

## Calendar 2022-2023

<b>Autumn Term</b>					
<b>W/c Sun</b>	<b>Sunday Gospel/ liturgical year</b>	<b>Feast days</b>	<b>Events</b>	<b>Resources</b>	<b>Suggested theme</b>
28 <sup>th</sup> Aug	<b>Luke 14: 1,7-14</b> <i>Everyone who exalts himself shall be humbled</i>	(3 <sup>rd</sup> ) St Gregory	<b>Season of Creation (1st Sept - 4th Oct)</b> World Day of Prayer for Season of Creation.		
4 <sup>th</sup> Sept	<b>Luke 14: 25-33</b> <i>Anyone who does not carry his cross and follow me cannot be my disciple.</i>	(8 <sup>th</sup> ) The Birthday of the Blessed Virgin Mary	(5 <sup>th</sup> ) UN International Day of Charity	<i>Caritas: prayer</i>	
11 <sup>th</sup> Sept	<b>Luke 15: 1-32</b> <i>There will be rejoicing in heaven over one repentant sinner.</i>	(14 <sup>th</sup> ) The Exaltation of the Holy Cross	(11 <sup>th</sup> ) Education Sunday  (16 <sup>th</sup> ) Caritas Big Sleep Out	<i>Caritas: prayers and resources for hosting and how to support BSO.</i>	<i>Potential</i>
18 <sup>th</sup> Sept	<b>Luke 16: 1-13</b> <i>You cannot be the slave of both God and money.</i>	(21 <sup>st</sup> ) St Matthew (24 <sup>th</sup> ) Our Lady of Walsingham	(20 <sup>th</sup> - 22 <sup>nd</sup> ) Relics of St Bernadette - Salford Cathedral (21 <sup>st</sup> ) World Day of Peace		PILGRIMAGE/RELICS ASSEMBLY
25 <sup>th</sup> Sept	<b>Luke 16: 19-31</b> <i>The Rich Man and Lazarus.</i>	(27 <sup>th</sup> ) St Vincent de Paul (29 <sup>th</sup> ) Saints Michael, Gabriel and Raphael (30 <sup>th</sup> ) St Jerome (1 <sup>st</sup> ) St Therese of the Child Jesus	(26 <sup>th</sup> ) World Day of Migrants and Refugees  (26 <sup>th</sup> ) Little Way Week (loving actions) <a href="https://missiontogether.org.uk/calendar/little-way-week/">https://missiontogether.org.uk/calendar/little-way-week/</a>	<i>Caritas: prayers and discussion resource.</i>	Love


