

# The Parish of Our Lady of Furness

Year C  
22nd September 2019  
25<sup>th</sup> Sunday  
Psalter Week 1  
Weekdays Year 1



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Deadline for newsletter: Wednesday 10am

Mass Times and Intentions				
Date and Time		Location	Occasion	Intention
Sat 21 <sup>st</sup> Sep	5:30pm	St Mary's	25 <sup>th</sup> Sunday	Mary Cunningham Birthday Memories RIP
Sun 22 <sup>nd</sup> Sep	9:00am	Holy Family		Joan Burden RIP
	9:30am	St Columba's		Peter Sadler RIP
	11:00am	St Mary's		Frank & Bridget Park RIP
	11:00am	Sacred Heart		Emily Welsh RIP
	5:30pm	St Mary's		People of the Parish
Mon 23 <sup>rd</sup> Sep	9:15am 12:10pm	Holy Family St Mary's	St Pius Pietrelcina	Rose Fifer RIP Sean Waiting Birthday Memories RIP
Tues 17 <sup>th</sup> Sep	9:15am	St Columba's	Our Lady of Walsingham	Bernadette Gervin
Wed 18 <sup>th</sup> Sep	6:30pm	St Mary's		Brian Crowe RIP
Thu 19 <sup>th</sup> Sep	9:15am	Sacred Heart		Barbara Stafford
Fri 20 <sup>th</sup> Sep	9:30am 12:10pm	St Mary's St Mary's	St Vincent de Paul	Anne Turner RIP Hugh Tunn Birthday Memories RIP
Sat 21 <sup>st</sup> Sep	12:10pm	St Mary's		Denis Skivington RIP
Sat 21 <sup>st</sup> Sep	5:30pm	St Mary's	26 <sup>th</sup> Sunday	William & Mary Rafferty RIP
Sun 22 <sup>nd</sup> Sep	9:00am	Holy Family		Silver Wedding
	9:30am	St Columba's		Danny Conway RIP
	11:00am	St Mary's		Margaret Merritt RIP
	11:00am	Sacred Heart		Patrick & Mary Goligy Anniv/Birthday RIP
	5:30pm	St Mary's		People of the Parish
Church	Confessions		Eucharistic Adoration	Morning Prayer
St Mary's	Sat: 11.00am-12 noon 4:45pm-5:15pm		Wed 8:15am Sat 11:00am-12 Noon	Wed 9:15am Sat 9:30am
Holy Family	After Mass Monday		Mon 8:15am Fri 2:45pm-3:25pm	Mon 8:45am
St Columba	After Mass Tuesday		Tue 8:15am	Tue 8:45am
Sacred Heart	After Mass on Thursday		Thurs 8:15am	Thurs 8:45am
Furness General Hospital Chapel			Fri 8:15am	Fri 8:45am

**Please pray for the sick of our parish: especially those on the list at the back of church.**

**Recently deceased:** Please pray for all those who have died recently: especially for Desmond Byrne and Peter Middleton whose funerals have taken place this week. Please pray for all those whose anniversaries occur at this time.

**Confirmation Group:** will meet this Wednesday for Mass at 6.30pm and then in the Parish Centre.

**Our RCIA program:** Continues on Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> September. RCIA is for people who are interested in learning more about the Catholic faith with a view to potentially joining the Church and this year the program will run until Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> April. If you are interested in the program, or know someone who may be, please contact Deacon Steve on 07707272974.

**Film Night.** The next film nights will be taking part on Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> September, Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> October and Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> November all starting at 6:30pm in the Parish Centre. The next film we are watching is Jesus of Nazareth which is over 6 hours so we will watch this over three evenings. All are welcome.

**Barrow Male Voice Choir:** will be giving a concert in St Mary's on **Friday 27<sup>th</sup> September** at 7.30pm.

**Pie & Pea Lunch:** Will take place on Friday 27<sup>th</sup> September after the 12.10 pm Mass in the Parish Centre at St Mary's. Proceeds for the fencing at the St Joseph's Children's Orphanage in India. All are welcome. Cost £4 per person.

**A.P.F Missions Red Boxes (Sacred Heart):** Would all holders of red boxes please bring them to church to be emptied or telephone Bob Milmine on 826459 to arrange for it to be collected from your home.

**Friends of St Pius Xth School:** are holding a Car Boot Sale on Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> September on the school grounds from 10am to 4pm. Cars can set up from 9am and cost £5. There is no need to book a place. Bacon buns and other refreshments will be available. Browsers welcome 50p

**Welcome:** We welcome Philip Wrigley, who is a seminarian of the Lancaster Diocese studying at Oscott in Birmingham. He will be with us until January and will be out and about in the parish and the schools. We hope he will enjoy being in our parish.

**Education Mass St Peter's Cathedral Lancaster, LA1 3BT Friday 4<sup>th</sup> October 2019 at 7.00pm:** All parishioners are invited to join Bishop Paul Swarbrick at the annual Diocese of Lancaster Education Mass. The invitation extends in a special way to all those involved in education and faith formation; priests, deacons, catechists, youth ministry, children's liturgy, those in seminary and teachers outside of the Catholic sector. The celebration gives us the opportunity to express our thanks and acknowledge the contribution made by all those in the Diocese involved in the work of education and formation of the faith. Together we ask for God's blessing on the mission of education and formation in our diocese.

**Our Annual Novena to Our Lady of Furness** will take place from Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> October at 6.30pm each evening and will conclude with Mass on Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> October at 12.10pm. Please note these dates, we hope as many of the parish will attend this Novena to pray for the needs of the Church and Community. We will be praying in particular for the sick, bereaved, families, vocations, peace and the needs of the poor and marginalised. There will of course be a petition box into which we can place our petitions and intentions. **(Please do not put any money in with petitions and intentions thank you).**

**Retiring Collections:** This weekend for The Bishop's Administration Fund.

**=-0987Vacancy – Diocesan Schools Commissioner: Full Time - Leadership Scales 17 – 21 - Required for January 2020. Closing Date: 12:00 noon Friday 4<sup>th</sup> October 2019.**

**A Job Description, Person Specification and Application Form can be obtained by emailing [educationservice@lancasterdiocese.org.uk](mailto:educationservice@lancasterdiocese.org.uk) or telephone 01524 841190.**