

DIARY EVENTS:

MONDAY 25 th	10.00 am:	NO Christian Meditation (resume 2 nd July)
TUESDAY 26 th	6.30 pm:	CR8 Space Meeting
WEDNESDAY 27 th	7.30 pm:	Prayer Meeting
THURSDAY 28 th	10.00 am:	Cenacolo Adoration & Meeting
	2.00 pm:	Thursday Club
	7.30 pm:	Final Eucharist Meeting
SATURDAY 30 th	10.00 am:	Parish Walk at Coniston
SUNDAY 1 st July	10.00 am:	Children's Liturgy
	11.00 am:	Prayer Ministry

COMING UP... SVP Meeting Mon 2nd July, 7pm.

WEEKLY DUTIES COMMENCING Sunday 1st July

INFANT LITURGY:	Chris D'Arcy
JUNIOR CHURCH:	Ann Whelan & Tracy Winkley
COFFEE:	Friends of Cenacolo
COUNTERS:	Mr & Mrs Graham
CLEANING:	Mrs A Simm, Mrs H Walmsley, K Legge
FLOWERS:	Mrs P Murphy (Fri 6 th July)

TRUSTEE & CHAIRPERSON VACANCIES: Manna House are looking to recruit new Trustees to their Board as they move into their custom-designed premises at the Stephenson Centre on Ann Street. There will be an **OPEN EVENING** at Manna House on Monday 9th July, 5 - 7pm, for anyone interested - the deadline for applications is midday Friday 27th July. Contact chair@manna-house.org.uk or visit www.manna-house.org.uk/could-you-be-a-manna-house-trustee for details.

RETREAT LEADER VACANCY for a practising Catholic with initiative, enthusiasm and commitment – applications closing date 9am, Monday 25th June. Salary from £15,000. Contact Fr John: director@castleriggmanor.co / 017687 72711.

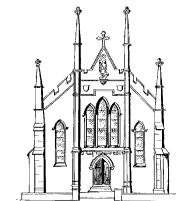
EUCCHARISTIC CONGRESS – ADOREMUS, LIVERPOOL: We have some members of the parish going to this in September, but each of us could celebrate it in our own way. One way would be greater use of the Oratory which is available for personal adoration of the Blessed Sacrament all through the week.

If anyone is interested in going to the main event in the arena on Saturday 8th September there may be tickets available. Please see Fr Hugh.

Our last Eucharist Meeting will be on Thursday 28th June, 7.30pm, in the parish centre.

HOLY TRINITY & ST GEORGE CATHOLIC CHURCH NEW ROAD, KENDAL, CUMBRIA.

Also serving Sedbergh



NATIVITY OF ST JOHN THE BAPTIST 24th June 2018

TODAY'S READINGS:

Of all those born of woman...

At the annunciation of John's conception to Zechariah in the Temple the Gospel points out that God had a special mission for John to fulfil and today's feast points out that from the first moment of his life, John was an integral part of God's plan. This plan will not be complete until the entire world embraces the Kingdom of God. The plan will not be complete until each of us, and those who come after us, assume our own mission in salvation history. We are called to do far more than just witness God's wonders. We are part His plan. We have a function, a responsibility, to the Kingdom. The specifics of our role become evident as life progresses and we become more aware of our individual gifts. Once we know what our talents are, we must use them for God. We have been given the mission to lead the world to God, in ways general to our state of life and specific to our own talents. Like John, we have a responsibility to use our lives to point to the Saviour, who is greater than all of us.

