

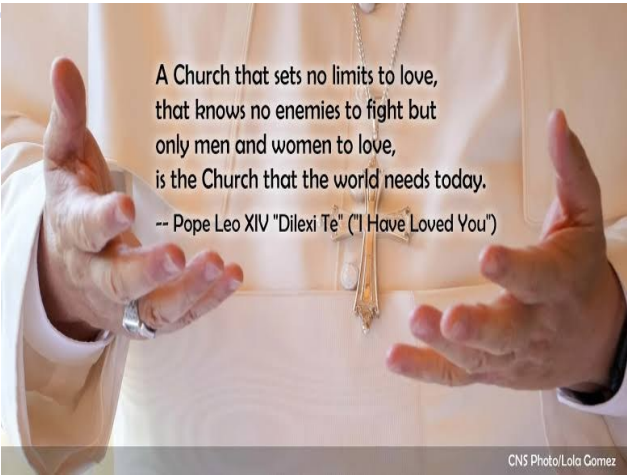
This week’s Feasts: Mon: St. Faustina Kowalska was born in 1905 in Poland. Despite the opposition of her parents, she applied to several convents, all of which rejected her. She was accepted by the Sisters of Our Lady of Mercy in 1925 where she lived for the rest of her life. From 1931 she received many visions of the Mercy of God which spread widely as The Divine Mercy. She died on 5th October 1938.

Tue: St Bruno, scholar and teacher, was born in Cologne in 1035; after teaching theology, he embraced a solitary life, settling at La Grande Chartreuse; he is the founder of the Carthusian order, which follows a way of poverty, silence, prayer and penance. He died in 1101.

Wed: Our Lady of the Rosary was instituted by Pope St. Pius V on the anniversary of the naval battle at Lepanto (1571) under the name of Our Lady of Victory; the feast was given its present name by Pope Gregory XIII. This feast urges us to meditate on the mysteries of Christ, following Mary’s example.

Fri: St. John Henry Newman, born in London in 1801, was for over 20 years an Anglican clergyman and Fellow of Oriel College, Oxford. His studies of the early Church led him to Catholicism, and in 1845 he was received into the Church. In 1847 he was ordained priest. He was an influential writer on a variety of subjects. In 1879 he was created Cardinal by Pope Leo XIII. Praised for humility, unstinting care of souls and contributions to the intellectual life of the Church, he died in Birmingham on 11 August 1890.

Sat: SS Denis and Companions. Denis came to Gaul from Rome in the middle of the third century ie c 250 AD. Arriving at an island in the River Seine he built a church and preached the Gospel. He and two companions were martyred, having brought the Gospel to Paris. **St. John Leonardi**, born in Tuscany, trained as a Pharmacist and was ordained in 1572. Joined by some companions, he established the Order of Clerks Regular of the Mother of God of which the Parish Priest of St. Ann’s, Openshaw, is a member. **St. Paulinus of York** died in 644. He was among the second group of monks sent by Pope Gregory. After working for 20 years in Kent, he was ordained bishop and sent to Northumbria. By 627, he baptised the king and many of his nobles. Paulinus returned to Kent, where he served as bishop of Rochester. **St. John of Bridlington**, born near Bridlington in 1319, became Prior of that monastery. During his life he gained reputation for holiness. He died in 1379. Henry V attributed his success at Agincourt to the intercession of this St John and of St John of Beverley. He is prayed to by women in labour and by those in the fishing industry. He was the last English saint canonised before the ‘Reformation.’



We continue our reading of Pope Leo’s Letter on the Church’s option for the poor, Dilexi Te

By her very nature the Church is in solidarity with

the poor, excluded, marginalized and those considered the outcast of society. The poor are at the heart of the Church because “our faith in Christ, who became poor, and was always close to the poor and the outcast, is the basis of our concern for the integral development of society’s most neglected members.” In our hearts, we encounter “the need to heed this plea, born of the liberating action of grace within each of us, and so it is not a matter of a mission reserved only to a few.”

At times, Christian movements or groups have arisen which show little or no interest in the common good of society and, in particular, the protection and advancement of its most vulnerable and disadvantaged members. Yet we must never forget that religion, especially the Christian religion, cannot be limited to the private sphere, as if believers had no business making their voice heard with regard to problems affecting civil society and issues of concern to its members.

“Any Church community, if it thinks it can comfortably go its own way without creative concern and effective co-operation in helping the poor to live with dignity and reaching out to everyone, will also risk breaking down, however much it may talk about social issues or criticize governments. It will easily drift into a spiritual worldliness camouflaged by religious practices, unproductive meetings and empty talk.”

