

ST MARY'S 200 + CLUB WINNERS

For 5th March 2017

No. 34 J.&S. Donnelly £ 50
No. 172 Lucy Wilson £ 15

LAST SUNDAY

Mass Attendance: **161**

8.30 – 54

10:30 – 107

Offertory: £ 461.91

Candles: £ 98.71

Books/Papers: £ 10.92

St. Anthony: £ 6.67

Building Fund: £ 15.05

World Needy: £ 37.01

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Week beginning 19th March

Readers : Julie B. / Tony G.

Ministers: Peter J. / Barbara L.
Linda L. / Diane S.

Church Cleaning

Kathleen McGinley's group

Children's Liturgy

Children stay in church

Refreshments after Mass

No named group



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Priest: **Fr. Michael Murphy**

Deacon: **Rev. Bill Wright**

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.**

Second Sunday in Lent

12th March 2017

Holy God, from the dazzling cloud you revealed Jesus
in glory as your beloved Son.

During these forty days enlighten your Church with
the bright glory of your presence.

Inspire us by your word, and so transform us into
the image of the risen Lord, who lives and reigns
with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, holy and
mighty God for ever and ever.

LOURDES - Our annual Diocesan pilgrimage celebrates its 90th anniversary this year and travelling with the Youth Section is a great way for young people to get to know the story of Lourdes and grow in faith through service, prayer, catechesis and time spent with other young Catholics. Open to ages 11+, prices from £650 for coach travel. (Flight info. on request) The Youth section will be led by Rev. Daniel Etienne this year. The coach journey starts on 19th July and will be spending 24 hours in Nevers en route. There they will visit **St.**

Bernadette's relics and learn more of her story, as well as having the chance to spend the day **exploring Nevers** before continuing the journey to Lourdes. In Lourdes the pilgrims will be staying in a **4 star hotel**, and will arrive home again on Saturday 29th July. Book now, forms on [http://www.castleriggmanor.co.uk/yatm-events/lourdes - 2017](http://www.castleriggmanor.co.uk/yatm-events/lourdes-2017)

Fleetwood Churches Together – Lenten Lunch this week is at Emmanuel - lunch available from 11.45a.m. Donations will go to “Save the Children”. Thanks go to Scotch Bakery for generously donating the rolls.

Tickets for the Dinner Dance on 6th May are available after Masses from Bill or Anne (Traidcraft stall). For those who have paid a deposit £20 is owing for each ticket. It is **NOT** a black tie event. Music will be provided by the JAGS. Already 70 people have made their reservations! Don't miss out!!

Sunday 12th Second Sunday in Lent	8.30 a.m.	People of the Parish
	10.30 a.m.	Fr. Dick Kinlen (M.J.M.)
MONDAY 13th	10.00 a.m.	Celebration of the Word
TUESDAY 14th	7.00 p.m.	Stephen Watterson (J.W.)
WEDNESDAY 15th	10.00 a.m.	Mary Wharton
THURSDAY 16th	10.00 a.m.	Susan Brown (D.&K.)
	12:30 p.m.	Stations of the Cross
FRIDAY 17th St. Patrick	10.00 a.m.	Pauline Greenall (R.W.& J.B.)
SATURDAY 18th	10.00 a.m.	Margo Gibbs (J.R.)
Next Sunday 19th Third Sunday in Lent	8.30 a.m.	People of the Parish
	10.30 a.m.	Joseph Walmsley (P.W.)

Please remember in your prayers



»**all the sick**, especially: Zephan Barretto, Greta Carus, Elsie Clapp, Patsy Coll, Catherine Dale, Marianne Delaney, Teresa Drake, Mark Earnshaw (Kathy's brother), Sarah Finley, Marion Gerrard, Jacob Gray, Joseph Higgins, Mary Holden, June Jagger, Rosemary Lovatt, Alison Lyon, Gerry McCaul, Joan Moss, Michael O'Sullivan, Trevor Sandford, Mary Schon, Joe Scott, 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, P. Warwick

»**those who have died recently**: Ron Brookes, Susan Brown, Terry English, Mary Green, Stella Hogben, George Holden, Ronnie Jackson, Elicia Matley, Myrna McLachlan, Stephen Watterson

and also those whose anniversaries are this coming week: Sonny Smith, Richard Rigby, Roy Kennedy, Dorothy Barrowclough, Fr. A. Howe, Eddie Twiggs, Thomas O'Hagan, Charles Parker, Isabella Fish, Bessie Lynch, Mary Johnstone, Walter Harrison, Alexander Ross and family, Joan Hawksworth, George Woodward, Ellen Hargreaves, Michael Harris, Francis Turner

THE WORD AHEAD - Next Sunday's Gospel

Read **The Gospel for Sunday 19th March Third Sunday in Lent**
John 4:5-15,19-26,39-42 The Samaritan at the Well

The Wednesday Word reflection will resume next week

During Lent there is the usual collection of items to be sent to poor recipients abroad through the International Aid Trust at Penwortham. There is a leaflet about what to send at the back of church as a guide. Please leave any items on the bench near the confessional or take them to 1, Abbots Walk and leave them in the unlocked brick building round the back

Also the helpers at St. Cuthbert's Soup Kitchen in Blackpool give out unwanted bedding, towels, soap, sponges, men's jackets, gloves, socks, scarves, pullovers and caps. They also can be left at the back of church or delivered to 1, Abbots Walk

During Lent might you take the opportunity to come to daily Mass, it could be better than giving something up, such as chocolates or cakes.

And again, why not start the day off by coming to the celebration of Morning Prayer which begins before Mass at 9.45am. These are two good ways of starting off the day

Diary

"Understanding our Faith" - Next meeting Friday 17th March at 4p.m in the presbytery. All welcome.

Thornton Deanery Lent Afternoon of Prayer *This Lent, an afternoon of guided prayer and quiet personal reflection time will be held on Saturday 18th March, 2-4p.m. at St. Teresa's Church, Cleveleys. It is open to all members of our Deanery. Call Christine Smith at christine473@gmail.com or Anne Stewart on 01253 318196 Poster in the porch*

LENT ECUMENICAL BIBLE STUDY -
Tuesdays of Lent in St.Wulstan's Green Room at 12noon, began on Tuesday, 7th March. Wednesdays of Lent in St. Mary's Millennium Room at 7p.m., began on Wednesday, 8th March Theme:- "Receiving Christ in Five Different Ways"

Stations of the Cross at 12:30 p.m. on Thursdays will be followed by soup and a roll.

SONGS OF PRAISE – please place your choice of hymn on the available form and into the red post box at the back of church a.s.a.p. Thank you