

DIARY EVENTS:

SUNDAY 8 th	10.00 am:	Childrens' Liturgy
	11.00 am:	Prayer Ministry
MONDAY 9 th	10.00 am:	Christian Meditation Group
WEDNESDAY 11 th	7.30 pm:	NO Prayer Meeting
THURSDAY 12 th	2.00 pm:	Thursday Club
	6.30 pm:	Cenacolo Prayers & Meeting
SATURDAY 14 th	9.30 am:	Catch-Up Club
	11.30 am:	Step-Up Club
SUNDAY 15 th	10.00 am:	Childrens' Liturgy
	11.00 am:	Prayer Ministry
	11.00 am:	OAG Sponsored Walk

16th October SVP Meeting. 28th October Fr. Dominic Robinson's talk: "Faith & Hope in Iraq".



THURSDAY CLUB in the parish centre from 2 to 3.30pm
each Thursday... **company, conversation and cake!**
All free and all are welcome.

THE BISHOP'S PRAYER

Almighty God, eternal shepherd and guide. In Your love for us, grant to the Catholic Diocese of Lancaster a shepherd who will lead us to be Christ's heart of mercy, voice of hope, and hands of justice. Help him to fill our minds and hearts with the truth of the Gospel, the power of the sacraments, and the desire to build up Your Holy Church. We ask this through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**



WEEKLY DUTIES COMMENCING Sunday 15th October 2017

INFANT LITURGY:	John Driscoll
JUNIOR CHURCH:	Fliss Connolly & Anne White
COFFEE:	Social Group
COUNTERS:	Mr & Mrs Boyes
CLEANING:	Mrs L McMillan, Mrs R Cashel, Mrs L Airey
FLOWERS:	Mrs A Winders (Fri 13 Oct)
	Mrs C Pearson (Fri 20 Oct)

**HOLY TRINITY & ST GEORGE
CATHOLIC CHURCH
NEW ROAD, KENDAL, CUMBRIA.
Also serving Sedbergh**



**TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
8th October 2017**

...He will lease the vineyard...

Isaiah tells how even a carefully prepared vineyard can fail to produce fruit. The Gospel points to those well-prepared people who rejected God and His prophets; and chose bloodshed. Jesus Himself, would be taken outside the vineyard, and killed. The authorities hated Jesus because He showed the people how their leaders only concern was for themselves. The powerful didn't want to be challenged, but they knew Jesus was right. Following Him meant changing their lives and they wouldn't. So they threw Him out and killed Him. But they could never destroy God's plan. We must ask God to help us fight against anything that stops us giving our best to His people. He has entrusted His Kingdom, to us; we need to produce. We can't do it alone. Nor do we have to. God's grace helps us fight off those temptations that push God aside. We must bear fruit or the vineyard will be taken from us too. Prayers alone don't absolve us from our responsibility to live as Jesus taught us. We can be tempted to think that God will forgive us no matter how badly we behave or how often we reject Him – such a philosophy will never produce fruit!

...to other tenants!

WEEKEND MASS: DO YOU NEED A LIFT OR CAN YOU CAR SHARE?

If you need a lift to Mass or can offer a lift / car share, please sign up on the sheets in the porch and a member of the Parish Pastoral Team will contact you. Thank you.

WEEK OF GUIDED PRAYER

OPENING MEETING Sunday 8th, 3.30pm (3pm for a cup of tea) -
Introduction and meet the Guiders.

7.30pm Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday – General sessions open to all,
on 'Prayer and Images of God'.

Closing session Friday afternoon.

