

# The Parish of Our Lady of Furness

Year A

**9<sup>th</sup> July 2023**

**14<sup>th</sup> Sunday OT**

Psalter week 2

Weekdays Year 1



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**Office hours:**

**Mon/Tues/Thurs/Fri 9:00 – 3:15pm**

Deadline for newsletter: Thursday  
12:00pm

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

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.

## Mass Times and Intentions

Date and Time		Location	Occasion	Intention
Sat 8 <sup>th</sup> July	5:30pm	St Mary's	14 <sup>th</sup> SUNDAY in OT	Irene Turner RIP Anniversary
Sun 9 <sup>th</sup> July	9:00am 9:30am 11:00am 11:00am	Holy Family St Columba's Sacred Heart St Mary's		People of the Parish Max Scattergood RIP Birthday Memories Derek Walsh RIP Tony Milledge RIP 80 <sup>th</sup> Birthday
Mon 10 <sup>th</sup> July	9:30am	St Mary's		Sheila Teresa Atkinson RIP 2 <sup>nd</sup> Anniversary
Tues 11 <sup>th</sup> July	9:30am	St Mary's	ST. BENEDICT	Alan Barnes RIP Birthday Memories
Wed 12 <sup>th</sup> July	9:30am	St Mary's		Anne Murphy
Thurs 13 <sup>th</sup> July	10:45am	St Mary's	Requiem Mass	Bill Saunders RIP
Fri 14 <sup>th</sup> July	9:30am	Holy Family		Canon John Watson Golden Jubilee
Sat 15 <sup>th</sup> July	11:00am	St Mary's	St. Bonaventure	Brian Mellen RIP
Sat 15 <sup>th</sup> July	5:30pm	St Mary's		Mary and Gerard Rafferty Diamond Wedding
Sun 16 <sup>th</sup> July	9:00am 9:30am 11:00am 11:00am	Holy Family St Columba's Sacred Heart St Mary's	15 <sup>th</sup> SUNDAY in OT	People of the Parish Jenny Wadeson RIP Anniversary Joe Nelson RIP Joyce and Bob Bolt

Confessions are available after 11am Mass every Saturday or after Mass during the week on request.

**Please pray for those who are sick in our parish:** and for those who have died recently, especially, **Peter Smith, Dot Evans** whose Requiem Mass will take place on Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> July 11:15am at Holy Family, **Bill Saunders** whose Requiem Mass will take place on Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> July 10:45am at St Mary's, **Raymond Fitzpatrick** whose Requiem Mass will take place on Friday 14<sup>th</sup> July 1:00pm at St Columba's and **Christopher Hill** whose funeral service will take place on Monday 17<sup>th</sup> July 12:00pm at St Mary's.

### **Barrow Classical Music Foundation Concert:**

**This Monday (10<sup>th</sup> July) at 7:00 pm, Anthony Hewitt** will be performing a recital of music by Ravel, Debussy, Chopin, Beethoven, Grieg and Liszt. Admission is free but donations towards the Foundation will be most welcome. Anthony is a fantastic pianist and is professor of piano at the Royal Birmingham Conservatoire in addition to being Director of the Ulverston International Music Festival. We are delighted to have him perform here in St Mary's.

**SHM EF July Prayer Meeting – Monday, 17<sup>th</sup> July, at 7pm in the Parish Centre.** The meeting is open to all parishioners. There will be a Zoom link for those who can't be present in person. More information next week.

### **News from St. Bernard's**

**On Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> July at 11am Bishop Paul and other members of the clergy will celebrate Mass for St. Bernard's at Furness Abbey.** We will be joined by some of our feeder primaries and other partner schools from the Mater Christi trust. Parishioners are also invited (please bring your own folding chair or blanket to sit on).

If anyone would like to join our school choir for the Mass we would be delighted to hear from you. Rehearsals of the hymns and responses will be held in school either during the day or after school on Thursdays. Please contact our lay chaplain, **Nikki Bell [nbell@stbernardsschool.uk](mailto:nbell@stbernardsschool.uk)** or via **Reception 01229 814560**, if you are interested.

### **Sea Sunday:**

Seafarers and fishers play a vital role in all of our lives, but they often work in difficult, hazardous conditions. In the last year, more crews have been abandoned by their employers than ever before. Many are still being denied the right to leave their ships for even a short break away from the relentless noise and pressure onboard. Many are reporting more stress and poorer mental health. **Sea Sunday is Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> July.** It is when the Church prays for all those who live and work at sea. Your support will make a big difference to seafarers and fishers in need. **You can donate in church, by visiting [www.stellamaris.org.uk/donate](http://www.stellamaris.org.uk/donate), or by texting 'SEA' to 70460 to donate £5.** This collection is vital to enable **Stella Maris** (formerly called Apostleship of the Sea) to continue its important work - so please give generously. Thank you.

### **Barrow Classical Music Foundation Summer Festival:**

A date for your diary!

**11<sup>th</sup> – 14<sup>th</sup> August 2023.** A weekend of Classical Music performed by brilliant young graduates from the Royal Birmingham Conservatoire, the Royal Northern College of Music and our own local musicians.

**Baptism:** We congratulate **Aedrienne Jeryne Ducusin and Ruby Lily Crowther** who were baptised last weekend. Please keep them and their family in your prayers.

**Sick and Housebound:** If you are housebound or in hospital and would like to receive Communion, please would either yourself or a family member ring the Parish office and let us know and then this can be arranged.