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Saint Mary's Roman Catholic Church

Catlow Hall Street, Oswaldtwistle,
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Parish Priest: Rev. Fr. S D O'Brien

DIOCESE OF  SALFORD

Lately Dead: Clare Catlow, Millie Ashworth, James O'Toole, Thomas (Les) Armstrong

Anniversaries: Michael Conway, Mary Broadley, Bryan Flynn, Mary Curran.

Masses & Liturgies 12th November- 17th November

Tuesday 12th 10:00am Requiem Mass Clare Catlow RIP. 6pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. 7:00pm Mass

Wednesday 13th 9:45am. St Marys School Mass in Church

Thursday 14th 9:30am Mass. 1:00pm Funeral Service for Thomas 'Les' Armstrong RIP at Accrington Crem
7pm - 8:00pm Scripture Group

Friday 15th 9:30am Mass

Saturday 16th 9:30am Confessions and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. 10:30am Requiem Mass for all the
names in the Holy Souls box. 6:30pm Vigil Mass

Sunday 17th 10:00am Mass.

Sanctuary Lamp. This week's intention is for Mary Curran

Last weekend's collection £ 836.47 Thank you for your kind generosity.

First Aid. We still need volunteers for Sunday Mass who are trained and certified First Aiders. If you are such a person and are happy to be called upon should (God forbid) the unexpected happen could you please contact the parish office. Tel: 232 433 or email berni.mcguinness@dioceseofsalford.org.uk.

Catholicism. Catholicism is an excellent film series produced by Bishop Robert Barron. "Journey around the world and deep into the Catholic Faith in all its richness, history, beauty, goodness, and truth in breathtaking, high-definition cinematography." St. Anne's, Accrington will be showing this film with the opportunity to talk about it on the following Wednesday's at 7pm 20th Nov, 4th Dec, 18th Dec.

Mount Camel RC High School Senior Citizens Community Christmas Party will be held on Monday 9th December from 12:30pm until 2:30pm. A two-course Christmas lunch will be served and entertainment will be provided by the very talented choir. Numbers will be limited and are needed by *Friday 15 November* at the latest. If you wish to attend please fill your details in on the form at the back of church.

The Piety Stall has a beautiful selection of Christmas Cards, Cribs and gifts please do have a look. Poppies will also be on sale at the Piety Stall this weekend.

Tickets on Sale. Musical Evening with the Encore Concert Band & St. Mary's Male Voice Choir at 7:30pm on 12th Dec at St. Mary's Church, Oswaldtwistle. Tickets on sale at the back of church, £5.

Parish Centre Children's Christmas Party 14th December . Tickets are £6 and on sale at the back of church. There will be another meeting at the Con club on 18th November at 7pm

Coffee Morning After the success of the last coffee morning we will be holding another one at the back of church on Monday 11th November 9:15am – 11:00am. All are welcome. Please come and join us.

Our Lady of Oswaldtwistle. As you will have noticed last weekend Lewis & Lewis have returned the new reredos to the Altar of Our Lady. The workmanship and artistry that have gone into it's construction and decoration is exquisite. A Mass in honour of Our Lady will be celebrated on the restored Altar at 6pm Wed 20th Nov. As always everyone is welcome. Our Lady of Oswaldtwistle pray for us.

Fashion Show. Play 4 Uz 2 presents a fashion show at St Josephs Church Hall on Wednesday Nov 13th from 7pm onwards. Tickets are £5 – includes a free drink. Contact Maxine – 07706412018 for tickets.



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Musical Evening 12th December 2019

Ticket sales for the above are selling extremely slowly (25), and unless we can boost this number, we will have to consider cancelling the event. We realistically require 50/60, which would be an acceptable attendance for the Concert Band and make the event enjoyable

If you're attending mass and not carrying money with you, but wish to attend, please give your name in after mass

St Mary's School Oswaldtwistle Our pupil GIFT team are holding a family worship on 11th November at 9am in school. It will only last around 15 mins. All are welcome. We are hoping this will be a monthly thing!

Blessing of the Graves. Father O'Brien and Father Stamp are Blessing the Graves at Dill Hall Cemetery today November 10th at 2pm.

Requiem Mass next Saturday at 10:30am will be for all the names in the Holy Souls box.