

# The Parish of Our Lady of Furness

Year A

13<sup>th</sup> August 2023

19<sup>th</sup> Sunday in OT

Psalter week 3

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 12 <sup>th</sup> August	5:30pm	St Mary's	19 <sup>th</sup> SUNDAY in OT	Jim Cunningham RIP Birthday Memories
Sun 13 <sup>th</sup> August	9:00am 9:30am 11:00am 11:00am	Holy Family St Columba's Sacred Heart St Mary's		Kevin Ross RIP People of the Parish Barbara Kendall RIP Pat Moore RIP
Mon 14 <sup>th</sup> August	9:30am	St Mary's	St Maximilian Kolbe	Private Intention CR
Tues 15 <sup>th</sup> August	9:30am 6:30pm	St Mary's St Mary's	ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY	Beatrice DeCaster RIP Anne Rogers
Wed 16 <sup>th</sup> August	9:30am	St Mary's		Richard Holmes RIP Birthday Memories
Thurs 17 <sup>th</sup> August	9:30am	Sacred Heart		Patricia Blake RIP
Fri 18 <sup>th</sup> August	9:30am	St Columba's		May Stewart
Sat 19 <sup>th</sup> August	11:00am	St Mary's		Brian Gallagher RIP Anniversary
Sat 19 <sup>th</sup> August	5:30pm	St Mary's		Lynn and Des Slavin Golden Wedding
Sun 20 <sup>th</sup> August	9:00am 9:30am 11:00am 11:00am	Holy Family St Columba's Sacred Heart St Mary's	20 <sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN OT	People of the Parish Jean Murphy RIP Desmond Cervi RIP Salmon and Merritt Families RIP

**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, **Patrick (Paddy) Donohue** whose funeral service (non-religious) will take place on Friday 18<sup>th</sup> August at Thornciffe Crematorium and **Mary Woods**, sister of Fr Bernard Woods whose Requiem Mass will take place at St Bede's, Carlisle on Monday 21 August at 1.15pm, followed by cremation at Carlisle Crematorium.

**Please note that Tuesday is a Holy Day of Obligation for the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary.**

**Novena to Our Lady of Furness 3<sup>rd</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> September**

There will be a Novena to Our Lady of Furness in **St Mary's Church** every evening at **6:30pm** from **Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> September until Friday 8<sup>th</sup> September** – the Feast of the Birthday of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

At each one there will be a brief reflection, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction. Each evening, our petitions will be carried up and placed before the icon of Our Lady of Furness and we will recite our Novena prayer.

**Barrow Classical Music Foundation Summer Festival: St Mary's**  
**Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> August 2:00pm – A Piano Feast**

**Cameran Dickason** performs piano works by Bach, Brahms, Schubert & Chopin alongside piano duets with **Fr Manny**.

**Monday 14<sup>th</sup> August 7:00pm – Finale**

Internationally acclaimed pianist **Roman Kosyakov** and cellist **Griff Wadkin** perform Beethoven and Franck cello Sonatas.

**SHEC:** Needs items in good condition for raffle or tombola prizes. Please see Soraya or leave in the foyer of Sacred Heart Church before Sunday Mass. Thank you for your continued support.

**SHEC:** Forthcoming event:

Bygone Barrow – a talk on the Barrow of Yesteryear. To be held at the Parish Centre. Watch this space for further details. We are 4 Churches - 1 Parish.

**Safeguarding:** The **Catholic Safeguarding Standards Agency** has commissioned the services of the Social Care Institute for Excellence (Scie) to review their Safeguarding policies and procedures. To ensure that the review team together with associated reference groups take into consideration as many views as possible, it is requested that the stakeholders survey (see link below) be distributed to as many people as possible within the diocese.

This is an opportunity to help shape the future of safeguarding within the Catholic Church and make representations where it is evident or perceived that the current policies and procedures are outdated, difficult to interpret, there is a gap or no policy or for other reasons.

This is the link to the survey <https://forms.office.com/e/PavSuixHim>

The deadline for completion of the survey is the **31<sup>st</sup> August 2023** and we encourage as many people as possible to complete it.

**Cleator Pilgrimage: Mother of Christ, Star of the Sea.**

**Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> September 2023**

Mass and Blessing of the Sick – **3:00pm**

Principal celebrant and preacher – **Bishop Paul Swarbrick**

For further details please contact:

**St Mary's Priory, Cleator, CA23 3AB (Tel 01946 810324) email:stmandstj@gmail.com**

**CAFOD school volunteers needed in your area!**

Looking for a new challenge? Join CAFOD's team of school volunteers to inspire children and young people and deepen their understanding of global justice. By running inspiring assemblies and engaging workshops, you will tap into their natural compassion and sense of fairness, and they will be excited about making a difference. Use your skills for the common good and be an active part of creating a world without poverty. No experience necessary. Full support, resources and regular training provided.

**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.