

Diary Events This Week:

SUN 11th May 9.30am: Children's Liturgy
MONDAY: 9.00am: Pre-School Club*
 3.20pm: After-School Club*
 6.00pm: Cubs
 7.45pm: Scouts
TUESDAY: * Usual activities*
 7.30pm: Prayer Group
 6.30pm: Youth Group (g)
WEDNESDAY: * Usual activities*
 6.00 pm: Brownies & Rainbows
THURSDAY: * Usual activities*
 6.15pm: Beavers
FRIDAY: * Usual activities*
 7.30pm: Youth Group (WDY)
SATURDAY: 7.30pm: AA Meeting
Advance Diary Dates: May: 19th >PPC. 20th > Social Committee.

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

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- 10am Mass.
 Blest medals available,

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

MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSES: 2014

29th June
 Tel Barbara Ryan - 01772 717131

NEW TO THE PARISH? Or if have you 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 time; next date **17/18 May**

CALLING ALL STUDENTS: (16+) Student Meetings. 11 May – Rosary Walk, 18 May – NO MEETING, 25 May – Lectio Divina. All meetings start with Mass at 6:00 pm with a meal afterwards

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ST CLARE'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

Sharoe Green Lane, Fulwood, Preston

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

11th May 2013



Because of the Gospel content today, this Sunday has been traditionally known as Good Shepherd Sunday. From the Gospel we hear Jesus saying that the sheep hear the voice of the shepherd, and follow him. Jesus warns about the 'voice of strangers.' Each day we are called to make a choice, either to hear the voice of Christ and follow, or be tempted to follow other ways. The way to peace is to hear and follow Jesus, the Good Shepherd.



A NEW OPPORTUNITY:

for adult catechesis; to make us more willing and able to become the Christian disciples that we are called to be. Every Mon & Thurs, continuing **this Mon 12th May (& Thurs) 7.30pm** for 6 weeks.

Priests: Frs. Christopher Loughran & Darren Carden. Deacon: Fred Sanderson. (Ret'd)

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MASSES THIS WEEK: 11th May 2014. – Mass Book Page 262

Office: Psalter Week 4 Sunday: Cycle A: Weekdays: of Easter

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

6.00pm: Bernadette Proudman RIP Vigil

9.30am: Mary Anne Burke RIP

11.00am: First Holy Communion - People of the Parish

6.00pm: Mary Smith RIP

World Day of Prayer for Vocations

Collection for Ecclesiastical Education Fund

Mon. of 4th week of Easter

9.00am: Teresa Harrison RIP

5.15pm: **Mass in RPH**

Tues. Our Lady of Fatima

7.00pm: Bert Ainscough RIP

Wed. ST. MATTHIAS

9.00am: Mary Ann Burke RIP

Thurs. of 4th week of Easter

7.00pm: KSC Sick Brothers

Fri. of 4th week of Easter

12.00am: Special Intention (VA)

5.15pm: **Mass in RPH**

Sat. of 4th week of Easter

10.00am: Janusz Cichy RIP

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

6.00pm: James Phelan RIP Vigil

9.30am: People of the Parish

6.00pm: James Fegan RIP

LATELY DEAD:

ANNIVERSARIES: Edna Kiely, Philip Baker, Rosalia Zimny

Pope's Prayer Intentions for May

That the media may be instruments in the service of truth and peace

That Mary, Star of Evangelisation, may guide the Church in proclaiming

Christ to all nations

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

EXPOSITION
Sat 10.30am-12 noon
CONFESSIONS:
Sat 11-12.
Or by appointment

DIOCESAN LOURDES PILGRIMAGE: 18th – 25th July. Details in porch.

MEDJUGORJE: Visit to Shrine: 11th-18th Sept. 2014 Poster in porch.

HEALING SERVICE: Led by Damian Stayne Wed. 21st May begins at 7pm.
Transport available, sign-up sheet in the porch.

POSSIBLE PORCH EXTENSION: An application has been sent to the Diocesan Offices seeking permission to begin fund raising for this project, and a favourable response has been received. More after Easter!

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: to help with the youth groups on a 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 Age range school yrs 4-6 & 7-11.

WALL BOXES: at the back of church collect money for *The Homeless, St Anthony's Bread, CAFOD etc.* Regularly the money is sent to Fox Street Homeless Shelter, to CAFOD & the SAB is used by the priests for 'caller' at the Presbytery. Thank you.

GFF GROUP: resumes this week after the Easter break.

PRESTON FOOD BANK : next collection: **17/18 May ((next weekend))**

DEANERY YOUTH RETREAT: 4-6th July at St. John's in the Vale, Keswick. The weekend will include many activities with a half day of Ghyll scrambling, and will be led by Fr. Darren anyone interested please see him after Mass.

DEANERY BLESSED SACRAMENT PROCESSION: for Corpus Christi on Sunday 22nd June, 2014 at 2.00pm. This will be held at St. Walburge's Church

PRESTON IMPACT GROUPS: Castlerigg Residential Weekend –See poster

GOOD HOUSEKEEPING: to keep the church tidy, at the end of Mass please: 1) return your Hymn Book to the shelves, 2) leave your Mass Book on the trolley in the porch and, 3) take your bulletin home.

WOMEN TOGETHER: in the Lancaster Diocese. 'Young People in the Church: Challenge and Hope' Sat. June 7th 10am-3.30pm – all details on poster.

ST. EDWARD'S: Ladies Group will be on Thurs, May 15th an evening of Poetry with Dorothy Mapley. In the Parish Centre 8.00 pm. Admission £2.00"

AN INVITATION: From Broughton Church Mothers Union To St Martin's Thurs 15th May 2-3.30pm. Tea, Coffee Biscuits & Stalls. Entrance £1.

CHRISTIAN AID: A celebration of their work. Details on the notice board.

KITCHEN VACANCY: Little Sisters of the Poor. See poster in porch.

CTFB: 'Pilgrimage' to Chester. Sat 20th Sept. Booking forms in the porch

LANCASTER CATHEDRAL EMBROIDERY COURSES: Costs, dates and all other details are on the Poster.

LAST WEEK: Attended: 405; Offertory: £1002.23; Thank you.

