

THE PARISH HOUSE AND LEADERSHIP

Sacred Heart Church (SH):
483 Liverpool Road,
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PR8 3BP

St John Stone Church & Parish Office (SJS):
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Parish Office times: Tues, Thurs, Fri 10-5, Wed 1-5, (Newsletter deadline: Thurs 3pm)

Part of the Southport Pastoral Area: <http://www.southportcatholicchurches.org>

SVP number for people in emergency need: **07340 836172**

2017 SJS Counters and Readers Rotas is available for collection in the SJS porch
Brownies: Panto trip on 13th Jan (oh, yes they are!)

PARISH CHOSEN CHARITIES: thank you to the parishioners who put on such great social events, which are great fun AND raise funds for our Parish Chosen Charities - which are ACN (Aid to Church in Need), Nugent Care & Southport Spinal Unit.

We start 2017 on **Friday 27th January** at SJS Parish Club, 8 til late, with a **Frankie Valli tribute act** and songs from the Jersey Boys show. Tickets £10 from the bar (or phone 577170 after 7pm)

Future dates for your diary:

Feb 25th	Lionel Ritchie tribute act	17th March	Irish singer
21st April	Abba tribute act	13th May	Rat Pack
June:	Parish barbecue (date tba)		

Regular SJS Club Gatherings include: Slimming World, Mon 5-9pm, Tues 8.45-11.30am, Bridge Monday 1-3.30, Music & Singing Tues 8pm and Wed 8.30pm, Knit 7 Natter Fortnightly Wed 2pm, Bingo Wed 8pm, Chess Thurs 7pm, Bowls Thurs 7pm (Oct-May).

Regular SH Hall Gatherings include: Keep Fit Mon 10-11, Tai Kwando Mon 4.30-5.30, Trefoil 1st Tues 7.45-9pm, WI 2nd Wed 2-4pm, Civic Society last Wed 8-10pm, Tai Chi Thurs 11.30-12.30, Brownies Thurs 6-7.15, Ainsdale Horticultural Soc 2nd Thurs 7-10pm (Sept-May), Bingo Fri 8-10pm, Soulcare 1st Sat 11-5pm, Coffee & Chat last Mon 2pm

Thank you...

.... for your kind sponsorship of Monica's Santa Dash for Queenscourt that raised £160
.... for your continued prayers and support for Eileen Howard on Laurence's passing.
.... for your continued prayers and support for Canon Shaw who's now in the care of the Sisters at St Vincent's in Leicester Street, Southport, as he continues his recovery. Bravo to Fr Atli, Tommy, Alice, and all who served him so speedily and well since.

COMBINED MONEY MATTERS				
Offertory	S/Orders	Total	Crib Collection: £38.00 Next week's special collection: Pax Christi	
25/12/16	£2442.80	£159.00		£2601.80
1/1/17	£1067.76	£159.00		£1226.76

**HeartStone - the Paired Parish of
Sacred Heart and St John Stone**



Our Parish Vision Statement

Jesus Christ is uniting our community of HeartStone in its Vision and Mission so that all might find a place of welcome, prayer and loving outreach when in need.

8th January 2017 – Epiphany of the Lord

YrA	LITURGY & SPIRITUAL LIFE	COMMUNITY LIFE & SERVICE	
Sat.Eve	4.45 Confessions SH 5.30 Mass: Betty Vaughan (B) SH	Hospitality after morning masses 12.15 Visitation Team Prep SJS 1pm Retired Priests' Christmas Lunch Ext. <i>Don't forget NO Bingo on Sundays</i>	
SUNDAY	9am Mass: Canon Albert Shaw (S) SH 10.30 Mass: People of the Parish SJS 5pm Mass: James Tongue (A) SJS		
Mon	Baptism of the Lord 9.15 Morning Prayer SH Extra 9.30 Mass: Margaret McManus (LD) SH		2pm Choir Practice SJS (new voices always welcome)
Tues	8.45 Adoration & Morning Prayer SH 9.30 Mass: Bernard McGrath (LD) SH		7.15pm SVP Meeting SJS 12.30 Let's Live Well ALL 7.30pm Joint Church Teams Meeting SJS
Wed	9.15 Morning Prayer SJS 9.30 Mass: Stephen Jordan (LD) SJS 6.30 Contemplative Meditation Red Rm 7.30 Sharing Scripture SJS	12 noon Ecumenical Clergy ALL 2.30 Fr T. at Irenaeus ALL 7.30 Improve Woodvale SJS Club 8pm Bingo SJS	
Thurs	9.15 Morning Prayer SJS 9.30 Mass: Itsvan & Dianne SJS followed by Adoration til 11 2pm Spiritual Counsel SJS 4-6 Parish Vision Team Red Rm 7.15 Catechists for Children's Liturgy SH	1.30 Foodbank Ainsdale ALL NO Brownies until 19 th Jan SH 7pm Indoor Bowls SJS 8pm OLG Committee SJS	
Fri	8.45 Adoration & Morning Prayer SH 9.30 Mass: Mike Darcy (LD) SH 6.30 Contemplative Meditation SJS 7.30 Mass: Teresa Slingo SJS	7pm Brownies at Panto 7.30 Welcoming the Stranger Club 8pm Bingo SH	
Sat **	9.15 Morning Prayer SJS 9.30 Liturgy of Word & Communion SJS followed by Adoration til 11	10.30 Migrants Meeting Ext 3pm Run thru of Visitation SJS 4pm Set up for Visitation Club	
15th January 2017 – 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time - Peace Sunday			
Sat.Eve	5.30 Mass: Claire Marsh (A), SH Florence Glover (LD)	Hospitality after Visitation mass SJS	
SUNDAY	10am VISITATION MASS #2: SJS Jo Bonnet (A) 5pm Mass: Bridget Walton (T) SJS	11.30 WYA Catechists SJS Fr T's Hospital Ministry week	

A = Anniversary, B = Birthday, LD = Lately Dead, S = Sick, T = Thanksgiving