

St John Fisher and the Shrine of Our Lady

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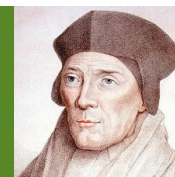
Sunday 9.30am	19th October Mass	29th Sunday World Mission Day
Monday	20th October	Weekday
Tuesday 9.00am 9.30am 11.00am 2.00pm	21st October Mass Adoration Café Churches on the Mount	Weekday
Wednesday 9.00am 9.30am 12.30pm	22nd October Mass Adoration Hands of Hope	St John Paul II
Thursday 10.00am 6.30pm 7.30pm	23rd October <i>Holy Year Pilgrimage St John Fisher School</i> Adoration Mass	St John Capistrano
Friday 11.00am 12.00 noon	24th October Adoration Mass	St Anthony Mary Claret
Saturday 12.00 noon 2.00pm	25th October Mass <i>Holy Year Pilgrimage Legion of Mary</i>	Vigil 30th Sunday
Sunday 9.30am	26 October Mass	30th Sunday

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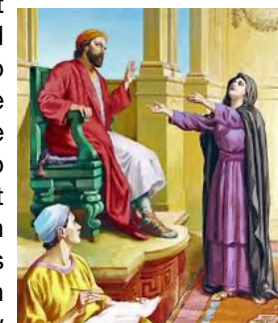
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St John Fisher Parish Community
Shrine of Our Lady of Schoenstatt
19th October 2025 World Mission Sunday



The Greatest of All "Rights" Is a Gift We hear a lot about "rights." And Jesus tells us in today's gospel that in our prayer we should ask for our rights. What are these rights that Jesus talks about? He says: "Will not God secure the rights of his chosen ones who call out to him day and night?" What are my rights? In other words, what should I ask for from God? It's common for us to think of our rights as practical items: I have a right to food, I have a right to water, I have a right to shelter. And these are important, without them we will end up in heaven sooner than God intended... And there are other rights that are not so essential, perhaps, but we still want them: we want to be understood, we want to be listened to, we want to be respected, we want to be successful. These are also good, although sometimes we may not have them. But our greatest right is something far more amazing. In Jesus, we are sons and daughters of God. By Christ's death on the Cross we have been saved from our sins. In Jesus, we see the thirst of God made visible; we see how God thirsts for our love, for the love of each person. So our greatest "right" is actually a gift. Our greatest right, our greatest privilege, is to be with Jesus. To be with Jesus in his suffering and to be with Jesus in his triumph. To belong completely to Jesus, and to possess him as the great love of our souls. Our greatest right is not success or perfection; our greatest right is not a life without suffering or difficulty. Our greatest right is to be able to say with St Paul that the life I live now is not my own, but it is Christ living in me. Our greatest right, our greatest privilege, is to be with Jesus. To let his love for us fill our entire being, and to love him in return.



Mass Intentions. We pray for peace in Eastern Europe, the Holy Land, Iran and for the people suffering there and other theatres of war. We pray for world leaders to follow a way to peace and justice. **For all our sick and housebound:** Please pray for Maureen Manion, Sheila McKay, John Denehy, Michael Curliss, Margaret Maumy, Philomena Purcell, Clare Jones, Sheila Moran, Alan Walsh, Shelly Abraham, Sheila Buchingham, Delilah O'Neil, Jenny Thompson, Peter Bendy, Margaret Ward, Anthony Hadcroft, Johnny Harris, Paul McGuire, Lynn Hutton, Janet Fielden, Anne Mazza, Marie Fenton, Patrick Cooper, Amber Jones, Muriel and Brian Osborne, Monica Whitelaw, Maureen Booth,

