

Sunday 15th June 2025



First Reading Proverbs 8: 22-31

Before the beginning of the earth, Wisdom was brought forth

Responsorial Psalm

O Lord, our Lord, how majestic is your name through all the earth

Second Reading Romans 5:1-5

To God through Christ in the love which is poured out through the Spirit

Gospel Acclamation

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit the God who is and who was and who is to come.

Gospel Reading John 16: 12-15

God sent his Son in order that the world might be saved through him

The Order of Mass is printed on page 4 of the Hymn Book

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(Please note the parish office is located beside the church, entrance via the church car park - green door)

For your information:

Parish Newsletters are posted on
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www.stagnes-staidan.org.uk
Newsletter items by Thursday morning to
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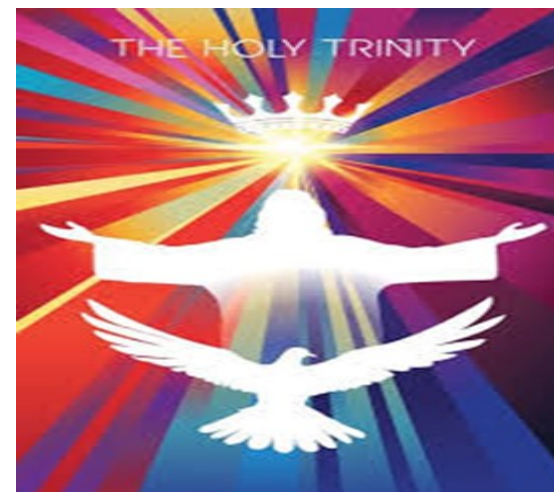
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The Parish of St. Agnes and St. Aidan

19th June— Workshops on the origins and continuing work of the Religious (Sisters) in our parish



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Trinity Sunday
Year C

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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.

NEWSLETTER

Parish of Sts. Agnes & Aidan Live stream Masses

Holy Mass is live streamed every Sunday at 10.30 am on youtube:

Search Youtube Stagnesstaidan

You can watch and pray the Mass any time after 12.30pm on Sundays.

Livestreamed Masses are with a congregation so if you attend anonymity cannot be guaranteed.

Saturday 14th June - Immaculate Heart of Mary

Mass 5.30pm - Cathy Burke, Moira Conlan

Sunday 15th June - Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity

Mass 9.00 am - Mark Goodwin, Nina Warchalowski

Mass 10.30 am - Shirley Roche, John & Mary Coffey

Monday 16th June

9.30 a.m. Celebration of the Word and Communion

Wednesday 18th June

7.30 pm - Celebration of the Word and Communion

Thursday 19th June

Workshop: Women of Faith – 7:00 PM

All are welcome to join us for an inspiring evening in the Sr. Elizabeth Kelly Meeting Room

Saturday 21st June - St Aloysius Gonzaga

Mass 5.30pm - Agnes O'Donnell, Cathy Burke

Sunday 22nd June - The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi) (Missionary Appeal) Mission Boxes

Mass 9.00 am - Maureen Grimwood, Derek McEgan & McEgan Family

Mass 10.30 am - John Sweeney, Jim Hamlett

Confessions: Saturday 5pm - 5.20pm (or by appointment)



Experience Trinity

'In our divided and polarised world, it's easy to imagine that we have the monopoly on God, that *our* articulation of faith, *our* liturgy, *our* denomination, and *our* worship practices capture the best version of who God is and what God desires. Reflection on the Trinity challenges this assumption. The truth of God will always be more than our tiny, easily overwhelmed minds can bear. The truth of God will always confront and remake us, even as it soothes and affirms us. [1]

'We have framed the teaching on the Trinity as a ***belief*** rather than as ***an experience***. Jesus reveals different facets of the mystery of the Trinity:

- 'The Father is greater than I' (Jn 14:28) : an experience of 'beyondness';
- 'I am in the Father and the Father is in me.' (Jn 14:11): an experience of intimacy;
- 'I and the Father are one.' (Jn 10:30): an experience of oneness, of being inseparable, of total union.' [2]

'These three facets of the Trinitarian experience are not only *open* to all of us but we *need* all of them. Any spirituality without all three of these experiences becomes imbalanced. We have those moments in life when we need nothing more than to call out to the God who is greater than us; we have those moments when we need nothing more than intimacy and the experience of belovedness; we have those moments in deep silence when nothing is desired but total union.' [2]

