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St Oswald's Masses W/B 6th December 2025



Date	Time	Mass Intention
Sat 6 th December	5.00pm	Bert & Barbara Sheepwash
Sun 7 th December	8.30am	Philomena & James Mellows Anthony O' Donnell (A)
Mon 8 th December	9.30am	Priest's Intention
Tues 9 th December	9.30am	Jim & Margaret Lawless
Wed 10 th December	-	
Thurs 11 th December	9.30am	Priest's Intention
Fri 12 th December	9.30am	Priest's Intention
Sat 13 th December	5.00pm	Bernadette & Maurice Wilson (A)
Sun 14 th December	8.30am	Denise Graham LD
	3.00pm	Christmas Carol Service Refreshments in the Hall

Refreshments in the parish hall following the 8.30am Sunday morning Mass

Journey of Faith The next session is on **Wednesday 10 December** at St. Mary's Social Centre, Broadfield Walk, Broadfield Drive Leyland PR25 1PD at 7pm. Theme: The Holy Spirit and the Church. This is the final session before Christmas.

Bereavement Meeting: The next meeting will be on **Sunday 7th December** 2pm – 3pm in the parish hall.

St. Oswald's Primary School Infant Nativity. Tuesday 9th December: 'Born in a Barn' starring Reception, Y1 and Y2 in church at 2pm and 6.30pm.

All Hallows Senior Citizens Christmas Party Wednesday 10th December 1pm-3.15pm. The sign-up sheet is in the porch.

Family of Parishes Christmas Carol Service: Sunday 14th December at 3pm followed by refreshments in the hall. We will be supported by the pupils of our primary school and high school.

Caritas Lunch: The Caritas Lunch will be held on **THURSDAY, 18th December** at 12 noon. We look forward to seeing all.

St. Oswald's Primary School Christingle Service Thursday 18th December: Y6 will be leading the Christingle Service in church at 2pm. Everyone invited to come along.

Service of Reconciliation with Confession. Saturday 20th December at 10.30am

Family of Parishes Christmas Services. Copies of the service times for Christmas are available in the porch.

Shoe Box Appeal: A big thank you to everyone who filled a shoebox. Over 90 boxes were taken to the International Aid Warehouse ready for distribution to the Ukraine next week.

Prayer for the Week - The Magnificat

My soul glorifies the Lord, and my spirit rejoices in God my Saviour. He looks on his servant in her lowliness; henceforth all ages will call me blessed;

The Almighty works marvels for me, Holy is His Name! His mercy is from age to age, on all who fear Him.

He puts forth His arm in strength and scatters the proud-hearted. He casts the mighty from their thrones and raises the lowly.

He fills the starving with good things, sends the rich away empty. He protects Israel, His servant, remembering His mercy, the mercy promised to our fathers, to Abraham and his sons forever. **Amen**

