

ST MARY'S 200 + CLUB WINNERS

For 30th July 2017

No. 58 Carmel Roche £ 100

LAST SUNDAY

Mass Attendance: **127**

8.30 - 55

10:30 - 72

Offertory: £500.79

Candles: £93.62

Books/Papers:

St. Anthony: £15.82

Building Fund: £10.30

World Needy: £55.38

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Week beginning 13th August

Readers: Paula M. / Judith H.

Ministers: Julie B. / Helen S.

Linda L. / Diane S.

Church Cleaning

Children's Liturgy

No Liturgy during the Summer Holidays

Refreshments after Mass

Kath & Maureen



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Priest: **Fr. Michael Murphy**

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Sunday Mass 8.30 a.m. & 10.30 a.m.

Weekdays except Mondays: 9:45 a.m. Morning Prayer, 10 a.m. Mass

Tuesday: 6:40 p.m. Rosary, 7 p.m. Mass

Mondays: 9:45 a.m. Morning Prayer, 10 a.m. Celebration of the Word

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession): **Saturday 10:30-11 a.m.**

Adoration of the Holy Eucharist: **Saturday 10:30-11 a.m.**

Church Cleaning - I am appealing to anyone who could help with the cleaning of our church. Until recently we had four groups doing the job, unfortunately we have only two groups remaining now. We are really in need of some younger volunteers, perhaps those who are still working, so that an evening group could be a possibility. Please think about helping out and speak to either Anne Duxbury at the 8:30 Mass or myself, Anne Towler, at the 10:30 Mass. Many hands make light work!

Congratulations, prayers and our best wishes go to *Kirsty Muckelt and Christopher Matthews who were married in St. Mary's last Friday*

And also to the following couples who are getting married in St. Mary's this coming week –

*Nick Houten and Rachel Forbes
at 12 noon on Friday 11th August
and*

*Nicola Witkowski and Anthony Geoffrey Jones
at 1 p.m. on Saturday 12th August*

The Transfiguration of the Lord

6th August 2017

God of glory, it is good for us to be here.
Reveal your Son to us now in the message of the prophets and the witness of the apostles, that we may heed his voice and receive him in faith.

We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God for ever and ever.

Sunday 6th The Transfiguration of the Lord	8.30 a.m.	People of the Parish
	10.30 a.m.	Mary Holden (J.&B.)
MONDAY 7th St Edmund Arrowsmith, St. Ambrose Barlow & comps, Lancaster Martyrs	10.00 a.m.	Celebration of the Word
TUESDAY 8th St. Dominic	7pm.	Intentions of Chris Robson (C.R.)
WEDNESDAY 9th St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross (Edith Stein)	10.00 a.m.	John Smith (J.S.)
THURSDAY 10th St. Lawrence	10.00 a.m.	For the Intercession of the Sacred Heart
FRIDAY 11th St. Clare	10.00 a.m.	Intentions of Audrey Armour
	12 noon	Marriage of Nick Houten and Rachel Forbes
SATURDAY 12th	10.00a.m	Dennis Lister
	1.00p.m.	Marriage of Nicola Witkowski and Anthony Geoffrey Jones
Next Sunday 13th Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time	8.30 a.m.	People of the Parish
	10.30 a.m.	Louise Latus (M.J.M.)

Please remember in your prayers



»**all the sick**, especially: Audrey Armour, Zephania Barretto, Greta Carus, Elsie Clapp, Max Clapp, Patsy Coll, Catherine Dale, Marianne Delaney, Teresa Drake, Mark Earnshaw (Kathy's brother), Sarah Finley, Marion Gerrard, Jacob Gray, Joseph Higgins, June Jagger, Rosemary Lovatt, Alison Lyon, Gerry McCaul, Joan Moss, Michael O'Sullivan, Margaret Pendleton, Bob Rawcliffe, Lidia Romanowska, Mary Schon, Joe Scott, Harry Slater, Mark Surelock, Josie Tester, Frank Ward, Winifred White.»**the housebound and those in care**, especially: David Ball, Peggie Ball, Thomas Ball, Bessie Burns, John Donnelly, Florrie Garrett, Brenda McCaul, Walter Myerscough, Marjorie Richardson, Doris Roberts, Monica Syms, Pamela Warwick



>>**those who have died recently**: Bill Barry, Patricia Hanson, Maureen Johnson, Louise Latus, Dennis Lister, Muriel Scott **and also those whose anniversaries are this coming week**: Tom Byrne, Mary Josephine Powell, Kathleen Johnstone, Francis Rogerson, Patrick Leonard, Sarah Wilkinson, Kathleen Richardson, Pauline Gerrity, Mavis Preston, Mary Marsland, Gerard J. Kennedy, Audrey Cross, Thomas Tipping

THE WORD AHEAD - Next Sunday's Gospel

Read **The Gospel for Sunday 13th August Jesus, and Peter on the Water Matthew 14:22-33**

After spending a few minutes considering this Gospel, continue by reading Fr Henry Wansbrough's reflection

The Christian people are often depicted as a boat, with Peter at the helm. As in a boat, everyone has their part to play: kids to bring the excitement and the challenge, parents to take the responsibility, grandparents just to be there to comfort and reassure. Without Jesus the disciples were getting exhausted, frustrated and probably bad-tempered and quarrelling. When Jesus appears everything changes: first, terror and awed amazement, then Peter rushes to meet him – and loses confidence, only to be swiftly rescued. How does Jesus come to me? In the joys of family? In the unwelcome criticism of an angry neighbour who tells me the truth about myself? In the worries of a job or the agonies of a failed relationship? In the staggering beauty of creation? In physical pain? In all these situations we may discover God's presence, and without that presence we cannot expect to cope. Jesus does not force himself upon us. He just jogs us, and says, 'Here I am if you want me.' He may disappear into the sea-mist again for a time, and we may sink into the water like mistrustful Peter. But it all ends with a welcome and a recognition that Jesus can help, even in a life-threatening situation.

Why is Peter such a good role-model for us?
Dom Henry Wansbrough OSB

Diary

Flower Festival Friday 25th August until Monday 28th August

As part of our 150th celebrations there will be a Flower Festival in church arranged by ladies of the former Fleetwood Flower Club. Hopefully light refreshments will be served each day in the afternoon and volunteers are needed for baking cakes each day, for people to help serving the refreshments each day and for people to look after the church each day. There are lists at the back of the church for you to place your names on. We will be serving cakes and tea/coffee in the Millennium Room.

Cake bakers, we know your cakes are renowned at St. Mary's and if you could help by baking for one of the days we would be most grateful

All the lists are split into days, so if you could help in any way **PLEASE** add your name to the list. The more the merrier will help lighten the load.