<u>St. Aidan's Parish Centre</u> Memberships available

<u>Tuesday</u>: Slimming World 10.00-11.00am & 6.30-7.30pm (Michelle 07940181515) Country Night 7.30pm

<u>Wednesday</u> Bingo at 1pm Quiz Night

<u>Thursday</u> Bingo 7.30pm Zumba 6.30-7.30pm (£3)

Function room for hire Friday, Saturday and noon Sunday. Provide your own catering or ask for a quote.

All enquiries contact: Jacqui on 0151-489-9024

<u>St Agnes' Parish Centre</u> New Memberships available

Mon/Tues—Darts Night

<u>Thursday</u>—Pensioners Club, 1pm-3pm tea and coffee Bingo/Raffle Bingo 7:30pm

<u>Saturday</u> evening—live entertainment in the lounge

<u>Sunday</u>—Country & Western night.

The Concert /Function room is available for hire on Friday & Saturday evenings, weekday afternoons & Sunday afternoons.

> All enquiries contact: Justyna on 0151-489-3990 07757594951



Quiet During Services

It is a strength of our parish communities that we are friendly and welcoming. We do need to be aware however that during the Mass, we are in the presence of Christ in a special way. Please help us to create a quiet, respectful, and prayerful atmosphere during services in both churches.



The Parishes of St Agnes and St Aidan





Sunday 19th February 2012 Seventh Sunday of Ordinary Time Year B

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Mission Statement of the Archdiocese of Liverpool

Taking to heart the last words of the Lord Jesus, we will go into the world and proclaim the Good News to the whole of creation.

Prayer Requests For those who are sick or in special need of our Prayers Dougie & May Hayhurst, William McCluskey, Sue Johnson, Margaret Maguire, Bill Hall, John Hunter, Paul Roberts, John Roberts, Rose Bryan, Katie Nichols, Daisy May, Claire Bruder, Clare Deane, Martin Thomas, Phil Murray, Pauline Campbell, Kathleen Ross, Bill Browne, Christine Bell, Tricia Robinson, Craig Wilson, Ryan Johnson, Brian Whiteacre, Barbara Shervall, Gerard Taylor, May Cooper, Marie Keights, Ann Paterson, Ian Gordon, Marie Mills, Dorothy Kelly, Bernard Foley, Anne Maguire, Mrs. Symonds, Mary Parker, Maureen Lincoln, Mia Lewsey, Margie, Shirley Wozencroft, Michael Williams, June Hunt, Terry Thompson, Maisy Eason, Brenda Cubells, Rose Saunders. John Pollard, Lily O'Neill, Dean Easton. Lawrence McClintock, Albert Wilson, Nicky Allen, Terry Fielding, Bill Jones, Christopher Massam, Jim Phillips, Joe Muraski, Marion Fallon, Betty Johns, Frank & Joan McCann. Vera Cummins, Rose Rimmer, Philip Bromwell, Anne Nolan Pauline Burgess, Joan Monaghan, James Soundie, Marie D'Arcy, Jean Brailsford, Thomas Clegg, Daphne Flynn, Tony Clintworth, Baby Aidan James Morris, Lynn McNabb, Ben Crutchley, Claire Waldron, Jim Rose, Kay Vaughan, Wendy Paveley, Elsie Blundell, Kitty Barnes, Maureen McGurk, Vera Murphy, Sandra Rowley, Ann Jones, Mary Organ., Josie Campbell, Jack & Winnie Witter, Harold Mascord, Ben Ball, Fr. Jim Webb We also remember all those mentioned in St. Aidan's Prayer Diary.

There are a number of young adults in our parishes who are terminally ill at the moment. Please remember them and their families specially in your prayers.

<u>Lately Dead</u> Joan Catterson.

