

# The Parish of Our Lady of Furness

Year B

**4<sup>th</sup> August 2024**

**18<sup>th</sup> Sunday in OT**

Psalter week 2

Weekdays Year 2



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## Mass Times and Intentions

Date and Time		Location	Occasion	Intention
Sat 3 <sup>rd</sup> August	5:30pm	St Mary's	<b>EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b>	Karen Hodgeson RIP Birthday Memories
<b>Sun 4<sup>th</sup> August</b>	9:00am 9:30am 11:00am 11:00am	<b>Holy Family St Columba's Sacred Heart St Mary's</b>		Mary and Andrew Tunn RIP Phyliess Steel RIP Anne Calvert RIP People of the Parish
Mon 5 <sup>th</sup> August	9:30am	St Mary's		Private Intention RF
Tues 6 <sup>th</sup> August	9:30am	St Mary's	<b>THE TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD</b>	Anne Calvert RIP
Wed 7 <sup>th</sup> August	9:30am	St Mary's	<b>St Edmund Arrowsmith, St Ambrose, Barlow &amp; Companions Lancaster martyrs</b>	Marie Stockhill RIP
Thurs 8 <sup>th</sup> August	9:30am	<b>Sacred Heart</b>		Tommy Lavery RIP
Fri 9 <sup>th</sup> August	9:30am	St Columba's	<b>ST TERESA BENEDICTA of the Cross</b>	Beattie Richmond RIP
Sat 10 <sup>th</sup> August	11:00am	St Mary's	<b>ST LAWRENCE</b>	Joseph and Alf White Anniversary and Birthday Memories
Sat 10 <sup>th</sup> August	5:30pm	St Mary's		Jim Cunningham Birthday Memories
<b>Sun 11<sup>th</sup> August</b>	9:00am 9:30am 11:00am 11:00am	<b>Holy Family St Columba's Sacred Heart St Mary's</b>	<b>NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b>	Fr John Heaney RIP Stan Coward RIP People of the Parish Eileen Wilson RIP

Confessions are available after 11am Mass every Saturday or after Mass during the week on request.  
Eucharistic Adoration 8:45am, Monday to Thursday provided there is a Mass in St. Mary's that morning at 9:30am.

Please pray for those who are sick in our parish: and for those who have died recently especially **Leonard Kittley** and **Angela Dominica Johnston**.

**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.

**Barrow Classical Music Foundation:****Summer Festival Friday 16<sup>th</sup> – Monday 19<sup>th</sup> August 2024.**

Our music festival is almost upon us. We are delighted to welcome fantastic young musicians from China, Russia, Italy, Ireland and of course from England! It should be a wonderful weekend with a great variety of classical music, from Brahms Piano Quartet to Bach and Beethoven Cello Sonatas, Piano solo and duet performances and the most beautiful Choral pieces by Butterworth and others.

Admission is free but there will be a retiring collection. Flyers detailing the programme are available at the back of each Church. If you are able to help with distribution of these throughout the town, please take a handful of flyers to circulate to family and friends. Thank you.

**Annual Pilgrimage to the Diocesan Shrine of Our Lady of Lourdes at Cleator.****Sunday 8th September 2024. Mass and Blessing of the Sick 3:00pm**

The principal celebrant and preacher will be Bishop Paul Swarbrick.

The theme this year '**Our Lady, Guide of the Wanderer**'. So many in our world are on the move seeking safety, peace, economic security. So many in our world are wandering and rootless in their moral and religious lives. We seek the intercession of Our Lady who gave us Jesus the Way, the Truth, the Life.

**Pope Francis Prayer Intention – July 2024**

In July, we pray with Pope Francis that the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick may grant the Lord's strength to those who receive it and to their loved ones, and that it may become for everyone an ever more visible sign of compassion and hope. *'The Priest and those who are present during the Anointing of the Sick represent the entire Christian community that, as one body, embraces the one who suffers and their family, nurturing their faith and hope, and supporting them through their prayers and compassion.'* – Pope Francis

**Wedding:** congratulations to **Sarah Donnan** and **Thomas Hammond** who were married last Friday. We wish them many years of happiness together. Please keep them in your prayers.

**Baptism:** We congratulate **Georgie May Dooley, Harrison Stephen Gavin and Alexis Ukwun Johnson-Ushie** who were baptised recently. Please keep them and their families in your prayers.