

A parish in the Care of the Salesians of Don Bosco – Northeast Hampshire Pastoral Area
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The Collaborative Empowerment Ministry Model

-Working in Teams-

Parish Pastoral Plan for Year 2026



After this the Lord appointed seventy-two others and sent them two by two ahead of him to every town and place where he was about to go. He told them, "The harvest is plentiful, but the workers are few. Ask the Lord of the harvest, therefore, to send out workers into his harvest field." Luke 10:1-2

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Introduction

Pope **Leo XIV**, continuing the legacy and vision of **Pope Francis**, has reaffirmed **Synodality – Walking Together** as the path for the Universal Church.

Through his writings, speeches, and symbolic actions, Pope Leo XIV has made clear his commitment to nurturing a **Missionary–Synodal Church**, one rooted in shared responsibility, participatory discernment, and collaborative leadership, where clergy, religious, and laity walk together and **work in teams** for the mission of the Gospel.

Following a **successful year and a half of the initial Parish Pastoral Plan launched in 2024**, during which strong foundations of participation, consultation, and trust were established, the parish is now ready to **progress its collaboration** to a deeper level. This next phase invites us to move intentionally towards **working in teams**, embracing shared responsibility and co-responsibility in pastoral planning, decision-making, and mission.

Rt. Rev. **Philip A. Egan**, Bishop of Portsmouth, in agreement with the Salesian Provincial, **Fr Gerry Briody SDB**, has entrusted the pastoral care of the parish of Our Lady of Lourdes and Saint Dominic Savio to the **Salesians of Don Bosco**, represented in the person of **Fr Anthony Lobo, SDB**. As a religious priest, he is called to work in communion with the bishop, while preserving and animating the **Salesian identity and charism** within the parish entrusted to the Salesian Congregation.

Inspiration

- The continuing **Synodal vision of Pope Francis**, upheld and carried forward by **Pope Leo XIV**, calling the Church to walk together, share responsibility, and work collaboratively in teams.
- Alignment with the **Diocesan Mission Plan**.
- The **Salesian charism**, with its strong emphasis on collaboration, accompaniment, and shared mission—especially in ministry with young people.

Our Mission

Our journeying together is to build on the pillars of Evangelisation, Catechesis and Formation where we recognize the vital role of young people and create a privileged space for them and make the Laity indispensable partners in the mission of the parish.

Our Vision

To be a synodal parish church, where we walk and collaborate to create a more engaged, vibrant, inclusive parish community, reflecting the vision of Pope Leo, the mission of the diocese of Portsmouth and the Salesian Spiritual Identity.

Our Goal

Collaborative Empowerment Ministry -This model proposes a leadership structure where the Parish Priest empowers twelve volunteers to lead twelve parish ministries. Each minister then forms a team of six parishioners as in the gospel of 72 disciples being sent on a mission. These are volunteers chosen by the Priest who are in alignment with his vision and who have been generously giving of their time, talents, gifts, and resources for service of the mission in building the parish community. Emphasis on shared decision-making through prayer, discussion, and discernment. Leaders empower their ministry teams.

Our Model

Biblical - The concept of shared leadership finds support in the Bible, where Jesus is seen collaborating with his disciples. Paul emphasises the importance of shared leadership and using one's power to empower others. As Paul states in Ephesians 4:11-12, "And these were his gifts: some to be apostles, some prophets, some evangelists, some pastors and teachers, to equip God's people for work in his service, to the building up of the Body of Christ."

Diocesan – The Mission plan of our diocese of Portsmouth is three-fold in bringing people closer to Jesus Christ through our parishes.

- To be a Christ-centred church
- To be a missionary community
- To be prudent stewards

Salesian - The Salesians of Don Bosco, a Catholic religious order with a focus on youth ministry, have been given the responsibility of the parish in question. Young people are actively involved in planning and execution.

Governance

Parish Pastoral Council (PPC) - The PPC comprises of twelve members who collaborate with the Parish Priest on initiatives aligned with the parish's mission and vision.

- The parish priest takes on the role of presiding over the Pastoral Council, while the PPC Chairperson takes on the role of chairing it. The Parish Priest's role is crucial in ensuring that the council operates effectively and aligns with the mission and vision of the parish (Salesian Parish) and the diocese. While the council advises and gives recommendations, the Parish Priest remains the proper shepherd of the parish.