<u>Anniversaries</u>

Valerie Malone, Norman Arnold, John Alfred Moore, Ann Brady, Frank Lang, Margaret Bowden, George & Michael Lewis,

Sanctuary Lamps



Please ensure that details of your dedication are written on the front of the envelope and placed in the black post box in the Sacristy. Please enter your Gift Aid



Mass Intentions

Saturday 18th February

St. Agnes Mass 5.30pm-Reg & Mary Melville

Sunday 19th February—Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B

St. Aidan Mass 9.30am – Jessie May Hughes & Georgina Davies St Agnes Mass 11am - Norman Arnold

Monday 20th February

St Agnes 9.30am—Celebration of the Word and Communion <u>Tuesday 21st February</u>– St Aidan-12 noon– Mass-Frank Carolan <u>Wednesday 22nd February—Ash Wednesday</u> St Aidan 9.30am Mass—

St.Agnes Mass 7.30pm– Deziree Eugena Boardman

Thursday 23rd February

St Agnes Mass 9.30am—Les Grimes <u>Friday 24th February</u> St Agnes Mass 9.30am –Gerard Redmond St. Aidan Mass 12 noon—Jim Ross

Saturday 25th February

St. Agnes Mass 5.30pm-Bernard Swift **Sunday 26th February—First Sunday of Lent (Year B)** St. Aidan Mass 9.30am –Lynette Blackwell St Agnes Mass 11am - George & Michael Lewis

Confessions

Saturday at St. Agnes 5-5.20 pm & Friday after 12 Noon Mass at St Aidan's

(Until there is nobody waiting)

Please Note

All Mass Intentions have been filled until late March 2012 for both Parishes. Thank you.

PARISH OFFICE

<u>Main Parish Office:</u> <u>St Aidan's</u> <u>92 Adswood Road</u> <u>L36 7XR</u>

Office Hours: Monday 9am-4pm

Tuesday 9.30am - 12.30pm

Office closed on Wednesdays

Thursday 10am - 4pm

Friday 9am - 4pm

All Enquiries to

Tel/Fax : 0151 489 3085

<u>St Agnes Church</u> <u>82 Huyton Hey Road</u> <u>L36 5SQ</u> For Mass Cards etc Hours: Friday - 1pm — 4 pm (Church no- 0151 449 2209) Also available from St Aidan's Church 489-3085 Newsletter items by Thursday morning to Main Parish Office <u>New Email Address:</u> agnesaidan@rcaolp.co.uk

<u>For your information</u> Parish Newsletters are posted on Parish Website every week.

> Parish Web Site-Parishes-of-stagnesstaidans.org.uk

PARISH CONTACTS

SISTERS: <u>Helpers of the Holy Souls</u> Sr. Elizabeth - 0151 480 7904 Sr. MaryRose - 0151 482 6895

<u>Sisters of St. Mary of Namur</u> Sr. Barbara –228-2239 Sr. Gabriel-489-1302 Sr. Sarah-489-1302

Primary Schools St. Aidan 0151 477 8370 St. Joseph 0151 489 4072 St. Anne's 0151 477 8260

<u>Parish Clergy</u> Parish Priest Rev. Fr. Anton Fernandopulle 0151 489-3085

Deacon-Mike Whelan

Pastoral Assistant– Claire Ball 07899 937948 E-mail: clairem_ball@yahoo.co.uk

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Foodbank Update

We discussed the possibility of starting a food bank in Huyton. We have now contacted the regional organiser who is based in Kirkby. They are hoping to get funding in July to set up a satellite in Huyton and there is a possibility of us working with other local churches to bring this provision to the local area. We will keep you posted on

Fourth Dimension Shop

Do you have a couple of hours free during the week? If so the Fourth Dimension Shop in the village is in need of new volunteers and would love to hear from you. The shop is an ecumenical charity founded to raise money through the sale of goods and refreshments to assist in developing countries and to meet the needs of our own area. If you are interested in helping, please contact:

The Fourth Dimension Shop in Huyton Village 482-0044



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and St Aidan'. Please 'like' the group to access information and photos from the parishes.

Joint Parish Youth Club

The youth group is for those of secondary school age and meets on Thursday evenings in the Sr. Elizabeth meeting room at St. Agnes' from 7-9pm. Entrance is 50p and there are refreshments available to purchase. Please join us!



