

Diary Events This Week:

SUN 5th April. 9.30am: No Children's Liturgy; 10.30am: No First Communion

MONDAY: 9.00am: No Pre-School Club*; 3.20pm: No After-School Club*

6.00pm: No Cubs; 6.45pm: No Scouts;

TUESDAY: 6.00pm: No Seekers & GFF Youth Groups; 7.30pm: No Prayer Group

WEDNESDAY:

THURSDAY: 6.15pm: No Beavers;

FRIDAY:

SATURDAY: 9.00am Fabric & Finance Meeting; 7.30pm: AA Meeting

* These events each day Mon – Fri.

Advance Diary: March: April: 17th>Porch Fund Raising; **20th**>Parish Council; **27th**>Social Committee; **May:1st**>May Procession. **15th**>Parish Quiz Night.

FROM THE PTFA
Used Batteries/ Mobile Phones
please place in box in porch.
Funds to Bosnia

ST CLARE'S CATHOLIC CHURCH
Sharoe Green Lane, Fulwood, Preston
EASTER SUNDAY
5th April 2015



Alleluia, He is Risen! He is Risen, indeed. Alleluia.
The Feast of the Resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ is the most important event ever. Without the Resurrection Jesus was a good man, saying and doing good things. But the Resurrection proves that he is far more than a good man, it proves that he is very God. In his Resurrection eternal death is vanquished and eternal life – beyond the grave - is made possible. It is right today that Alleluia should be our song.

PARISH PETITION BOOK
near Our Lady's statue. For your intentions which will be prayed for at the Sunday Masses and at other times.

NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF THE MIRACULOUS MEDAL:
First Saturday - 10.00am Mass.
Blest medals available,

ABORTION RECOVERY HELPLINE Arch can help: 0845 603 8501- Poster

MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSES: 2015
26th April; 11th Nov:
Tel Barbara Ryan - 01772 717131

NEW TO THE PARISH? Or if you have changed: email, phone or address? Please complete the *Details Update Form* available in the porch.

CENACOLO COMMUNITY: Thank you for your support with gifts of food.

PRESTON FOOD BANK Thanks for last time; **Collection 18/19 April**

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: to help with the youth groups on Tuesday evening. If you are able to spare a couple of hours each week in term time please see Fr. D. after Mass or email frdarren@saintclares.co.uk Age range school years 4-6 & 7-11.

PRESTON INTERFAITH DIALOGUE: First Thursdays. See poster.
LOURDES DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE: 24th - 31st July See Poster in porch.
PARISH MAGAZINE: The latest edition is available in the porch.
VOCATIONS DISCERNMENT DAY: for women: Little Sisters, April 11th.

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DIVINE MERCY SERVICE
Next Sunday 12th April
at 4.30pm
Concluding with the Parish Mass at 6pm



CATECHESIS
Led by members of the parish
Neo Catechumenal Community.
This will be held every
Mon & Thurs
from April 20th at 7.30pm.
All welcome!

Priests: Frs. Christopher Loughran & Darren Carden. Deacon: Fred Sanderson. (Ret'd)
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MASSES THIS WEEK: 5th April 2015. – Mass Book Page: 251

Office: Octave of Easter; Sunday: Cycle B; Weekdays: Octave of Easter

EASTER SUNDAY

8.30pm: Vigil & First Mass of Easter (p. 216)

People of the Parish / Mary Sinnott RIP

7.00pm: No Holy Mass with the NeoCatechumenal Community

9.30am: Fred Newsham RIP

6.00pm: John Cubbin RIP

EASTER MONDAY

10.00am: Ellen & James Fegan RIP

5.15pm: No Mass in RPH

EASTER TUESDAY

7.00pm: Oliver Ryan RIP

EASTER WEDNESDAY

9.00am: Mary Lakeland RIP

7.30pm: Liturgy of the Word (with the NeoCatechumenal Community)

EASTER THURSDAY

7.00pm: Francis Cross RIP

EASTER FRIDAY

12.00 noon: Mary McCadden RIP

EASTER SATURDAY

10.00am: Barbara Twine RIP

SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER (Day of Divine Mercy)

6.00pm: John & Theresa Topping RIP **Vigil**

7.00pm: Holy Mass with the NeoCatechumenal Community

9.30am: People of the Parish

6.00pm: Charles, Susan & PJ Cordon

LATELY DEAD: Mary Bradley.