Pope Leo published his first Encyclical, Magnifica Humanitas. We read and reflect on it each week:

Nourished by this fruitful dialogue between the Gospel and human knowledge, the Church has progressively developed her Social Doctrine, cultivating in history a wise patrimony marked by theological and anthropological coherence rooted in the Christian understanding of the 7person. Precisely because this patrimony arises from faith and a corresponding vision of reality, it does not amount to a repertoire of technical solutions or an economic or political model to be set against others. Instead, it belongs to a different order, namely that of the principles that guide the interpretation of events and sustain an evangelical understanding of historical processes and the choices these entail. Herein lies the proper function of Social Doctrine, which does not claim to supplant the responsibilities of politics or institutions, but offers itself as a foundation for collective discernment, helping to recognize and promote whatever serves the dignity of persons, the vitality of communities and the common good.

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THE PARISH OF ST. PATRICK with ST. MALACHY’s CHURCH, COLLYHURST and ST JOSEPH’S CHAPLAINCY TO DEAF PEOPLE
SERVING THE PEOPLE OF COLLYHURST & N. MANCHESTER CONTINUOUSLY SINCE 1832!



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Fr. Jose Netto, Assistant Priest, Rev. Stephen Scott, Deacon;
Sister Anne, Sister Regina, Parish Sisters; Amanda Donoghue (Parish Secretary)



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3rd OCTOBER 2026 Masses at St. Patrick’s unless marked St M OR St E
LIVESTREAM ON <https://st-patricks-collyhurst.click2stream.com/> Website sspatrickmalachy.org.uk

TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Isaiah 5:1-7 Philippians 4:6-9 Matthew 21:33:43	Confessions 9-9.15am, Rosary 9.10am, Mass 9.30am, Confessions 11-11.15am Mass 11.30am (signed) Confessions 10-10.15am Mass 10:30am (St. M) Creation Prayer Walk, meet at St M 3:15pm Mass (Vietnamese) 4pm
MONDAY Galatians 1:6-12 Luke 10:25-37	Exposition 8:45, Rosary 9am - Mass 9:15am
TUESDAY St Bruno Galatians 1:13-24 Luke 10:38-42	Exposition, 8.45am, Rosary 9am - Mass 9:15am Mass 6pm
WEDNESDAY Our Lady of the Rosary Galatians 2:1-2, 7-14 Luke 11:1-4	Exposition, 8:45am, Rosary 9am, Mass 9:15am Mass 6pm
THURSDAY Galatians 3:1-5 Luke 11:5-13	Exposition 8:45, Rosary 9am- Mass 9:15am Mass 6pm
FRI FAMILY FAST DAY ST JOHN HENRY NEWMAN 2 Tim4:1-5 or 1 Cor 2:10-16 Matthew 13:47-52 or John 15:9-17	Exposition 8:45, Rosary 9am- Mass 9:15am
SATURDAY <i>St Denis & Companions, St John Leonardi, St Paulinus of York.</i> Galatians 3:22-29 Luke 11:27-28	9.40am Rosary, Mass 10am, followed by Confessions, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament until Benediction 12noon Confessions 5pm, Mass 5.30pm (St. M)
TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Isaiah 25:6-10 Philippians 4:12-14, 19-20 Matthew 23:1-15	Confessions 9-9.15am, Rosary 9.10am Mass 9.30am, Confessions 11-11.15am Mass 11.30am (signed) Confessions 10-10.15am Mass 10:30am (St. M)

USE OUR CAR PARK AT THE END OF NOBBY STILES DRIVE UNLESS YOU HAVE A RESIDENTS’ PERMIT FOR THIS ZONE OR BLUE BADGE.

Young children MUST NOT go to the toilets unaccompanied. Make sure your children are accompanied. Children must be supervised using the stairs and lift. The stairs are only to access the Upper Hall under parental supervision. Children must not play on or under the stairs.



Q How do the baptized carry out their rights and responsibilities?

A As baptized Christians, we have immense privileges and responsibilities. We are called

to gather together on Sundays and holydays to join the community of believers in praise and worship. We are called to celebrate the sacraments, especially the sacrament of Christ's Body and Blood—the Eucharist, our great prayer of thanksgiving. We are called to know and to live according to the law of God. For every Christian, living out our baptism looks a little different because each of us has a unique vocation—God calls each of us in a different way. One thing is certain: baptism changes us and makes immense demands on us. Not to live out our baptism in service of God and neighbor is to be like the person in the parable who received a coin and buried it in the ground instead of investing it and letting it grow.