- The Parish Priest keeps ultimate responsibility but consults with the PPC.

- The PPC advises and makes recommendations.

Our Alignment

The priorities of the Ten-Year Mission Plan of the diocese

The Ten-Year Mission Plan of the diocese has two fundamental principles: Jesus Christ at the Centre of all we do and developing truly Missionary Communities (our parishes, schools and families).

We have nine priorities over the next ten years:

- **Mass & the Eucharist:** A reaffirmation of the Eucharist as the source and summit of our lives and a radical recommitment to Jesus Christ in prayer and our sacramental life.
 - **People of God - Clergy:** Supporting our clergy to meet the challenges of our time by developing a supportive and more structured approach to ongoing formation, personal development, and accompanied reflection.
 - **People of God - Lay Faithful:** Developing opportunities for the formation of our laity, growing in the knowledge of our faith to nurture personal growth in holiness and to realise and nurture the gifts and talents of all in service of the church.
 - **People of God - The Young Church:** Our missionary communities helping young people to encounter Jesus Christ; through accompaniment and meaningful involvement in all aspects of church life. Fostering vocations to all states of life and ministry and supporting young communities of faith.
 - **Church Beyond Walls:** Developing welcoming inclusive missionary communities, reaching out to others in their time of need, and welcoming seekers and strangers.
 - **Responding to Laudato Si:** Taking practical steps to meet the challenge of stewardship of our common home and understanding the relationship between environment and social justice.
 - **Christian Voice:** Working with other Christian faiths and people of goodwill to foster mutual understanding, carry out our mission, and remind the world of the Gospel Message.
 - **Stewardship:** Prudent stewardship of all our resources, time, talent, and treasure to ensure a sustainable and vibrant future.
- Pastoral Structures:** Ensuring that we are organised to develop flourishing missionary communities with the right resources including our people our estate and our finances.

Salesian Educative Pastoral Plan

(SEPP): This plan emphasises co-responsibility, youth involvement, and creating a welcoming environment for all.

This plan outlines five key areas for a Salesian parish:

1. **A CENTRE for evangelisation and education in the faith.**
2. **A PRESENCE of the Church open and inserted in the territory.**
3. **A COMMUNITY with a missionary outlook.**
4. **A CLEAR OPTION for Youth.**
5. **A PLACE of CONVERGENCE of the different ministries in the Parish.**

STRUCTURE OF GOVERNANCE



OLSD
Our Lady of Lourdes + St Dominic Savio

Parish Pastoral Council 2025-2026



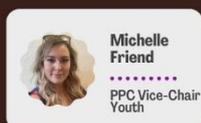
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Parish Priest



Deacon Paul Evans
Parish Deacon



Paul Bryanhill
PPC Chair
Spirituality & Prayer



Michelle Friend
PPC Vice-Chair
Youth



Paul Swallow
Finance & Fabric



Ann Paton
Catechesis



Martin Wood
Liturgy & Worship



Anne-Marie Baggott
Safeguarding



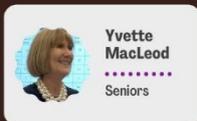
Valerie Strange
Safeguarding
Diversity & Culture



Erica Huntley
Children



Liz & Matt Rose
Family & Life



Yvette MacLeod
Seniors



Sharon Boylett
Hospitality



Jo Wood
Media
ChurchSuite



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Salesian Pastoral Organic Team (SPOT)

(Meets fortnightly)

Fr Anthony - Formation & Salesian Charism
Deacon Paul - Evangelization & Outreach
Paul Bryanhill - Ministry Governance
Paul Swallow - Stewardship
Martin Wood - Worship

Salesian Pastoral Core Group (SPCG)

(Meets Monthly)

Paul Bryanhill - Ministry Governance (Parish Chair)
Michelle Friend - Youth
Ann Paton - Catechetics
Martin Wood - Liturgy & Worship
Yvette MacLeod - Seniors
Sharon Boylett - Social
Jo Wood - Media/Church Suite
Liz & Matt Rose - Family & Life
Valerie Strange - Diversity & Culture
Fr Anthony - Lectio Divina & Salesian Charism

Salesian Stewardship - Finance & Fabric

(Meets Monthly)

Paul Swallow - Chair
Deacon Paul - Clergy
Jo Wood - Secretary
Dawn Barhan - Parish Administrator
Anne-Marie Baggott - Health & Safety
Paul Bryanhill - Budget
Vicky Ryan

The Parish Pastoral Council

(Meets Quarterly with two full days for a Retreat and Formation)

KEY OBJECTIVES FOR THE PASTORAL YEAR 2026

1. To Implant the Salesian Charism in Parish Life.
2. To promote an active participation of young people within the life of the Parish.
3. To form teams within each parish ministry, a minimum of six members to be able to plan, collaborate and coordinate with the PPC.

