

**ST MARY'S 200 + CLUB WINNERS**

**29<sup>th</sup> July 2018**

No. 104 Charles Wilson £50

No. 42 J. McCann £15

**5<sup>th</sup> August 2018**

No.152 Brenda Heap £100

**LAST SUNDAY**

Mass Attendance:

**8.30 - 69**

**10:30 -**

Offertory: £511.47

Candles: £118.40

Books/Papers:

St. Anthony: £15.00

Building Fund: £10.84

World Needy: £41.82

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**Week beginning 19<sup>th</sup> August**

**Readers:** Paula M. / Lorraine R.

**Ministers:** Helen S. / Ania M

Charlie W. / Kath S. / Kath D'S.

**Church Cleaning**

Anne Duxbury's Group

**Children's Liturgy**

Children stay in church

**Refreshments after Mass**

Doreen & Kathleen



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Priest: **Fr. Michael Murphy**

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.

**Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**12<sup>th</sup> August 2018**

Lord, giver of lasting life, satisfy our hunger through Christ, God our Father and provider, whose Son has given his flesh for the life of the world, sustain your pilgrim Church on its journey with the word of life and the bread of heaven.

Draw us nearer to him in whose name we gather, that, following his way of sacrificial love, we may come to the banquet of eternal life.

Grant 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.

**NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC PILGRIMAGE & CONGRESS in LIVERPOOL**

Friday 7<sup>th</sup> September – Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> September: The Bishops of England & Wales are holding this event to celebrate our faith in the Holy Eucharist.

The Deanery Clergy suggest, to express our unity and solidarity with them, that we hold an Holy Hour in all the Churches of the deanery between **7.00 to 8.00p.m. on Friday 7<sup>th</sup> September**. Canon Alf Hayes has composed an Holy Hour for us all to pray. Please note this **NOW** on your calendars or in your diaries.

**Red Mill Hill Boxes** – these may be brought to church during August for counting. Thank you, Anne

**MAN'S BICYCLE** - does anyone have a man's bicycle in good condition they would be willing to give to one of the young Syrian refugees who is now resident in Fleetwood? Anne at the Traidcraft stall.

*WEDNESDAY is a Holy Day of Obligation The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary.*

<b>Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>	8.30 a.m.	John Smith [J.S.]
	10.30 a.m.	Lilian Nelson Anniversary (K.N.)
<b>MONDAY 13<sup>th</sup></b>	10.00a.m.	Celebration of the Word
<b>TUESDAY 14<sup>th</sup> St. Maximilian Kolbe</b>	7.00p.m.	John Smith (J.S.)
<b>WEDNESDAY 15<sup>th</sup> ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY</b>	10.00 a.m.	Annie & Frank Pinder (S.B.)
	12.15 p.m.	People of the Parish
<b>THURSDAY 16<sup>th</sup></b>	10.00 a.m.	In memory of Alice & Bert Jones (J.S.)
<b>FRIDAY 17<sup>th</sup></b>	10.00 a.m.	Vivien Kloszek (A.K.)
<b>SATURDAY 18<sup>th</sup></b>	10.00 a.m.	Judi Hill lately dead (S.& B.)
<b>Next Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>	8.30 a.m.	People of the Parish
	10.30 a.m.	Frank Grimshaw lately dead (J.& B.B.)

***Please remember in your prayers***



»**all the sick**, especially: Audrey Armour, Zephan Barretto, Louise Cantrell, Catalina Carredu, Greta Carus, Janice Chadwick, Elsie Clapp, Patsy Coll, Catherine Dale, Marianne Delaney, Teresa Drake, Sarah Finley, Jacob Gray, Joseph Higgins, June Jagger, Christina Jones, Rosemary Lovatt, Alison Lyon, Bridget McCann, Gerry McCaul, Joan Moss, Michael O’Sullivan, Bob Rawcliffe, Lidia Romanowska, Mary Schon, Joe Scott, Harry Slater, Mark Surelock, Josie Tester, Frank Ward, Winifred White, Fred & Mary Wylie >> **the housebound and those in care**, especially: David Ball, Peggie Ball, Thomas Ball, Bessie Burns, John Donnelly, Brenda McCaul, Walter Myerscough, Doris Roberts, Monica Syms, Pamela Warwick



>**those who have died recently**: Judi Hill, Stella Fishburne, Frank Grimshaw, Florrie Garrett, Anthony Bradbury, Tom Sanderson, Chris Partington (Diane Singleton’s brother-in-law)

>**and also those whose anniversaries are this coming week**: Thomas Tipping, Harry Allen, John Donnelly, Mary Slavin, Louis Wilson, Violet Sheridan, Celia Melville, Gladys M. Brown, Florence Watson

After spending a few minutes considering this Gospel, continue by reading Fr. Henry Wansborough’s reflection.

*This is the last of the readings from the Bread of Life Discourse in John’s Gospel. In today’s passage, we move on from seeing Christ as the Wisdom of God, who must be accepted and believed, to a reflection on the sacrament of eating the bread of life. These two themes correspond to the two halves of the Mass, first the service of the Word, then the Eucharistic banquet. We are all so diet-conscious nowadays that it is quite obvious that the food we eat affects us. By eating the Body of Christ we are assimilated into him. But, just as, if I am sick, food does me no good and can even harm me, so if I eat Christ sacramentally without wanting to be moulded into him, it does me no good at all. That is why Paul complained that the Corinthian people were answerable for the death of Christ. And drinking the blood of Christ? Blood is the sign of life – if there is no blood, there is no life – and God is the Lord of life and death. So if I receive Christ’s blood I take on his life, his divine life, as the gift of God. That has alarming side-effects: it means I share Christ’s life with other Christians. We all live with the same life’s blood. **Do I really share my life, my talents, my goods with others, knowing that we share the same life of Jesus?***

Dom Henry Wansbrough OSB

*Diary*

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**SUMMER B.B.Q.** to be held after 10:30 Mass on the 9<sup>th</sup> September.

**Donations for the stalls are kindly requested – bottles, unwanted gifts for the fancy goods stall, raffle prizes – all are being collected now in the Millennium Room.**

**Bakers, please be ready to work your magic for the cake stall!**

**New faces** to help man stalls would be **most appreciated**

The BBQ is incorporating elements of the past Christmas Fair. **Please support your Parish event.**

**Cleator Pilgrimage** –Our Lady Queen of Peace Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2018 Mass & Blessing of the Sick – 3p.m.

Principal Celebrant & Preacher **Bishop Paul Swarbrick**. Poster in the Porch with details.