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2 <sup>nd</sup> Oct	<b>Luke 17: 5-10</b> <i>Say, 'We are merely servants'.</i>	(4 <sup>th</sup> ) St Francis of Assisi (7 <sup>th</sup> ) Our Lady of the Rosary	<b>Launch of Hope in the Future Stage 5</b> <b>Black History Month</b>  (4 <sup>th</sup> ) end of the Season of Creation (7 <sup>th</sup> ) Harvest Family Fast day	<i>HITF Stage 5 event at Caritas House.</i>	
9 <sup>th</sup> Oct	<b>Luke 17: 11-19</b> <i>No one has come back to praise, only this foreigner.</i>	(15 <sup>th</sup> ) St Teresa of Avila	(10 <sup>th</sup> ) World Homelessness Day World Mental Health Day Prisons' Week 10 <sup>th</sup> -15 <sup>th</sup> (16 <sup>th</sup> ) World Food Day	<i>Caritas: prayer and discussion resource</i>	Healing
16 <sup>th</sup> Oct	<b>Luke 18: 1-8</b> <i>The parable of the unjust judge.</i>	(18 <sup>th</sup> ) St Luke	(17 <sup>th</sup> ) International Day for the Eradication of Poverty (18 <sup>th</sup> ) Anti-slavery Day	<i>Caritas: prayer and campaign ideas</i>  <i>Caritas: prayer and awareness-raising resource.</i>	Justice
<b>Half term: 23<sup>rd</sup> October</b>					
30 <sup>th</sup> Oct	<b>Luke 19: 1-10</b> <i>Salvation comes to the house of Zacchaeus.</i>	(1 <sup>st</sup> ) All Saints (2 <sup>nd</sup> ) All Souls (4 <sup>th</sup> ) St Charles Borromeo	(1 <sup>st</sup> -12 <sup>th</sup> ) UN Climate Change Conference		Remembrance
6 <sup>th</sup> Nov	<b>Luke 20: 27 - 38</b> <i>He is God, not of the dead, but of the living.</i>	(9 <sup>th</sup> ) Dedication of the Lateran Basilica (10 <sup>th</sup> ) St Leo the Great (11 <sup>th</sup> ) St Martin of Tours	(8 <sup>th</sup> ) <i>Real Living Wage Week</i> TBC  (9 <sup>th</sup> ) World Freedom Day (11 <sup>th</sup> ) Remembrance Day	<i>Caritas: CST Dignity of Work resource.</i>	Wealth
13 <sup>th</sup> Nov	<b>Luke 21: 5-19</b> <i>The destruction of the Temple foretold.</i>		(13 <sup>th</sup> ) WORLD DAY OF THE POOR CARITAS ADVENT APPEAL LAUNCH <b>INTER-FAITH WEEK BEGINS</b> (14-18 <sup>th</sup> ) Anti-bullying Week	<i>Caritas: prayers; WDOTP assembly resource; launch of Advent resources</i> <b>Inter-faith resource</b>  <i>Caritas: Schools' Service guidance</i>	Responsibility

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20 <sup>st</sup> Nov	<b>Luke 23: 35-43</b> <i>'Today you will be with me in paradise'.</i>		(20 <sup>th</sup> ) CHRIST THE KING- YOUTH SUNDAY (23 <sup>rd</sup> ) Red Wednesday	CYMfed resource  ACN resource	Youth
27 <sup>th</sup> Nov	<b>Matthew 24: 37-44</b> <i>The Son of Man is coming at an hour you do not expect.</i>	(30 <sup>th</sup> ) St Andrew	(2 <sup>nd</sup> ) International Day for the Abolition of Slavery  Grief Awareness Week	<i>Caritas: prayer and campaign resource</i>	ADVENT
4 <sup>th</sup> Dec	<b>Matthew 3: 1-12</b> <i>The one who follows me will baptise you with the Holy Spirit and fire.</i>	(8 <sup>th</sup> ) The Immaculate Conception	(5 <sup>th</sup> ) International Volunteers Day  (10 <sup>th</sup> ) World Human Rights Day	<i>Caritas: CST resource on Rights and Responsibilities</i>	
11 <sup>th</sup> Dec	<b>Matthew 11: 2-11</b> <i>'A greater than John the Baptist has never been seen'.</i>		(18 <sup>th</sup> ) International Migrants Day	<i>Caritas prayer and discussion resource</i>	
18 <sup>th</sup> Dec	<b>Matthew 1: 18-24</b> <i>How Jesus Christ came to be born.</i>				

**Spring Term**

W/c Sun	Sunday Gospel/liturgical year	Feast days	Events	Resources/prayers	Suggested theme
1 <sup>st</sup> Jan	(6 <sup>th</sup> ) the Epiphany of the Lord		(1 <sup>st</sup> ) WORLD DAY OF PEACE Veganuary (month of January)		Peace


