

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

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

28th May 2023 - Pentecost (A)

## Masses - St Mary's, Cleator

*Streamed on MCNMedia.tv and Facebook*

### Pentecost

Sat (27th) 5.30pm: Joan Vine

Sun (28th) 10.30am: Paul and Mark Minto

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Mon (29th) 9.10am: Morning Prayer

Tue (30th) 9.10am: Betty Farren

Wed (31st) 7.00pm: James and Cissie Howlett

Thurs (1st) 9.10am: No Mass

Fri (2nd) 11.00am: Funeral Service: Sally Hewitson

Sat (3rd) 5.30pm: Mary Tomlinson

Sun (4th) 10.30am: People of the Parish

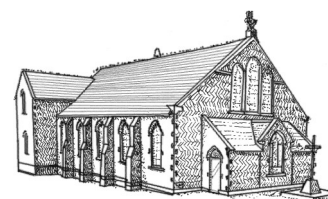
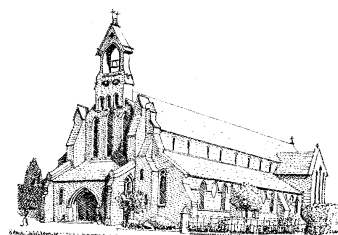
## St Joseph's - Frizington

### Pentecost

Sun (28th) 9.00am: People of the Parish

Wed (31st) 10.00am: Harry Crewdson

Sun (4th) 9.00am: Joseph and Irene Richardson



### Confessions

St Mary's:

Sat 4.45pm - 5.15pm

St Joseph's:

Wed 10.30am

Tea & Coffee after 10.30am

Mass in St Mary's Parish

Room all are welcome.

### Your prayers are asked for:

Declan Burney, Michael McCrickett, Fred Mason Jnr, Joyce McCarron, and for all those in the parish who are sick or anxious. For all those who have died recently, Sally Hewitson and those in our **Book of Remembrance** and all whose anniversaries occur at this time.

**Parking Retrictions** - From the 12th May to 24th July, each weekend parking will not be allowed at the roadside throughout Cleator including by St Mary's. This does not apply to the designated laybys. It is to allow the free flow of traffic diverted from the major works at Moresby. The restriction does not apply to blue badge holders; or for loading and unloading. It is not clear if there will be penalties for those infringing the restrictions. Parking will be available on the Kangol Site. **Please do not park at the top of the mill road as this blocks access for the large vehicles which use the road at all times.**

**Food Bank** - Thanks for the donations of £10 and £5.

**Grass Cutting** - The grass cutting season is well underway in the cemetery. Please can you assist our groundsmen by keeping grave mementos ideally on the grave plinth or as close as possible to the headstone.

**Foodbank** - There has been a record number of emergency food parcels provided to people facing hardship by food banks in the past 12 months. The foodbank is really short of many items. If you are able to donate please leave your donations at the back door. There is no need to ring the bell.

**Piety Stall** - First Holy Communion cards and gifts are on sale after 10.30am Mass.

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St Mary's Church bell now strikes the Angelus three times each day—to remind us of this traditional daily prayer celebrating the Incarnation.

### **The Angelus**

The Angel of the Lord declared unto Mary.

**And she conceived by the Holy Spirit.**

*Hail Mary.....*

Behold the handmaid of the Lord:

**Be it done unto me according to thy word.**

*Hail Mary...*

And the Word was made flesh:

**And dwelt among us.**

*Hail Mary...*

Pray for us, O holy mother of God:

**That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.**

Let us pray:

**Pour forth we beseech thee, O Lord, thy grace into our hearts, that we, to whom the incarnation of Christ thy Son, was made known by the message of an angel, may by his passion and cross be brought to the glory of his resurrection, through the same Christ, our Lord. Amen**

**The Caritas group of St Mary's and St Joseph's** are fundraising to support Sight Savers 75% of all blindness could be prevented or cured. That's more than 27 million people, most of whom live in the world's poorest countries. Our appeal commences on **Sunday 27th May - Saturday 8th July** . Envelopes are available at the back of our churches for donations, If you are a tax-payer please consider signing a gift aid form which will increase the value of your donation.

### **How we can help**

**£5** can protect 30 people from blinding trachoma.

**£35** could provide 100 people with antibiotic ointment to treat trachoma.

**£60** could protect a community against blinding trachoma.

**£88** could cover the costs of two sight saving operation for people with advanced trachoma.

Thank you for your continual support.

**Parish Giving.** If you can, it would be very helpful to set up a Standing Order payment monthly into our account. You can do this by contacting your bank direct and providing them with the details of our account listed below. Alternatively, you can download and complete the Standing Order form from our website [www.stmarysandstjosephs.com](http://www.stmarysandstjosephs.com) under the Giving page and send it to your bank. If you do online banking, the quickest and most direct way is to donate with a bank transfer. Whichever way you choose to donate please add your surname and first name as reference to help our bookkeeper.

Our account details are;

Bank: HSBC Bank plc

Sort Code: 40-27-02

Account Name: LRC DTR St Mary & St Joseph

Account Number: 11334751

If you would prefer to pay by cheque please make it payable to St Mary's Church and send to St Mary's, The Priory, Cleator, Cumbria. CA23 3AB.

**You can also make your offerings online by going to the 'Giving' page**

**<http://www.stmarysandstjosephs.com/giving.html> on the parish website and clicking 'DONATE' button in the online giving section and following the instructions. Everything we do at St Mary's and St Joseph's is made possible by your giving. Thank you!**



You can scan this QR code with the camera on your phone to make offerings to the parish, it will take you to the 'Donate' website where you can decide how much you want to give. Thank you.