ANNIVERSARIES: Hilda Webb, Vera Pearson, Graeme Flett, Mary Scanlan,

Agnes Lancaster, Elizabeth Sumner, Caroline Terrel, John Dorning,

Irene Wilson, Lavinia Brennen, Ann Counsell

Pope's Prayer Intentions for April

That people may learn to respect creation and care for it as a gift of God

That persecuted Christians may feel the consoling presence of the Risen

Lord and the solidarity of all the Church

WORLD YOUTH DAY (WYD)'16: Krakow, Poland July 2016. See poster

MEDJUGORJE 2015: A visit to the Shrine – Sept 5- 12th. Details on poster.

REP REQUIRED: for Faith & Justice Commission. See notice on board.

SPANISH CLASS: resumes on April 25th 10.30-12noon, last class May 2nd.

**Rosary for Life
Challenge-**

The Mysteries of Light
will be prayed each day
after the 9am Masses and
before the Friday noon
Mass, for this intention

EXPOSITION:

Sat 10.30am-Noon

Intention: for priestly vocations

CONFESSIONS: Sat 11-12

Or by appointment

WELCOME & CONGRATULATIONS: to Kelvin Soko & Charlotte Prince baptised and received into the Church at the Easter Vigil.

THANK YOU: to those who worked so hard in so many ways to prepare for the Holy Week and Easter Services.

EASTER RAFFLE: for Parish Funds. This will be drawn after 9.30am Mass on Easter Sunday in the Parish Hall.

EASTER FLOWERS: List by the statue of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

YOUTH RETREAT: For High School students at Castlerigg: 29th-31st May. See Fr. Darren and poster.

YOUTH GROUPS: restarts on Tues. 21st April, **Film Night** for both groups from 6.30-8.30pm.

CONGRATULATIONS: our Y6 for their depiction of Our Lord's Passion.

CAR WASH: coming to a Church Car Park near you! Monthly form Sat. 18th April from 10am-2pm.

LENT SOUP LUNCHESES: Thank you to those who organised and supported these. £324.92 was raised for our Hodovo Project.

UNWANTED CLOTHING: (also paired shoes, belts and handbags) **Collection date:** April 24th. Please put in Black Bin Bag and bring on that day (not before). They'll be sold for recycling; funds to Hodovo Exchange Project. -see poster.

PILATES: If you have signed up for this, please complete the forms in porch. This will begin on Sat. 25th April from 9-10am.

FAMILY / ADVENTURE WEEKEND: at Castlerigg 22nd-24th May. See the posters in porch for details.

CONSECRATED LIFE: An Evening of Reflection on The Gift of Consecrated life: Mon.13th April 7pm, at St. Clare's. Led by Sr Zela OSU – see poster.

LADYEWELL SHRINE: Volunteers needed. Contact Barbara Ryan: 01772-717131 or 0794 807 7049 Email: barbararyan44@hotmail.co.uk

LIVING WATER: Organised by the Metanoia Project each Thursday 7-9pm at St Wilfrid's Parish Centre. See poster.

GOLF DAY: Friday July 3rd (note date change) from 9.30am.at Myerscough College, to raise funds for the **church porch**. Details & flyers in porch or contact Sheila Ibison Tel No: 07884 481339 sibison@myerscough.ac.uk

ENCOUNTER: 8th - 10th May Cor et Lumen Christi Community, Wigton stcuthberts@coretlumenchristi.org See poster

LAST WEEK: Attended: 449; Offertory: £1172.45; Thank you.