...there is none greater than John the Baptist! (Lk 7:8)

Friday 29th June is the Feast of St Peter & St Paul which is a Holy Day of Obligation. Mass will be at 12.15 pm and 7pm on that day, with a special collection for 'Peter's Pence'

MASSES WEEK COMMENCING SUNDAY 24th JUNE 2018

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Sun 23 rd 24 th	NATIVITY OF ST JOHN THE BAPTIST 6.00 pm: Special Intention (sick) 10.00 am: Fliss RIP 12.00 noon: People of the parish (at Sedbergh) 6.00 pm: Thanks for Exam Success
Mon 25 th	Our Lady of Fernyhalgh 9.15 am:
Tues 26 th	Tuesday of week 12 12.15 pm:
Wed 27 th	Wednesday of week 12 7.00 pm:
Thurs 28 th	St Irenaeus 12.15 pm: Phil Whelan RIP
Fri 29 th	St Peter & St Paul (Holy Day of Obligation) 12.15 pm: Margaret Hodgson (sick) 7.00 pm:
	Special Collection for 'Peter's Pence'
Sat 30 th	Saturday of week 11
Sun 30 th 1 st July	THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 6.00 pm: Matthew and Chantelle Brown (wedding) 10.00 am: 12.00 noon: People of the parish (at Sedbergh) 6.00 pm: Frank McAvoy RIP

SATURDAY CONFESSIONS will be in confessional 5.10pm-5.40pm.

Divine Mercy Chaplet is recited at 3pm each Friday. **Rosary Recitation** takes place on Tuesdays, Thursdays & Fridays at 11.50am, Wednesdays at 6.40pm.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

LATELY DEAD: Raymond Irvine.

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

ANNIVERSARIES: Thomas Goodwin, Margaret Campbell, Mary Wilson, Evelyn Stoker, Graham Ridley, Robert Corker, Lorna McChesney, Margaret Walker, Mrs McAlinden, Edith Thompson, Kathleen Wilson, Phil Whelan, Dorothy Bizley, William Bean.

CONISTON PARISH WALK: 'Share the journey with the refugees'. Saturday 30th June at 10am. Please sign up on the sheet if you'd like to join in and / or if you require transport. Thank you.

SPONSORED WALK FOR MARY'S MEALS: Ann Haggin will be in church on Sunday morning if you would like to sponsor her in walking 'The Ullswater Way' on Saturday 30th June. Thank you for your support.

MANY THANKS to all who supported the Family Quiz and Bingo night last week which raised £209 towards the July trips. *Thank you.*

SPEAK UP ABOUT CLIMATE CHANGE: Prayer & reflection on climate change and the effects of the Paris Climate Change Conference, Wednesday 4th July, 8-9pm in church and we're hoping that Tim Farron MP will be joining us.

CTIKD TORCHLIGHT MEETING on Tuesday 26th June, 7.30pm, Kendal Parish Church. Having a Torchlight Float hinges on finding a vehicle for the evening so if you have any ideas or can help please email ctikd@hotmail.co.uk

LIFE BABY STORE in Morecambe loans essential baby equipment to help women and their families. If you have any unwanted baby items you'd like to donate please contact 07527 202 286, lancasterlifecare@yahoo.co.uk

SOUTH LAKES DEMENTIA HUB KENDAL: Working to help improve the lives of people affected by dementia. Monthly get together for relaxed chat & refreshments. Tuesday 10th July, 2 – 4pm, St. Thomas' Church. Email: KendalDAA@gmail.com

THURSDAY CLUB VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: It would be great if 3 or 4 people could volunteer every 4 or 6 weeks. All that's required are simple refreshments and if possible some entertainment in the form of a quiz, talk, etc. About 12 people come each week. Without help the club will struggle to continue so do see if you can help out and speak to Fr Hugh.

SOCIAL JUSTICE WORK IN THE PARISH: The OAG, CAFOD and the Justice & Peace Group all do work like this in the parish. (The SVP have their own international structure). I would like to encourage more people to be part of these groups as well as find out what other work we are doing in this area. Catholic Social Teaching covers this and includes such things as the environment, arms trafficking, the trafficking of human beings, use of money, etc. Please let me know if you would like to join one of these groups or are doing something similar yourself. *Fr Hugh*

Last Week's Attendance: **354**. Offertory **£963.73** Day For Life **£474.75** *Thank you.*