



**HOLY TRINITY & ST GEORGE
CATHOLIC CHURCH**
Serving Kendal and Sedbergh

TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - 20th October 2019

DIARY EVENTS:

SUN 20 th	10.00 am:	NO Childrens Liturgy
	11.00 am:	Prayer Ministry
MON 21 st	10.00 am:	Christian Meditation
WED 23 rd	7.30 pm:	NO Prayer Meeting
THURS 24 th	10.00 am:	Cenacolo Prayers & Meeting
	2.00 pm:	Thursday Club
SUN 27 th	10.00 am:	NO Childrens Liturgy (half term – back on 3 rd Nov)
	11.00 am:	Prayer Ministry

WEEKLY DUTIES COMMENCING Sunday 27th October

COFFEE:	SVP
COUNTERS:	C McEntegart & H Walters
CLEANERS:	M Delaney, Mrs P Roberts

CARDINAL NEWMAN: GOD KNOWS ME AND CALLS ME BY HIS NAME:

God has created me to do Him some definite service. He has committed some work to me, which He has not committed to another. I have my mission. I may never know it in this life, but I shall be told it in the next. I am a link in a chain, a bond of connection between persons He has not created me for naught. I shall do good; I shall do His work. I shall be an angel of peace, a preacher of truth in my own place, while not intending it if I do but keep His commandments and serve him in my calling. Therefore, I will trust Him, whatever I am, I can never be thrown away. If I am in sickness, my sickness may serve Him, in perplexity, my perplexity may serve Him. If I am in sorrow, my sorrow may serve Him. He does nothing in vain. He knows what He is about. He may take away my friends. He may throw me among strangers. He may make me feel desolate, make my spirits sink, hide my future from me. Still, He knows what He is about.

LIVE SIMPLY: EMAILING THE BULLETIN - in order to save paper we are working on a system to send the weekly bulletin by email to anyone who would like to receive communication in this way. We are setting up a small test group for this so if you would like to be part of it please can you let the parish office know. *Thank you.*

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TODAY'S READINGS:

Let us pray...

The Amalekites challenged the Hebrews to a decisive battle. Moses watched from a distance. His brother Aaron and his companion, Hur, stayed with Moses. As long as Moses arms were raised holding his staff - the power of God - the Israelites were winning; when his arms came down, the Amalekites were winning. The position of his raised up arms is an ancient one of prayer. As Moses remained united to God in prayer, God's power prevailed. He couldn't do it alone; he needed the support of others; even with help, it took all Moses had to persevere. The gospel also, humorously, demonstrates perseverance in prayer. Nobody could tell the unjust judge what to do until he meets this widow, she wouldn't give it a rest! She knew she was right; she wanted justice. She badgered him night and day. The widow kept pestering the judge for a just decision. Moses kept his arms raised in prayer until the Israelites won. Jesus says the most important thing about prayer is to *pray continually*. So let us keep raising our arms to God in prayer, and keep pestering God. He always listens and always loves us.

...Keep trying, don't give up!



20th October is **WORLD MISSION SUNDAY** and there will be a second collection for **Missio**, Pope Francis' charity for overseas mission. Today is an opportunity to support the missionary work of the Church through prayer and offerings. The collection will go directly towards helping people in areas of poverty across the world.

Extraordinary Month of Mission: The large Missio 'Red Box' will continue to be in church at weekend Masses throughout the rest of October where you can donate any spare coins you may find around the house, in the car, in an office drawer, etc. If you would like a Missio red box to keep in your home for loose change please sign the sheet on the notice board. Missio prayer cards are available in church.

Don't forget – the clocks go back one hour next Saturday evening, 26th/27th October.



MASSES WEEK COMMENCING SUNDAY 20th OCTOBER 2019

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Sun 19 th 20 th	TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 6.00 pm Vigil: Frank McAvoy RIP 10.00 am: Hubert Galvin LD 12.00 noon: People of the parish (at Sedbergh) 6.00 pm: Deceased Carlisle & MacNeil families RIP
Mon 21 st	Monday of week 29 9.15 am: Pat Gordon RIP
Tues 22 nd	St John Paul II 12.15 pm:
Wed 23 rd	Wednesday of week 29 7.00 pm: Win Burns RIP
Thurs 24 th	Thursday of week 29 12.15 pm: John & Agnes Hawkins
Fri 25 th	Friday of week 29 12.15 pm: Michael Doran RIP
Sat 26 th	Saturday of week 29
Sun 26 th 27 th	THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 6.00 pm Vigil: Special Intention 10.00 am: People of the parish 12.00 noon: (at Sedbergh) 6.00 pm: Ken and Maureen Fowler RIP

SATURDAY CONFESSIONS will be in the confessional 5.10 – 5.40pm.

