

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

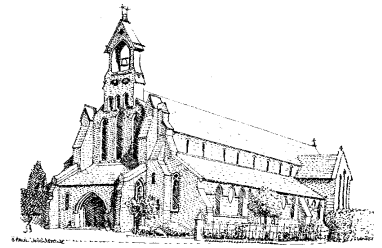
23rd March 2014 : Third Sunday in Lent

MASSES - St Mary's, Cleator

Sat (22nd)	7.00pm: Terry Power Brendan O'Donnell
Sun (23rd)	10.30am: John & Mary Kelly 5.30pm: Teresa Doran

Mon (24th)	9.10am: ****Communion Service ****
Tue (25th)	9.10am: Special Intention (MED)
Wed (26th)	7.00pm: Elizabeth Vallely
Thur (27th)	9.10am: In Thanksgiving to Our Lady
Fri (28th)	9.10am: Jackie Scrugham

	7.00pm: People of the Parish
Sun (30th)	10.30am: Thomas Bohan Jaqueline McKendrey Golden Wedding (J & JM) 5.30pm: George Kenmare



CONFESSIONS

St Mary's:
Sat 6.00-6.45pm

St Joseph's:
Sat 10.30am

YOUR PRAYERS ARE ASKED FOR :

Eve Cann, Derek Ross, Elaine Fleming, Ethel Coyles, Cath Nolan, Sheila Farrer, Bortolo Cais, Julie Rodgers, Jimmy Bowers, Michael Bailey, Lucy Ryan, Rita Kennedy, Terry Russell, Bishop Patrick O'Donoghue, and Fathers John Hawkins, & John Marsh, 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 of year.

MASSES - St Joseph's, Frizington

Sun (23rd) 9.15am: People of the Parish

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

Wed (26th) 10.00am: Mrs Brown
Fri (28th) 10.00am: Peter Fowler
Sat (29th) 10.00am: Teresa Flynn

Sun (30th) 9.15am: Ellen Jane & James Riley

Please Note:

Stations of the Cross at St Joseph's are on Monday during Lent, therefore there will be no Communion Service on Monday

TEA & COFFEE

after 10.30am Mass in
St Mary's Priory
Everyone welcome

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

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

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



GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

During Lent, to mark the penitential character of the season, we do not sing Alleluia. Instead, at most Masses, we are using a setting of the words: '**Glory to You O Christ, You are the Word of God.**' At the 10:30am Mass we will use number **200** from the hymnbook.

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 **£1.50** will be much appreciated.

This is a joint venture between ourselves, the Methodists and Church of England each providing lunch on two Wednesdays. Our turn will be 26th March and 2nd April.

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

FIRST CONFESSIONS

The children attending the Cleator First Holy Communion programme will make their first confession on **Saturday 29th March**.

For parents of children attending the **Frizington** programme the meeting regarding First Confession will be after the 9.15am Mass on **Sunday 23rd March**. It is important that you attend this meeting. The children will then make their first confession on **Sunday 30th March** after the 9.15am Mass.

THREE WITNESSES

A 'gritty' retelling of the story of Holy Week and Easter, **Sunday 23rd March** at 6.30pm in Cleator Moor Civic Centre.

Do you know anyone who might benefit from seeing this - collect a special invitation for them.

For more details see the notice board or visit the website <https://vimeo.com/62873140>

OCEAN OF MERCY

A film on the Mercy of God will be shown in the Waterton Hall, Warwick Square, Carlisle, at 7pm on **Wednesday 2nd April**.

The film is of special interest both in its Divine message and connection with the life of Pope John Paul II who along with Pope John XXIII will be canonised on Divine Mercy Sunday. Further details are on the notice board at the back of church. Please contact Deacon John if interested in going ASAP .

RETIRING COLLECTION

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

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
- Go to Confession

KNIGHT OF ST COLUMBA

On **Saturday 21st June 2014** Council 74 Whitehaven of the Knights of St Columba have organised a 33 seater coach to attend the Biennial Deceased Members Mass at the Metropolitan Cathedral Liverpool. The coach will leave Cleator Moor around 9.00 and return around 17.30 picking up at selected points on the way. Mass starts at 15.00 so there will be time for some shopping or sightseeing if you wish. The price of the coach will be £12 per person. There is a very good restaurant in the cathedral area or ample places nearby.

If you would like to book your place on the coach please contact Bernard Riley 01946 811878 before 12th April. We would be delighted if you could join us to honour our deceased Bothers at this very Special Mass.

OFFERTORY ENVELOPES

The new offertory envelope boxes are now ready to collect at the back of the churches. They are arranged in alphabetical name order. Please collect yours before you leave.

Some of them may have found their way to the back of the wrong church; if you can't find yours please let us know and we'll track it down for you. If you live near someone who is housebound please deliver their envelopes to them.

If you would prefer not to continue using the scheme please let us know, or if you notice that any of the details on your address label are wrong (and please accept our apologies).

If you don't currently use the envelopes for the offertory you may wish to consider doing so. There are a number of benefits.

- Using offertory envelopes may help you to better manage your giving to the Church.
- If you are a tax payer giving using the envelopes (or a standing order) will allow us to reclaim the tax on your donations if you sign a Gift Aid Declaration. And even if you are not currently a tax payer, giving in these ways will mean we can reclaim tax if you start paying tax later in the year.