



**Parish of St Charles
Borromeo and
St Cuthbert**

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FIFTH SUNDAY of LENT (YEAR B)

Bulletin 1248 : 18th March – 25th March 2018

Mass List: Fifth Sunday of Lent Year B, weekdays as set for Lent				
Sat	17 th Mar	A	5.30pm	People of the Parish (G)
Sun	18 th Mar	G	9.00am	Josephine E Carter RIP
Sun	18 th Mar	M	10.30am	People of the Parish
Sun	18 th Mar	M	3.00pm	Stations of the Cross
Mon	19 th Mar	A	10.00am	Rhona & Heather Williams
Tue	20 th Mar	G	10.00am	Simmons Family
Wed	21 st Mar	G	1.30pm	Stations of the Cross
Wed	21 st Mar	G	7.00pm	Special Intention (EM)
Thu	22 nd Mar	A	10.00am	Rosemarie Butcher RIP
Fri	23 rd Mar	M	10.00am	Bernard & Michael Clitheroe
Fri	23 rd Mar	G	7.00pm	Stations of the Cross
Sat	24 th Mar	M	10.00am	People of the Parish (G)
Sat	24 th Mar	A	5.30pm	People of the Parish
Sun	25 th Mar	G	9.00am	Roger Grant Anniversary
Sun	25 th Mar	M	10.30am	Ellen Gibson Anniversary
Sun	25 th Mar	A	3.00pm	Stations of the Cross

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Office of the Church: takes place at Grange on Monday, Thursday and Friday 10am.
Exposition: Grange after the Office 10.30am Friday, Arnside after the 10am mass Thursday, and Milnthorpe after the 10am mass Saturday.
Confessions: Grange 9.30-9.55 am Tuesday, Arnside 9.30-9.55am Thursday, and Milnthorpe 10.30-10.55am Saturday

Fr. Slattery may celebrate mass at other times and at his convenience.

Please pray for the sick & housebound: Fr Rogers, Barbara Crossland, Margaret Brandon, Maureen Higgins, Dorothy Webster, Alice Firth, Michael Goodier, Angela Nottingham, Paul Holland.

Also those in hospital, residential & nursing homes who are being looked after by our Parish: Mary Rohan, Stella Naylon, Marion Gerrard, Josie Buckley, Kevin Carey, Kathleen Quick (Cartmel Grange); Rose McCreesh (Boarbank); Avril McHale (Bridge House).

Stations of the Cross in Lent: Alternately at Milnthorpe and Arnside, 3.00pm. This Sunday March 18th at Milnthorpe; Also Grange 1.30pm Wednesdays and 7.00pm Fridays. See the mass list. The stations are a beautiful devotion for Lent.

SOLEMNITY OF ST. JOSEPH, Monday 19th March. We remember that good and just man, St. Joseph, who was the quiet yet stable support of the Holy Family.

Kent Estuary Catholic Churches - Sunday Mass

Arnside 5.30pm Saturday (Vigil) Grange-over-Sands 9.00am Milnthorpe 10.30am

Our Lady of Lourdes Silverdale Road Arnside LA5 ODX (served from Grange)	St. Charles and St. Cuthbert Kents Bank Road Grange-over-Sands LA11 7EY Tel:015395 32731	Christ the King 15 Haverflatts Lane Milnthorpe LA7 7PS Tel:015395 32731
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PASSION SUNDAY AND HOLY WEEK begins 25th March, just 1 week away. From the Passion or Palm Sunday until Easter Sunday we follow Our Lord in his work of salvation, and become part of it. The climax of Holy Week is the Triduum, the centre of the church's year. Every Catholic should try to attend as much as possible of this sacred time. The Triduum means sacred three days.

- It begins with the Mass of the Lord's Supper (7.00pm Grange on Holy Thursday), followed by watching before the sacrament,
- Then the Good Friday stations of the cross (Grange 10am) and the walk of witness (Arnside 10am) in the morning, followed by the Liturgy of the Cross in the afternoon, 3.00pm (both Grange and Milnthorpe).
- Then we wait with Our Lord in the tomb, until the great Vigil (Holy Saturday 8.00pm Milnthorpe).
- Finally we rejoice in the glory of the resurrection on Easter Sunday (9.30am Grange; 10.30am Arnside).