St. Agnes' Little Church

Sunday 19th February Janice Shields Sunday 26th February Carol & Mandy

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Collections

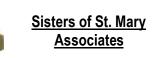
We are continuing to collect:

 Asda receipts for 'We Can Make A Difference', Clothes and currency for Nugent Care, wool for the special care baby unit.



Mass Cards

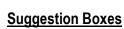
We now have a range of Mass cards available specifically for St. Agnes and St. Aidan's parishes. Our thanks go to Sr. Margaret for her beautiful designs. The cards can be admired and purchased in the Piety Stall at St. Aidan's and the sacristy at St. Agnes.



The Sisters of Mary Associates will be meeting for a day of prayer at the Gatehouse, 25 Huyton Church Road, Huyton, L36 5SH on Saturday 25th February 2012, 10.30am - 4.30pm. There will be a shared table.

Anyone who is interested is welcome.





There are suggestion boxes at the back of St. Agnes' church (by the statue of St. Agnes) and in the foyer of St. Aidan's church. If you have any suggestions, comments or feedback, please feel free to put them in the box.

Parish Collections

St.Agnes £ 926.44 St. Aidan £ 371.21

Standing Orders: January 2012 St. Agnes £996.50 St Aidan £238.00

St. Agnes' team to count: This week team 1

Thank you for your generous support.

Ash Wednesday

The will be a short service including the distribution of ashes in each of the primary schools on Ash Wednesday. Specific times will be available from the schools on Tuesday.



Baptism

St. Aidan's Baptism Preparation: 2nd Monday of the month in St. Aidan's church at 6:30pm

St. Aidan's Baptisms: 3rd Sunday at 10:30am 4th Saturday at 12 noon

St. Agnes' Baptism Preparation: 1st Tuesday of the month in St. Agnes' church at 7:30pm

St. Agnes' Baptisms: 1st Sunday at 12:30pm 2nd Sunday at 2pm

If you wish to have your child baptised, please contact the Parish Office on 489 3085 and you will be booked into a preparation meeting.



The Rosary will be prayed on the 1st Sunday of the month at 4pm in St. Aidan's. All are welcome.

Baptism Certificates

If you need a copy of a baptism certificate, please remember to give the office a couple of days notice. You will receive a phone call when it is ready and we would be grateful if your could collect it promptly. There are lots of certificates waiting to be collected!

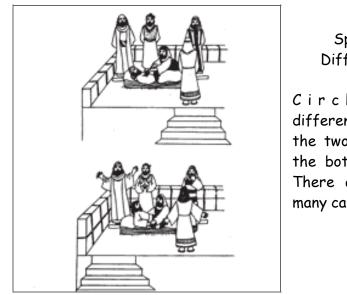


Jesus Heals a Paralysed Man

Four men were carrying their paralysed friend to Jesus. They knew Jesus could heal him, but they couldn't get to where Jesus was because of the large crowd. They their friend up to the roof and made an opening. Then they lowered the man down to Jesus. When Jesus saw how much faith they had, he not only healed the paralysed man and forgave him of all his sins.



We have friends who need to come to Jesus. It may not be easy, but if each of us do our part, together we can succeed. We may meet obstacles, but we must never give up.



Spot the Difference...

Circle the differences between the two pictures on the bottom picture. There are 20—how many can you spot?



On Ash Wednesday, we have ashes put on our forehead as a symbol to show that we are sorry for the thing we have done wrong and that we want to get rid of them for ever. The ashes come from burned palms.

Ash Wednesday is the beginning of the 40 days of Lent. Lent is special time to look at our lives and to try and make them better. Some people decide to do something extra to be nice, help someone or talk to God more. Other people like to give up something (like chocolate or sweets) to help them remember it is Lent.

What are you going to do this Lent?

There is a Calendar for Lent 2012 at the back of church for children—this has simple activities to do for each day of Lent. Maybe you could make following that your Lenten promise?

Think about it this weekend and get ready to start on Wednesday good luck!