The Readings for Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time will be:

Ecclesiastes 35: 12-14, 16-19; 2 Timothy 4: 6-8, 16-18; Luke 18: 9-14

Divine Mercy Chaplet is recited at 3pm each Friday. **Rosary Recitation** takes place on Tuesdays, Thursdays & Fridays at 11.50am, Wednesdays at 6.40pm.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

SICK: George Weld-Blundell, Holly Howe, Anne Riding, Ged Hillon, Will Flitcroft, Philip Barry, Pat Newton, Trish Hoad, Margaret West, Brian Chambers, Varlien Vyner-Brooks, Joan Baines, Archie Scott, Jamie Banks Wallhead, Mary Brady, Bob Dickie, Ian Muir, Sylvia Duckworth, Winnie Edgar.

ANNIVERSARIES: Mary Holliday, Robert Browne, Rowland Atkinson, Paul Kerigan, Kathleen Bell, Rupert Hoskinson, Shaun Pratt, Michael Parkinson, Colin Lowther, Mona Dixon, Margaret Kane, Vera Marchesi.

Last week's Attendance: 330

Offertory: £969.25 *Thank you*

BOXES OF HOPE CUMBRIA for the Romanian children: Boxes and leaflets are now in church. If you would like to take one to fill for this year's collection to be left in church by 9th / 10th November. Thank you.

KENDAL WINTER SHELTER VOLUNTEERS TRAINING DAY: Saturday 9th November, 10.30am – 4.30pm. Manna House is recruiting volunteers to be part of teams helping provide homeless people shelter during the winter months. Please take a leaflet or contact penny@manna-house.org.uk/01539 725534.

USED PADDED ENVELOPES are in the working sacristy - if anyone can make use of them please take away.

CHURCH CLEANING: There will be a meeting to discuss the rota & bringing in more helpers. All welcome to come along - Friday 1st November, 4pm, parish centre.

PASSION 2021 MEETING: There has been active support and interest from various Kendal organisations for this - if you are interested in helping or to find out more, come along to the meeting on Tuesday 22nd October, 7pm, 78 Windermere Road.

WHAT'S ON IN NOVEMBER....

OPEN MEETING of Churches Together in Kendal and District will be at 7pm on Tuesday 5th November in the Salvation Army Hall.

FAITH AND THE ARTS with the theme 'The Middle Ages', Boarbank Hall, 11th – 15th November – contact Sr Margaret, 015395 32288, margaret@boarbankhall.org.uk.

THE PROPHECY SCHOOL: Teaching & training in the gift of prophecy with Open Healing Service on the Saturday evening. All Hallows School, Preston, 16th–17th November, £15. Contact 07588 159341 / stcuthberts.wigton@gmail.com.

CTiC DEMENTIA CONFERENCE: Penrith Methodist Church, Saturday 16th November, 9.30am – 3.30pm. Contact Emma ebctic@outlook.com to book.

PARISH CHRISTMAS COFFEE MORNING: Saturday 23rd November, 10am – 12 noon. Tickets will be available at £1 includes drink & mince pie (or £1 on the day).

ADVENT DAY RETREAT with Women together in the Diocese of Lancaster, Xaverian Centre, Fulwood, Saturday 23rd November, 10.30am – 3.30pm. £5 (bring packed lunch). Contact Sue 01772715495 / Pauline 01253 733985 – see poster.

RADIANT is a Eucharist centred event offering speakers, praise & worship and opportunities of encounter, with Mass celebrated by Bishop Paul Swarbrick. Saturday 30th November, Corpus Christi School, Preston. Tickets online (Eventbrite) or put your details on the sign-up sheet for us to pass on to Mission Lancaster.