'It may surprise us to discover that we have many fleeting experiences of the Trinity in our daily lives. We experience God *beyond* us when we are in awe in experiencing a sunrise or when we see the first Spring flowers. But if we only allow the '*beyondness*' relationship, our religion can become fear-based, legalistic, hierarchical and paternalistic. Our time spent in reflection and prayer provides the experience of *intimacy*. However, we are uneasy about the experience of *oneness*. We tell ourselves that only Jesus gets to say that.' [2] 'We refuse to realise our oneness. We remain blind and deaf to it because we are too busy, which generally means we are too frightened to go deep within ourselves and find God there. All evil springs from my refusal to discover who and what I truly am, from my failure to realise that I and the Father are one.' [3]

'A balanced spirituality exercises each facet of this relationship. Which of these facets have we most cultivated and which still need to be cultivated?' [2]

Adapted: [1] Debbie Thomas [2] Matthew Wright [3] H.A.Williams

WOMEN OF FAITH

Sr Elizabeth Kelly Room 7pm - 9pm on the following dates

Thursday 19th June - Helpers of the Holy Souls

Religious sisters are living and working in our local community, dedicating their lives to prayer and public service. Their important and profound work is often unseen and unheard.

Please join us to reveal their different ministries and to discover more about their formation and faith.

Huyton Family of Parishes - Pulpit Sharing

The priests of our parishes have been moving around the family of parishes over various weekends during this year to celebrate the weekend Masses with you. This weekend we welcome Fr Mike Fitzsimmons.

Please do make him welcome when he visits us.

It is hoped that by the end of the year each priest will have celebrated Mass in every church in our Family of Parishes.

GARDENER'S CLUB

The Parish Gardeners Club is looking for more volunteers to help maintain the Parish Garden. They meet every Monday morning to tidy up the garden, followed by a social gathering with a bite to eat. This is a great opportunity for anyone interested in gardening and socializing. Whether you are a parishioner or not, all are welcome to join the group. Please feel free to reach out to your extended family and friends who may be interested in getting involved. *For more details contact Bryan Blois 077725097814*

PIETY STALLS AT ST AIDAN AND ST AGNES

The Parish Piety Stall is open each weekend, Saturday after the evening 5.30 pm Mass (and Sunday after the 9.00 am and 10.30 am (excluding Christmas Day and Easter Day).

The Piety Stall holds a range of cards for all occasions. This includes pre-signed Mass cards, sympathy cards, birthday, get well, Baptism, Mother's day, Jubilees and Ordination, notelets and, in due season, First Holy Communion, Confirmation, Christmas cards, catholic diaries, calendars and other suitable gifts, and other religious items, rosaries, holy water bottles, etc.

If you are looking for something specific or a special gift, we can look to order it for you from our suppliers if it is stocked.

Prayer Requests

Your charitable prayers are asked for those who are sick or in special need of our Prayers.

Please let the office know if you wish to add a name to the list.

Tricia Andrews, Lynn Ashton, Doris Benette, Catherine Bennion, Trina Bromwell, Margaret & Gordon Caruthers, Violet Chadwick, Grace Cheeseman-Woolerton, Ann Clague, John Clintworth, James Corbett, Janet Cragg, Ray Cragg, Nicholas Cragg, Marie D'arcy, Janet Davies, Despina, Patricia Fisher, Joseph Hill, Claire Hindley, Sue Hodgson, Barbara Holman, Marie Hunter, Claire Illingworth, Joelle, Peggy Kane, Dennis Ling, Ray Lloyd, Sheila McGrattan, Maureen, Michael & Lawrence McClintock, Joe March, Patricia Markey, Tim Merritt, Peter Muldoon, Ann-Marie Naylor, Kathleen O'Gorman, Ged Privilege, Julie Quarless, Levinia Redpath, Mia Robinson, Nilma Cristina Rodrigo, Walter Runge, Sara, Betty Savage, Donna Sothorn, Alan Spain, Billy Turner, Sr Josephine Vassallo, Molly Wallis, Frank Walsh, Joan Walsh, Dylan Watson, Pamela Watson, Ian Webster, Vera Whitfield, Kerry Wilson, Sr Clare Wilson, Jimmy Wolfe

Lately Dead

John Kane

Anniversary

Francis Jeffers, Kevin Sweeney, Daniel Gerard McGurk

Sanctuary Lamp week 15th June - LGBT+ Social Group

Please contact the Parish office if you would like a Mass Intention, an Anniversary or anyone adding to the Prayer List. If you wish this to be said on a specific date can you please give the office as much advanced warning as possible. Please note: As in previous years Easter and Christmas masses will be for all the parishioners and not for individual intentions. Thank you.

