

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

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

3rd Sunday of Easter – 15th April 2018

Mass List: Third Sunday of Easter Year B

Sat	14 th April	A	5.30pm	Robert & Irene Helm Anniv
Sun	15 th April	G	9.00am	People of the Parish
		M	10.30am	People of the Parish
Mon	16 th April	A	10.00am	Private Intention
Tues	17 th April	G	10.00am	George Oldcorn Rip
Wed	18 th April	G	7.00pm	Private Intention
Thurs	19 ^h April		10.00am	Wilf Murphy Rip
Fri	20 th April	M	10.00am	Private Intention
Sat	21 st April	A	10am	Private Intention
			5.30pm	Private Intention
Sun	22 nd April	G	9.00am	People of the Parish
		M	10.30am	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 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

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

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.

FINANCE: £403 in last weeks collection – thank you.

NOTICES

GOVERNOR NEEDED: Dean Gibson Primary School in Kendal has an excellent reputation. They ask for a parishioner to volunteer as a Governor. They would prefer somebody with financial or buildings knowledge. But I am sure they would welcome any person with the interest of our schools at heart. This is a great work of service. Our Catholic schools are an important sign of our outward mission and service to the world around us.

Please note that the Arnside and Milnthorpe and Grange are all feeder parishes to this school. Any Catholic child from our area will be given priority if they apply to the school. The school can be accessed easily as it is on our side of Kendal. For further information apply direct to the Head, Mrs. Sarah Tansey tel 01539 737244

ROSARY ON THE COAST, Our Lady of Lourdes Arnside 29th April 3.00pm. The inspiration for this initiative comes from the faithful of Poland and Ireland who have responded to what they sense as a movement of the Holy Spirit to gather around the coasts and borders of their nations and pray to Jesus, the Divine Mercy, for a renewal of faith and respect for human life through the powerful intercession of Our Lady of the Rosary. We have felt the same inspiration and urge you to respond. Please see adverts and join us.

WEDDING: Congratulations to Daniel McNeil and Stephanie Bland of the Isle of Barra, Scotland, who were married at St. Charles on the 14th April. We wish them every blessing and contentment in their married life. Stephanie has relatives nearby.

ADOREMUS, THE EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS preparation talks Thursday 26 April, 7.00pm: St Mary's Parish Room, Cleator "Eucharist, Reverence or Intimacy" (Father Paul Johnstone).

JOINT PARISH LUNCH will be held this coming Sunday 22nd April at The Grange Hotel. Meet at the hotel 12.00 noon for 12.30pm. If you have not yet bought your tickets for the Grand Raffle, these will be on sale on the day.

NEW BISHOP: Our new Bishop, the Right Rev. Paul Swarbrick, was ordained as our new Bishop last Monday. He is the 7th Bishop of Lancaster Diocese. After the ordination, attended by the Apostolic Nuncio, Cardinal Nichols and many other Bishops, he took a few moments to be with his family. He was seen seated on the steps of his Cathedral, in his Bishop's regalia, with a small nephew and niece sitting on either side of him.

Please support him with your prayers as he begins his work as our pastor. We wish our former Bishop, Bishop Michael Campbell, a contented and fulfilled retirement from his heavy responsibilities in the Diocese.

CONFIDENT CATHOLICS: next meeting this Sunday 15th April. We will cover 'Faith' pages 138 – 150. Please consider the questions, and bring up any that especially interest you. Last time we considered the great sin of pride, then Hope and Charity. We look forward to another lively meeting. Latecomers are welcome.

We will have the meeting after the 15th April on Sunday 6th May at 3.30pm. (The two Sundays in between are taken up with parish matters).

CHURCH GUIDE: Mary Salter of Milnthorpe has produced a church guide for those visiting Christ the King. Do look at it. It has a history of the Church and describes the artwork in the church. Would anybody like to try such a guide for St Charles and St. Cuthbert Grange? Please see me. I believe it would be appreciated by our many visitors, and would remind us of the art work we have in the church. A guide is part of our mission to explain who we are and what we believe in, by explaining the meaning of our churches. Fr. Philip

200 CLUB WINNERS FOR MARCH : were £20 to James McPoland, £10 to Elizabeth Marsden and £5 to Louis Duffy.

ARNSIDE HELPWAYS exists to provide transport for Arnside residents to medical appointments only, at the Hospital, Doctor, Dentist, Chiropodist, Physio and Optician. A charge is made to cover car expenses of 45p per mile. If you need this service telephone 07534 660667. We are looking for more drivers to volunteer to provide this service. Requests to drive will be no more than twice per month. If it is not possible to undertake a job, you just have to say so, there is no obligation to accept a request. For more information, telephone 761218 or 762124.

'NO TO DECRIMINALISING ABORTION'. Please sign the online petition at spuc.org.uk calling on the Prime Minister not to give any parliamentary support to decriminalise abortion which would lead to abortion on demand and up to birth for any reason, and make pregnant women even more vulnerable. The deadline is Friday, 27th April, 2018 which marks the 50th anniversary of the implementation of the 1967 Abortion Act and the subsequent deaths of nearly 9 million unborn babies in the UK.

For further information, please take a leaflet from the back of church.

CAFOD. Thank you for your support to our Lent Fast Day appeal. Donations to CAFOD until 12 May will be doubled by the UK Government. We have planned a £5 million programme to combat malnutrition - and with it we hope to be able to reach 245,000 people. But we need the full amount of match funding to make it happen. You can help us reach the full amount needed for this crucial programme. We still have some way to go yet! To donate please go to cafod.org.uk/lent

ANNUAL COFFEE MORNING FOR MONICA'S NEPAL ORPHANAGE – Will take place on Saturday 19th May in Gaskell Hall, Silverdale, 10am -12. All very welcome. Donations for stalls – cakes, books, clothes, bric-a-brac, and raffle / tombola prizes gratefully received. We are also looking for more sponsors since we have taken on a second orphanage. Part sponsorship from £50 per month up to £450 full sponsorship. Please contact Monica if you are able to help. Tel: 01524 762737. Thank you.

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.

Forward Dates				
Sun	15 th April	Grange	3.30pm	Confident Catholics Meeting
Mon	23 rd April	Milnthorpe	7.00pm	Parish Mission Group meeting
Thur	19 th April	Milnthorpe	7.00pm	CKM Prop & Fin. Group Mtg.
Sun	22 nd April	Grange		Joint parish lunch
Wed	25 th April	Grange	7.30pm	Grange Pastoral Council
Fri	27 th April	Milnthorpe	7.00pm	Cenacolo Evening
Sun	29 th April	Arnside	3.00pm	Rosary on the Coast
Sun	6 th May	Grange	3.30pm	Confident Catholics Meeting
Sun	20 th May	Arnside	3.00pm	ACT Unity Service
A = Arnside; G = Grange; M = Milnthorpe				

Newsletter items: email to ctkollcc@gmail.com

Church Hall Milnthorpe, to book contact Christine Atkinson on 015395 62326

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