



Holy Saviour

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Sunday 5th October 2008 - 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday Mass 10.30 am and 6 pm

Monday:	No Mass
Tuesday:	Mass 9.30 a.m. (Rosary 9.10 a.m.)
Wednesday:	Mass 9.30 a.m. (Rosary 9.10 a.m.)
Thursday:	Mass 9.30 a.m. (Rosary 9.10 a.m.)
Friday:	Mass 9.30 a.m. (Rosary 9.10 a.m.)
Saturday:	Wedding Mass 12 Noon (No Confessions)

Masses & Donations:-

Anniversary:- Julia Kelly, Vincent Deehan,
Denis O'Loughlin

Deceased: Holy Souls & Kelly & Irvine Families

Offertory Collection £629.16

Church Lottery 10

Lottery Winner No 9 Donated winnings to the Church

Please collect your prize at the Coffee Morning

Coffee Morning:- 12th Oct - Zafar & Family
19th Oct - Marian & Sheila

Cleaning Church W/c 5th Oct - Team 2
W/c 12th Oct - Team 3

Parish Centre:- W/c 5th Oct - Team 2
W/c 12th Oct - Team 3

During the week I am away on retreat at Ampleforth but Fr Jorge, who is a Columbian Jesuit studying at Manchester will be arriving on Monday to look after things until I return on Friday. I know you will make him welcome and look after him and I am very grateful for his help.

Race Night this Friday: 10th October in the Parish Centre. First race at 8 p.m. Save your 50ps for the tote. Mistress of Ceremonies – Linda Bradshaw. Bar and supper. **Let's fill those stands!** All profits for the Church decoration fund.

RCIA Journey in Faith: at the moment we have six people in the group and are now up and running. If you would like to be part of this group (as someone who is interested in becoming a Catholic or a Catholic but not yet baptised) there is still chance for you to join. The next meeting is on Tuesday 14th of October, 7.15pm-8.30pm in the presbytery, No. 2 Vulcan Street.

FAMILY FAST DAY ENVELOPES: if you brought back a Cafod Family Fast Day envelope for Friday please place it in the collecting bag during the collection. Thank you

Youth Group for Year Ten Plus: the next meeting of our group will be on Wednesday 15th of October 7.00 pm – 9.00 pm open to all our young people in Year Ten or above who go to Fisher More or come to our church.

Under Fives Liturgy: this Tuesday the 7th October. A short prayer time in church which is appropriate for children of this age with stories and songs, followed by juice and biscuits in the parish centre. All welcome.

Dates of the Bishop's Visitation next year: as announced last Sunday Bishop Brain will be here for 10.30am Mass on Sunday 22nd March (Mothers Day) and then visiting our primary school and the sick and housebound on the following Thursday. This gives us a great opportunity to celebrate the life of our parish so if you have some ideas and suggestions let me know.

Taize Evening: thank you to everyone who came along to what was a very prayerful time last Friday. The next Taize Prayer will be on Friday the 24th of October (please note change of date) 7.00pm - 8.00pm in church. All welcome and a good opportunity to bring along family, friends and neighbours from different Christian traditions.

Presentation of Children Beginning the Sacramental Programme: during the masses leading up to Sunday the 9th of November from today the parents of those children joining our sacramental programme this year will present them during one of the Sunday Masses. This will take place after the homily. This very short, simple ceremony shows the parents commitment to the programme, their support of the child preparing to receive the sacraments, the desire of the child to be on the programme, and our willingness to support all involved in the Sacramental Programme this year.

CELEBRATING THE YEAR OF ST PAUL – You are invited to the second series of talks 'Paul, A man of his time, a man for our times'. The talks will take place at St Gabriel's R C High School, Bridge Road, Bury, on 9th, 13th, 23rd and 29th October 7.30 – 9.30 p.m. See posters at the back of church and in the side porch for further details

SALFORD DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE In the Footsteps of St Paul – See posters at the back of church and in the side porch for further details.

CAFOD BUPA Great Manchester Run 2008, Total amount raised by Holy Saviour Parish Nelson, £1,879.96. Many thanks.

The Autumn Fayre realised £850, which was fantastic. A very big thank you to all who helped and supported.

Catholic Heritage Trip - Thursday October 30th to Benedict's Barn. Mass 12 noon. Leaving Parish Centre 11.15 a.m. Lunch at local hotel for anyone wishing to partake.

Sundays 19th & 26th October There will be soup and roll on one Sunday and bacon butties on the other Sunday. Proceeds in aid of the Church decorating fund & SPUC 40th Anniversary.

Parish Centre Committee meeting, Wednesday 8th October at 7 p.m. in the Parish Centre.



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