

St Mary's, Cleator & St Joseph's, Frizington

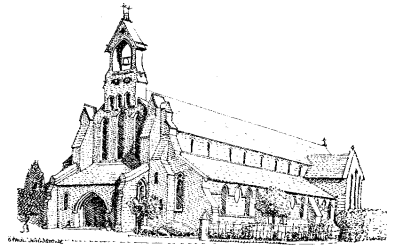
15th March 2015 : Fourth Sunday in Lent

MASSES - St Mary's, Cleator

Sat (14th)	7.00pm:	People of the Parish
Sun (15th)	10.30am:	Bortolo Cais
	5.30pm:	Timothy Seamus Quigley

Mon (16th)	9.10am:	Mamie Ruter
Tue (17th)	<u>9.20am:</u>	Bernard Riley
Wed (18th)	<u>11.00am:</u>	Requiem: May Daley
	7.00pm:	Harry, Katie, Tony & Billy Fitzsimons
Thur (19th)	9.10am:	Michael Dempsey
Fri (20th)	9.10am:	Cirila Benedicic

Sat (21st)	7.00pm:	Terry, Patrick & Ellen Power
Sun (22nd)	10.30am:	Terry Dunn
	5.30pm:	People of the Parish



CONFESSIONS

St Mary's: Sat 6.00-6.45pm
St Joseph's: Sat 10.30am

TEA & COFFEE

after 10.30am MASS

YOUR PRAYERS ARE ASKED FOR :

Edward Monaghan, Cheryl Spencer, Rob Moore, Cath Nolan, Julia Rodgers, and for all those in the parish who are sick.

For all those who have died recently, especially **May Daley**, for those in our **Book of Remembrance** and all whose anniversaries occur at this time.

MASSES - St Joseph's, Frizington

Sun (15th)	09.15am:	Frank Moloney

	On Tuesday & Thursday	there will be a Holy Communion Service at 10am
Wed (18th)	10.00am:	Special Intention (MC)
Thur (19th)	10.00am:	Annie O'Hagan
Sat (21st)	10.00am:	Billy & Lucy Morris

Sun (22nd)	9.15am:	Sadie Wilson Joseph & Irene Richardson

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

'Glory to You O Christ, You are the Word of God.' At the 10:30am Mass we will use number 200 from the hymnbook.

LENT BOOKLETS

'My Day by Day' Lent booklets - Cost £1

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Every **Friday** during Lent, 7pm at St Mary's.

Every **Monday** during Lent, 12.30pm at St Joseph's.



MAKE A GOOD LENT

As well as 'giving up' something why not improve your prayer life.

- Go to a weekday Mass
- Stations of the Cross
- Use the Lent 'Day by Day' booklet (available at the back of church—cost £1)
- Go to Confession

ECUMENICAL HUNGER LUNCH

Lenten lunches, consisting of soup and a roll, will be served in Cleator Moor Methodist Church Hall each Wednesday during Lent, 12 noon - 1pm. A minimum donation of **£2** will be much appreciated.

Please make an effort to attend these lunches as all donations will be divided between CAFOD and Christian Aid.

RETIRING COLLECTION

There will be a retiring collection **next weekend** for flowers to decorate the churches for Easter.

'CRUCIFIXION'

An augmented choir will perform John Stainer's 'Crucifixion' on **Wednesday 1st April** at 7.30pm in the Methodist Church, Cleator Moor. Donations by collection in aid of West Cumbria Hospice at Home. See the poster at the back of church.

DIVINE MERCY

The annual celebration of Divine Mercy Sunday will be as usual at St Bede's Church, Carlisle on the **12th April**. Please see poster on the church notice board for further details

FIRST CONFESSIONS

There will be a meeting for the **parents** of the First Holy Communion children attending the Cleator programme at **St Mary's** on **Wednesday 18th March** at 7.30pm in church to discuss preparation for First Confession. It is important that you attend this meeting. The children will then make their First Confession on Saturday 28th March.

For **parents** of children attending the **Frizington** programme the meeting will be after the 9.15am Mass on **Sunday 22nd March**. It is important that you attend this meeting. The children will then make their first confession on Sunday 29th March after the 9.15am Mass.

CENACOLO COMMUNITY

The Bishop will celebrate Mass at Cenacolo on **Sunday 22nd March** at 3pm to mark the 10th Anniversary of the opening of the House. If you wish to go to the Mass please contact Cenacolo as they need to know numbers attending.

TERESA OF AVILA

After 27 years in the convent of the Incarnation in Avila Teresa felt called by God to form another community of Carmelite nuns. Despite much opposition she managed to do this. A visiting missionary priest from S.America told of the vast number of people there who had never heard about God. She was grief stricken and cried out to the Lord to give her the means to help souls to find him.

Truly an example for us all to ask God the same.

Almighty God, our Father, you sent St Teresa of Avila to be a witness in the Church to the way of perfection. Sustain us by her spiritual doctrine and kindle in us the longing for true holiness. Amen

GIFT AID

Last year we received **£6,831** in Gift Aid. If you are a tax-payer please consider signing a gift aid form - it is as simple as that! No investigation, no complications, all we need is your name, address and signature. It just means we can claim Gift Aid in what you put in your weekly envelope.

If you would like to join the scheme please let us know.

If you are on the scheme and your circumstances have changed and you no longer pay tax please let us know.

BAPTISMS

If you wish to have your baby baptised in the near future please contact us to register for the course.

DONATIONS

Thanks for the following donations:-

- £20 for Mary's Meals
- £81.32 from the Sunday Morning Coffee Group

GARDEN CLUB

Anyone interested in a parish garden club? Sharing ideas, plants; trips to gardens or garden events. Come to a meeting on **Friday 27th March**, 7.30pm in St Mary's priory (after Stations of the Cross)

CARITAS GROUP

There will be a meeting on **Tuesday 24th March** at 5.15pm in St Mary's priory.

ST PATRICK'S NIGHT SOCIAL EVENT

A Fish and Chip Supper and Quiz Night will be held in St Bega's Hall, Bowthorn on **Friday 20th March** at 7pm. Tea & coffee will be served. Please bring your own cutlery. Tickets available from the Caritas group. **Adult £5 Child £3.50** All proceeds will support our young people going to Lourdes with the Diocesan Pilgrimage. Donations of raffle prizes would be most appreciated.

PIE & PEA SUPPER AND PRIZE BINGO

On **Tuesday 24th March** at 7pm in St Joseph's Community Hall, Frizington. Tickets £3.50 available from Josephine 812845 or Margaret 811860. Please bring your own utensils.

NORTH LAKES FOODBANK

Please place your donations in the box at the back of church.