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Feast of Saint Jonh Bosco
31st January 2026

MINISTRY DESCRIPTIONS AND KEY INITIATIVES FOR 2026

Liturgy and Worship Ministry

Contact

Ministry Lead: **Martin Wood** - liturgy-worship@olsd.org.uk

Description

The Liturgy & Worship Ministry supports our Priest and Deacon in planning and running the core liturgical functions of the church to achieve our Mission objectives in bringing people to Jesus through prayer. We help plan well-organised, meaningful and animated liturgies from regular Weekday and Sunday Mass to the more elaborate liturgies for Christmas and Easter. Our Altar Servers assist the priest in celebrating Mass, and our Eucharistic Ministers help with the distribution of the Sacrament of Holy Communion at Mass and take it to the homes of our housebound parishioners. We support our Priest when required at Funerals, Weddings and other Services. We liaise on the duties of Welcomers and collaborate with other Ministries particularly Spirituality and Prayer.

Key Initiatives

1. To plan and deliver high quality Formation and Training for Ministers across Readers, EMHC and Altar Servers.
2. To widen leadership roles in the Music Ministry to empower more Ministers and improve capacity to expand change and focus on youth and recruit young instrumentalists and singers.
3. To migrate the organisation and rotas of Welcomers to the Hospitality Ministry whilst retaining involvement in the co-ordination of the various liturgical Ministers.
4. To collaborate with Diversity and Culture Ministry to make our Liturgies more inclusive.
5. To recruit a panel of occasional organists for Sundays and Special Events.

TEAM:

Kevin Motouri
James Fitzpatrick Ellis
Valerie Strange
Johann Diaz
Loretta Da Silva
Will Lyons
Christopher Esuk

Charmaine Ramos – EMHC (Table)
Mary Pole-Baker – EMHC (Home Visit)
Guillaume Thompson/Deacon Paul/Salesian Brothers – Altar Servers
Will Lyons & Valerie Strange – Readers
Johann Diaz – Organist
Ray Harden – Head Sacristan
Constantine Cassar – Weekly Sacristan

Youth Ministry

Contact

Ministry Lead: **Michelle Friend** - youth@olsd.org.uk (Vice Chair of the PPC)

Description

The Youth Ministry aims to encourage the youth of our parish to know God's word, develop a relationship with Christ and become active in the Church community. It is necessary to invest in today's youth, as they are the future of our Parish and by investing in them now, we prepare them to serve God in all that they do.

We also wish to create a safe space for our youth to not only socialise and make friends, but to discuss their faith without fear or judgement. We would also like to bridge the gap between all adult youth by opening up the Devereux club to everyone aged 18-35, to allow for mentorship and support as our young adults transition into their adult life.

Therefore, the new group ages will be:

Children: Year 3 - Year 6

Pre-adolescents: Year 7 - Year 9

Adolescents: Year 10 - Year 13 (Sixth Form).

Young Adults: Devereux Club – age 18-35

Key Initiatives

1. Completing the Youth Ministry team to organise the events of the parish.
2. Get the 'Faith Formation Through Fun' Groups up and running to provide both formation and social activities.
3. Assemble a team of animators to lead and assist with the 'Faith Formation Through Fun' groups.
4. Organise separate youth activities through the year.

TEAM:

Brother Andre Kankwenda SDB

Brother Malachy Okeke SDB

George Lewis

Luke Jupp

Guillaume Thompson

Bethan Paton

Finance and Fabric Ministry

Contact

Finance Chair: **Paul Swallow** – finance@olsd.org.uk

Description

The mission of the Finance and Fabric ministry is to offer advice and guidance to the Parish Priest on financial matters, making the best use of the generous donations given to the parish to ensure that they are used to support the parish mission, vision, and strategy, and to progress work on the parish estate.

