

St. Aidan's Parish Centre

Memberships available

Monday Slimming World

5.30pm & 7.30pm

Tuesday: Slimming World

9.30am, 11.30am

(Michelle 07940181515)

Country Night 7.30pm

Wednesday

Bingo at 1pm

Quiz Night

Thursday

Bingo 7.30pm

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

St Agnes' Parish Centre

New Memberships available

Mon/Tues—Darts Night

Tuesday

Bingo 7.30pm

Wednesday

Quiz night from 9.30pm

Thursday—Pensioners Club, 1pm-3pm

tea and coffee Bingo/Raffle

Bingo 7:30pm

Saturday evening—live entertainment
in the lounge

Sunday—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

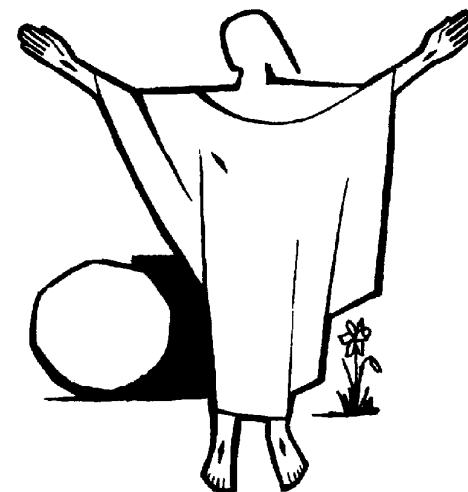


It is a strength of our parish communities that we are friendly and welcoming. We do need to be aware however that during the Mass, we are in the presence of Christ in a special way. Please help us to create a quiet, respectful, and prayerful atmosphere during services in both churches.

"Be Still and know that I am God"

The Parishes of St Agnes and St Aidan

NEWSLETTER



The Fifth Sunday of Easter
28th April 2013

Liverpool Roman Catholic Archdiocesan Trustees Inc.
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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, Sue Johnson, Margaret Maguire, Bill Hall, John Hunter, Paul Roberts, John Roberts, Rose Bryan, Katie Nichols, Daisy May, Claire Bruder, Clare Deane, Martin Thomas, Craig Wilson, Pauline Campbell, Tricia Robinson, Ryan Johnson, Brian Whiteacre, Barbara Shervall, May Cooper, Marie Keights, Ian Gordon, Marie Mills, Dorothy Kelly, Bernard Foley, Anne Maguire, Mary Parker, Maureen Lincoln, Mia Lewsey, Margie, Michael Williams, June Hunt, Terry Thompson, Maisy Eason, Brenda Cubells, Rose Saunders, John Pollard, Lily O'Neill, Dean Easton, Anne Nolan, Lawrence McClintock, Nicky Allen, Bill Jones, Christopher Massam, Jim Phillips, Joe Muraski, Marion Fallon, Betty Johns, Frank & Joan McCann, Vera Cummins, Rose Rimmer, Philip Bromwell, Pauline Burgess, James Soundie, Marie D'Arcy, Thomas Clegg, Daphne Flynn, Jim Rose, Tony Clintworth, Baby Aidan James Morris, Lynn McNabb, Claire Waldron, Kay Vaughan, Wendy Paveley, Elsie Blundell, Kitty Barnes, Maureen McGurk, Vera Murphy, Sandra Rowley, Nel Jordan, Josie Campbell, Jack & Winnie Witter, Peggy Skidmore, Baby Eddie Anthony Doran., Angela Fleetwood, George Gibbons, Maria Edge, Mary Fullerton, Mary Organ, Rose Rawlinson, Averyll Fairfield, Hilda Logan, Carol Atkinson, Brendan Reilly, Christine Lees, Jennifer Hewitt, Pauline Clegg, Joseph Hill, Susan McDougalle, Mary Scaife, Pat Madden, Eileen Mooney, Philip Gallagher, Ron Crowney, Carl Atkinson, Phil Ridler, Ursula Mary Erfani, Clare Pendleton, Michael Lyons, Victoria Hill- Edmundson, Dolly Morten, Jennifer McLaughlin, Samantha Jones, Baby Caelan McKeown, Penny Wilson, Margaret Buckley, Michael McDonough, Steve Sheridan.

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.

Lately Dead

Terrence Finnan, Hannah Mangan,

Anniversaries

Thomas Keenan, Barry, Wayne & Stephen Carmichael,

Sanctuary Lamps

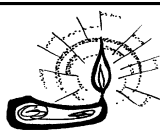
This week 28th April 2013

St Agnes Sanctuary Lamp— Parishioners of St.Agnes & St.Aidans

St. Aidan's Sanctuary Lamp— Priests and Religious

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 Number if you have one. Thank you.



In Albania:

We mainly work with the youth together with the Mother Theresa sisters in running their summer camps. We provide toys and prizes and tents for shade from the sun, food for picnics on outing to the beach etc. The money generated from ASDA receipts assist in our work in three projects.

