THE RIBBLE VALLEY PARISHES OF
ST WILFRID, LONGRIDGE: ST MARY, CHIPPING:
ST PETER AND ST PAUL, RIBCHESTER.

Parish Priest: Fr Anthony Dutton
Telephone: 01772 782641
Email: stwilfridslongridge@outlook.com
Website: https://stwilfridslongridge.org

Thirty Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
Year A
Sunday 15th November 2026



"Well done, good and faithful servant. You have been faithful in small things, come and join in your master's happiness."

Day	St Wilfrid	St Mary	Ss. Peter & Paul
Monday 16th November	**Priest's Day Off**	**Priest's Day Off**	**Priest's Day Off**
Tuesday 17th November	**No Mass**		
Wednesday 18th November			**No Mass**
Thursday 19th November		**Mass 9.30am**	
Friday 20th November			
Saturday 21st November	**Mass 5.30pm**		
Sunday 22nd November		**Mass 9.30am**	**Mass 11.00am**

Parish of St Mary Chipping **Parish Notices**
Sunday Missal page 433

Bicentenary Meeting – Change of Venue

Please note that the Bicentenary Planning Meeting on Wednesday 18th November at 7pm is **now in the Presbytery at St Marys** and not in the Community Hall.

Food Bank

The food bank welcomes all donations from parishioners and in particular baby products, toiletries, long life milk, juice, tea and coffee. Please note that there will be a container at the back of the church so items can be left at any time.

The Faithful Departed

We pray for our departed loved ones and for those who have fallen asleep in the hope of rising again.
We remember especially:
Anne Connolly, Margaret Rosemary Saunders, Margaret Rose Ross, Harry Slater and George Thomas Brewer.
May the Risen Lord grant them a share in his Resurrection.

Recent Offertory Donations:

Sunday 8th November **£273.84** **Thank you.**

Parish of St Wilfrid Longridge **Parish Notices**

Sunday Missal page 433

Christmas Draw 2026

It's that time of year again! Raffle tickets are now available from the back of the church Please take a packet to sell and return by Saturday 28th of November. Any donations of prizes will be gratefully received. In a change to previous years, the draw will take place on Tuesday 1st of December after Mass. Good luck!

Pie & Peas

The Pie, Peas, Pickles and Puddings event held recently in the Parish Room raised a very impressive **£822.23** towards church funds – a huge thank you to all those who supported this fundraising event and to those who worked hard in making it possible.

Longridge Foodbank

Kindly note that Longridge Foodbank is currently in short supply of the following items: Coffee, Tinned Meat, Long Life Milk and Toiletries. If you can donate any of these items in the collection box at the back of church, it would be greatly appreciated.

The Faithful Departed

We pray for our departed loved ones and for those who have fallen asleep in the hope of rising again. We especially remember:
Greta Taylor, Joyce Mary Ingham, Carolyn Pattinson, Henry Joseph Blissett, Elizabeth Ann Richmond, John Glenn, Francis Donnelly and Marie Cowell.
May they rest in peace.

Canon Fr Harry Doyle

We have been deeply saddened to hear about the passing of Canon Fr Harry Doyle of Alston Lane RC Church. Fr Tony worked closely with him for many years, and his loss will be deeply felt by many. We pass our deepest condolences onto his family, parishioners and many friends. May God grant him eternal rest.

No weekday Mass

Kindly note that there will be no weekday celebration of Mass on Tuesday and Wednesday. This is due to the Deanery Mass for deceased clergy taking place at St Mary's Osbaldeston on Tuesday and a previous appointment Fr Tony has on Wednesday.

Autumn Gathering

At this years Autumn Gathering it was decided to donate the proceeds of the 100 squares fundraising to Fr Benjamin to help the children that he supports in Nigeria. He has recently returned from visiting the children and has now received the £260 which was raised at the event and has now forwarded the funds onto Nigeria, where it will make a real difference to the children's lives. Fr Benjamin would like to sincerely thank everyone for their kind support, and he will continue to give updates on how things are progressing in Nigeria.

Parish of St Peter and St Paul Ribchester **Parish Notices**

Pie & Pea Supper

Last chance for tickets at £12 each for this event which is to be held on Friday 20th November at Ribchester Parish Hall (Riverside) at 7pm. Contact: Lorraine Orr 07403 206406 or any PPC member. **Please note that it is a cash bar at the hall**. The PPC would like to thank everyone for their kind donations of raffle prizes so far – any more would be most welcome! These can be left at the back of the church in a bag, thank you.

The Faithful Departed

We pray for our departed loved ones and for those who have fallen asleep in the hope of rising again. We remember especially:
Alice Ashton, Robert Isherwood, Margaret Bolton, Susan Walker, Annie Martin and Bernard McClelland. May they rest in peace.

Recent Offertory Donations:

Sunday 8th November 2026: £206.00 Thank you.

New Year Retreat

Start the New Year with a retreat at the Christian Heritage Centre, Stonyhurst. This is beginning on 7th January 2027 for 6 consecutive Thursdays from 5.30pm until 7pm. This is an opportunity to renew our primary relationship with God. Please see the poster at the back of church and take a flier with the invitation from Pope Leo and information about the retreat.