



# Holy Saviour

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Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> May 2008 – 7<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter

## Sunday Mass 10.30 am and 6 pm

- Monday:** No Mass  
**Tuesday:** Mass 9.30 am + (*Rosary 9.10 am*)  
**Wednesday:** Mass 9.30 am + (*Rosary 9.10 am*)  
**Thursday:** Mass 9.30 am + (*Rosary 9.10 am*)  
**Friday:** Mass 9.30 am + (*Rosary 9.10 am*)  
**Saturday:** No Mass or Confessions as I am at my nephew Declan's First Communion.

### Mass Donations

**Lately Deceased:** Denis McDermott

**Anniversaries:** Anthony James Birchall

**Others:** Our Lady of Fatima – Special Intention

**£50 CHURCH LOTTERY WINNER: 10**

Unclaimed: **77**

Please collect your prize in the Coffee Morning.

**Pentecost:** to help make next week a very special celebration of Pentecost the Mass will be using different languages and there will be a shared lunch afterwards. To make this possible:

**Please could you bring some food to the shared meal:** everything welcome and if you know a dish from around the world please bring it along!

**Calling all languages:** so far we have Urdu, German, Hungarian, French, Czech, Polish and Gaelic. If you speak another language please let me know and we can include it. The English translation of everything will be on the newsletter.

**Supporting Lewis Nolan to go to World Youth Day:** To help pay for the cost Lewis is organising a Curry Night on Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> May at the Spice of India, Nelson beginning 7.00 pm for 7.30 pm. Tickets £12 per person contact Lewis (01282 691925 or 07949 595559). He is also taking part in a sponsored walk on the 4<sup>th</sup> of May and there will be a sponsor sheet at the back of church if you would like to help. All help gratefully received.

**Youth Mass** to celebrate the vigil of Pentecost at St Anne's Church, Crumpsall on Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> May 2008 at 7 p.m. For further details see Posters in Church.

**Gather the People** meeting at Nelson Centre 3.00 pm on Saturday May 10<sup>th</sup> – See Posters in Church

**Could you help lobby our MP on the 14<sup>th</sup> of May in London about the Human Fertilisation & Embryology Bill.** There is a mass lobby of parliament supported by

Lord Alton of Liverpool, Jim Dobbin MP Chairman of the All Party Parliamentary Pro-Life Group and Ann Widdecombe MP. I think it is important and would be good if we could be represented. I will go as well if we can get a group together. Please see me if you are interested.

**Under Fives Liturgy this Tuesday** 10.15 am in church followed by juice and biscuits in the parish centre. With the theme of Pentecost and the chance to make some hats it should be really good fun. **All welcome!**

**Thank you** to everyone for your patience whilst the church has been decorated. I hope that you are as happy with the result as I am. Already we have begun paying off the debt. Each month a direct debit of £325 is going out of the current account to the number two account. All donations now (unless specifically stated otherwise) and the lottery money will go directly to the number two account and the refund of £3,885 to the Parish Centre has been given to the decoration fund by the committee. The plan is to give an update every three months. There will be some events and the opportunity to set up a small direct debit of a few pounds a month. Hopefully then we can pay everything off in five years whilst getting on with everything else as well. Thank you

**Congratulations:** to Fisher More surviving the RE inspection this week. The official report will be out soon but I am sure the inspector saw what a great asset our secondary school is to our parish as is our primary school as well.

**Well Done and Thank You** to everyone who supported the quiz night. Despite a clash with other events it went very well and well worth doing again.

**Celebrating the Year of St Paul** A series of talks will take place at Holy Cross Sixth Form College, Manchester Road, Bury on Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> June, Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup> June and Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> July. Poster and booking forms are at the back of Church.

**Catholic Children's Rescue Society** Raffle tickets are available and will be sold after each Mass and in the Parish Centre. Date of Draw 21<sup>st</sup> June.

**42<sup>nd</sup> World Communication Day** – today 4<sup>th</sup> May. Leaflets are available at the back of Church.

**Coffee Morning:** 11<sup>th</sup> May – Katherine & Parveen  
18<sup>th</sup> May – Anne & Shilea

**Cleaning:** Week commencing 4<sup>th</sup> May - Team 4  
Week commencing 11<sup>th</sup> May - Team 1