Maureen Grey, Sheila Barker, Lily Harris, Edmund Birch, Helen Alker, Hildegard Cornelius, Marie Fenton, Debbie Shades, Sally Gibson, Jane Shades, Thomas Shades, Benny Shades, Dominic Mazza, Maureen Lyles, Diane Middleton, Angela Fenton, James Neary, Lily Alker, Alice Hindley, Pat Pearson, Sheila McKay, Anne Holland, Annamma Anrayam, Kate Martin, Konrad Ostmeier, Elaine McNally, Joan Eastwood, Paul Ormerod, Eileen Kehoe, Lynda Robinson, Leo Mazza, Doreen Mazza, Hilda Plover, Maureen Rogers, Sheila Bocker, Peter Fenton, John Ward, Jane Jordan, Rita Derbyshire, Eric Derbyshire, John Derbyshire, Peter Tracey, Linda Muir, Maria Edwards, Agnes McFadden, Eileen Johnson, Jane Boyle, Pat Jones, Lee Pomfret. **For those, who died recently** For John LiwoszMelvin Cravitz, Adrian Daulby the two men killed at Heaton Park Synagogue, Avril de Mink, John Bandtock, Peter Passagno, Fr Peter Rudman, Bernard Jordan, Mary Fox, Helen & Leo Cunningham, Joe Cunningham, Graham Shaw, Peter Hughes, Cherish Gonzaga. **On the Anniversary** of Frances WorsleyTommy Cunningham, Ray Mazza, Kevin Eccleston, Jim O'Connell, Anthony Lyon, Kathleen & Alf Lomax, Veronica & Harry Woodward, Jude Michael Shevlin, Michael Kenny, Thomas Herbert, Winifred Jordan, Harris Caswell, Sheila Madden, Mani Varkey, Michael Neary, Bob Plover, Paul Neary. **Special Intentions** Anna Hughes, Margaret Chick, Philip Derbyshire, Shevlin family, Marie Fenton, Harris family, Anna Abraham, Arun & Swany, Joanne Monahan, Nigin Santosh, Adam Makil, Luke Makil Birthday. **Birthday Remembrance** of Emma Sheldon, Winnie Wild, Jim O'Connell. Michael Neary Jr on his Birthday. Lyn Hutton retirement. Successful operation for Anne Marie and for Celia Eccleston

GOOD NEWS *Stay with Us* Our great privilege is to be with Jesus; and his great privilege is to be with us. And Jesus fulfils this promise and this privilege in the sacrament of the Eucharist. He looks us, and we can look at him.



MARRIAGE MATTERS *Prayer is essential for a deeper loving* Today, Jesus encourages us to pray often and never lose heart. Praying together is a time for thanking God for His presence with us and for the blessing of our love for each other. We ask God to help us to forgive hurts, to share ourselves more deeply and to listen better. In darkness, pain or joy, He is there.

Shoebox Appeal

For Christmas send your Shoebox Gifts around the world. Please pack your shoebox include £5.00 for postage costs and hand it in the St John Fisher's by Sunday 9th November 2025



CARD READER for Offertory Collection We have introduced a **CARD READER** in the porch of the Church. With this you can make your offertory donation using your Credit or Debit Card.



The Holy Year and Silver Jubilee of the Shrine Thank you to every one who helped prepare and lead this wonderful celebration. We will have a meeting of all those workers, volunteers and leaders who helped prepare and lead this very blessed Jubilee weekend Let us pray that we remain Pilgrims of Hope and Builders of peace. **You are invited to a meeting at the Shrine on Sunday 2nd November 2025 starting at 5.00pm and concluding with a shared meal.**



Our Christmas Fair is on Sunday 30th November 2025.

Harold writes: As Christmas is approaching, we have to plan ahead for our Christmas Fayre. **With this in mind we are asking for donations of raffle prizes for our Grand Christmas Raffle**, a notice is on the noticeboard with suggestions of items that we normally include. If you could see your way to donating something it would be greatly appreciated. **Also we need donations of bottles for the bottle stall. Susan needs donations for the Tombola Stall and empty "Pringle" tubes.** Thank You



October invites us to rediscover the Rosary: a prayer of peace, hope, and love

O God whose only begotten Son, by His life, death, and resurrection, has won for us the rewards of eternal salvation; grant, we pray, that we who meditate on these mysteries of the most holy Rosary of the Blessed Virgin Mary, may imitate what they contain and obtain what they promise. Through the same Christ our Lord. Amen.

Please remember and return you Cafod Family Fast Envelopes



Adult RCIA Course

Fr Herbert begins meetings for those wishing to be baptised and receive the Sacrament of Confirmation on Tuesday 2nd November at 6.00pm in St John Fisher's.

November Month of the Holy Souls Please find copies of the November List at the back of Church. Let us remember our departed loved ones and the Holy Souls in Purgatory during the month of November.

