

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

6th March 2016 : Fourth Sunday in Lent

## MASSES - St Mary's, Cleator

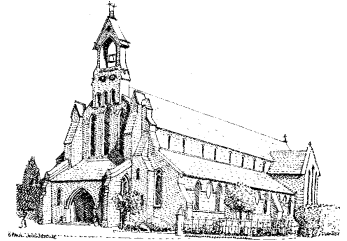
Sat (5th) 7.00pm: Jacky Reay  
Sun (6th) 10.30am: Jaqueline McKendrey  
Margaret & John Rooney  
5.30pm: Kathleen Fitzpatrick

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Mon (7th) 9.10am: Imelda Gatherer  
Tue (8th) 9.10am: Winnie & Joe Power  
Wed (9th) 7.00pm: Private Intention  
Bernard & Sarah Hillon  
Robert Adair  
Thur (10th) 9.10am: Florrie Messenger  
Fri (11th) 9.10am: Joe McCarron

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Sat (12th) 7.00pm: May Daley  
Sun (13th) 10.30am: Bridie Farrer  
5.30pm: People of the Parish



## 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, 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 (6th) 9.15am: In Thanksgiving

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

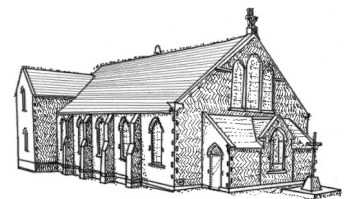
Wed (9th) 10.00am: Agnes & James McAreavey  
Fri (11th) 10.00am: The Fisher Family  
Sat (12th) 10.00am: Billy Eldon

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Sun (13th) 9.15am: Eileen Graffin  
Gerald McConaghy  
Agnes & Maureen McAreavey

## 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.

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.

### 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

### 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.

**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 Communion until next year.

### 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.

### GIFT AID

If you are a **tax-payer please consider signing a gift aid form, we can then reclaim the tax on your weekly donation at no extra cost to you.**

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 contact us.

### BAPTISM

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

### PILGRIMAGE TO WALSINGHAM

Thursday 29th September to Saturday 1st October 2016, led by Bishop Michael Campbell. Cost £150 per person based on two sharing. Limited availability. For more details see the poster at the back of church.

### 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.

### CARITAS

There will be a meeting on **Tuesday 8th March** at 5pm in St Mary's priory.

