

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

Christ is life, we exist to bring His life to our part of God's creation

Sunday 15th September 2019 : Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Masses - St Mary's, Cleator

Sat (14th) 7.00pm: Kathleen Solarie
Sun (15th) 3.00pm: People of the Parish
Josephine Cotter

Mon (16th) 9.10am: Sam Darragon
Tue (17th) 9.10am: Elsie Byrne
Wed (18th) 7.00pm: Lisa Kelly
Thur (19th) 9.10am: Joan Doran
Fri (20th) 9.10am: Arnold Walker

Sat (21st) 7.00pm: Bobby Fowler and Fowler Family
Matthew Mitchell
Sun (22nd) 10.30am: Gerard Tynan
5.30pm: People of the Parish



Confessions

St Mary's:
Sat 6.00-6.45pm

St Joseph's:
Sat 10.30am

Tea & Coffee

After 10.30am Mass in
St Mary's Parish Room
All welcome

Your prayers are asked for:

Fred Mason (Jnr), Fred Bragg, Canon Frank Cookson and for all those in the parish who are sick.

For all those who have died recently, especially @@, for those in our **Book of Remembrance**, and all whose anniversaries occur at this time.

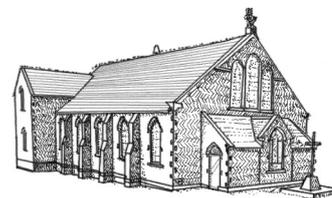
Masses - St Joseph's, Frizington

Sun (15th) 9.15am: Dorothy Nicholson

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

Wed (18th) 10.00am: Carly McCarron
Sat (21st) 10.00am: Cissie and Jack Agnew

Sun (22nd) 9.15am: Special Intention (KB)



Tea & Coffee

After 9.15am Mass in
St Joseph's Church Hall
on the **last Sunday
of the month**
All welcome

Retiring Collections - Home Mission Sunday is celebrated today. The Home Mission Office exists to help the Church throughout England and Wales to share the joy of the Gospel. The money received from this collection ensures that the Catholic Faith Centre is resourced and is able to respond to those who have questions about the Catholic Faith.

Next Sunday there will be a collection for the **Bishop's Administration Fund**.

Home Visits - Fr Paul apologises he is not able to make his home visits this month.

Mass Count - For the next few weeks you may notice the number at Mass being counted for the annual census across the diocese.

Home Visitation of Our Lady's Statue - If you would like to accept a statue of Our Blessed Lady into your home for one week please place your name and phone number and preferred week on the list at the back of church.

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Diocesan Education Mass, Friday 4th October at 7pm at St Peter's Cathedral, Lancaster -

All parishioners are invited to join Bishop Paul Swarbrick at the annual Diocese of Lancaster Education Mass. This invitation extends in a special way to all those involved in education and faith formation; priests, deacons, catechists, youth ministry, children's liturgy, those in seminary and teachers outside of the Catholic sector. The celebration gives us the opportunity to express our thanks and acknowledge the contribution made by all those in the Diocese involved in the work of education and formation in the faith. Together we ask for God's blessing on the mission of education and formation in our diocese.

The Priory Club

Due to the Macmillan Coffee Morning being held on 27th September, the Priory Club will meet on ****Tuesday 1st October, 10am - 12noon.**

****Please note the change of date ****

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.** All we need is your **name, address and signature.** It just means we can claim Gift Aid on what you put in your weekly envelope.

One Priest Parish - After Fr John Mark leaves us, at the end of October, we will be facing the future with just one priest. Some changes will be inevitable. Our instinct is to think on a purely practical level - but this change must also make us reassess what our purpose is as a parish - and how best we can fulfil our mission of bringing Christ to our part of the world.

One instruction that the Bishop has given is that we must lose one Sunday mass. This inevitably means losing one of the evening masses at St Mary's. This will undoubtedly bring unhappiness to some. One suggestion is that we have our Saturday evening mass at 5.30pm and drop the Sunday evening mass. You may have your own ideas. Don't hesitate to mention them to the parish clergy or members of the Parish Pastoral Council. (See the list at the back of Church). Any changes will have to be discussed with the Bishop and the Deanery.



On **Friday 27th September** we are holding a Coffee Morning in St Mary's parish room, 10am - 12.30pm, as part of the World's Biggest Coffee Morning in aid of Macmillan Cancer Support.

Please come along and support this very worthy cause. Invitation cards are available at the back of church to hand out to your friends, neighbours and family. Come along and have a cup of tea and a chat.

There will be a cake stall, raffle, guess how many berries are inside the pie & dunk the biscuit game. A fun time for all. See the poster at the back of church.

If you would like to donate cakes or savouries, either homemade or bought, it will be very much appreciated. Donations of unwanted gifts will be gratefully received.

Donations can be dropped off at St Mary's priory on Thursday 26th September between 1.30 - 2.30pm or on the morning of the event.