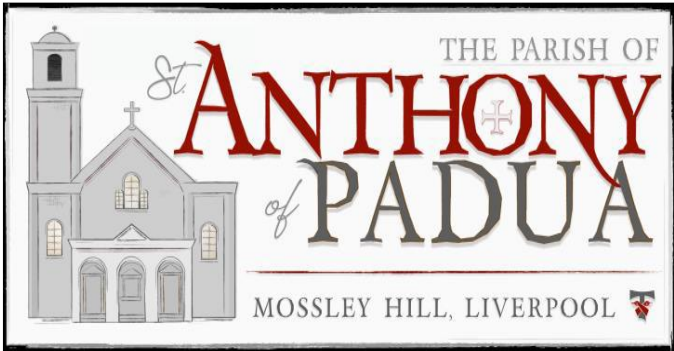




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16th Sunday in Ordinary Time 19th July 2026 Dear A

Summer Fayre – a wonderful afternoon of fun, food, entertainment and community spirit for all ages! This year's fayre is shaping up to be one of our best yet, with plenty to see and do, including: 🍰 Delicious homemade cakes and refreshments 🎵 Live music throughout the afternoon 🎪 Spectacular dance displays 🍕 Freshly made pizzas from the pizza van 🏰 Bouncy castles and giant slides for the children 🧩 3D printed fidgets and figures 🛍️ Stalls, games, prizes and much more! Bring your family, friends and neighbours and enjoy a fantastic summer afternoon together. Whether you're coming for the entertainment, the food, or simply to spend time with friends old and new, there's something for everyone. **We look forward to welcoming you on Saturday from 12 noon for a fun-filled day of summer celebration. Don't miss it!** 🌞🎉

Important Information: This Sunday, **19th July**, we are delighted to welcome a family for the **Baptism of their child during the 12 noon Mass**. As we gather to celebrate this special occasion, let us keep the child and their family in our prayers, asking God's blessing upon them as they begin this important step in their journey of faith. All are warmly welcome to join us for this joyful celebration. 🙏🌿

Children's Church: Has now ended for the summer break and will restart on **Sunday, 6th September**.

Summer Holidays: As the school year comes to an end and the summer holidays begin, **Fr Gerard Mary and Fr Max** would like to wish all our children and their families a **happy, safe and enjoyable summer break**. We would also like to express our sincere thanks to all the teachers, school staff and the Fun Times team for their hard work, care and dedication throughout the year. Your commitment and support are greatly appreciated by our parish community.

We would like to extend our sincere thanks and best wishes to **Mr Brooks** as he leaves us to take up his new post as Head Teacher at **St Margaret Mary's School**. We are grateful for all he has contributed to our school community and wish him every success and happiness in his new role. We also look forward to welcoming **Mrs Edwards** as our new Headteacher in September and assure her of our prayers and support as she begins this exciting new chapter.

May the weeks ahead be filled with rest, joy and many happy moments with family and friends

All Peace and Good, have a wonderful summer. 🌞🙏

Warm Space – Tuesdays from 9:30AM to 12 Noon during term time only. **We will re-open 15th September 2026 see you then.**

The Toddler Group meets in the hall on Wednesdays from 10h00 to 12 noon. The Toddler Group volunteers would like to thank everyone for their support throughout the year. We have enjoyed sharing so many happy mornings with you and your children. We wish you all a wonderful summer and look forward to welcoming you back on **Wednesday 2nd September**. 🍌🧸

Tea & Coffee in the Hall after 10h00 & 12h00 Mass. Light refreshments and fellowship. Pop in for a quick cuppa and a chat with fellow parishioners after mass.

Sunday Collection: Sunday 12th July 2026 1st Collection: £825.00. 2nd Collection: £339.00 Thank you for your kindness to parish and friary.

MASS TIMES	Saturday	9am [Morning Prayer in Church] 9:30am [Holy Mass] Franciscan Crown Rosary (After mass) 11:00am [Baptisms] 12-1pm [Confessions] 6.00 pm [Vigil Mass]
	Sunday	8.00 am. 10.00 am. and 12.00 noon
	Weekdays	12.00 noon [Tuesday – Friday]
	Holidays	10.00 am.
Confessions	Tues & Fri:	11:15 – 11:45 & Saturday: 12:00 – 1:00 pm
Exposition	Tues & Fri:	11:15 – 11:45
St Anthony Devotions.	Tuesday:	12:00 noon (after Holy Mass)
Baptisms.	Register for Preparation Programme by e-mail to the Parish Office.	
Marriage.	By appointment (6 months' notice required).	

Secular Franciscan Order. Second Sunday of the month at 2.30 pm.

MASSES THIS WEEK:

18. Sunday Vigil	6:00 pm	Beryl Messenger
19. Sunday	8:00 am	Charlie O’Rielly - RIP
	10:00 am	Pam Thornton -RIP Anniversary
12 noon		<i>Missa pro Populo</i> (for all parishioners)
20. Monday	Private	Jenny Poole RIP
21. Tuesday	11:15-11:45	<i>Exposition & Adoration</i>
	12 noon	Thanksgiving for St. Anthony of Padua
22. Wednesday	12 noon	Peggy Westhead - RIP
23. Thursday	12 noon	Emily Melia - RIP
24. Friday	12 noon	Beryl Colette Messenger - RIP
25. Saturday	9:00 am	Morning prayers
	9:30 am	Mass – for vocations
Sunday Vigil	6:00 pm	Dionne Yeglis - Healing
26. Sunday	8:00 am	Continued Recovery (MH)
	10:00 am	Felisa and Eddie Hoye - RIP
	12 noon	<i>Missa pro Populo</i> (for all parishioners)

Masses Received: Sally Williams – RIP, Christine Clemants- RIP, Stella Croffer – RIP, Harry & Teresa Lymess- In memory, Michael Lyness – Healing, Holy souls in purgatory - Special Intention, Robert (Bob) Wheelhouse – RIP, Dave and Sheila Critchley - Wedding Anniversary, Successful Hospital Treatment (MH), Joan Morris – RIP, Patricia Critchley - Anniversary

We pray for those who have recently died and those whose anniversaries occur at this time: e Eunice Garforth, Br. Simon Henry Lucas, Fr Patrick Griffin, Fr Leo Godfrey, Linda Beech, Les Jones, Monica Elliott, Peter Harrison, Veronica Doran, Catherine Gordon, Margaret Finegan, Sheila O’Reilly, Joseph Green, Maureen Birch, Milly Jeffreys, Mary McHale, Alice McLoughlin, George V. Landry, Jack Williams, Peter Murphy, Patricia Murphy, Christine Bird, Michael Denning, Fergal Lawlor. **May the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.**

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If you would like to make regular donations to the parish without using cash, you have the option to set up a standing order. Gift Aid can still be applied to standing order donations, allowing us to make the most of your generosity.

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