

## Diary Events This Week:

**SUN 22<sup>nd</sup> Nov:** 9.30am: Children's Liturgy; 10.30am: First Confession (5)  
No 1.00pm: Indian Dance Class. **MONDAY:** 9.00am: Pre-School Club\*;  
3.20pm: After-School Club\* 6.00pm: Cubs; 6.45pm: Scouts; 7.45pm:  
**TUESDAY:** Seekers & GFF Youth Groups 7.30pm: Prayer Group:  
**WEDNESDAY:** 6.30pm: Irish Dance Class; **THURSDAY:** 5.45pm: First  
Confession; 6.15pm: Beavers; 7.45pm: Journey in Faith. **FRIDAY:**  
**SATURDAY:** 9.00am: Pilates; 10.00am: Confirmation (1); 10.30am: Spanish  
Class; 7.30pm; AA Meeting. \* *These events each day Mon – Fri.*  
**Advance Diary:** Nov: 28<sup>th</sup>>F & F; 29<sup>th</sup>> Christmas Fair; Dec: 7<sup>th</sup>>Social  
Committee: 12<sup>th</sup>>Messy Church: 18<sup>th</sup>>Advent Service of Reconciliation.  
**2016 Jan: 11<sup>th</sup>>PPC**

### PARISH PETITION BOOK

near Our Lady's statue. For your intentions which will be prayed for at the Sunday Masses and at other times.

### NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF THE MIRACULOUS MEDAL: First Saturday - 10.00am Mass.

Blest medals available,

**ABORTION RECOVERY HELPLINE** Arch can help: 0845 603 8501- Poster

### SAFEGUARDING

Parish Safeguarding Officers are Mike Simpson and Brenda Scales

**NEW TO THE PARISH? Or if you have changed:** email, phone or address? Please complete the *Details Update Form* available in the porch.

**CENACOLO COMMUNITY:** Thank you for your support with gifts of food.

**PRESTON FOOD BANK** Thanks for last collection- **Next: 14/15 Nov**

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:** to help with the youth groups on Tuesday evening. If you are able to spare a couple of hours each week in term time please see Fr. D. after Mass or email [frdarren@saintclares.co.uk](mailto:frdarren@saintclares.co.uk) Age range school years 4-6 & 7-11.

### FROM THE PTFA

Used Batteries/ Mobile Phones please place in box in porch. Funds to Bosnia

**Churches Together News:** 1) Carols RPH 19<sup>th</sup> Dec; 2) *Christian Unity Service:* Jan 18<sup>th</sup> 2016 7.30pm St Clare's; 3) *Pentecost Songs of Praise* May 15<sup>th</sup> 2016 3pm Christ Church.

### St. Clare's School

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## ST CLARE'S CATHOLIC CHURCH FEAST OF CHRIST THE KING 22<sup>nd</sup> November 2015



In today's Gospel we are made privy to the dialogue between Jesus and Pilate in which Jesus admits that he is a king. But not the sort of king the world was used to, rather the King of Truth. Why of truth? Because as Jesus says elsewhere, 'The Truth will set you free.' And that is exactly what Jesus went on to do on the cross: to set us free from our sins. On our part we have to learn to live in the truth so to use the freedom that Jesus won for us.



Christ before Pilate

### CHRISTMAS FAIR – Next Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> November from 10.30am

Donations for the Christmas Raffle (list in porch) gratefully received. Also, donations for stalls and Tombola. Special request for the cake stall.  
**CHRISTMAS DRAW:** Tickets available in the porch. Please do your best to sell them.

**PARISH CALENDARS 2016**  
Now on sale £4 - (with the photos voted for in the competition)  
**PARISH CHRISTMAS CARDS £4**  
a pack of 10 (photo - St. Clare's Crib)-Proceeds to Porch Fund.

**DO YOU SHOP ON LINE?** e.g. at *Amazon, Argos, John Lewis, Next, Pandora.* If you can raise funds for the new porch at no cost to you Visit [www.easyfundraising.org.uk](http://www.easyfundraising.org.uk) sign in and search for

*St Clare's New Porch Fund*

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**MASSES THIS WEEK: 22<sup>nd</sup> Nov. – Mass Book Page: 160**

