



Parish of St Charles Borromeo and St Cuthbert
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FEAST of the HOLY FAMILY : Year C

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Mass List: FEAST of the HOLY FAMILY : Year C

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Sat	29 th Dec	A	5.30pm	Private Intention
Sun	30 th Dec	G	9.00am	People of the Parish
Sun	30 th Dec	M	10.30am	People of the Parish
Mon	31 st Dec	A	10.00am	Kathleen & Ernest Mann RIP
Tue	1 st Jan	G	10.00am	William Barham RIP
Wed	2 nd Jan	G	7.00pm	Caroline Gee (sick)
Thu	3 rd Jan	A	10.00am	Alban Benson RIP
Fri	4 th Jan	M	10.00am	Simon Rose (sick)
Sat	5 th Jan	M	10.00am	Private Intention

THE EPIPHANY of the LORD : Year C

Sat	5 th Jan	A	5.30pm	Wilson & Ogden Families RIP
Sun	6 th Jan	G	9.00am	People of the Parish
Sun	6 th Jan	M	10.30am	People of the Parish

A = Arnside; G = Grange; M = Milnthorpe

Office of the Church: takes place at Grange on Monday, Thursday and Friday 10am.

Exposition, (NO DEVOTIONS OR CONFESSIONS at 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.

Please note that confessions and adoration are cancelled in the Christmas Octave at all three churches

Please pray for the sick & housebound:

Fr Rogers, Barbara Crossland, Margaret Brandon, Dorothy Webster, Alice Firth, Michael Goodier, Angela Nottingham, Paul Holland, Jacky Grant, Nick Drake-Lee, Kate Drake-Lee, Caroline Gee.

Also those in hospital, residential & nursing homes who are being looked after by our Parish:

Terry Carter (RLI); Stella Naylor, Marion Gerrard, Josie Buckley, Kevin Carey, Kathleen Quick, Veronica Smith, Margaret Vincent, Brian and Carol Mills (Cartmel Grange); Christine McIvor (Hollow Oak).

Offertory Collection: £366.19

Thank You to Parish Workers: To all our devoted parishioners who made such a beautiful Christmas for us. I include all those who prepared the church, those who sang and read, and all those who took part. Jesus was welcomed with a true and heartfelt liturgy in our place.

Personal Thank You for all the cards and other kind thoughts you have given me over the Christmas. But most of all I value the support you give for your parishes. We are building further (on sound foundations I have inherited) a devoted and warm family of faith that is the sign of God working on the earth today.

Parish News Reports: parishioners needed to report on the parish news to local press and church newsletters. This is not complicated. Thanks to Norah Proos for taking on this job in Arnside. We need reporters for Milnthorpe and Grange. This work is an important part of our mission as these reports witness to our living faith as a **believing** community and witness to our **belonging** to a lively community. I ask somebody from Milnthorpe and from Grange to do this important work. Fr. Philip

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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This Sunday:

The Feast of the Holy Family: reminds us that God chose to be born into a family like our family. God blesses your family. The stability of the human race depends on strong families that stick together. The Holy Family experienced all the ups and downs that we too experience.

Mary Mother of God: we celebrate this feast on New Year's Day, at St. Charles Grange. When we say 'Mother of God', we emphasise that, by Mary's faithful consent, God becomes one with us. God is with us and for us, in all the difficulties we face in our lives. He will not abandon you or your families and all those you love. May Mary also be the kindest mother to us all. I wish you every blessing for this New Year. *Fr. Philip*

Christmas Season: Please remember that we rejoice during this season. The octave, a time of special rejoicing, lasts until the feast of the Holy Family on the 30th December, but the whole season up to the Baptism of the

Lord on 13th January should be a time of rejoicing. It is a sign of our faith that we know how to fast and be thoughtful during Advent; and we know equally how to feast and rejoice for God's sake in the Christmas period. *Fr. Philip*



Crib Collection: Bishop Paul would like the proceeds of the 2018 Crib collection to be distributed to needy families within our own parish communities.

Meetings January 2019:

Tue 1 Jan 1.30pm-4.00pm AA

STAMPS WANTED

Please save all your used stamps and place them in the stamp box in the porch. Just tear round the stamp leaving a decent sized margin, there's no need to cut or soak them. St Mary's Hospice in Ulverston can sell these to raise much needed funds. Many thanks, *Denise*

Forward Dates				
Sun	30 Dec	All		Feast of the Holy Family
Sun	6 th Jan	All		Epiphany of the Lord
Wed	9 th Jan	Grange	7.30pm	SCG PPC
Fri	25 th Jan	Milnthorpe	7.00pm	Christian Unity Service

Joe and Liz wish to thank everyone for their cards, kind wishes and gifts received. God bless.

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