

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

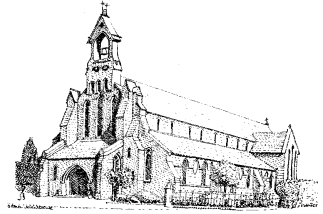
19th April 2015 : Third Sunday of Easter

MASSES - St Mary's, Cleator

Sat (18th)	7.00pm:	Peter Bennett
Sun (19th)	10.30am:	Sarah Makin & Family Betty Fleming
	5.30pm:	People of the Parish

Mon (20th)	9.10am:	Kerry Smith
Tue (21st)	9.10am:	Stella Mattinson
Wed (22nd)	7.00pm:	Margaret & Harold Michael Campbell Bill Burns
Thur (23rd)	9.00am:	James McStraw
Fri (24th)	9.10am:	May Daley

Sat (25th)	7.00pm:	Cepon Family
Sun (26th)	10.30am:	Sheila Flinn
	5.30pm:	Eamon Rush



CONFESSIONS

St Mary's:
Sat 6.00-7.00pm

St Joseph's:
Sat 10.30am

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, for those in our **Book of Remembrance** and all whose anniversaries occur at this time.

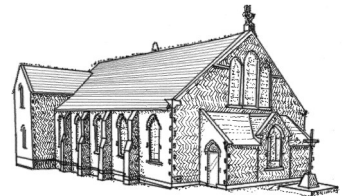
MASSES - St Joseph's, Frizington

Sun (19th) 9.15am: Violet Cameron

On Monday, Tuesday & Thursday
there will be a Holy Communion Service at 10am

Wed (22nd) 10.00am: Annie Finley
Fri (24th) 10.00am: Fr John Cunningham
Sat (25th) 10.00am: Jack & Cissie Niles

Sun (26th) 9.15am: People of the Parish



Tea & Coffee

After 10.30am Mass
in St Mary's Priory
All welcome

VOCATION SUNDAY - 26th April

Next Sunday is World Day of Prayer for Vocations to the Consecrated Life and Priesthood

There will be a retiring collection for the Ecclesiastical Education Fund, which funds the training of priests for our diocese.

PIETY STALL

A selection of First Holy Communion gifts and cards are available from the piety stall at the back of church.

THANKS

Thanks to the Carmelite Prayer Group for £50 donation for CAFOD.

BAPTISMS

The next baptism preparation course will begin on **Wednesday 6th May** in St Mary's Priory at 6pm for those parents who have registered.

Please note that we ask all parents to come to our baptism preparation programme before a baptism is arranged.

THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

The Confirmation preparation programme will begin in May this year for year 8 or older. Confirmations will be on **Thursday 15th October**.

The course will take place at St Benedict's school between May and October. Attendance at all sessions and Mass in your own parish each week is essential.

LENTEN LUNCHES

We have received a cheque for **£363.25** as half of the proceeds from the Lenten Lunches held at Cleator Moor Methodist Church during Lent. A cheque be sent to CAFOD. Many thanks to all those who supported this fund raising event. Thanks to those who very kindly made the soup for our turn, it was enjoyed by all.

FAMILY WEEKEND

Fun for the whole family - **22nd May—24th May 2015** at Castlerigg Manor, Keswick. £75 per adult, £50 per child. Family discount available. For more details see the Castlerigg website.

IS GOD CALLING YOU? 15 to 17 year olds

Have you ever wondered what God's plan is for you? Have you ever thought that God may be calling you to serve his people as a priest? If your answer is yes to one or both of these questions, then contact the Vocations Team and begin to discover what God's plan is for you.

Contact:

Fr Darren Carden

priest@lancastervocations.org

Tel. 01772 719604

Fr John Millar - jwmillar1@gmail.com

Tel. 01228 521509



Your donations for the Foodbank can be placed in the box at the back of church. Please check dates on all food as out of date food can not be accepted.

Stonham Home Group are holding advice and guidance "Drop Ins" every **Tuesday and Friday**, 1pm—3pm at The Meeting Place, Methodist Church, Egremont for those people who require support with debt & money management, benefits advice, housing advice, completion of housing forms, health and wellbeing. Please do not hesitate to go along for help and advice, no appointment needed.



The Caritas group of St Mary's Cleator and St Joseph's Frizington are fundraising for the CAFOD appeal 'Water for Life'.

Appeal ends 2nd May 2015.

Posters giving details are displayed at the back of church. Envelopes are available for your donations.

Please remember - every £1 raised between Ash Wednesday and 17th May will be match funded by the UK Government.

DISCOVERY WEEKEND

Next Sunday we celebrate Good Shepherd Sunday and all the faithful are invite to pray for vocations to the priesthood and religious life. To respond to the voice of the Good Shepherd is to come close to the heart of God. There is nothing more fulfilling than a life lived close to the heart of God. If you feel called to the priesthood then why not join us on our next discovery weekend, 8th—10th May 2015. See the poster for details or speak to one of the priests or vocations team.

GARDEN CLUB

The Garden Club have organised a visit to Holehird Gardens near Ambleside on **Saturday 9th May**. Trip will include a visit to Hayes Garden Centre. A 30 seat coach has been booked. Times and costs to follow.



Parish plant sale to be held on **Sunday 31st May**.

VACANCY - RETREAT LEADER

There is a vacancy at Castlerigg Manor, Keswick for a Retreat Leader to start July/August 2015. For more details see the poster at the back of church.

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Many thanks to our outside Cafod supporters for their generous donations during the year 2014 which came to £2042. Your charity has helped to support Cafod and other third world appeals. We look forward to your continual support throughout 2015.