Office: Psalter Wk.2 Sunday: Cycle B: Weekdays: Year 1

**CHRIST THE KING ( Youth Sunday)**

6.00pm: People of the Parish **Vigil**

7.00pm: Holy Mass – with the NeoCatechumenal Community

9.30am: Pat Nicholson RIP

6.00pm: Patrick McNeela RIP

**Today is Youth Day – Collection for Youth Services**

**Monday Wk 34**

9.00am: Mavis Rogerson RIP

5.15pm: Mass in RPH

**Tuesday Sts. Andrew Dung-Lac & Comps**

7.00pm: John Dwyer RIP

**Wednesday Wk 34**

9.00am: Michael Connolly RIP

7.30pm: Liturgy of the Word with the NeoCatechumenal Community

**Thursday Wk 34**

7.00pm: Kathleen McGinty-Ryan RIP

**Friday Wk 34**

12 noon: Gordon & McCreary Families

5.15pm: Mass in RPH

**Saturday Wk 34**

10.00am: Edith Owen RIP

**FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT (Year C)**

6.00pm: Mary Sinnott RIP **Vigil**

7.00pm: Holy Mass – with the NeoCatechumenal Community

People of the Parish

9.30am: Eddie Hesketh RIP

6.00pm: William & Isabel Loughran RIP

**Collection for Poor Missions**

**LATELY DEAD:**

**ANNIVERSARIES:** Patricia Morris, Michael McCombe, Margaret Fowler, Mary Bond, Peter Butler, Kath Bernie, Jack Wright,

**Pope's Prayer Intentions for November**

That we may be open to personal encounter and dialogue with all, even those whose convictions differ from our own. That pastors of the Church, with profound love for their flocks, may accompany them and enliven their hope.

**HOSPITAL INFO DESK:** Volunteers needed, see notice in porch.

**ADVENT VIGIL:** Tues. 1st Dec 6.30pm at Newman College. See Poster.

**EXPOSITION:**  
Intention: for  
priestly vocations  
**Sat 10.30am-Noon**  
**CONFESSIONS:**  
Sat 11-12noon.  
Or by appointment

**Rosary for Life Challenge-**  
The Mysteries of Light will be  
prayed each day after the 9am  
Masses and before the Friday  
noon Mass, for this intention

**PARISH LUNCH: Tues 8<sup>th</sup> Dec - 2pm at 'The Brown Hare' in Penwortham.** A 3-course 'Festive Menu' £10.99 per person. Transport available. The restaurant requires £5 + menu choice Booking forms & menu in the porch. Closing date Sun 29<sup>th</sup> Nov. More info: Anthony 713046.

**BAPTISM COURSE:** continues this Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> Nov.

**CHRISTMAS FILM: *Miracle on 34<sup>th</sup> Street* - Dec 13<sup>th</sup>** at the Longridge Cinema. Proceeds to the Porch Fund – more details soon.

**SENIOR CITIZENS CHRISTMAS PARTY:** at Corpus Christi on Wed. 16<sup>th</sup> Dec 12noon-2.30pm. Sign-up sheet in the porch – closing date Nov 30<sup>th</sup>.

**HOLY YEAR OF MERCY:** Inauguration of the **Diocesan Shrine of Divine Mercy** on Fri. 11<sup>th</sup> Dec. 3.30pm at Our Lady & St. Joseph's Church, Carlisle by Bishop Campbell. Followed by Afternoon Tea. See poster for details.

**CENACOLO OPEN DAY:** Sat 5<sup>th</sup> Dec 10am onwards. Nativity play at 4.30pm. Visit: [www.http://cenacolouk.org/news/](http://cenacolouk.org/news/) for timetable.

**ADVENT WEEKEND:** at Castlerigg 11<sup>th</sup> -13<sup>th</sup> Dec Yr. 9+ £65. **ALSO- Lourdes Pilgrimage** 21<sup>st</sup>-30<sup>th</sup> July 2016. All details on the posters or book on line now at [www.castleriggmanor.co.uk/yatm-events](http://www.castleriggmanor.co.uk/yatm-events)

**MESSY CHURCH:** which meets about 5 times a year needs more adult helpers. Volunteers contact: Annette- [anettebarrowcliff@gmail.com](mailto:anettebarrowcliff@gmail.com) **Next Session** 12<sup>th</sup> Dec.

**DIOCESAN WOMEN: *An Advent Day of Prayer & Reflection*** Sat. 28<sup>th</sup> Nov 10am- 3.30pm at the Little Sisters. Led by Fr. Kevin Lowry. See Poster.

**WOMENS' WORLD DAY OF PRAYER:** A parish representative is required. See Fr L.

**YEAR OF MERCY – School of Mission:** A practical response to the call for the New Evangelisation. See posters in porch.

**MIGRANT RELIEF:** Salvation Army taking relief to Calais- See poster.

**ADVENT:** During this season of preparation for Christmas each morning Mon-Fri 7-8am Exposition with Morning Prayer at 7.45am. **SERVICE OF RECONCILIATION:** will be held at St Clare's Fri 18<sup>th</sup> Dec, 7pm

**CHRIST CHURCH EVENTS:** See poster in porch

**FAIR TRADE & FARMERS CHRISTMAS MARKET:** Sat. 28<sup>th</sup> Nov 10-2pm at Fulwood Methodist. More details on the poster.

**LAST WEEK:** Attended: 446; Collection: £904.67. Thank you.