Meetings March 2018:

Mon 19 Mar	9.30-10.30am+6-7pm	Pilates
Mon 19 Mar	2.00pm	Prayer Group
Mon 19 Mar	7.15pm-8.30pm	Co Workers of Mother Teresa
Tue 20 Mar	1.30pm-3.30pm	AA
Tue 20 Mar	2.00pm	Silent Meditation - Boarbank
Tue 20 Mar	7.00pm-9.30pm	Mothers and Others
Wed 21 Mar	10.30am	Society of St Vincent de Paul
Wed 21 Mar	2.00pm-4.00pm	Ruskin Lace
Wed 21 Mar	7.00pm-9.00pm	Lions
Thur 22 Mar	1.30pm-4.00pm	Thursday Club
Thur 22 Mar	7.00pm-9.30pm	WI
Fri 23 Mar	12.00-1.30pm	Lenten Lunch : Methodist Church
Fri 23 Mar	1.30pm-4.00pm	Cancer Drop In Group
Sat 24 Mar	10.00am-3.00pm	Flower Club
Sun 25 Mar	1.00pm-3.00pm	Food Bank

REMINDER: FOOD BANK at St Charles 1pm – 3pm next SUNDAY 25th MARCH

Prayer for our Bishop-Elect

Heavenly Father, you sent Jesus to shepherd your people and the Holy Spirit to make your people one.

Send your Holy Spirit to anoint our new Bishop-Elect Canon Paul Swarbrick, that he may continue the work of renewal in the Church and unite our parishes, priests and people in love, truth and wisdom.

Give him a true shepherd's heart like that of Jesus, that he may give strength to the weak, heal the broken-hearted, console the lonely, bring back the wandering and be a power against the evil of our day.

We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

EASTER FLOWERS ... There will be a voluntary retiring collection this Sunday 18th March and next Sunday 25th March for donations for flowers to decorate the church at Easter. Thank you.

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Forward Dates

Thur	29 th Mar	G	7.00pm	Mass of the Lord's Supper
Fri	30 th Mar	G	3.00pm	Liturgy of Passion
Fri	30 th Mar	M	3.00pm	Liturgy of Passion
Sat	31 st Mar	M	8.00pm	Easter Vigil
Sun	1 st Apr	G	9.30am	Easter Mass
Sun	1 st Apr	A	10.30am	Easter Mass
Fri	6 th Apr	G	7.00pm	'Wine & Words' Social
Mon	9 th Apr		11.30am	Ordination of Bishop Swarbrick, Cathedral, Lancaster
Sun	29 th April		3.00pm	Rosary on the Coast

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Offertory Collection : £442.69 Standing Orders February : £541

Preparation Talks for Adoremus, the Eucharistic Congress:

Wednesday 21 March, 7.00pm: St Margaret Mary's Parish Community Centre, Carlisle. **"Food for the Journey"** (Father Michael Docherty)

Thursday 26 April, 7.00pm: St Mary's Parish Room, Cleator. **"Eucharist, Reverence or Intimacy"** (Father Paul Johnstone).

Confident Catholics: meeting today Sunday 18th March 3.30pm at Grange. Kindly read book 3, Christian behaviour, pages 88 - 120, chapters 4-7. Please consider the questions, and bring up any that especially interest you. Last time we considered how Jesus was a reasonable answer to many of the fundamental questions of the human race. We then went on to consider the importance of Christian behaviour, morality and the virtues from the rational point of view. Members of the group were beginning to add their valuable thoughts. We look forward to another lively meeting. Latecomers are welcome.

New Parishioners: In order to obtain up to date and correct parishioner records, your help is requested. Would those living in the parish, or regularly attending St Charles, please complete the parish census form at the back of church. Thank you.

CHURCHES TOGETHER IN GRANGE & DISTRICT LENT LUNCHEs 2018 : FRIDAYS FROM NOON TO 1.30 pm
23rd March Methodist Church Hall

CASTLERIGG EVENTS:-

Easter Retreat (Maundy Thursday to Easter Sunday, 29th March to 1st April)

Family Weekend (25th – 27th May) Open to all families.

Sponsored Walk, a new venture to raise the funds to support our work.

Gap-Year Volunteers needed for the new academic year.

For information on these events:- visit website www.castleriggmanor.co.uk

THE 2018 LANCASTER DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO WALSINGHAM will take place from Tuesday 2nd October to Friday 5th October, led by our new Bishop of Lancaster, Paul Swarbrick. The cost is £280 for full board for three nights based on people sharing a room in the Anglican accommodation centre with a day excursion to Sandringham House. There will be four pick up points throughout the diocese from Workington, Penrith, Lancaster and Preston. Further details will be issued nearer the time. Closing date for bookings is Monday 25th June 2018 by which a non-refundable deposit of £80 is required (cheques made payable to *Office of the New Evangelisation*).

For further enquiries, contact Paul Briers on 01946 834834, 07773848819 or email guildshop@yahoo.co.uk

Refreshments available after the Sunday Mass at Milnthorpe and Grange... All parishioners, friends and visitors are very welcome to join us.