In Lithuania:

We provided the money to do some major repairs to a room (*in a house belonging to a religious order The Institute of the Incarnate Word (IVE) Pumpenai village*) including those for a wood burner enabling the local children to have a safe haven to socialise & do their homework.

In summary:

It is a pleasure to witness the joy on the faces of the children we provide for who are so grateful for the interest we show in their welfare. All your efforts great or small make a huge difference in the lives of those in need.

In all these activities the most important thing is the time we spent with the local people in these countries whereby we remind them that they are not forgotten and that we are all children of God called to share the love, compassion and generosity of God.

God bless you all and your efforts.

Happy Birthday

We would like to wish Fr Anton many blessings as he celebrates his birthday on 5th May.

Have a great day Father!



Table Top Sale

Over the winter months, the car boot sale will become a table top sale in the Sr. Elizabeth Kelly meeting room at St. Agnes' (entrance on St Mary's Road). This will be on the last Saturday of every month from 8am-12pm (£5 per table). You must ring the office to book a place. Please feel free to come and look around for a bargain!



The Difference We Make

There is no doubt, that the people in Suriname, Albania and Romania, will be grateful for our support and generosity over the past few years and for the overwhelming amount raised at the recent fundraiser night (the first joint effort for Sts. Agnes & Aidan's parishes). Here is a reminder of what our generosity has achieved for those people so far:

In Suriname:

We financed the rebuilding and later we rewired and decorated the two churches during our visits using locally purchased materials; supplied new benches and constructed a fence around some properties belonging to the church. We supplied some local schools along the Amazon with sports equipment and several computers and also gave toys for younger children in the kindergarten.

Food was also provided for the school children when we organized various events such as sports days etc. The local youth were able to benefit by making the benches needed for the churches using the locally available material.

In Romania:

We provided cash for heaters to be installed in the church at Homorodu de Jos, village.

Provision of indoor toilets for staff and pupils by converting a big class room, in the local school and a few new floors in some classrooms. We supplied number of computers to be used in school.

During the summer camp in the school we provided sports equipment, prizes for games and also fed the children who daily attended.

Cash was also used for the transportation of Easter eggs (at Easter) and selection boxes (Christmas) for the children and also transporting in advance what was needed for the summer camp.

Mass Intentions

Saturday 27th April

St Agnes Mass 5.30pm—Irene Davies

Sunday 28th April Fifth Sunday of Easter

St Aidan Mass 9.30.am - Tommy Smith

St Agnes Mass 11.00am— Jimmy Hynes & Florence Russell

Monday 29th April

St Agnes 9.30am—Celebration Of The Word & Communion

Tuesday 30th April

St. Aidan Holy Hour 11am-12 Noon

St Aidan Mass 12 noon– Mary McHugh

Wednesday 1st May

St. Agnes Mass 7.30pm—Ellen Mary Heys, Margaret & Samuel F Grace & Peter Traynor

Thursday 2nd May

St Agnes Mass 9.30am-Bernard Maloney

Friday 3rd May—Feast of St Philip and St James, Apostles

St Agnes– Requiem 11.00 am-Terrance Finnan

Saturday 4th May—Feast of English Martyrs

St Agnes Mass 5.30pm—Cecilia Wilkes

Sunday 5th May

St Aidan Mass 9.30.am - Barry, Wayne & Stephen Carmichael

St Agnes Mass 11.00am— Bill Conroy

Confessions

Saturday at St. Agnes 5-5.20 pm & Friday after 12 Noon Mass at St Aidan's
(Until there is nobody waiting)

Please contact the Parish office if you would like an anniversary added
to the Prayer List in the Newsletter. Thank you.

PARISH OFFICE/PRESBYTERY

Main Parish Office:

St Aidan's
92 Adswood Road
L36 7XR

Office Hours: Monday 9am-4pm

Tuesday 9.30am - 12.30pm

Wednesday 9.00am—12.30pm

Thursday 10am - 4pm

Friday 9am - 4pm

All Enquiries to

Tel/Fax : 0151 489 3085

St Agnes Church
82 Huyton Hey Road
L36 5SQ

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**

New Email Address:

agnesaidan@rcaolp.co.uk

For your information

**Parish Newsletters are posted on
Parish Website every week.**

Parish Web Site-

Parishes-of-stagnes-
staidans.org.uk

PARISH CONTACTS



SISTERS:

Helpers of the Holy Souls

Sr. Elizabeth - 0151 480 7904

Sr. MaryRose - 0151 482 6895

Sisters of St. Mary of Namur

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

Parish Clergy

Parish Priest

Rev. Fr. Anton Fernandopulle

0151 489-3085

Deacon-Mike Whelan

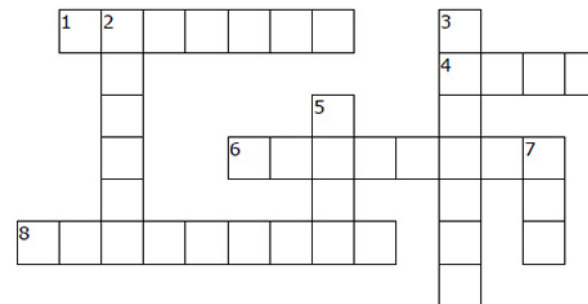
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'Parishes of St Agnes and St
Aidan'.

