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BAPTISM of the LORD : Year C

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Mass List: BAPTISM of the LORD: Year C

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Sat	12 th Jan	A	5.30pm	People of the Parish
Sun	13 th Jan	G	9.00am	People of the Parish
Sun	13 th Jan	M	10.30am	Linda Walmsley RIP
Mon	14 th Jan	A	10.00am	Margaret Worcester RIP
Tue	15 th Jan	G	10.00am	Pam Gee (sick)
Wed	16 th Jan	G	7.00pm	Alfred Worcester RIP
Thu	17 th Jan	A	10.00am	Peter Noble RIP
Thu	17 th Jan	Boarbank	8.00pm	Reception Paul Holland
Fri	18 th Jan	M	10.00am	Paul Holland RIP
Fri	18 th Jan	Boarbank	11.00am	Funeral Paul Holland
Sat	19 th Jan	M	10.00am	Private Intention
Second Sunday in Ordinary Time: Year C				
Sat	19 th Jan	A	5.30pm	Private Intention
Sun	20 th Jan	G	9.00am	People of the Parish
Sun	20 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: Grange after the Office 10.30am Friday. Arnside after the 10am mass Thursday and Milnthorpe after the 10am mass Saturday.

Confessions: Grange 9.30-9.55am Tuesday, Arnside 9.30-9.55am Thursday, and Milnthorpe 10.30-10.55am Saturday

Fr. Slattery may celebrate mass at other times.

Please pray for the sick & housebound:

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

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

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

Offertory Collection: £362.12. Standing Orders December: £396.00

Meetings January 2019:

Mon 14 January	9.30-10.30am	Pilates
Mon 14 January	2.00pm	Prayer Group
Mon 14 January	6.00pm-7.00pm	Pilates
Tue 15 January	1.45pm-3.15pm	AA
Tue 15 January	2.00pm	Silent Meditation : Boarbank
Wed 16 January	10.00am-11.30am	Changing Melody
Wed 16 January	2.00pm-4.00pm	Ruskin Lace
Wed 16 January	7.00pm-9.00pm	Lions
Thur 17 January	1.30pm-4.00pm	Thursday Club
Fri 18 January	1.45pm-4.15pm	Cancer Drop-In Group

Burns Night

St Charles' style Burns Night Supper plus!!!!!! To find out about the "plus" you need to come along for 7pm on Friday 25th January. Cost is £7.50 per person. Numbers are limited due to the size of the Fr Magner Room so to reserve a place, you need to complete one of the slips at the back of the church by the green box and either post it in the box with a cheque made out to St Charles' Social Committee or, if you prefer, give it to one of the committee members. The closing date for reservations is Wednesday 23rd January.

White Flower Appeal for SPUC: The White Flower appeal takes place this weekend. We remember pre born children who are the most vulnerable members of our society and their mothers. The Society for the protection of unborn children (SPUC) explains the importance of pro-life issues, such as the humanity of unborn children and the damage done to women by abortion. **The annual White Flower Appeal is a major source of income for SPUC. For the past 30 years, thousands of churches have supported its work in this way.**

Retiring Collection. Please give generously.

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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Funeral: The funeral of Paul Holland of Kents Bank will take place on Friday 18th January, 11am at Boarbank. Paul died on Saturday 5th January after a time of increasing infirmity. He lived formerly at Beetham and also at Arnside, and may be remembered in Christ the King Parish. May he rest in peace and rise to eternal life.

Baptism: We welcome into the family of the church Joseph James Lewis, son of Lucy and Paul of Sale Manchester, who was baptised on Sunday 6th January at St Charles Church. Joseph is a grandchild of Michael Goodier of Kents Bank.

Mission Is Our Job: Today, faith is passed on by personal contact with followers of Christ whose faith is real and attractive. It is not passed on automatically through families as happened 50 or 60 years ago. The world has changed. **Today we all have to be Disciples & Apostles in our place.**

All recent Popes have begged us to become more active disciples and apostles. This is Church teaching. The Alpha programme is a first stage in learning how to be an active disciple. (see below). *Fr. Philip*

Divine Renovation & Mission: Your mission group will be attending an important conference on 7th/8th February on ‘**Divine Renovation**’ of parish life. The intention is to renew the church according to the minds of several recent Popes. It is whole parish renovation, and a change in the culture of the parish. It does not deny or wish to change the magnificent and devoted work done in each of our communities. But it invites us to give new enthusiasm to our Christian life by developing individual discipleship. The members of our mission group are: Isabel Shelly representing Grange, Deirdre Trueman representing Milnthorpe and Greg Tagney representing Arnside. Please pray for us. *Fr. Philip*

Alpha Programme starts on Sunday 17th February at 4.00pm: Alpha is a programme for introducing people to a living relationship with Jesus, or for renewing that relationship. It is a first step in **renewal of parish life** and Catholic life. It is also a way for us to grow in the **confidence** needed to talk about our faith and about Jesus (as our Mission Group has found). Another parish in our Diocese is already finding that the Alpha programme is bearing fruit in their parish. More details next week. *Fr. Philip*

Grange: Assistant Health and Safety officer needed. A methodical and commonsense person needed to keep an eye on the parish property, reporting anything that could be a hazard or risk. They will carry out inspections at regular intervals, completing the checklists provided. It will involve a few hours work at intervals during the year. **We must have such a person if we are to function legally as a parish.** Many thanks to Michael Carter who has done this work. He has to retire for family reasons. Those interested, please discuss with Fr. Philip

New Life in our Churches

We love our faith and know that it is true. Yet we all know the worrying amount lapsation and indifference to faith. For this reason we pray for New Life in our parishes. We pray for a new approach, with a fresh spirit, to living our faith and passing on the faith. I ask you to begin saying a renewal prayer each day.

New Life Prayer

**‘Abba Father, loving Jesus, creating Spirit -
In You and with You may we bring new life to our churches.
Give us an expectant faith, to hope for great things.
Give us wisdom and courage, to do great things.
Give us above all Your unfailing love,
With which we may cherish all we meet,
And become the people You want us to be. Amen.’**

(Deirdre Trueman, Chair of the Pastoral Council, Christ the King with Our Lady of Lourdes)

Forward Dates				
Fri	25 th Jan	Milnthorpe	7.00pm	Christian Unity Service
Fri	15 th Feb	Arnside	TBD	World Day of Prayer, preparation discussion
Wed	27 th Feb	Grange	7.30pm	Grange PPC Meeting
Fri	1 st March	Arnside	2.00pm	World Day of Prayer
Wed	6 th March	All		Ash Wednesday: Lent
Sat	9 th March	Grange	9.30am	CTiG Quiet Morning reflection for Lent
TBD	TBD	Arnside	TBD	Lent House Groups
Fri	15 th March	Grange	various	CTiG Lent Lunches begin
Wed	10 th April	Arnside	11.00am	CTiA Council Meeting
Sun	14 th April	All		Palm Sunday
Fri	19 th April	Arnside	am	CTiA Good Friday Service
Sun	21 st April	All		Easter
Sat	11 th May	Arnside	TBD	CTiA Spring Fair
Wed	22 nd May	Grange	2.00pm	CTiG AGM Meeting
Sun	9 th June	Arnside	4.00pm	CTiA Unity Service

‘TBD’ = to be decided