The mission is based on the principle of 'Responsible Stewardship' in compliance with the Diocesan Terms of Reference and Operating principles. Success is measured primarily in spiritual fruits, however at the same time the aim is to ensure that the parish is financially robust so that we can continue and sustain the important work of building God's Kingdom here in Farnborough

Key Initiatives

1. Ensure that ongoing expenditure does not result in an annual deficit.
2. Maintain a three-year finance plan to prioritise extraordinary expenditure and use of legacies based on pastoral needs.
3. Ensure that necessary work identified on the church, hall and presbytery is carried out economically, effectively and safely.

TEAM:

Paul Swallow – Chair

Deacon Paul – Clergy

Jo Wood – Secretary

Dawn Barhan – Parish Administrator

Anne-Marie Baggott – Health & Safety

Paul Bryanhill - Budget

Vicky Ryan

Catechesis Ministry

Contact

Ministry Lead: **Ann Paton** - catechetics@olsd.org.uk

Description

The Catechesis ministry covers the sacraments of initiation, it is about knowing and passing on our faith.

John Paul II explains that the profound goal of the ministry of catechesis is to put people not only in touch, but in communion, in intimacy, with Jesus Christ: only He can lead us to the love of the Father in the Spirit and make us share in the life of the Holy Trinity.

Our mission is to know and pass on our faith, to proclaim the good news of the Gospel to children, youth and adults to "put people in communion with Jesus Christ" (Catechism of Catholic Church).

Our parish currently runs sacramental catechetical programmes for:

- Baptism
- First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion
- Confirmation
- RCIA

Key Initiatives

1. To successfully roll out a new programme 'Sycamore' for 2025/26 Confirmation, modernising the approach using technology and a more structured programme.
2. To increase the robustness of the safeguarding process around adults volunteering to become Catechists, in particular to provide each volunteer with information about their role as Catechist.

TEAM:

Liz Rose - Family Ministry

Michelle Young - Youth Ministry

Beth Pausanos

Helen Mann

Deborah Underwood

Nicole Kirby

Children Ministry

Contact

Ministry Lead: **Erica Huntley** - children@olsd.org.uk

Description

As a vital element of the Salesian mission to have a preferential option for youth, the Children Ministry ensures that the needs of children in the church, along with their parents are prioritised. Specifically, the Ministry organises activities and liturgies appropriate to toddlers, pre-school and primary school children. The Children Ministry collaborates especially with Catechesis and Youth Ministries.

Key Initiatives

1. Deliver appropriate Toddlers' (approx. ages 1-3) and Children's Liturgies (ages 4-7) regularly at Mass. Focus this year on recruitment of helpers particularly at the entry-level Toddlers' Liturgy and improve the rota system including ChurchSuite.
2. Start up Faith Group activities for 7–11-year-old age-range (in partnership with Youth Ministry) and consider non-liturgical activities for younger children.
3. Consider Liturgies at 9am and 5.30pm Weekend Masses within a wider review of Mass times and trial differentiation during the liturgies to provide suitable activities for the wide range of ages and capabilities.

TEAM:

Alex Blasiak

Anna Luisa Cetra

Jamie Chilcott

Adele De Lellis

Vicky Evans

Jacqueline Hubert

Charmaine Ramos

Philip Worley

Paul Bryanhill

Brother Andre Kankwenda SDB

Brother Malachy Okeke SDB

Family and Life Ministry

Contact

Ministry Lead: **Matt and Liz Rose** - family-life@olsd.org.uk

Description

Family and Life Ministry supports young families on their journey in exploring how they can embrace and put God in their centre of their lives.

Working with young families, the Ministry will look to provide support and guidance through differing events across the calendar year. From the early stages of Marriage preparation to starting a family and growing in faith together, the Ministry will be open to all. We are currently in the early stages of formation but have several ideas on how we want the Ministry to grow and be that support of parents in the Parish.

Key Initiatives

1. Our first mission is to set up the Ministry with a team of volunteers and get the community together for several social events which will form the basis of the calendar year.

TEAM:

Fiona Batha

Evie Morrish

Gosia Wasik

Angelika Vician

David Vician

Seniors Ministry

Contact

Ministry Lead: **Yvette MacLeod** - seniors@olsd.org.uk

Description

The Seniors Ministry aims to look after the older members of the OLSD community (60+). Currently It covers our monthly Mamma Margherita fellowship group, also taking Holy Communion to the (mainly older) housebound members of our parish family regularly.

