

## Diary Events This Week:

**SUN 8<sup>th</sup> Nov:** 9.30am: Children's Liturgy; 10.30am: First Confession (3)  
1.00pm: Indian Dance Class. **MONDAY:** 9.00am: Pre-School Club\*; 3.20pm:  
After-School Club\* 6.00pm: Cubs; 6.45pm: Scouts; **TUESDAY:** Seekers &  
GFF Youth Groups 7.30pm: Prayer Group: **WEDNESDAY:** 6.30pm: No Irish  
Dance Class; **THURSDAY:** 6.15pm: Beavers; 7.45pm: Journey in Faith.  
**FRIDAY:** 7pm: WDY Youth Group; **SATURDAY:** 9.00am: Pilates; 10.30am:  
No Spanish Class; 7.30pm; AA Meeting. \* *These events each day Mon – Fri.*  
**Advance Diary: Nov: 16<sup>th</sup>>PPC; 20<sup>th</sup>> Porch fundraising; 29<sup>th</sup>> Christmas Fair**  
**Dec: 7<sup>th</sup>>Social Committee; 12<sup>th</sup>>Messy Church.**

### 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

## THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY of the YEAR 8<sup>th</sup> November 2015



In today's Gospel passage Jesus contrasts the attitude of some of the Pharisees and the attitude of the poverty stricken widow. They are all ostentation, she is quiet generosity. They want to be noticed, she shuns attention. They have their rewards now, she will receive a crown of glory in heaven

### BEREAVEMENT SERVICE

**Next Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> Nov 3pm.**

To pray for your loved ones and yourself. Then refreshments in the Parish Hall. All welcome.

### CONFIRMATION MEETING

**for Y6 age group and above:**  
November 12<sup>th</sup> after the 7pm Mass. Registration must be done in person.

### 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 so you can raise funds for the new porch at no cost to you Visit [www.easypfundraising.org.uk](http://www.easypfundraising.org.uk) sign in and search for *St Clare's New Porch Fund*

### CHRISTMAS DRAW

Two books of tickets are enclosed in this Bulletin (£2 per book). Please do your best to sell them. The Draw will take place at the **FAIR on Sun 29<sup>th</sup> Nov.**

**NOVEMBER ENVELOPES** For Holy Soul's in the porch for the names of deceased loved ones and any offering. Mass will be celebrated in November for them.

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

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**MASSES THIS WEEK: 8<sup>th</sup> Nov. – Mass Book Page: 154**

Office: Psalter Wk.4 Sunday: Cycle B: Weekdays: Year 1

**THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY of the YEAR**

6.00pm: Mary Heffernan RIP **Vigil**

7.00pm: Holy Mass – with the NeoCatechumenal Community

9.30am: Katie Malone RIP (Remembrance for War Dead)

6.00pm: People of the Parish

**Today is Remembrance Day**

**Monday DEDICATION of the LATERAN BASILICA**

9.00am: George Oldcorn RIP

5.15pm: Mass in RPH

**Tuesday St. Leo the Great**

**10am: Deanery Mass** at St Maria Goretti's

7.00pm: Barrie Cliff RIP

**Wednesday St. Martin of Tours**

9.00am: Mollie Ward RIP

7.30pm: Liturgy of the Word with the NeoCatechumenal Community

**Thursday St. Josaphat**

7.00pm: Holy Souls on the November List

**Friday Wk 32**

12 noon: Stanislaw Piotrkowski RIP

5.15pm: Mass in RPH

**Saturday Wk 32**

10.00am: Rose Chen RIP

**THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY of the YEAR**

6.00pm: Special Intention (JB) **Vigil**

7.00pm: **No** Holy Mass – with the NeoCatechumenal Community

9.30am: John Grace RIP

6.00pm: People of the Parish

**LATELY DEAD:** Patrick McNeela

**ANNIVERSARIES:** Bert Brooks, Ron Cornah, Barrie Cliff, Monica Wyatt, Francis Sherridan, Frances Harding, Mary McAteer, Jusith Reilly, Catherine Murray, Ann Ashton, Irene Pye, Jeffrey Beswick, Dorothy Hall.

**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.

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

**CHRISTMAS FAIR:** Sun 29<sup>th</sup> Nov 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. This week the *school* are collecting *'Toys.'*

**YOUNG ADULT GROUP (18-30):** Will begin **today** 8<sup>th</sup> Nov and will meet each week, (apart from the 3rd Sun. of the month), at 4:30pm in St Clare's.

**BAPTISM COURSE:** **Begins** this Monday (9<sup>th</sup>) and continues on 16<sup>th</sup> & 23<sup>rd</sup> Nov

**FINANCIAL MATTERS:** from the wall boxes at the back of church we recently sent £250 to Fox St. Homeless Shelter; £363.60 to CAFOD and from the Hodovo funds, £3190.46 to the Bakery Cooperative for a generator.

**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>.

**ST. EDWARD'S:** Mass for deceased members of the Ladies Group – Thurs 12<sup>th</sup> Nov. at 7.30pm. Followed by a supper of baked potatoes with fillings.

**AUTUMN FAYRE:** at the Little Sisters on Sat 14<sup>th</sup> Nov. from 2pm. See Poster.

**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.

**DECEASED CLERGY Deanery Mass:** 10am Tue 10<sup>th</sup> Nov at St Maria Goretti's

**CHARITY CONCERT:** in aid of *Jordan Grant Memorial Fund & Cenacolo* on Sat 14<sup>th</sup> Nov at Preston Grasshoppers featuring *No1 Sun*. See poster in porch.

**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.

**GOOD FRIDAY PASSION PLAY:** do you wish to take part? See poster

**'LAUDATO SI':** a series of talks **on** *'Care for our common home'* Mondays 7.30pm at St. Wilfrid's. Details on the notice board.

**THE LIVING WORD 2:** Nov. 20<sup>th</sup>-22<sup>nd</sup> Wigton Convent. See poster

**LAST WEEK:** Attended: 403; Collection: £970.68 Thank you.

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