



# The Catholic Parish of The Sacred Heart, Darwen

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**"Come to me, all you who labour and are burdened, and I will give you rest."**

**14th Sunday Ordinary Time**

**9<sup>th</sup> July 2023**

*St Joseph's*

*St Edward's*

<b>Saturday</b>	<b>6.15 p.m.</b>		<b>Vigil Mass</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>9.00 a.m.</b>	<b>11.00 a.m.</b>	<b>Sunday Masses</b>
Monday	9.15 a.m.		Mass
Tuesday		10.00 a.m.	Mass followed by tea and coffee. I will tell you about my adventures in London.
Wednesday	9.15 a.m.		Mass
Thursday		9.15 a.m.	Mass
Friday	9.15 a.m.		Mass
<b>Saturday</b>		<b>9.15 a.m.</b>	<b>Mass</b>
	<b>6.15 p.m.</b>		<b>Vigil Mass</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>9.00 a.m.</b>	<b>11.00 a.m.</b>	<b>15<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>

### Mill Hill Missionary Boxes (The Red Box)

It is that time of year again.

If you would like your collection box emptied and to receive the latest edition of our magazine telling you about all the work undertaken by this Society, please let Maggie know and she will arrange collection.

Thanks for all your contributions and support. It really makes a difference.



### Our Mission

To go out to be followers of Christ in dialogue with people different from ourselves, proclaiming in our daily lives, in Word and Sacrament, that the Kingdom of God, present in all cultures, has been revealed in a unique way in the person of Jesus of Nazareth.

### 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary in the Priesthood

On the 23rd of July Fr Brian will have been serving as a Roman Catholic priest for 40 years.

To celebrate Fr Brian is planning to walk to Burnley and back in a day on Thursday **20<sup>th</sup> of July**. This is a sponsored walk, with all money raised going to the victims of the war in Ukraine.

A JustGiving page has now been set up. Use the link below or use your phone's camera on the QR Code to take you directly to the site.



Link <https://www.justgiving.com/page/brian-kealey-1687270003028>

or you can complete and fill in the sponsor forms that are now available at the back of church.

I have had a great life. Please help me to celebrate by giving to those in need.



**Live-Stream St Joseph's:**

<https://www.churchservices.tv/darwen>

A special word for all those at home who follow the Church services on our streaming service. You remain very welcome and a real part of our praying community.

## Mass Intentions

### Lately Dead:

**Anniversaries:** Peter Richard Kerrane, Mary Howard, Winifred Pattinson, Annie Conlon, Mary Knowles.

**Special Intentions:** For a safe delivery, A Mass for a special Intention.

### Catholic Newspaper

The latest edition is now available, please collect your copy from the back of church.

### Mass of Healing

The Mass of Healing will be on **Saturday 15th of July** at Edwards Church Hall at 2pm.

Fr Brian will be celebrating Mass followed by afternoon tea. If you or anyone you know would like to attend, please add yours and their names to the list at the back of each church. Transport if needed will be provided by Dial-a-ride.

Would all Eucharist Ministers please ask those they visit if they would like to attend.

Thanks Maggie Alvarez SVP.

### Poet's Corner

#### Moonlight, Summer Moonlight

by Emily Jane Brontë

'Tis moonlight, summer moonlight,  
All soft and still and fair;  
The solemn hour of midnight  
Breathes sweet thoughts everywhere,

But most where trees are sending  
Their breezy boughs on high,  
Or stooping low are lending  
A shelter from the sky.

And there in those wild bowers  
A lovely form is laid;  
Green grass and dew-steeped flowers  
Wave gently round her head.



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## York Day Out

The Coach Trip to York on **Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> July 2023** is now fully booked and no more bookings can be taken.

The coach will be leaving St Joseph's Darwen at 9.30 am and from St Edward's at 9.40 am. And then travel on to York. We will be leaving York at 5.00 pm for our return journey home.

### York Minster

York Minster is one of the world's most magnificent cathedrals. Since the 7th century, the Minster has been at the centre of Christianity in the north of England and today remains a thriving church rooted in the daily offering of worship and prayer.

**Adult General Admission Entrance Fee £16.00**

General Admission Tickets for York Minster are valid for 12 months - Keep your ticket and return throughout the year!

### The Minster and the Royal Connection

Discover York Minster's royal connections and collections through an exhibition exploring the cathedral's centuries-old relationship with the monarchy in celebration of the Coronation of King Charles III. The influence of the monarchy can be traced throughout York Minster's history. From the humble baptism of King Edwin of Northumbria on Easter Day in 627 in a small wooden church built hastily for the service – the first York Minster, to HM King Charles III's poignant return in November 2022 to unveil a statue of his late mother, Queen Elizabeth II.

Entrance to the exhibition is included with the general admission price.

Or you could just enjoy wandering around this old and ancient city

It is worthy of note that you pay for these beautiful church's used by so many. It is also worth recognising that the money does need to come in and there are fewer in the church. So thank you and pray that we can keep on going.

**Thank you for your support.**

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### Rotas This Weekend 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> July 2023

**Readers:** 6.15pm: D. Witherington

9am: B. Hughes 11am: B. Beardsworth

**Ministers:** 6.15pm: R. Knowles

9am: F. Davis 11am: T. Kennedy

### Rotas Next Weekend 15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> July 2023

**Readers:** 6.15pm: C. Garrity

9am: S. McMillan 11am: J. Fitzgerald

**Ministers:** 6.15pm: P Wardle

9am: G. Brindle 11am: P. Corran