

# Saint Luke's Church Kingstanding

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## *Welcome to our Mass today*



Saint Luke's has an induction loop for those who have hearing difficulties. Please select the "T" switch on your hearing aid.

*Do take a little time before Mass to ensure mobile phones are switched off.*

*Please leave the church quietly for those who wish to pray.*

Join us in the Parish Centre after Mass for coffee and light refreshments

Today is the 22<sup>nd</sup> June and is the 12<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time. Readings can be found on page 409 of the Sunday Missal and page 242 of the Roman Missal.

### The Readings

Standing up for the faith can be difficult. Yet we are called together partly for that. Jesus sends his disciples out to proclaim the good news. He asks us to have the courage to do the same. His presence with us can overcome any obstacle.

#### **First Reading *Jeremiah 20: 10-13***

Even in times of trial the prophets can be confident that they are loved and cared for by the Lord.

#### **Second Reading *Romans 5: 12-15***

Sin has entered into the script of the human story. Our relationships have become tainted. Yet now Christ has been given to us a free gift, and the conclusion of the story is up to us.

#### **Gospel *Matthew 10: 26-33***

As followers of Jesus we proclaim a message of good news, one which is challenging to our world. We may not always be accepted, but let us still have faith in him.

### **HYMNS**

**119 444 508 710**



*Matthew 10: 26-33*

*Do not be afraid of those who kill the body.*

### **Names & Numbers**

**Father Paul Jones 258 8305**

**Rest Day Saturday**

**Brother Leonard – 258 3168**

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**Clergy House Fax No: 680 4919**

### **PRAYER LIST**

*If you would like anyone prayed for on this list or taken off then please fill in one of the green forms on the contact table and hand to Mary.*

George Whitehouse, Linda Brookes, Richard and Barbara Williams, Sylvia Smart, Leslie Poynor, Michael, Ellen Fradley, Paul Waddison, Stephen Capnerhurst, Geoff Postans, Marion Whittaker, Carolyn Radford, Joan Wood, Helen Summerfield, Renee Bevan, Rieka, Sheila & Norman Wooldridge, Bert Smith, Ella Elsie Willetts, Joseph Binsley, Dorothy Ward Margaret Merrick, Andrew Goodman

## AN UPDATE ON A NEW PARISH PRIEST

Many of you have been asking if anything is happening about a new parish priest. The answer is yes, but unfortunately we have nothing to report at the moment. Up until last week we had one applicant as a result of the first advertisement that we placed, and sadly last week that applicant withdrew. We now have to go ahead with re-advertising the position, and an advert will be placed in the Church Times next week, with a closing date of 3<sup>rd</sup> July and interviews taking place on the 11<sup>th</sup> July. We are sure you will understand that in order to protect any prospective priest and their parishes we are unable to discuss any likely applicants and we hope that you will understand that we have to respect that confidentiality, so please bear with us. Please continue to pray that a priest is sent to us soon and remember that negative talk could cost us the parish priest that we want.

## NEWS & VIEWS

**Welcome to** everyone who joins us for our Mass today. Please do come into the parish centre after Mass and make new friends.

**Many thanks** to all those who helped make a church look so spotless by flicking their dusters, squeezing their mops and spraying their polish. We are all very grateful to you.

**Tonight** at 6pm. Benediction. A lovely time of quiet meditation and spirituality. Please do come and support this very moving experience.

**Leprosy Mission** – Walk of Hope on the 19<sup>th</sup> July. If you would like to join us or would like to sponsor the Luke's Team then please see Margaret who is collecting names.

**Next Sunday Craft Sale** - our next Craft Sale will be on 22<sup>nd</sup> June.

Remember to bring a few extra pennies for our stall with all goods handmade by members of our congregation. All proceeds go towards our Building Appeal and we are grateful to those who have given so freely of their times and talents to produce these wonderful crafts.

**P.C.C. Meeting** – the next meeting of the PCC will be on 26<sup>th</sup> June at 7pm. All PCC members should make sure this date is in their diary. If you are unable to attend then please give your apologies to Sylvia Orme.

**Llandudno 2nd August** – our annual parish outing will be to Llandudno. £12 for adults and £8 for children. There are only a few places left so please see Ann in the parish centre after Mass.

**Prayers for the sick** – if you would like anyone added to the prayer list then please complete one of the green forms on the contact table and hand to Mary.

**Rosary** – Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> May at 6.15pm in Church. Please do come along and experience this lovely form of prayer and meditation.

**Congratulations to Paul & Sandra** on their wedding which will take place next Sunday. They have provided some food for us in the Parish Centre after Mass, hoping that you will join with them in celebrating this wonderful occasion.

## DIARY DATES

21<sup>st</sup> June 4pm Paul & Sandra's Wedding.  
29<sup>th</sup> June – Ordination of Patrick & Br. Leonard  
2<sup>nd</sup> August – Llandudno Trip.  
12<sup>th</sup> August – Mary Poppins  
17<sup>th</sup> October – Saint Luke's Day  
12<sup>th</sup>-19<sup>th</sup> November Nile Cruise.

## WORSHIP THIS WEEK

**Monday 16<sup>th</sup>**

7pm Mass

**Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup>**

10am Mass

followed by coffee

**Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup>**

7pm Mass

**Thursday 19<sup>th</sup>**

10am Mass

followed by coffee

**Friday 20<sup>th</sup>**

7pm Mass

**Saturday 21<sup>st</sup>**

10am Mass

4pm Paul & Sandra's Wedding

6pm Evening Prayer

**Next Sunday 22nd June 10.30am – Mass**