

Diary Events This Week:

SUN 14th Aug: 9.30am: No Children's Liturgy; 1pm: No Indian Dance Class. 4.30pm: No Young Adults Group (20-30+); **MONDAY:** 9am: No Pre-School Club*; 3.20pm: No After-School Club* 6pm: No Cubs; 7.30pm: No Scouts. **TUESDAY:** No Seekers, GFF Youth Group; 7.30pm: No Prayer Group; **WEDNESDAY:** 6.30pm: No Irish Dance Class; **THURSDAY:** 6.15pm: No Beavers; **FRIDAY: SATURDAY:** No Pilates; 7.30pm; AA Meeting. * *These events each day Mon – Fri. Advance Diary Dates: August: 14th* > Parish Rosary at Fernyhalgh; **Sept 9/10/11th** > Quarant Ore; **12th** > Social Committee.

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

SAFEGUARDING

Parish Safeguarding Officers are Mike Simpson and Brenda Scales

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

PRESTON FOOD BANK Thanks for last collection. **Next: Aug 20/21**

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

FROM THE PTFA

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

BAGS OF GARDEN COMPOST: are available near the carpark exit gate. Please help yourself.

St. Clare's School

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ST CLARE'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

THE ASSUMPTION OF OUR BLESSED LADY

14th August 2016



Today's Feast marks the middle of summer: The Assumption of our Blessed Lady. Mary has many titles but none more glorious than that of *First Disciple* of her Son, Jesus Christ. And this feast of her Assumption into the glory of heaven reminds us of the reward awaiting all who are faithful disciples of the Lord Jesus.

Mary, as first disciple, is the first to receive this reward. Today, God honours Mary for her discipleship; this is a good day to ask her prayers.



THE ASSUMPTION OF OUR LADY, TODAY – AUGUST 14th

The annual Rosary for the Parish (family & friends) will be prayed at St Mary's Fernyhalgh at 2pm
Transport: Minibus will leave St Clare's at 1.45pm

Priests: Christopher Loughran & Darren Carden. **Deacon:** Fred Sanderson.

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MASSES THIS WEEK: 14th Aug: – Mass Book Page 188

Office: Psalter Wk. 4; Sunday: Cycle C; Weekdays Year 2

THE ASSUMPTION OF OUR BLESSED LADY

6pm N Patrick Lepcha RIP Vigil

7pm: Holy Mass – with the NeoCatechumenal Way

9.30am: People of the Parish

6pm: Jack Burton RIP

Monday of wk 20

9am: Sheila Gahan RIP

5.15pm: Mass in RPH

Tuesday of wk 20

7pm: Freda Burgess RIP

Wednesday of wk 20

9am: Jim Pemberton RIP

7.30pm: Liturgy of the Word with the 1st NeoCatechumenal Community

Thursday of wk 20

7pm: Theresa & John Topping RIP

Friday of wk 20

Noon: Agnes Morcella RIP

5.15pm: Mass in RPH

Saturday St Bernard

10am: Holy Souls on November Lists

TWENTYFIRST SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

6pm People of the Parish Vigil

7pm: Holy Mass – with the NeoCatechumenal Way

9.30am: Andrew & Joyce Nimmo RIP

6pm: WYD – Thanksgiving.

LATELY DEAD:

ANNIVERSARIES: Elizabeth Donovan, Wilfrid Skingley, Patrick Keefe, Edith Rossiter, Mark Walmsley, Dominic Gallagher, Martin O'Malley, Eleanor Pemberton, John Stewart.

Pope's Prayer Intentions for August: 1. That sports may be an opportunity for friendly encounters between peoples and may contribute to peace in the world. **2.** That Christians may live the Gospel, giving witness to faith, honesty, and love of neighbour.

CTFB: Trip to the Lake District and Cartmel Priory Sat. 10/9 see Poster.

RPH HELP DESK: Can you spare 2 hours a week to point people in the right direction in the hospital? The Help Desk is staffed in the evenings by local church members more volunteers needed. Contact: Sylvia Turner 01257 247536.

CLEATOR PILGRIMAGE: Sun 11th Sept 3pm Mass & Blessing of the Sick. Poster in Porch.

QUARANT ORE: Transferred to 9/10 Sept. All through the night!

EXPOSITION:

Each morning:
Mon – Fri: 7 - 8am
Sat 10.30am-Noon

Intention: for priestly vocations.

CONFESSIONS:

Sat 11-12 noon.
Or by appointment.

**THIS IS THE
EXTRAORDINARY JUBILEE
HOLY YEAR OF MERCY**

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

WORLD YOUTH EVENT: An enormous thank you to those who made this possible by very generous financial contributions. And an equally big thank you to those adults who at their own expense, accompanied our young people and cared for and guided them, and not least of all to Fr Darren.

CONGRATULATIONS: to Tiffany Mason baptised here recently

PARISH MAGAZINE: latest edition in the porch. Please read it and then either give it to someone else or leave somewhere: bus, bar, hairdressers etc.

RPH CHAPLAINCY: Can you spare 2 hours per week either morning, afternoon or evening? Then please consider becoming a volunteer visitor in the Catholic Chaplaincy team. Information: see the poster on the church notice board or contact: Fr Darren Carden: 01772 719604 or email frdarren@saintclares.co.uk

RETURNED TICKETS: we still have money to return to those who purchased tickets for the Ceilidh which had to be deferred.

200 CLUB: The August draw will take place next Sunday (21st Aug.) prizes will be: 1st - £156, 2nd - £93, 3rd - £62. Numbers are still available for future draws.

2016 DUCK RACE: The ducks have returned from their 'winter migration' and are anxious to race again! The race will be held on Sat. 24th Sept. 10:30am at Brock Valley Picnic Site. Tickets will be on sale soon.

PARISH RECIPE BOOK: We hope to compile one with *your* favourite recipes and sell them to raise funds for the Church Porch Extension. Please hand your recipes to Fr. L. with your name on them. **More recipes needed!**

CATHOLIC CERT IN RELIGIOUS STUDIES: An excellent course run by the diocese. Well worth exploring. See details in porch.

ON-LINE SHOPPING: visit www.easyfundraising.org.uk before you shop.

BOARBANK HALL: *Autumn Break* with Guest Speakers see leaflets

YOUTH 2000: *Conquerors* 25th-29th Aug for ages: 16-35 Details in porch

PILGRIMAGE TO WALSINGHAM: with the Lancaster Diocese. 29th Sept to 1st Oct. £176 full board, places still available. See poster.

MARIAN PROCESSION: Mon 15 Aug - St Walburge's 7 pm Sung Mass of the Assumption. Procession in honour of Our Lady after Mass (around 8 pm). Reception to follow.

BRAVE OF HEART - A Weekend Journey for Men Sat 17th - Sun 18th Sept 2016, Cor et Lumen Christi, Wigton, CA7 9HU - DONATION ONLY EVENT
Web: www.coretlumenchristi.org Email: stcuthberts@coretlumenchristi.org

LAST WEEK: Attended: 447 Collection: £1036.66. Thank you.