

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

6th Sunday of Easter – 6th May 2018

Mass List: 6th Sunday of Easter Year B

Sat	5 th May	Arnside	5.30pm	Peter Jackson Anniv
Sun	6 th May	Grange	9.00am	People of the Parish
		Miln'rpe	10.30am	People of the Parish
Mon	7 th May	Arnside	10.00am	Vera Metcalf
Tues	8 th May	Grange	10.00am	Private Intention
Wed	9 th May	Grange	7.00pm	NO MASS
ASCENSION OF THE LORD				
Wed	9 th May	Arnside	5.30pm	Edwin Smith Rip
Thurs	10 th May	Arnside	10.00am	NO MASS
Thurs	10 th May	Grange	10.00am	Katy, Safe delivery
Thurs	10 th May	Miln'rpe	7.00pm	Guthrie Intention
Fri	11 th May	Miln'rpe	10.00am	Private Intention
Sat	12 th May	Miln'rpe	10am	Private Intention
		Arnside	5.30pm	People of the Parish
Sun	13 th May	Grange	9.00am	People of the Parish
		Miln'rpe	10.30am	Margaret Hankinson Anniv

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 MAY: Jamie Rhind, George Leonard, John Trinick, Molly Cardis, Kathleen Aspinall, Rose Webster, Mary Wilde, William Gibson, Lou Porter, William Barton, Anne Lawson, Fred Currie, Julia Avery, Lily James, Matthew Phelan, Jack Gill, Marguerite Wainwright, Mark Wainwright, Lillian Barton, Mary Newell, Peter Jackson, Jean McKay.

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

FINANCE: £466 in last weeks collection – thank you.

NEXT SUNDAY: World communications Sunday. Retiring collection for Catholic Media

NOTICES

ASCENSION OF THE LORD THURSDAY, Holyday of Obligation. Times of Masses are: Arnside vigil Mass Wednesday 5.30pm; Grange Thursday 10am, and Milnthorpe Thursday 7.00pm. Jesus appeared for 40 days after His resurrection in his glorified body. Then He left this world in bodily form. He went away so that He could be available in all times and in all places spiritually to his faithful people; he is available today personally to give each of us purpose and hope on our journey through life.

'ROSARY ON THE COAST' was held successfully last Sunday at Our Lady of Lourdes Arnside. Our chapel was full. Parishioners provided hospitality afterwards. We gathered with many others encircling the coasts of England, Wales and Scotland on the same day and at the same hour. We prayed to Jesus, the Divine Mercy, for a renewal of faith, peace and respect for human life in our country through the powerful intercession of Our Lady of the Rosary.

DIOCESAN SOLEMN EXPOSITION: Grange takes its turn to have Solemn Exposition today, Sunday. Watching will be from after Mass to 1.00pm. It ends with Benediction. We assert our fundamental belief that Jesus is present for us in our churches; they are houses of God. It is part of our mission to adore the Eucharist publicly: exposure to the Eucharist is a sort of spiritual radiation therapy that gives all an experience of encountering God. Do take time to come. Refreshments will be served in the hall as usual, so you can come back afterwards. But most of all AT THE END OF MASS PLEASE LEAVE QUIETLY out of respect for Our Lord present in the Eucharist.

NEXT MONTH: Christ the King parish takes its turn to host the Diocesan adoration on the 17th June.

CONFIDENT CATHOLIC MEETING THIS SUNDAY 6TH MAY 3.30pm, the Presbytery Grange. We covered 'Faith' last time. Please consider the questions on pages 153-171, and bring up any that especially interest you. The subjects are on Trinity (the truth that God is a sort of community, and that we are only complete when we are a community) and God and time (the truth that God is outside time, and can therefore be present for us at all times). You will see how both make sense. Latecomers are welcome.

MEGA RAFFLE FOR CENACOLO/CHILDREN and Jacobs Join with was held last week. A very happy evening was enjoyed, and £400 has been made! Many thanks for all the prizes and tickets bought! Next fund raisers in Arnside at the end of May/ beginning June. Watch this space.

ANNUAL OPEN DAY AT CENACOLO TODAY this Sunday 6th May. Mass will be celebrated with Bishop Paul at 12 noon. See website for other happenings through the day.

DATA PROTECTION. The enhanced data protection regulations come into effect shortly (GDPR 2018). Our parishes keep computer information on parishioners and their spouses and dependents. This information includes names, contact details and any planned giving and required Gift Aid information. This information is kept to meet our legitimate church and parish interests. Information kept on our computers is password protected. We do not share it unless required to do so legally eg for Gift Aid purposes. You have a right to access your personal information, or have it deleted. Any questions - please contact Fr. Philip Smith.

FREEDOM TO PRAY - FREEDOM OF EXPRESSION' PETITION. Following Ealing Council's recent decision to impose a Public Space Protection Order (PSPO) to ban pro-lifers from staging prayer vigils close to the Marie Stopes clinic in the borough, a number of other local authorities are understood to be preparing to follow suit. SPUC has launched a major petition calling on the Home Secretary, Amber Rudd, to oppose any moves to restrict peaceful pro-life citizens' freedom of expression and freedom to pray outside abortion centres. See spuc.org.uk for further information and the link to sign this petition online.

SPIRITUAL SPA DAY: for women: Sat 5th May St Cuthbert's Old Convent, Wigton CA7 9HU. 11am – 6.30pm (or start with Mass at 10am next door). For info 016973 45623 or www.coretlumenchristi.org

YOUTH RETREAT: 29th June – 1st July with Redemptorist Youth Ministry, St Mary's, Kinnoull, Perth PH2 7BP. For info 01738 624075 or www.kinnoullmonsatery.co.uk cost £150

NEPAL ORPHANAGE - COFFEE MORNING AND SPONSORSHIP (amended notice)

The coffee morning is Saturday 19th May in Gaskell Hall, Silverdale, 10am -12. All very welcome. Part sponsorship available from just **£50 PER YEAR** or you could donate up to £450 for full sponsorship. Please contact Monica for more information and if you feel able to help. Tel: 01524 762737. Thank you.

Forward Dates				
Sun	6 th May	Grange	10.00-1.00pm	Exposition
Sun	6 th May	Grange	3.30pm	Confident Catholics Meeting
Thur	10 th May			Ascension of the Lord
Fri	11 th May	Nelson	2.30pm	Evangelisation Study Day
Sun	20 th May			Pentecost Sunday
Sun	20 th May	Arnside	3.00pm	ACT Unity Service
Sun	27 th May			Trinity Sunday
Sun	3 rd June			Corpus Christi
Sun	7 th June	Milnthorpe	TBA	Exposition
	7-9 th Sep	Liverpool		Adoremus Conference

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