



*This Sunday,
after all the events and
celebrations of
Passiontide and Easter,
we come to ponder the great
mystery of the
Most Holy Trinity,
which binds them all.*

The God of Love and Peace.

God has chosen to reveal himself to us as: Father, Son & Holy Spirit, one God in three persons. We are called through our Baptism to share in the loving community which is the **Holy Trinity**. With the Father we are called to be co-creators, with the Son, co-redeemers and with the Holy Spirit, co-sanctifiers. In short, we are called to make the world a better place for us being in it. Let us pray for the grace to play our part well in God's plan.

In the **First Reading**, Moses goes up Mount Sinai to plead for his sinful people. He enters the cloud of the Lord's presence and discovers a God of tenderness, compassion and forgiveness.

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Church is open daily from 8am until 6pm for private prayer.

MASSES THIS WEEK – Mass book – page 81**Office Psalter Week 1: Sundays: Year A: Weekdays: Year 2 Week: 9**

Sunday morning Mass is livestreamed and will be available for viewing later on our parish YouTube channel: <https://www.youtube.com/user/StClaresChurch>

Date	Time	Occasion	Intention/Details
Saturday 30 th May	6pm (Vigil)	THE MOST HOLY TRINITY	Michael Whelan RIP
	7pm Vigil		<i>NeoCatechumenal Way</i>
Sunday 31 st May	9:30am		Thanksgiving for 97 years
	6pm		People of the Parish
Monday	9.15am	St. Justin	Johnson Thomas RIP
	5.30pm RPH		Hospital Mass
Tuesday	7pm		For our parish volunteers
Weds.	9.15am	St. Charles Lwanga & Companions	Mass of Thanksgiving
Thursday	9.15am		Doreen Barker Sick
Friday	12noon	St. Boniface	Marie Terese RIP
Saturday 6 th June	11am		First Communion Mass
	6pm (Vigil)	THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST (Corpus Christi)	Tom McAuley Senior RIP
	7pm Vigil		<i>NeoCatechumenal Way</i>
Sunday 7 th June	9:30am		First Communion Children
	6pm	People of the Parish	

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Sat. 10:30am-11:30am and by request.

FIRST FRIDAY: This Friday Holy Hour at 7pm in Church.

ROSARY: After the weekday 9.15am Masses and before the 12noon Mass on Friday.

NB Please note NO 10am Mass on Saturday 6th June.

PLEASE PRAY: For our children making their First Holy Communion next Saturday.

ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK: Josie Singleton, Mary McCann, Ethel Raisbeck, David Wilkinson, Winifred Murtagh, Levi Barr, Kathleen McMorro, John Jennings, Marjorie Miller, Fr, Fabian Cunliffe. ***Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them, may they rest in peace. Amen.***

PLEASE PRAY for the sick and housebound in our parish, our families and our friends who are sick.

MASS INTENTIONS ENVELOPES are in the Narthex. Please add your **contact details, offering, preferred date** and hand it to Fr. John Mark or Janet. For Special Anniversaries please give at **least 2 weeks' notice.**

POPE'S PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR JUNE: For the values of sports. Let us pray that sports be an instrument of peace, encounter, and dialogue among cultures and nations, that they will promote values such as respect, solidarity, and personal growth.

Preston Deanery Corpus Christi Procession

will take place on Sunday June 7th 2026 at St Walburge's Shrine Church. The procession commences at 2:00pm and is one of the largest public acts of witness in the **Lancaster Diocese.**



St. Clare's BLESSED SACRAMENT PROCESSION
Friday 5th June - begins on the school playground
at 1.45pm. All welcome.

LARK HILL ASSOCIATION: The 125th Anniversary Celebration will take place at Cardinal Newman College on Saturday June 27th from 11.30am. Please contact Janet Metcalf on 07713300192 or email janet.metcalf53@icloud.com

PARISH ACN PROJECT 2026 – Holy Land

This is a region which continues to see severe Christian persecution. Our funds will help to build interfaith relationships, help to grow local businesses, support local seminarians and support those affected by the conflict in Gaza.

This weekend our ACN representative Andrea Sinnott will speak to us about this project and how we can continue to support the people of the Holy Land.



VOLUNTEER WEEK 1st – 7th June 2026

Volunteering is more than helping out. It is offering the gifts God has placed in each of us: patience, practical skills, compassion, creativity, leadership, listening, encouragement, and faith. Every act of service, whether seen or unseen, becomes a ministry when it is offered in love. We give thanks to and pray for all those who volunteer their services in our parish, schools, nursing homes and in the hospital.

Prayer for Volunteers

"May your Spirit strengthen us; so that we will be strong in faith, discerning in proclamation, courageous in witness, persistent in good deeds."

PRAYING FOR THE SICK: If you would like a mention in our newsletter for someone who is seriously ill, please give their name and yours with your phone number to Fr. John Mark or hand in at the presbytery.

LAST WEEK: At Mass 23rd/24th May 434 (95/170/89) NCW 80. Collections: Sunday £619.76. Collections in April (6th-30th) via the Bank, and card payment terminal payout, totalled £1327. Thank you for your generosity.

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday 8am-9am. Tuesday 5.30pm- 6.30pm.	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in the church.
Saturday 10:30am-11:30am.	Sacrament of Reconciliation with Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.

Events this week (occasional/one-off events in bold type):

Day	Time	What?	Where?
Monday 1 st June	6pm	Cubs	Parish Hall
	8pm	Scouts	Parish Hall
Tuesday 2 nd	6pm	Seekers (age 8-11)	Parish Hall
	7.45pm	NCW Liturgy of the Word	Side Chapel
Wednesday 3 rd	9:45am	Parish Coffee Morning	Parish Hall
	7pm	NCW Liturgy of the Word	Side Chapel
Thursday 4 th	6.15pm	Beavers	Parish Hall
	7pm	NCW Liturgy of the Word	Side Chapel
Friday 5 th June	7pm	First Friday Holy Hour	Church

FOOD BANK: Next collection **6th/7th June**. The Salvation Army are very grateful for your continued support. Food and toiletries are urgently needed.

BAPTISM PREPARATION: If your child requires the **Sacrament of Baptism**, please email enquiries@saintclares.co.uk, or speak to Fr. John Mark or Janet Metcalf.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PROGRAMME: Next session Wed 3rd June 3.30pm -5pm in the Parish Hall. **First Holy Communion Mass Saturday 6th June at 11am.**

DIARY DATES

PRESTON ORPHEUS CHOIR - An afternoon "Come and Sing" event 2- 6.00pm Saturday 6th June St Leonard's Church, Marshalls Brow, Penwortham.

CHURCHES TOGETHER EVENING STROLL - Wednesday 24th June. Meet 7pm at The Continental, South Meadow Lane, Preston PR1 8JP.

DAY OF RENEWAL – Saturday 27th June in St Clare's Hall. More details later.

CLEATOR PILGRIMAGE To the Shrine and Grotto of Our Lady of Lourdes, Cleator, Cumbria, Sunday 6th September.

DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO WALSINGHAM The National Shrine to Our Blessed Lady 28th Sept – 1st October 2026.