

Gospel Reflection

Today Jesus sends us forth to preach the Good News. We may preach the Good News by our word, our example, and our love. We may preach the Good News by noticing and attending to an individual we encounter. Often it is the little acts of kindness that have the greatest potential to be gift to another individual. We may preach the Good News with a smile or perhaps we spend 10-15 minutes of our time and sit down and listen to a friend who is struggling. We may hear about a good cause and we decide to contribute to that cause.

In today's world, we are Jesus' disciples. Will our actions, love and care for people demonstrate that we are Jesus' disciples? The acts we do may seem very small to us. However, if done with great love, the smallest act may be a great gift to someone you encounter today!



Prisoner Outreach

Do you – like me – find carrying round small coins a waste of time? The Prisoner Outreach Organisation is a Christian network of volunteers who have been voluntarily working in HM Prisons and supplies copies of the BIBLE ALIVE booklets to prisoners. Drop your loose change into the bottle on the table in the porch and help to support this good cause.

BAPTISM PREPARATION

If you wish to make preparations for your child to be Baptised you should telephone Fr Simon or see him at Mass at 10am on Sunday.

Following this there are Meetings on the first Friday of each month at 7:30pm that you will need to attend, where you will meet Mrs Gerri Doherty and Deacon Chris Wells.

NEWSLETTER

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General Queries – ring the Parish Number
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"United in conviction and united
in love, with a common purpose
and a common mind"
Philippians 2:2

6th JULY 2025 **14th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (CYCLE C)** **MASS & SERVICE TIMES**

Saturday 5th July	5:15pm	Mass
Sunday 6th July	10:00am	Mass (Livestreamed)
Monday 7th July		No Mass
Tuesday 8th July		No Mass
Wednesday 9th July	10:00am	Mass
Thursday 10th July	10:00am	Eucharistic Service
Friday 11th July		No Mass
Saturday 12th July	5:15pm	Mass
Sunday 13th July	10:00am	Mass (Livestreamed)

If Fr Simon is unobtainable please leave a message and send an email
to stjosephwinsford2012@hotmail.co.uk

200 CLUB DRAW

Winner: £40 Prize
This week – Mr Derek Pearce

WHY NOT JOIN THE 200 CLUB AND HELP THE PARISH?

Coffee Morning

The next Coffee Morning is on
Tuesday 22nd July at 10:30am,
everyone is welcome.

Irish Sing Song at St Joseph's

The Irish Sing Song at St Joseph's on June 21st raised £2,000 approx for St Joseph's Insulation and £1,000 for St Luke's Hospice and Mid Cheshire Mind.

Thank you to everyone who supported the Irish Sing Song, either by attending, donating, singing or helping out.

We're very grateful to all the singers and musicians who took part to make the night such a success and particularly to Emily and Meera, the stars of the show!

We used the Cheshire Reusable Cup scheme, which allowed us to rent pint and half pint glasses, so we had no single use plastic cups and successful recycling of cans and bottles.

Thank you all for your support

PARISH CENTRE BOOKING ENQUIRIES

If you are interested in hiring the Parish Centre for a function,
please contact Phil Martin on 07720 807162

Prayer for our Parish:

Father, pour out your Spirit upon the people of this parish
and grant us a new vision of your glory,
a new experience of your power, a new faithfulness to your word
and a new consecration to your service,
that your love may grow among us and your kingdom come,
through Christ our Lord.

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St Joseph pray for us

Gospel

Luke 10: 1-9

Later the Lord chose seventy-two other followers
and sent them out two by two to every town and
village where he was about to go. He said to them:



A large crop is in the fields, but there are only a few workers. Ask the Lord in charge of the harvest to send out workers to bring it in. Now go, but remember, I am sending you like lambs into a pack of wolves. Don't take along a moneybag or a travelling bag or sandals. And don't waste time greeting people on the road. As soon as you enter a home, say, "God bless this home with peace." If the people living there are peace-loving, your prayer for peace will bless them.



But if they are not peace-loving, your prayer will return to you. Stay with the same family, eating and drinking whatever they give you, because workers are worth what they earn. Don't move around from house to house. If the people of a town welcome you, eat whatever they offer. Heal their sick and say, "God's kingdom will soon be here!"

"Preach the Gospel always, if necessary use words"

St Francis of Assisi

New Sunday Missal

If you missed the first chance to order the new Sunday Missal, don't worry, another order will be placed. If you would like to purchase a copy please put either £20 cash or a cheque made payable to St. Joseph's, Winsford in an envelope with your name and contact telephone number on it. Please either put this in the collection basket or leave it in the Sacristy after Mass. The order will be placed on 7th July. If you need any further information please email

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