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8 <sup>th</sup> Jan	The Baptism of the Lord Matthew 3: 13-17 'This is my Son, the Beloved'.				Commitment
15 <sup>th</sup> Jan	<b>John 1:29-34</b> <i>'Look: there is the Lamb of God'.</i>		(18 <sup>th</sup> ) Week of Prayer for Christian Unity (18 <sup>th</sup> ) Martin Luther King day		Unity
22 <sup>nd</sup> Jan	<b>Matthew 4: 12-23</b> <i>He went and settled in Capernaun: in this way the prophecy of Isaiah was fulfilled.</i>	(24 <sup>th</sup> ) Our Lady of Peace (25 <sup>th</sup> ) The Conversion of St Paul, Apostle (28 <sup>th</sup> ) St Thomas Aquinas	(24 <sup>th</sup> ) UN International Day of Education  (27 <sup>th</sup> ) Holocaust Memorial Day (theme: Ordinary People)	<a href="https://www.hmd.org.uk/what-is-holocaust-memorial-day/this-years-theme/">https://www.hmd.org.uk/what-is-holocaust-memorial-day/this-years-theme/</a>	Truth
29 <sup>th</sup> Jan	<b>Matthew 5:1-12a</b> <i>How happy are the poor in spirit.</i>	(31 <sup>st</sup> ) St John Bosco (2 <sup>nd</sup> ) The Presentation of the Lord	CARITAS SUNDAY	<i>Caritas school/parish resources for Caritas Sunday.</i>	Humility
5 <sup>th</sup> Feb	<b>Matthew 5: 13-16</b> <i>Your light must shine in the sight of men.</i>	(8 <sup>th</sup> ) St Josephine Bakhita ~  (11 <sup>th</sup> ) Our Lady of Lourdes ~	(8 <sup>th</sup> ) Day of prayer for victims of trafficking  (11 <sup>th</sup> ) World Day of prayer for the Sick	<i>Caritas St Josephine Bakhita resource.</i>	Courage
12 <sup>th</sup> Feb	<b>Matthew 5: 17-37</b> <i>You have learnt how it was said to our ancestors; but I say this to you.</i>		(13 <sup>th</sup> ) UN World Day of Racial Justice (14 <sup>th</sup> ) Safer Internet Day		Wisdom
19 <sup>th</sup> Feb	<b>Matthew 5:38-48</b> <i>Love your enemies</i>	(22 <sup>nd</sup> ) Ash Wednesday. (22 <sup>nd</sup> ) Feast of the Chair of St Peter	(20 <sup>th</sup> FEB-5 <sup>th</sup> March) FAIRTRADE FORTNIGHT		FAIRTRADE
26 <sup>th</sup> Feb	<b>Matthew 4: 1-11</b>	(1 <sup>st</sup> ) St David	(3 <sup>rd</sup> ) World Day of Prayer (3 <sup>rd</sup> ) CAFOD Family Fast Day	<i>Caritas Dignity of Work CST resource.</i>	Caritas Lenten Appeal theme

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	<i>The temptation in the wilderness.</i>				
5 <sup>th</sup> Mar	<b>Matthew 17: 1-9</b> <i>His face shone like the sun.</i>		(8 <sup>th</sup> ) International women's day		Hope
12 <sup>th</sup> March	<b>John 4: 5-42</b> <i>A spring of water welling up to eternal life.</i>	(17 <sup>th</sup> ) St Patrick (19 <sup>th</sup> ) St Joseph			Prayer
19 <sup>th</sup> Mar	<b>John 9: 1-41</b> <i>The blind man went off and washed himself, and came away with his sight restored.</i>	(24 <sup>th</sup> ) St Oscar Romero (25 <sup>th</sup> ) The Annunciation of the Lord	(22 <sup>nd</sup> ) World Water Day		Healing
26 <sup>th</sup> Mar	<b>John 11 1-45</b> <i>I am the resurrection and the life.</i>				Faith
2 <sup>nd</sup> April	<b>Palm Sunday</b> Matthew 26: 14-27:6	(6 <sup>th</sup> ) Holy Thursday (7 <sup>th</sup> ) Good Friday			HOLY WEEK
9 <sup>th</sup> April - Easter Sunday					

