGRATULATIONS

To Kim Graham and Stéphane Corbel who were married in the Cathedral on Saturday. Please remember this young couple in your prayers as they begin their married life together.

## PRIESTS IN RETIREMENT

There will be a retiring collection at all Masses today for Priests in Retirement. Please be generous.

## REFLECTION

Today we read about the great parable of the Good Samaritan.

The good Samaritan was someone who cared.

Blessed are those who care:

They will let people know they are loved. Blessed are those who are gentle: they will help people to grow as the sun helps the buds to unfold.

Blessed are those who listen: they will lighten many a burden.

Blessed are those who know how to let go:

they will have the joy of seeing people find themselves.

Blessed are those who, when nothing can be done or said, do not walk away, but remain to provide a comforting and supportive presence:

They will help the sufferer to bear the unbearable.

Blessed are those who recognise their own need to receive:

They will be able to give all the better.

And blessed are those who give without hope of return:

They will give people an experience of God.

## GIFT SHOP

Inspirational Gifts and Souvenirs to choose from.

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10.00am – 4.00pm

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## PIAZZA CAFÉ

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Monday – Saturday  
9.00am – 5.00pm  
Sunday  
10.00am – 4.00pm

Located in the Cathedral Visitor Centre



## GOLDEN BOOK OFFICE

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The 5.15pm Mass on the first Friday of every month will be offered for all those who are recorded in the Golden Book.

Monday – Friday  
10.00am – 3.30pm



Last week's collection: **£1,124.00**



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