The Mamma Margherita fellowship is a parish social activity for the retired. Its aims are:

- to provide a warm, welcoming space for retired people of all faiths and no faith to meet on a regular monthly basis (usually 2.00-4.00 pm on the second Thursday of each month) to foster friendship and fellowship within our caring Christian community.
- to provide the opportunity to celebrate Mass together, including occasionally with the availability of the Sacrament of Anointment and Healing.
- to provide an 'activity' each month such as entertainment, informative talks, demonstrations, quizzes or games.

The club is named after **Margherita Occhiena Bosco** (1788-1856) who was the mother of Saint John Bosco.

Key Initiatives

1. To continue providing a joyful, welcoming environment where the semi-retired and retired in our parish can come together on a monthly basis to enjoy a social activity framed by prayer and fellowship.
2. To collaborate with the Youth Ministry by supporting the weekly Friday evening youth groups as these are established.
3. To model the Salesian Charism within all areas of our Ministry.

TEAM:

Teresa Regan
Maureen Buckley
Ian Ledgerwood
Rufina Ledgerwood
Valerie Cooper
Ron Cooper
Mary Burgess

Diversity and Culture Ministry

Contact

Ministry Lead: **Valerie Strange** - diversity-culture@olsd.org.uk

Description

The Diversity and Culture ministry covers the incorporation of all the cultures and nationalities at OLSD.

Our goal as a ministry is to try and incorporate all the different nationalities and cultures within our church by encouraging individuals to take part in the parish services such as welcoming, offertory, readings and bidding prayers. We have also encouraged people to take part by joining the OLSD Cricket team who play during the summer months.

We will aim to try and incorporate different cultural prayers and hymns into our Mass and encourage the appreciation of God's works through different languages and traditions.

Key Initiatives

1. We will organise and promote four events during the year to actively make a display of diversity of cultures within our parish
 - A Christmas Carol Concert with carols from different parts of the world represented in our church
 - Pentecost Sunday
 - Two other events
2. We will investigate ways in which people in our parish and visitors/newcomers may feel accidentally excluded because of an unconscious bias and draw up plans to improve the representativeness of different communities in public positions and ministries within the church.
3. We will continue to use church Liturgies and Diocesan events to highlight different cultures e.g. Bamenda Sunday.

TEAM:

Kevin Moturi
Christopher Esuk
Brilla Pierce
Enrico Ramos
Charles Folo
Chidima Ajayi

Spirituality and Prayer Ministry

Contact

Ministry Lead: **Paul Bryanhill** - ppc-chair@olsd.org.uk

Description

The Spirituality and Prayer Ministry Team seeks to support the Priest and Deacon in offering the parish a rich variety of spiritual and healing initiatives. These include the daily recitation of the Rosary, weekly Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, Novenas three times a year, and prayer groups during Advent and Lent.

In the coming year, we also hope to introduce a monthly prayer group and regular sessions of Lectio Divina to further deepen our parish's life of prayer.

Key Initiatives

1. Establish a ministry team of 6 people to work collaboratively to develop and maintain spiritual and prayer activities within the Parish.
2. To introduce Lectio Divina.
3. To look at possible new ideas for prayer within the Parish Community, ideas may include Spiritual Bouquet, Family Prayer materials.

TEAM:

Debbie Underwood
Constantine Cassar
Margaret Blaber
Rita Curran
Deacon Paul
Fr Anthony

Media Ministry

Contact

Ministry Lead: **Jo Wood** - media@olsd.org.uk

Description

The Media Ministry aims to help our church to broadcast its message internally and externally via good audio-visual facilities in the church and hall, live-stream, and online platforms such as the website and social media. There are two teams within the ministry:

- Technology - working on managing and implementing technology to provide the best experience possible with regards to sound and vision in the Church, via the live-stream and in the Church Hall;
- Comms - implementing a new website and keeping this up to date by providing information and a record of church activities including good quality photos for parishioners, newcomers and visitors.

Key Initiatives

1. Technology

Stabilise the running of the equipment in the Church Hall to make it usable and reliable for internal use.

Provide comprehensive support documentation and help videos.