A New Commandment



"Love one another. As I
have loved you, so you
must love one another."
John 13:34 (NIV)



ACROSS

1. An order or a rule given with authority
4. To have feelings of compassion and concern for another person
6. Boys and girls between birth and puberty
8. Those who follow the teachings of Jesus

DOWN

2. People aside from oneself
3. To give praise and honour to God or a person
5. A period of seconds, minutes, hours, days, weeks, months, years, etc.
7. The opposite of old

GLORIFY
NEW

COMMAND
DISCIPLES

TIME
CHILDREN

OTHERS
LOVE



Sacramental Preparation

Thank you to all those parents and children who attended our final preparation class. The schools will now be in touch with you about the parents' meetings and the children's rehearsals. If you have any questions, please contact the office.

Special thanks to the catechists who have helped at these sessions!



Suggestion Boxes

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.



Romania & Albania Projects



If you are a parishioner who is 18+ and regularly worship at St. Agnes or St. Aidan's you may like to help on our projects in Romania or Albania. There is a group that meets every first Saturday of the month at 6.30pm at **92 Adswood Road** (after 5.30 Mass). If you are interested, please come along!

Missing Parishioners...

If you have noticed somebody missing from Mass for a period of time, please let the office know. We have a card to send out to people, telling them that they are missed and inviting them back. People stop coming to church for all sorts of reasons and it is nice for them to know that the community is thinking of them and praying for them.

Nugent Care

Donations of good quality clothes can be left at the back of either church after Mass or handed in to the office. They are also **collecting any type of currency** (coins or notes) including old English and Euros. The money is then sorted, bagged and sent to a coin exchange. So if you have any left over holiday money—please dig it out, however little!

Parish Collections

Sunday 21st April

St Agnes £724.26

St Aidan £467.47

Standing Orders March 2013

St Agnes £870.00

St Aidan £140.00

St. Agnes' team to count:

This week team 3

Thank you for your generous support



Welcome to the Parish
family of
St Aidan & St Agnes

*Paige Denny,
Mason Gerrard Byrne,
Hollie Sydney Byrne
& Ben Francis Privilege.*

*who will be baptised on Saturday 27th
April at St Aidan Church.*

*Please remember these children
and their families in your prayers..*

Joint Parish Youth Group

The Youth Group, which has been meeting on a Thursday evening, will be suspended until further notice.



Offertory Envelope Boxes

We have a number of spare envelope boxes available for St Agnes Parish. If you would like a box please ring the parish office on 0151.489.3085.

Piety Stall

St. Aidan's and St Agnes' piety stalls have a good selection of cards and gifts for Holy Communion and Confirmation. Please come and have a look!

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,
you must contact the Parish Office on
489 3085 and you will be booked into a
preparation meeting.



Year of faith

As part of the Year of Faith, we will be
holding a Holy hour on Tuesdays at
11am-12 noon. This will be at St.
Aidan's church. Please join us this
Tuesday.



Divorced/ Separated Support

Divorced/ Separated Support from the
Archdiocesan Marriage and family Life
department, (pastoral Formation).
Meetings for people who are divorced
or separated or experiencing the
breakdown of a marriage or a long
term relationship start mid- April. If
you are interested please take a flier
from the back of church and contact
Frances on 0151 727 1295 or
Maureen on 0151 722 1029.

Rosary at St. Aidan's

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



St Agnes' Little Church

We are looking for children who
would like to be readers during youth
Mass once a month. Please speak to
one of the Little Church helpers if your
child would like to read.

Sunday 28th April
Lesley and Honor
Sunday 5th May
Maria Reichinger
Diane Jenks



Are you a concerned Catholic ?
Then join with others in ***A Call to Action.***

We are a group of Catholics, some of whom are ordained, brought together by our
love of Christ's Church and our anxiety about its future. Still inspired by the Second
Vatican Council we want to contribute fully to the life of our Church so that we may
be a more effective sign of the Kingdom of God. To do this, we believe that an
atmosphere of openness and dialogue both with each other and with our bishops
needs developing. We desire to help create a climate of trust and respect for all
where this dialogue may be fostered.

We want to:

- be able to speak freely
- engage in dialogue
- revisit Vatican II
- be consulted about the future of our Church

A Call to Action is a nation-wide body with groups meeting in every diocese. It
began with a public meeting called in London in October 2012 attended by over 400
concerned Catholics.

You can find out more at our website <http://www.acalltoaction.org.uk> and join online.

facebook

The photos from the Easter services
and the Krakow trip are now on the
parish Facebook. Please go to
'Parishes of St Agnes and St Aidan'
and have a look. If you do not want
your child to appear in these photos
please contact the office.

Asda Receipts

We continue to collect receipts, to help
with fundraising for 'We Can Make a
Difference' and Romania. Please leave
them in the boxes at the back of church.
Many thanks for your continued support of
this endeavour!

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