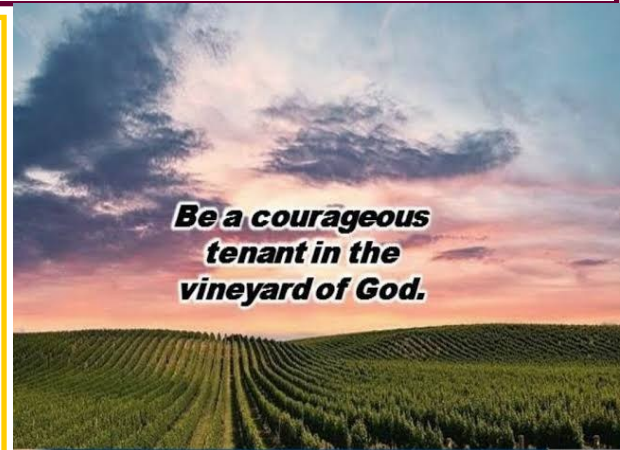
To keep in touch with you we invite you to register as parishioners. A Google Form has been created. Use the QR code to submit it.



Our parish celebrates **Harvest FAMILY FAST DAY** on Friday 9th October. On FFD we are each asked to give something up for the day, maybe an item of food or drink or a treat, and donate the money saved to CAFOD. This weekend at Mass take home a CAFOD envelope and return it with your donation next weekend.

CAFOD is our English/Welsh Catholic Agency for Overseas Development, supporting projects in the Developing World. www.cafod.org.uk

During October the Rosary will be prayed at 9am each morning Monday to Friday and on Saturdays at 9.40am in St. Patrick's church.



Matthew 21: 33-43/45-46 21 MAR 2025

Have you ever thought of becoming Catholic? Would someone you know be interested? Have you ever suggested it to someone?

Soon our Journey in Faith will be beginning in the Convent. Please let one of the sisters or Fr Paul know if you are interested.

Pope Leo's Intention for October that mental health ministry be established throughout the Church, helping to overcome the stigma and discrimination of persons with mental illnesses.

In our Diocese let us pray this week for the parish of Corpus Christi, Bromley Cross, for Fr Alf Rebello, their parish priest, their parish primary schools and for Fr Freddie Shanthikumar Fernando, chaplain to the Sri Lankan community.

In our parish we pray for all who live or work on Billbrook St, Tebbutt St and Hinton St.

For Gerard Downey and all the sick.

For David McLaughlin, Irene Leischmann, Norman Maylett, all who have died recently, and Michale and Kathleen Campbell and all remembered at his time.

The lamp in front of the Blessed Sacrament burns for Edwin Asongwe, in Our Lady's Chapel in St. Patrick's for Daniel Asongwe and in St. Joseph's Chapel for peace in the Holy Land.

If you would like an 8 day light to burn for a particular intention in front of the Blessed Sacrament, Our Lady or St. Joseph please write the intention on an envelope. If you can enclose a donation we suggest £10.

In some parishes they publish in the Newsletter for each Mass the intention for which that Mass is being offered. Would that be a good idea here? Let Fr. Paul

HOW WELL DO YOU KNOW OUR STORY? recorded by the Presentation Sisters of that time

1846 After six weeks of extraordinary exertions the good Fathers had the consolation of leaving the parishioners in a most peaceful state under the care of the Rev. Dr Roskell. At the close of the Mission the number of converts amounted to 190 and of Holy Communions 9000!

All this distress affected the nuns very much. They received constant insults and annoyances and there was reason to fear for our very lives. But when peace was restored to the district through the great mercy of Gd and the zealous labours of the Missioners, the schools recovered their numbers and everything went on as quietly as before.

QUEEN OF THE HOLY ROSARY BY CYRIL ROBERT

Queen of the Holy Rosary! Thee as our Queen we greet,
And lay our lowly, loving prayers
Like roses at thy feet.
Would that these blossoms of our souls
Were far more fair and sweet.

Queen of the Joyful Mysteries! Glad news God's envoy bore.
The Baptist's mother thou didst tend;
Angels thy Babe adore,
Whom with two doves thou ransomest;
Lost, He is found once more.

Queen of the Dolorous Mysteries! Christ 'mid the olives bled,
Scourged at the pillar, crowned with thorns,
Beneath His Cross He sped
Up the steep hill; and there once more
Thine arms embraced Him--dead!

Queen of the Glorious Mysteries! Christ from the tomb has flown,
Has mounted to the highest heaven
And sent His Spirit down
And soon He raises thee on high
To wear thy heavenly crown.

Queen of the Holy Rosary! We, too, have joys and woes.
May they, like thine, to triumph lead!
May labour earn repose,
And may life's sorrows and life's joys
In heavenly glory close.

