

## Kent Estuary Catholic Churches

Christ the King (M)  
15 Haverflatts Lane  
Milnthorpe LA7 7PS

Our Lady of Lourdes (A)  
Silverdale Rd  
Arnside LA5 0DX

St. Charles & St. Cuthbert (G)  
Kents Bank Rd.  
Grange-o-Sands LA11 7EY

Parish website [www.catholicparishofarnsideandmilnthorpe.org.uk](http://www.catholicparishofarnsideandmilnthorpe.org.uk)

Parish Priest - Fr. P. Smith, Tel: 015395 32731

### **Easter Sunday – 1<sup>st</sup> April 2018**

<b>Mass List: Easter Sunday and Easter Week</b>				
Sat	31 <sup>st</sup> Mar	M	8.00pm	People of the Parish
Sun	1 <sup>st</sup> April	G A	9.30am 10.30am	People of the Parish Private Intention
Mon	2 <sup>nd</sup> April			NO MASS
Tues	3 <sup>rd</sup> April			NO MASS
Wed	4 <sup>th</sup> April			NO MASS
Thurs	5 <sup>th</sup> April			NO MASS
Fri	6 <sup>th</sup> April			NO MASS
Sat	7 <sup>th</sup> April	G A	10am 5.30pm	Frank Glen Rip Roy Wilson anniv
Sun	8 <sup>th</sup> April	G M	9.00am 10.30am	People of the Parish People of the Parish

**Office of the Church:** takes place at Grange on Monday, Thursday and Friday 10am.  
**Exposition,** Grange after the Office 10.30am Friday, Arnside No exposition this week, and Milnthorpe after the 10am Mass Saturday.  
**Confessions:** Milnthorpe 10.30-10.55am Saturday

Mgr. Slattery celebrates Mass at other times at his convenience - all are welcome.

Fr. Philip will be away during the Easter week. He will be back for the Saturday Mass at Milnthorpe.

**CTK MUSIC MINISTRY.** Tuesdays 7.30-8.45. All welcome to sing or play! Regular attendance not essential. He who sings, prays twice!

**ANNIVERSARIES FOR APRIL :** Roy Wilson, Tony Wright, Gundela Abraham, Peggy Inchmore, Joseph Coyle, Anne Richards, Herbert James, William Doolin, Kevin Hopkins, Mary Davies, Mrs M Crowshaw, Thelma Harris, Roy Leslie Wilson, Anne Pauline Richards, James Jackson, Irene Helm, Teresa McAllister, Robert Helm, Harold Jenkins, Anastasia Davies, Marie Arnold, Angela Sowerby, Norah Ryan, John McHugh, Ivy Haile, J Barron Rodway, Mary Davies, William Morphet, Margaret Hawkrigg, Henry Brown, Mary Parkinson.

**SICK LIST:** Ann Savage, Kath England, Betty Whittaker, Canon John Watson, Joan Williams, Chris Browne, Maureen Goodman.

**LATELY DEAD:** Teresa Bingham of Gatebeck.

**FINANCE:** £484 in the weekly collection. Thank you.

**RED MISSION BOXES:** It will soon be time to send off our six-monthly contribution; please hand your box to Mary in Milnthorpe, or Paul in Arnside, before the end of March.

### **NOTICES**

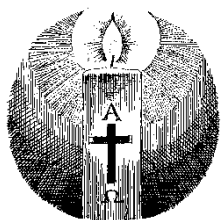
**CONFIDENT CATHOLICS:** next meeting is Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> April 3.30pm at Grange. Kindly read book 3 of 'Mere Christianity', Christian behaviour, pages 115 - 144, chapters 7-12. Please consider the questions, and bring up any that especially interest you. Last time we contrasted psychoanalysis and morality, then sexual morality and finally the reasoning behind Christian marriage from the rational point of view. Members of the group are now making valuable contributions from their own experience. We look forward to another lively meeting after Easter. Latecomers are welcome.

**BAPTISM:** we welcome into the family of the Church Lucia Rea Jackson Daughter of Roger and Gemma of Arnside, who was baptised on the 18<sup>th</sup> March at Christ the King.

**PRAYER FOR OUR NEW BISHOP:** Bishop Michael asks that on the afternoon before the Episcopal Ordination of Canon Swarbrick (Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> April) each parish of the Diocese should have an hour of prayer for the intentions of our new Bishop and for the needs of the Diocese. At Grange we will have a Holy Hour with Benediction at 2.00pm Sunday, followed by tea and biscuits. Those continuing with our 'Confident Catholics' meeting at 3.30pm will be able to refresh themselves! At Milnthorpe we will have a holy hour at 4.30pm.

We have members of the parish attending (they were drawn by lot recently). The places were restricted. Would all pray the prayer for our new Bishop on the day of his ordination.

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 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 evil of the day.  
We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen



Jesus says: I am the light of the world. Whoever believes in me has the light of everlasting life.

**Dear Parishioners,**

We have the light of everlasting life. We have something to proclaim to the world around us. Let us resolve to be outgoing confident and welcoming parishes, who are not shy to proclaim our belief in the risen Christ among us.

I take this opportunity at Easter of thanking all the hard working members of our two linked parishes. Both parishes are well run, having a well-organised structure, a great sense of service, and devoted people. I am truly blessed to be with you. I also thank all those who have prepared the Church for Holy Week and Easter. Fr. Philip



**Why look for Jesus among the dead? - He is risen.**

**I wish you and your families a holy and happy Easter**



*Philip Smith*

**FUNDRAISER FOR CENACOLO/ CHILDREN!** Fri 27 April, 7.00 pm, CTK Hall.

BRING...food to share. BRING...your own alcohol. BRING...ONE quiz question - and the answer!  
BRING...cash for last chance to buy raffle tickets. Stunning variety and amount of prizes! Buy tickets on behalf of others?! Available at both churches.

**PARISH WALK:** A spring walk on Sunday 8th of April. Meet in the church car park at 1pm details from Pat Duckett tel 01524781369

**GIFT AID:** a tax reclaim will be submitted soon to HMRC. Please notify David Alexander if you are no longer a tax payer or paid insufficient tax last year to cover all charitable Gift Aid donations. At the standard rate of tax (20%), 25p is reclaimed for every £1 donated.

**COR ET LUMEN CHRISTI** St Cuthbert's, Wigton, CA7 9HU, Weekend Conference, 'CALLED TO GLORY', Sat 14th - 15th April. See posters or visit [www.coretlumenchristi.org](http://www.coretlumenchristi.org). or tel: 016973 45623 or 07516 075896. Forthcoming event: Spiritual Spa Day for women 5<sup>th</sup> May – details from above contacts.

#### Forward Dates

Fri	6 <sup>th</sup> April	G	7.00pm	Social 'Wine and Words'
Mon	9 <sup>th</sup> April		11.30am	Ordination Bishop Swarbrick. Cathedral, Lancaster
Mon	23 <sup>rd</sup> April	M	7.00pm	Parish Mission Group
Sun	22 <sup>nd</sup> April	G		Joint parish lunch
Sun	29 <sup>th</sup> April	A	3.00pm	Rosary on the Coast

A = Arnside; G = Grange; M = Milnthorpe

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