WELCOME TO OUR OPEN CHURCH

As a parish family we have invested a considerable amount of money on security to make it possible to keep the church open during the weekdays from 10am to 1pm (except on bank holidays). Please feel free to avail yourself of this opportunity to spend some valuable time in the presence of the blessed sacrament in private prayer or just to light a candle.



BEREAVEMENT CARE TEAM - DROP-IN SESSIONS

1st Wednesday of the month 2pm – 4pm, in Sr. Elizabeth Kelly Room, at St. Agnes & St. Aidan Church on Huyton Hey Road. L36 5SQ. (*Entrance on St. Mary's Road via the arched metal gate*). We are not counsellors, just a small group of parishioners who have received training for this special ministry. We have also experienced the grief of having lost a loved one. You may prefer to have a one to one meeting with one of our care team. Our monthly Drop – In, is an open invitation for anyone to come along for a cup of tea and company. Time shared with a warm welcome with an opportunity for quiet prayer should you wish.

Baptism

Baptism Preparation meeting:
First Monday of each month at 7:30pm. The next meeting will be on Monday 7th July

If you wish to have your child baptised, you must contact the Parish Office on 0151 489 3085 and you will be booked into a preparation meeting. These meetings are for parents whose children are under 8 years of age

BAPTISMS ARE HELD ON:

1st Saturday at 12.00pm and 1.00 pm
1st Sunday at 1.30pm & 2.30pm (Fr. Anton)
4th Sunday at 1.30pm & 2.30 pm (Deacon Mike)

BAPTISM CERTIFICATES

Please email or phone the office with your request. Once ordered, copies can be collected on Monday or Wednesday from 10 am to 1 pm.

PARISH PENSIONERS' CLUB

Next meeting will be on 25th June 2025

1 pm until 3 pm in the parish meeting room (Sr Elizabeth Kelly room)

Craft Club

Craft Club has started again on Thursday **next date to be advised.** We will now have a subscription of £2 per session.

LGBTQ+ SOCIAL GROUP

Will meet on the 3rd Sunday of the month at 6 pm in Sr. Elizabeth Kelly room in the church of SS. Agnes and Aidan, Huyton, L36 5SQ
The next meeting, which will be open, is on Sunday 15th June

Instagram: St.Agnes_St.Aidan_LGBTQ & on **Facebook**

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/580539512933145/?ref=share>

Facebook: 'Parishes of Sts Agnes & Aidan's LGBTQ+ Social Group'

Tuesday 24th June 2025 In the Sr Elizabeth Kelly Community Room

- Community Prayer Circle (1-3pm)
- Music Group (7 pm)

No experience needed. Join us to make new friends and contribute to our worship.

All are welcome

Car Boot Sale

Last Saturday of each month
8am to 12 noon.

Next Car boot sale on 28th June.



MISSION BOXES

Mission boxes are due to be emptied this month

Last year the amount raised for Missio in this parish was £2,894.00

Thank you for your continued generosity



FIRST HOLY COMMUNION CELEBRATION

On Sunday 29th June 2025 all First Communion children are invited to come to 10:30 am Mass in their First Communion outfits for a special celebration. We will be joined this Sunday by the Liverpool Catholic Children's Choir.

Everyone is invited to join us for a celebratory tea club in the Sr. Elizabeth Kelly Room after Mass. We look forward to seeing as many of you there as possible.

Join Our Parish Racial Justice Group (CARJ)

Our next meeting will now take place on Monday 7th July at 7.00pm at The Hughes Room (accessible from the car park) at Bishop Eton, Our Lady of Annunciation Church, Woolton Road, Liverpool, L16 8NQ. Meet at Bishop Eton

Ann Malone (Chair of the Parish CARJ)

19th June	Workshops on the origins and continuing work of the Religious (Sisters) in our parish (see notice in the porches)
6th July	Parish BBQ
10th August	International Table
17th October	WCMAD Fundraiser (We Can Make A Difference) St Aidan's Club (Parish Club)
19th October	World Mission Sunday

Save the Date

Please be considerate when parking as residents also need to access their driveways with ease. Thank you



Missing Parishioners

As parishioners we need to be aware that if we don't see someone for a few weeks we should find out what has happened. Or it may be that you are unable to attend Church because you have been ill.

In either case please contact the office as soon as possible and we will make arrangements for someone to keep in touch, if they so wish.