MASSES WEEK COMMENCING SUNDAY 8th OCTOBER

Mass text page 61, Office Psalter week 3, Sundays Yr A Readings

Sun **TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**
7th 6.00 pm Vigil: Terry Goundry RIP
8th 10.00 am: People of the parish
12.00 noon: (at Sedbergh)
6.00 pm:

Day of Prayer for Prisoners and Dependants

Mon 9th **Blessed John Henry Newman**
9.15 am:

Tues 10th **Tuesday of week 27**
12.15 pm:

Wed 11th **St John XXIII**
7.00 pm: Leo Robinson LD

Thurs 12th **Thursday of week 27**
12.15 pm:

Fri 13th **St Edward the Conqueror**
12.15 pm:

Sat 14th **Saturday of week 27**

Sun **TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**
14th 6.00 pm Vigil: Frank McAvoy RIP
15th 10.00 am:
12.00 noon: People of the parish (at Sedbergh)
6.00 pm: Kathleen Bell RIP

SVP COLLECTION

SATURDAY CONFESSIONS (14th October): In confessional 5.10pm-5.40pm.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

LATELY DEAD: Dorothy Whitworth.

SICK: Bernadette Watts, George Weld-Blundell, Thomas Barszczewskq, Holly Howe, Anne Riding, Ged Hillon, Francis Gallagher, Will Flitcroft, Philip Barry, Pat Newton, Trish Hoad, Pat Gordon, Margaret West, Edmund Taylor & family members, Aleyamma Punnen, Brian Chambers, Varlien Vyner-Brooks, Ray Irvine, Joan Baines, Howard Selby.

ANNIVERSARIES: Annie Clark, Mary Nicholson, Winifred Hitchen, Harry Robinson, Mary McNamee, Gerry Doherty, John Nelson, Mary Swann, Kathleen Oldcorn, Paul Slegers, Barry Nicholson, Dimetro Hrynczuk, Eileen Webb, Lawrence Kitching, William Shackleton, Hubert Ulbrich, Stanley Holloway.

BOXES OF HOPE CUMBRIA: Thank you to all who filled a Christmas shoebox last year. **Boxes and leaflets are now in church** if you would like to take one to fill for this year's collection. Thank you.

'HOPE AND FAITH IN IRAQ' TALK by Fr Dominic Robinson in the parish centre, Saturday 28th October, 10.30am. All welcome – free entrance with a retiring collection for Aid to the Church in Need's work in Iraq.

AGE UK ALLOTMENT: Please take a leaflet if you are interested in joining in with the care of the Sedbergh Road allotment on Thursdays between 10am and 12 noon.

SVP COLLECTION 14 - 15 OCTOBER: If you would like to Gift Aid your contribution please take an SVP Gift Aid envelope today and bring it back for the collection next weekend. Thank you.

WORLD PORRIDGE DAY on Tuesday October 10th. Why not host a Porridge Party for friends, family or work colleagues and fundraise for Mary's Meals!

MEDJUGORJE 2018: Tuesday 21st to Tuesday 28th August staying at No 1 Pansion. Cost £650 sharing with £110 single room supplement. This is half board and includes a visit to Mostar. Marijana will again be our guide for the week. Further details from Deacon Bernard 015395 63391. Thank you.

BITESIZE THEOLOGY with Market Place Books: Relaxed theology session led by Rev. Roger Laytham allowing people to delve deeper into their understanding of the Christian faith. Session 2 '*Lenses for looking at the Cross: Why did Jesus die?*' Wednesday 11th October, 6.30pm, Cafe Nero. Leaflets at the back of church.

DAY OF RENEWAL: St Clares, Fulwood, Saturday 14th October, 10am – 4pm. '*What the Holy Spirit does in the life of a believer*' led by Fr. Frankie Mulgrew.

OAG SPONSORED WALK to Levens Hall & back Sunday 15th October leaving after 10am Mass. Everyone invited - please support if you can. Proceeds to Mary's Meals.

50th Anniversary of Abortion Act SPUC MEETING: St Mary's Flannery Centre, Ulverston, Saturday 14th October, 2 – 4pm

CAR PARKING INFORMATION: South Lakeland House (bottom of Lowther Street) – Sunday morning 20p per hour, Saturday free from 5.30pm. **Blackhall Road** (opposite bus station) – Saturday free from 6pm.

Last Week's Offertory: **£974.89**. Attendance **342**.

CAFOD Harvest Fast: **£412.72**

Thank you