

# The Parish of Our Lady of Furness

Year B  
20<sup>th</sup> December 2020  
Fourth Sunday of Advent  
Psalter Week 4  
Weekdays Year 1

Deadline for newsletter: Wednesday 10am



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Please note: CCTV cameras are used in the church and areas surrounding it.

Mass Times and Intentions- ALL MASSES AT ST MARY'S ARE LIVE-STREAMED				
Date and Time		Location	Occasion	Intention
Sat 26 <sup>th</sup> Dec	5:30pm	St Mary's	The Holy Family	Sr Anne RIP
Sun 27 <sup>th</sup> Dec	9:00am 10:00am 11:00am	Holy Family Sacred Heart St Mary's		People of the Parish Sidney Harkin Sarah, Henry & Ann Roche
Mon 28 <sup>th</sup> Dec	10:00am	St Mary's		Malcolm & Ellen Kerr RIP
Tues 29 <sup>th</sup> Dec	10:00am	St Mary's	St Thomas Beckett	Vanessa Lancaster RIP
Wed 30 <sup>th</sup> Dec	10:00am	St Mary's		Haynes Family
Thurs 31 <sup>st</sup> Dec	10:00am	St Mary's		Pauline Skivington RIP
Fri 1 <sup>st</sup> Jan	10:00am	St Mary's	Mary, Mother of God	Lara Cunningham Anniversary RIP
Sat 2 <sup>nd</sup> Jan	11:00am 5:30pm	St Mary's St Mary's	St Basil the Great & St Gregory Nazianzen	George, Marion & Walter Blackburn RIP Elizabeth Loughran Anniversary RIP
Sun 3 <sup>rd</sup> Jan	9:00am 10:00am 11:00am	St Mary's St Columba's St Mary's	Second Sunday After Christmas	People of the Parish Intention of the Wilson Family Malachi & Josephine Gillen

## Mass Intentions week commencing 4<sup>th</sup> January

Mon 4 <sup>th</sup> Jan	10:00am	St Mary's		A Ilori
Tues 5 <sup>th</sup> Jan	10:00am	St Mary's		Eileen Rose Martin RIP
Wed 6 <sup>th</sup> Jan	10:00am	St Mary's	The Epiphany of the Lord	George & Veronica Lavender RIP
Thurs 7 <sup>th</sup> Jan	10:00am	St Mary's		Derek Cockin RIP
Fri 8 <sup>th</sup> Jan	10:00am	St Mary's		Sandra & Alf White RIP
Sat 9 <sup>th</sup> Jan	11:00am	St Mary's		Netsey Holmes
Sat 9 <sup>th</sup> Jan	5:30pm	St Mary's		Margaret Rafferty RIP
Sun 10 <sup>th</sup> Jan	9:00am 10:00am 11:00am	Holy Family Sacred Heart St Mary's	The Baptism of the Lord	People of the Parish Joseph Andrews Gallagher & White Families

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

Also for those who have died recently especially Eunice Strain whose funeral service will be at St Columba's on Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> December and for Daniel Craig and Patricia Nielson whose funerals have taken place this week

**Thank you** to everyone who has helped to clean and decorate our churches this Christmas. It has been more difficult this year with the restrictions due to the Covid situation.

**Please note: All Masses at St Mary's are live streamed.** Visit [www.ourladyoffurness.org.uk](http://www.ourladyoffurness.org.uk) and follow the instructions on the website.

**There will be no Private prayer and Exposition** this week.

**Calendars for Mary's Meals:** Thank you to Cath Mackay for the wonderful drawings of the jokes and to Chopin for being the main subject, during the first lockdown. The calendars have so far raised £1100 and with the contribution from the government this makes it £2200. We still have some calendars left. These are available from the Parish Office or at Mass at St Mary's price £10 each.

Margaret will not be in the Parish Office between Christmas and New Year. She will be back in on 5<sup>th</sup> January.

**Thank you** for your generous gifts and offerings and also for the great support you have shown to the Parish and Clergy, through your countless acts of kindness, during these difficult times. Let us all look toward the New Year with renewed hope remembering that "God is with us." So hold your head high and stand firm for our liberation is at hand. God Bless and Merry Christmas. Fr Manny & Fr Ajish