

Services, Mass Times and Intentions

Saturday 19th July 2025 Sixteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time

Sat 4:30pm	All Saints	Sacrament of Reconciliation	
Sat 5:00pm	All Saints	Mass	Daniel Pimblett, Brendan Orton

Sunday 20th July 2025 Sixteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time

Sun 9:00am	St. Lewis	Mass	Reg Gibbons, Anne Wright
Sun 10:30am	All Saints	Mass	Maria Shaw, Pat Hawkes, Terry Harrington, Megan McClay

Tuesday 22nd July 2025 Feast of St. Mary Magdalene

Tues 10:00am	St. Lewis	Mass	People of the Parish
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Wednesday 23rd July 2025 Feast of St. Bridget

Wed 9:30am	All Saints	Mass	Special Intention
Wed 10-11am	All Saints	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	

Thursday 24th July 2025 Weekday in Ordinary Time

Thurs 9.30am	All Saints	Requiem for Joan Yates	
Thurs 10.00am	St. Lewis	Eucharistic Service	

Friday 25th July 2025 Feast of St. James

Fri 9:30am	All Saints	Mass	Ron & Rae Price
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Saturday 26th July 2025 Seventeenth Sunday of Ordinary Time

Sat 4:30pm	All Saints	Sacrament of Reconciliation	
Sat 5:00pm	All Saints	Mass	Fr John Birchall, Shirley Cartwright, Tirol Family

Sunday 27th July 2025 Seventeenth Sunday of Ordinary Time

Sun 9:00am	St. Lewis	Mass	Sydoruk and Parker Families Francis & James O'Brien
Sun 10:30am	All Saints	Mass	Maureen Quinn



Please remember in your prayers: the sick of our community;
all those who have died recently especially **Joan Yates**
and all whose anniversaries occur at this time.



Newsletter for the Parishes of St. Catherine of Siena & All Saints and St. Lewis



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SUNDAY 20TH JULY 2025

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Think of the last time you had friends or family over for a meal or a gathering. Were you more of a Mary or a Martha? Many of us fall more easily into one category than the other – the ‘host with the most’ who is always up to their eyes with the cooking and catering and table clearing; or the chatterer who is happy to leave the washing up until later?



At face value, I don't think Jesus is saying we shouldn't be hospitable and look after our guests, offering them food or drinks. Like many, I really feel for Martha in this story. She had welcomed Jesus into her home, was looking after him and busying herself with serving him, while her sister was too busy listening to Jesus to offer to help. It is no wonder that Martha complained. After all, someone had to do the practical work. Martha may have wanted to spend time with her guest too – but then, who would have served him?

The key is in the words Jesus uses. He does not criticise Martha for her efforts, but rather gently rebukes her for ‘worrying and fretting about so many things’. She is so distracted and bogged down in her work that she has forgotten to spend time with Jesus. This is familiar territory for many of us. We are often distracted and busy. Do we make space to sit at the Lord's feet and listen? Can we take time each day, perhaps, for a Scripture reading?

It's such a familiar story... but which one are you?

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Second Collection: Provision for Priests in Retirement

There will be a second collection **this weekend** for the Provision for Priests in Retirement. Please keep all serving and retired priests in your prayers.

All Saints Foodbank

If you are able to make food donations this week, could we please ask you to bear in mind that we are in need of the following

Tinned Products: **Potatoes, Fruit, Spaghetti, Soup, Custard.**

Porridge. Long Life Milk.

Donations: If you make a monetary donation to the Foodbank using the envelopes provided, could you please put your envelope in with the offertory collection.

Thank You.

Macmillan Coffee Morning Meeting: 7pm

There will be a meeting in the Benedict room at All Saints on **Thursday 31st July at 7pm** to discuss idea's for our Macmillan Coffee Morning. If you would like to be involved in the organisation (*maybe you've held a coffee morning before*) you are more than welcome.

If you are unable to attend the meeting but would like to volunteer to help on the day, could you please write your name on the list available in the porch.

There are two reasons for the coffee morning... we would like to support this wonderful charity, many of us will no doubt know someone who has been or is being supported by Macmillan and it's a great opportunity for our two parishes to get together in a very similar way to how we did for the platinum jubilee.

Jubilee Year Pilgrimage to Knock & Co. Mayo

Join us for a special spiritual journey to Ireland's International Marian Shrine A special Jubilee Year Pilgrimage to **Knock & Co. Mayo** is taking place from **Sunday 31st August to Thursday 4 September 2025.**

Organised by **Patricia Ronane**, this pilgrimage offers opportunities for daily Mass, visits to holy sites, and time for rest and reflection, all set in the scenic surroundings of Westport. This Jubilee Year pilgrimage offers pilgrims the unique chance to receive a **plenary indulgence** at Knock Shrine.

For details including costs please see the poster on the notice board.

Joke of the week:

What do you call a man with no body and no nose?

Nobody knows!!!!!!

Last Weekend for your Petitions for Lourdes

If you missed out on putting your petition in the Archdiocese Lourdes Lantern, Ellie is more than happy to take your petition with her to Lourdes. If you do have a petition, please complete the form in the porch and put them in the envelope provided. As always, your petitions will be treated in the strictest of confidence.

Our Lady of Lourdes Prayer for healing



*O ever-Immaculate Virgin, Mother of Mercy,
health of the sick, refuge of sinners, comforter of the afflicted,
you know my wants, my troubles, my sufferings; look with mercy on me.*

*By appearing in the Grotto of Lourdes,
you were pleased to make it a privileged sanctuary,
whence you dispense your favours;
and already many sufferers have obtained the cure of their infirmities,
both spiritual and corporal.*

*I come, therefore, with complete confidence to implore your maternal intercession.
Obtain, O loving Mother, the grant of my requests. (mention your petition)*

*Through gratitude for your favours,
I will endeavour to imitate your virtues,
that I may one day share your glory, and bless you in eternity. Amen*

***Please keep in your prayers all those travelling to Lourdes
with our Archdiocese***

*The Sanctuary Lamp at All Saints will be lit
Week Commencing 20th July for: **Maria Shaw and Angela Corlett***