

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

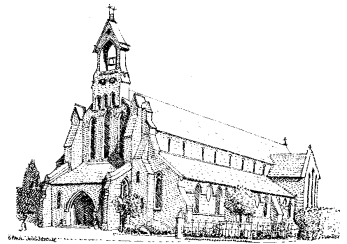
28th February 2016 : Third Sunday in Lent

MASSES - St Mary's, Cleator

Sat (27th) 7.00pm: The Ingleby Family
Sun (28th) 10.30am: People of the Parish
5.30pm: Mary Hillon

Mon (29th) 9.10am: Tony O'Pray
Tue (1st) 9.10am: Bob Hargreaves
Wed (2nd) 7.00pm: Cuthy Doran
Thur (3rd) 9.10am: Kath & Joe Doran
Fri (4th) 9.10am: Tommy Henderson

Sat (5th) 7.00pm: Jacky Reay
Sun (6th) 10.30am: Jaqueline McKendrey
Margaret & John Rooney
5.30pm: Kathleen Fitzpatrick



CONFESSIONS

St Mary's:
Sat 6.00-7.00pm

St Joseph's:
Sat 10.30am

YOUR PRAYERS ARE ASKED FOR :

June O'Neil, Baby Isaac Joseph Ash, Richard Mills, Gerard Miller, Edward Monaghan, Cheryl Spencer, Cath Nolan, and for all those in the parish who are sick.

For all those who have died recently, especially Kathleen Fitzpatrick, Gerard Miller & Michael Savage, for those in our Book of Remembrance and all whose anniversaries occur at this time.

MASSES - St Joseph's, Frizington

Sun (28th) 9.15am: Megan Cameron

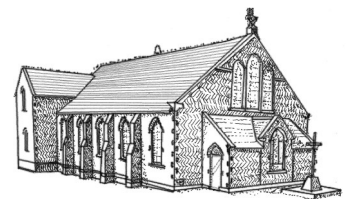
On Monday, Tuesday & Thursday
there will be a Holy Communion Service at 10am

Wed (2nd) 10.00am: Edwin Kelly
Fri (4th) 10.00am: Tom Kiggins
Sat (5th) 10.00am: Kathleen Moore

Sun (6th) 9.15am: In Thanksgiving

Tea & Coffee

Will resume when the work on the church and house is completed.



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 £2 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 2nd March and 9th March.**

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

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

LENT BOOKLETS

'My Day by Day' Lent booklets are available at the back of church. Cost £1

DONATIONS

Thanks for the following donations:-

- £25 for Mary's Meals
- £10 for flowers
- £15 for Cafod
- £20 in Memory of Ernie Irving

OUR LADY'S STATUE VISITATION

Thanks to all who have already welcomed the statue into their homes. It is no less than a welcome to Our Lady herself. For that reason we hope that the visitation will continue and so help to bring blessings on the parish. Please sign the list at the back of church.

FIRST CONFESSIONS

There will be a meeting for the **parents** of the First Holy Communion children attending the Cleator programme, on **Wednesday 9th March** at 7.30pm in St Mary's church, to discuss preparation for First Confession. **It is essential that one member of the family attends this meeting.**

The children will then make their First Confession on Saturday 19th March.

For **parents** of children attending the **Frizington** programme the meeting will be after the 9.15am Mass on **Sunday 28 February**. It is important that you attend this meeting. The children will then make their first confession on Sunday 6th March after the 9.15am Mass.

Registration for the First Holy Communion programme is now closed.

Your child needs to attend **80%** of the programme to ensure they are fully prepared. If their attendance is less, reluctantly we will have to defer their First Confession and First

YOUTH SERVICE AT CASTLERIGG MANOR

Easter at Castlerigg- Is it all about the cross? 24th—27th March, price £70, Yr 9+

A great opportunity for young people in year 9 and above to grow in faith and meet other young people who share their faith.

WANTED-

People to make a difference to others

Join the Castlerigg Team for 2016:

- Aged 18 or over?
- Want to work with young people?
- Want to share and grow in your faith?
- Willing to share life with others?

For more information—

www.castleriggmanor.co.uk

BAPTISM

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

GIFT AID

Last year we received **£7,506** 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.

FOODBANK

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.

PARISH COUNCIL

There will be a meeting on **Thursday 3rd March** at 6pm in St Mary's priory.