**Summer Term**

W/c	Sunday Gospel/liturgical year	Feasts	Events	Resources	Suggested theme
16 <sup>th</sup> April	Divine Mercy Sunday John 20: 19-31		(22 <sup>nd</sup> ) World Earth Day		Stewardship

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	<i>Eight days later, Jesus came again and stood among them.</i>				
23 <sup>rd</sup> April	<b>Luke 24: 13-35</b> <i>They recognised him at the breaking of bread.</i>	(23 <sup>rd</sup> ) St George (25 <sup>th</sup> ) St Mark (29 <sup>th</sup> ) St Catherine of Siena			Accompaniment
30 <sup>th</sup> April	<b>Good Shepherd Sunday</b> <b>John 10: 1-10</b> <i>I am the gate of the sheepfold.</i>	(1 <sup>st</sup> ) St Joseph the Worker. (4 <sup>th</sup> ) The English Martyrs	(2 <sup>nd</sup> ) Deafness Awareness Week	<i>Caritas Deafness awareness resource</i>	Understanding
7 <sup>th</sup> May	<b>John 14: 1-12</b> <i>I am the Way, the Truth and the Life.</i>		(7 <sup>th</sup> - 14 <sup>th</sup> ) Mental Health Awareness week No Mow May		Dignity
14 <sup>th</sup> May	John 14: 15-21 <i>I shall ask the Father and he will give you another Advocate.</i>		(14 <sup>th</sup> -20 <sup>th</sup> May) Christian Aid Week (15 <sup>th</sup> ) International Day of Families <b>(20<sup>th</sup>) World Bee Day</b>		Service
21 <sup>st</sup> May	John 17: 1-11 <i>Father, it is time for you to glorify me.</i>	(26 <sup>th</sup> ) Ascension of the Lord	(21 <sup>st</sup> ) World Communications Day		Communication
<b>Half term (Pentecost 28<sup>th</sup> May)</b>					
4 <sup>th</sup> June	<b>The Most Holy Trinity</b> <b>John 3: 16 -18</b> <i>God sent his Son so that through him the</i>	(6 <sup>th</sup> ) Mary, Mother of the Church.	<b>30 Days Wild - Wildlife Trust.</b> <b>(5<sup>th</sup>) World Environment Day</b> <b>(8<sup>th</sup>) World Oceans Day</b>		<i>Environment</i>

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	<i>world might be saved.</i>				
11 <sup>th</sup> June	<b>Corpus Christi</b> <b>John 6: 51-58</b> <i>My flesh is real food and my blood is real drink.</i>	(13 <sup>th</sup> ) St Anthony of Padua			Thanksgiving
18 <sup>th</sup> June	<b>Matthew 9: 36-10:8</b> <i>The harvest is rich but the labourers are few.</i>	(22 <sup>nd</sup> ) St John Fisher and Thomas More. (23 <sup>rd</sup> ) The Birthday of St John the Baptist (24 <sup>th</sup> ) Sacred Heart	(20 <sup>th</sup> ) World Refugee Day	<i>Caritas Refugee Week resources including Miles That Matter fundraising.</i>	Mission
25 <sup>th</sup> June	<b>Matthew 10: 26-33</b> <i>Do not be afraid of those who kill the body.</i>	(29th) SS Peter and Paul			Power
2 <sup>nd</sup> July	<b>Matthew 10: 37-42</b> <i>Anyone who loses his life for my sake will find it.</i>		<i>Plastic free July</i>		Sacrifice
9 <sup>th</sup> July	<b>Matthew 11: 25-30</b> <i>You have hidden these things from the wise and revealed them to little children.</i>	(16 <sup>th</sup> ) Our Lady of Mount Carmel			Talent
16 <sup>th</sup> July	<b>Matthew 13: 1-23</b> <i>A sower went out to sow.</i>		(18 <sup>th</sup> ) Nelson Mandela Day	<i>Caritas Big Sleep Out details available for Sept. Date TBC</i>	