



**PARISH OF
BLESSED JOHN HENRY NEWMAN
MORECAMBE**

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SUNDAY 14TH APRIL 2019

PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD



Please take home a Holy Week and Easter Card

PENITENTIAL SERVICE AND CONFESSIONS MONDAY 15TH APRIL 7.00PM

MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS

Saturday	St Patrick's	6.00pm	For the parishioners
Sunday	Good Shepherd	8.30am	Nelly Quain
	St Mary's	10.30am	Dec'd Kelly family
Monday	St Mary's	9.30am	Betty Farrell
Tuesday	St Patrick's	10.00am	Andrew Richards
Wednesday	Good Shepherd	10.00am	Sarah McGlone
MAUNDY THURSDAY			
Thursday	St Mary's	7.30pm	Bridie Hughes
GOOD FRIDAY – day of fasting and abstinence			
Friday	St Mary's	3.00pm	Liturgy of The Lord's Passion
Holy Saturday – EASTER VIGIL MASS			
Saturday	St Mary's	8.00pm	For the parishioners
EASTER SUNDAY			
Sunday	Good Shepherd	8.30am	John Joseph Tumilty
	St Patrick's	10.00am	Terry Nockels
	St Mary's	11.30am	Margaret Merrell (choir)



PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Louis Rowan, Dorothy Waters, Agnes Brown, Tony O'Callaghan, Anthony Mullen, Duncan Miller, John Alderson, Alice Hoey, Fr Elder, Martin Hipworth and the sick and housebound in the parish and those in local hospitals and nursing homes.

ANNIVERSARIES

Mgr Lockwood, Fr G Bilsborrow, June Denny, Barbara Woolley, Marie O'Brien, Jean McAvoy, Christine Craven, Vera Elders, Andrew Richards, Paul Yates, Patrick Maloney, Margaret Harris, Rita Hodder, Beryl Craig, Vera Burke, Tony Towers, Bruno Lewis, Charles Murray, Eileen Peck, Olive Waite, Tony Smylie and all those whose anniversaries occur between 7th and 20th April.

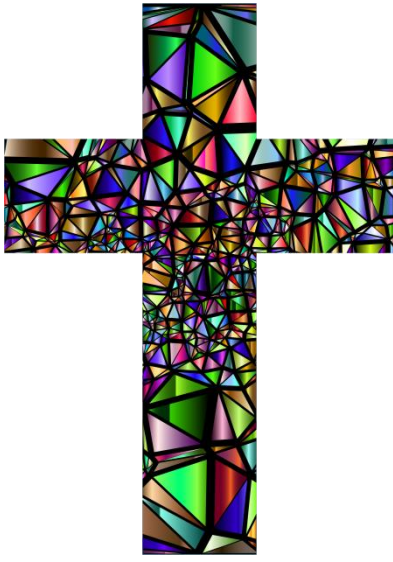
SACRAMENT OF CONFESSION - SATURDAY

Good Shepherd	10.30am to 11.00am
St Mary's	11.30am to 12 noon
St Patrick's	5.15pm to 5.40pm

LAST WEEK

Attendance	429
Collection	£1,252.36 (inc. standing orders)





LATELY DEAD

Please pray for the repose of the soul of:

Mgr Michael Tully who died on 8th April, aged 80.
Requiem Mass on Wednesday 24th April at
St Bernadette's Lancaster at 11.30am.
Fr Tully was curate at St Mary's from the late 1960s
until early the 1980s when he became parish priest at
St Bernadette's and later at St Mary & St James,
Scorton. He retired to Bolton le Sands 6 years ago.

Parishioners have asked prayers for relations and friends lately dead:
Patrick Kyle and Caroline Gee

LEGION OF MARY

Meetings on **Tuesdays at St Patrick's** after the 10.00am Mass.

Cuppa & Chat
Bingo
200 Club

The next meeting is on Monday 15th April.
No Bingo this week.
Week ending 07/04/19: 1st Canon Cooper:
2nd Sylvia Miller: 3rd Rose Newsholme:



ST MARY'S PLAYGROUP

10:00am – 11:30am in St Mary's Church Hall. £2 with snack provided.
Find us on Facebook.

ST MARY'S SCHOOL – AN INVITATION

Join the Year 6 children for a craft afternoon and Easter Egg hunt on Wednesday at 1.30pm. Lifts available – call 823815.

LOURDES

A further donation of £40 brings our total **to £705**. Further donations are welcome so that one or two young parishioners can go to Lourdes on the diocesan pilgrimage.

Thank you for the donations of £40 for candles and flowers.

CHARITY AFTERNOON TEA

St Patrick's Church, Sunday 5th May 1-3 pm. Tickets £20 for **'tea for two'** or make it a 'fizzy afternoon tea' for a donation on the day. Proceeds to OLCC Uganda Action group and *Young People for Lourdes*. Tickets available from Damian and Ali Bates at St Patrick's or call 07980 873819. (Please advise any special dietary requirements)

Chrism Mass, Lancaster Cathedral on Thursday at 11.30am

OFFERTORY BOXES

Your new offertory boxes are available now at the Church that you indicated (if you did!). Please let Canon Cooper know if you do not have a box and would like one.

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION FOR CHILDREN

Congratulations to the children of St Mary's and St Patrick's who recently celebrated their 1st confessions. Would those who are to be confirmed please attend a meeting in St Mary's hall on Wednesday 24th April at 6.30pm.

ROSARY MOVEMENT OF REPARATION

God's Mercy for the British Isles - Feast of Divine Mercy, Sunday 28th April 3.00pm, on the promenade, (opp Town Hall)



holy week

CHILDREN'S LITURGY

Good Friday, 11.30am: Way of The Cross for Children. St Mary's. Families all very welcome.

Holy Saturday, 10.15am – 11.00am: Help us make the Easter Garden! Bring some small flowers if you like.

Easter Day, 11.30am: Come and celebrate with us at St Mary's.

NORTHERN CATHOLIC CONFERENCE

7th to 9th June at Liverpool HOPE University. Tel: 07543 800812 e-mail: northerncatholic@outlook.com www.northerncatholic.co.uk

ROSARY SERVICE

Parishioners are invited to a Rosary Service at The Carmelite Monastery Church, St Vincent's Road, Fulwood on Tuesday 7th May at 2.00pm.
For further info: E fjmecg@outlook.com or T 0777 943 6279

SPUC NATIONAL PRO-LIFE CHAIN – SATURDAY 27TH APRIL

Every year supporters of the Society for the Protection of Unborn Children (SPUC) give silent witness to the millions of babies killed by legalised abortion. We stand at the side of major roads and intersections holding placards which display the pro-life message. This year the local pro-life chain will be at the A6 Scotland Road, Carnforth (near the Railway Bridge) on 27th April from 11am until 1pm. www.spuc.org.uk

Pam Clark would like to thank everyone for their prayers, best wishes, cards and donations - £500 has been sent to Claire Children's Hospice.

WELCOME to our visitors at Church this weekend. Visits unite us more closely to the Blessed Sacrament.

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