

### Collections for Last Sunday

Parish	Gift Aid	Loose	Levy	Total	At Mass
Immaculate Conception	£164.50	£105.28	£98.11	£367.89	46
All Saints	£215.00	£83.87	£105.67	£404.54	96
St. John's	£163.00	£17.00	£18.50	£198.50	23
				<u>£970.93</u>	<u>218</u>

*Immaculate Conception total for collections on 30th June should read £317.88*

**Grateful thanks to everyone for all your contributions and support.**

### Parish Notices

**Today, Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> July** is Sea Sunday when the Church prays for those who live and work at sea. There will be a retiring collection for the “**Apostleship of the Sea**” who provide practical and spiritual support to seafarers.

*[Apologies for last week's mix-up - the collection is today, not last Sunday.]*

**Next Sunday** there will be a special collection for “**Day for Life**” as you leave the church.

**All Saints:** Many thanks to all who cleaned the church after the fire last week. Your help and support was much appreciated.

**Immaculate Conception** has a film night on Wednesday 24th July, and will have the next Monday lunch on August 5th.



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### **15th Sunday in Ordinary time 14th Jul 2019** *Mass Book: p108*

<b>Saturday 13th</b>	5:30pm	<b>Immaculate Conception</b>	Veronica & Chris Yandle RIP
<b>15th Sunday in Ordinary time</b>	9:00am	<b>Immaculate Conception</b>	Dillwyn Herbert RIP
	10:30am	<b>All Saints</b>	George & Michael Gough RIP Rose Healey RIP
	5:30pm	<b>St John's</b>	
<b>Mon 15th</b>	10:00am	<b>St. John's</b>	
<b>Tue 16th</b>	6:30pm	<b>Immaculate Conception</b>	Special Intention of Maureen, Sandra, Dede & Pamela
<b>Wed 17th</b>	9:30am	<b>All Saints</b>	Adoration/Kathleen Woolley RIP
<b>Thurs 18th</b>	-	-	
<b>Fri 19th</b>	6:30pm	<b>Immaculate Conception</b>	Special Intention of Tornado Farm village
<b>Sat 20th</b>	10:00am	<b>All Saints</b>	Jim, Winnie and Maureen O'Connor RIP
<b>Saturday</b>	5:30pm	<b>Immaculate Conception</b>	James & Eileen Morris RIP
<b>16th Sunday in Ordinary time</b>	9:00am	<b>Immaculate Conception</b>	Elsie & Kenneth Aherne
	10:30am	<b>All Saints</b>	Jane George RIP
	5:30pm	<b>St John's</b>	

### VIGIL LAMPS

<b>All Saints:</b>	<b>Our Lady</b>	Anna Matthews Wellbeing
<b>All Saints:</b>	<b>St Joseph</b>	Laura's Wellbeing
<b>All Saints:</b>	<b>Sacred Heart</b>	Lee Chandler
<b>Immaculate Conception:</b>	<b>Our Lady</b>	Priests, Religious & Seminarians
<b>Immaculate Conception:</b>	<b>Sacred Heart</b>	The Pope, Cardinals & Nuncios

## SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (CONFESSION)

**All Saints:** After Mass on Wednesday / Saturday  
**St. John's:** Before Mass on Sunday and Monday  
**Immaculate Conception:** Before Mass on Saturday and Sunday

### Today's Gospel reflection Luke 10: 25-37

Probably the best story ever written! Because we know it so well, we may gloss over it. It challenges us on many levels: the inclusiveness of everyone as our neighbour; the way religious people can pass by human needs and the most rejected people can respond positively; the way we try to appear experts, like the lawyer.

It is a story of not missing human violence and abuse under our noses, a reminder that many suffer because of the cruelty of others. It's mainly a story to ask us to respond as positively as we can to all human need.

**Ask:** "what makes **me** go to the other side?" "What makes me avoid some type of people in need?" "Who might they be?"

Jesus leaves us in no doubt about the challenges, obstacles and dangers which will await us. We will succeed, however, because the power of God is working with us. Accordingly – as in last week's Gospel - 'the seventy two returned with joy'.

We ask ourselves: "Do I experience **that joy** when I do what the Lord wants?"

The message entrusted to the disciples by Jesus is peace and the nearness of the kingdom of God.

This same message of peace and justice, forgiveness and healing, and the Good News of God's kingdom, has been entrusted to the Church down the centuries.

Now it is our turn to witness to it.

✠ *Please pray for the Parishioners of our Pastoral Area:*

### whose anniversary occurs at this time:

Iolanda Rossi, Jeremiah Delaney (Jnr), Evan Jones, Anthony Lynch, Fr. Michael Hagerty, Michael O'Leary... Sean Davies, Karen Bunston, Kathryn Elizabeth Walters, John Nigel Ryan.

### for the sick and housebound:

**St John's:** Mary Benjamin (Thomas), Peter Cavendar, Maria Roberts

**All Saints:** Maureen Matthews, Norma Beecher, Kathleen Bennett, Margaret Williams, Maureen Hague, Susan Lewis, Joan Neville, Jennifer, Margaret Beecham, Norman Beecham, Pat Tagg, Mary Hillier.

**Immaculate Conception:** Kath Thomas, Pam Williams, Mavis Garrett, Jeanette Badham, Yvonne Brown, Doris Norris, Kath Williams, Winnie Buckley, Louis Moorhead, Baby Isla, Rovon Jay Powell, Keyon Hughes, Gavin Hughes, Daniel Morgan Bennett

<i>Anima Christi</i>	<i>Prayer to St Michael the Archangel</i>
<b>Soul of Christ, sanctify me Body of Christ, save me Blood of Christ, inebriate me Water from the side of Christ, wash me Passion of Christ, strengthen me O good Jesus, hear me Within Thy wounds hide me Separated from Thee let me never be From the malicious enemy defend me In the hour of my death call me And bid me come unto Thee That I may praise Thee with Thy saints. Forever and ever Amen</b>	<b>St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in the day of battle. Be our safeguard against the wickedness and snares of the Devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray and do thou, Prince of the heavenly hosts, by the power of God, cast down to hell Satan, and all wicked spirits, who wander through the world for the ruin of souls. Amen</b>