



# Holy Saviour

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Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> February 2008 – 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Lent

## Sunday Mass 10.30 am and 6 pm

- Monday:** No Mass  
**Tuesday:** Mass 9.30 am  
+ (*Stations of the Cross 9.00 am*)  
**Wednesday:** 12 noon followed by Soup & Roll in the Parish Centre in aid of CAFOD  
+ (*Stations of the Cross 11.30 am*)  
**Thursday:** Mass 7.30 pm  
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**Friday:** Mass 6.30 am  
**Saturday:** Mass 12.00 noon  
*Confessions 11.30 – 11.55 am*  
**Sunday:** Exposition 12 noon - 1.00 pm

### Masses received

**Lately Deceased:** Michael Greenwood, Jack Murray

### Anniversaries:

Patricia Mary Tansey, Edmund Windle

**Intention:** Barbara Martin Birthday,

**Donation:** to St Anthony's Bread in thanksgiving for favour received.

**£50 CHURCH LOTTERY WINNER: 91**

Unclaimed: **58 & 49**

Please collect your prize in the Coffee Morning.

**Thank you:** to everybody for making my 40<sup>th</sup> birthday a very memorable celebration. Thank you for the cards, the good wishes and the generous collection (£250). I have been presented with a very smart watch and am thinking what to put the other money towards so that I remember you all. It is wonderful to celebrate in a place where I am happy and settled. Thank you again and here's to many more birthdays here. God bless you.

Father Chris

**St Patrick's Night Do:** (Friday March 14<sup>th</sup> - 8 00 pm - £5 including supper) Tickets now on sale. **Calling all folk musicians!** We are forming a band for the Do, I have done this before and it went really well So if you play something, or sing and want to be part of the band, please let me know and come along to the practices The first is this coming Thursday the 28<sup>th</sup> of February and the second is on Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> of March. Please bring songs and suggestions to the first practice. We need you and I promise that it will be good fun'

**FAITH DISCUSSION GROUP** continues this Tuesday at 7.00 pm in the Cardinal Hulme Meeting Room in the Presbytery, which is No 2 Vulcan Street. All welcome and you don't have to have been to a previous talk to come to the next one. Finishes by eight thirty at the latest

**Catholic Heritage Group** (open to everybody) - on Wednesday we are going to celebrate Mass at Broughton Hall. Please meet outside the parish centre at 1.30pm. If you need transport just turn up and we will make sure that everybody gets safely there and back. This is open to everybody and there is no cost (we have a collection at the end to leave as a donation to the place we have visited).

**Manchester 10k run:** a while ago I was offered ten places for this run and I accepted them. If you would like to be part of our team this year please let me know as soon as possible. Open to everybody all I ask is that you get some sponsorship for **CAFOD** (and that you do some training so you enjoy it).

**Fatima Devotions** at St Teresa's, Barracks Road, Burnley, on Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> March at 2.00 pm - Refreshments after Mass - Contact John Morgan 428173.

**Altar Servers' Trip:** we can't go on the first of March because the Ski slope is already fully booked but keep your eyes peeled and your ears open because there will be a new date set as soon as possible. Also there will be some practices for the Holy Week Services for all those who want to take part. It is a really good time to serve on the altar and a big help so please do your best to be around. Last year the practices were on a Sunday but we have a prayer time after Mass this year so they will have to be on Wednesday the 12<sup>th</sup> March at 6.30pm for Palm Sunday and Maundy Thursday and Saturday the 15<sup>th</sup> March at 12.30pm I want you to be on the altar even if you can't make the practice (but you probably won't have a job if you don't come to the practice) so please write the dates down now!

**Burnley Deanery Lourdes Group Fund.** Raffle tickets are on sale at the back of Church & in Parish Centre.

**PARISH NEWSPAPER:** Don't forget articles by 3<sup>rd</sup> March please. **We look forward to hearing from you.**

If there are any parishioners who pay tax and would like to join the parish **GIFT AID SCHEME FOR THE NEXT TAX YEAR**, PLEASE CONTACT Corinne 695493. Please would any current members let Corinne know of any changes of address etc. Thank you.

**Coffee Morning:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Mar – Caroline & Venus  
9<sup>th</sup> Mar – Shirley & Doreen

**Cleaning Rotas:** Week commencing 24<sup>th</sup> Feb - Team 2  
Week commencing 2<sup>nd</sup> Mar - Team 3