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PARABLE LANDOWNER WINEPRESS TOWER VINTAGE PRODUCE RESPECT HEIR WRETCHES SEASON STONE FRUIT

St. Patrick's church is open Monday to Friday until 6.30pm. On Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings there is Mass at 6pm. Please do call in and pay a Visit to the Blessed Sacrament or attend Mass one evening. The church is covered by CCTV. If discover something untoward, let Fr Paul know on 07764791889.



Do help the parish via **QR code** OR **BY MACHINE** in church. Thank you for your generosity on the weekend of 20th September: £368.86 (loose), £163 (giftaid) and £157 (Spanish language community)

The Season of Creation is a time to renew our appreciation of God's gift of Creation and our responsibility to care for it. Today, 4th October, Feast of St. Francis, we will hold our Season of Creation Prayer Walk at St. Catherine's Woods near St. Malachy's at 3.30pm followed by refreshments at St. Malachy's by the kind hospitality of the Brothers. If you need a lift to the Woods, meet at St. Malachy's for 3.15pm. If going direct to the Woods, you can park just outside, but it would help if you could come to St Malachy's first at 3.15 in case anyone needs a lift.

Season of Creation Prayer Walk – 4th October

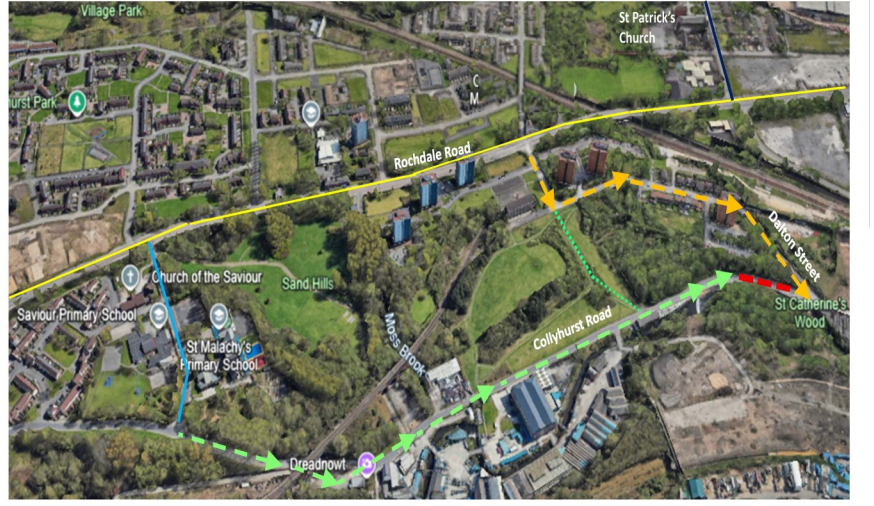
St Catherine's Wood, 3.30pm then refreshments at St Malachy's

Junction of Collyhurst Road, Dalton Street and Dantzig Street

Directions: from St Malachy's Car Park, turn left along Eggington Street then left again to go down the hill along Collyhurst Road, follow past the paint factory to the point where the river appears on the right. Park there (no restrictions). The entrance is opposite the end of Dalton Street.

Rochdale Road
Eggington Street
Livesey Street
Collyhurst Road Route (from St Malachy's)
Dalton Street Route (from St Patrick's)
Parking on Collyhurst Rd, either side

From St Patrick's Livesey St, turn right onto Rochdale Road, take the first left onto Dalton Street and continue down that road to the bottom of the hill where the entrance is.
Footpath



On Friday 23rd October we will have the first of our **Lunchtime Organ Recitals** featuring our own Stephen Mann, together with the St. Francis Players. The Concert is Free of Charge and light refreshments, including cake, will be provided afterwards.

Details of the programme are available in church and will appear on here over the coming weeks.

At every Sunday Mass there are a smaller number of **MASS SHEETS IN LARGER PRINT**. If it would help you to follow the prayers and readings more easily that the smaller print ones, do please take one.

For a larger print Newsletter please access the Newsletter on the Website or request a weekly emailed pdf which can be enlarged on your computer, phone or laptop.

If your child is in Year 3, or above, in a non-Catholic School, and you would like them to make their First Communion this coming year, in June 2027, let Fr. Paul know as soon asap.

Would parents/carers please note that the two requirements for a child to make their First Holy Communion in June 2027 is regular, sustained attendance at Sunday Mass AND parent and child participation at the Sacramental Programme Meetings. If both of these are not fulfilled, a decision will be made by Fr Paul as to whether to delay the First Communion till the following year.