Formalise a procedure for providing support internally and externally.

2. Communications

Continue to provide an up-to-date website.

Continue to develop the digital signage in the Entrance Hall and consider extending it into the Church Hall.

Collaborate with the Youth Ministry to explore other media channels such as Instagram.

3. ChurchSuite

Continue to encourage the use of ChurchSuite to improve procedures where appropriate and help the parish to meet its data protection and safeguarding commitments.

TEAM:

Communications Team Lead: Jo Wood

Mat Augier

Owen White

Eleanor Louch-White

Christy del Fresno

Technology Team Lead: Dominic Smye-Rumsby

Mat Augier

Johann Diaz

Social (Hospitality) Ministry

Contact

Ministry Lead: **Sharon Boylett** - social@olsd.org.uk

Description

The social ministry crosses into the other ministries in varying degrees.

It coordinates regular parish activities for example coffee after weekend masses, the coffee hub on Wednesdays and the buying of refreshments including chocolate for birthdays etc.

There is a WhatsApp group for parishioners who are happy to help at various social activities and share ideas.

Members advise on the fabric of the hall especially as the hall is now available for public hire. This includes following hygiene and health and safety regulations.

Key Initiatives

1. To support and work with the other ministries.
2. To communicate with the Parish administrator to identify needs of potential hall users to meet their needs and promote hall lettings.
3. To promote Fellowship among parishioners and keeping parishioner informed of events within the parish.
4. To organize refreshments for parish events and celebrations as necessary.
5. To develop outreach to the local community by developing new projects for the community when identified.
6. To promote optimal use of the church hall. Especially by being available to open and close the hall. T
7. To develop storage and equipment to facilitate use of the hall.
8. To support Youth Ministry in the development of youth activities

TEAM:

James Fitzpatrick-Ellis

Cameron Morrison

Adele De Lellis

Anna Luisa Cetra

Sylvia Polley

Analie James

Safeguarding Ministry

Contact

Ministry Lead: **Anne Marie Baggot & Valerie Strange** - safeguarding@olsd.org.uk

Description

To be the point of contact within the parish for any safeguarding concerns to be raised and responded to. To embed the safeguarding policies and procedures of the Catholic Church, promoting good and safe practices in all activities involving children, young people and adults at risk within the parish community.

Key accountabilities

To work with the Diocesan Safeguarding Team to:

- Ensure parishes and local communities are aware of the importance of protecting children and vulnerable adults and what is involved in promoting good and safe practice. This will include basic concept of appropriate behaviour.
- Work in accordance with local and national policy, thereby contributing to the prevention of abuse.
- Act as a central point for safeguarding concerns to be shared, immediately referring concerns and allegations to the Diocesan Safeguarding Coordinator.
- Be easily accessible to both children and adults within the Parish.
- Ensure information about children's/adults' help lines and child protection/adult safeguarding policies are readily available where there are related activities.
- Ensure good and safe environments for children and vulnerable adults in all parishes throughout the diocese/religious congregation, in line with agreed national policies and procedures.
- Maintain regular communication with the Diocesan Safeguarding Team, parishes and religious communities.
- Become familiar with the various activities in which children and vulnerable adults are involved, ensuring that group leaders and members are adequately trained, and DBS checked, where appropriate.
- Adhere to the safe recruitment process of volunteers, in accordance with agreed national policies and procedures. This includes providing applicants with required forms and completing identity verification for roles that require a check of the Disclosure and Barring Service.

Key Initiatives

1. Achieve 100% of parish volunteers achieving DBS clearance.

Prayer for our Parish Pastoral Council

Divine Father, Loving Mother, Merciful Jesus, Empowering Spirit,

Thank you for blessing us, our families and the communities which make up our parish.

Through our participation in the Eucharist may your Holy Spirit bind us together in unity and peace.

Help our Parish Pastoral Council to be true to you.

Sanctify our partnership with our priest.

Alert us to the needs of our community.

Open the scriptures to us when we pray.

Give us the resolve to be responsive.

Help us recognise and call upon the gifts of our fellow parishioners.

Be our courage when the going is challenging.

Be our strength when we feel burdened by weakness and sin.

Be our joy at all times.

We make this prayer through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Our Lady of Lourdes and Saint Dominic Savio, patrons of our Parish. Pray for us.

Saint John Bosco. Pray for us.

