

ST. MARY & ST. JOSEPH

HORNBY & KIRKBY LONSDALE

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Please Pray

For those who are sick or
housebound in the parish...

if you want to be included on this list please contact Fr. Michael. Also if you are aware of any errors, please inform Fr Michael via email as soon as possible

Brian Byrne, Sarah Adam, Dennis Brown, Paul Shuttleworth, Keith and Alexa Wightman, Sarah Mason, Kevin Casey, Esther Castle, Chris Broadhurst, Joan Randall, Hazel Waring, Sandie Hardy, Elizabeth Ackerley, Pepe Casanova, Karen Parkinson, Colette Calveley, Lucy Ball, Maggie Trimble, Pauline O'Toole, Roberta Whiteside, Alan White, Lynne Griffiths, James Alty, Diane Shields, Gill Bishop.

Sick clergy of the diocese:

Fr. Harry Holden; Fr. John Heaney; Fr. Seamus Flannery; Fr. Bernard Partington; Fr. Michael Murphy; Fr. Alf Parker; Fr. Ossie Aisbitt; Fr. Daniel Etienne; Deacon Jim Maguire.

For those whose anniversaries occur during and around this time...

May Brodrick, Alfred McMahon, Mary Wilson, Annie Ruddy, Rod Pelling, Margaret Kelly, Maureen Aylward, Herbert Hudson, Arthur Dowlman, Eddie Brady

Parish Safeguarding Officer

Julie Stafford

Any health and safety concerns please contact Fr Michael.

Sunday 24th March <i>Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion</i> <i>Holy Week Begins</i> <i>Red</i>	18.00 Caton Mass 09.00 Kirkby Mass 11.00 Hornby Mass	<i>Holy Souls</i> <i>Gill Bishop [h&i]</i> <i>People of the Parish</i>
M 25th March <i>Monday of Holy Week</i> <i>Purple</i>	No public Mass	
T 26th March <i>Tuesday of Holy Week</i> <i>White</i>	10.30 Caton Mass <i>16.30 Kirkby</i>	<i>Mary Johnston</i> <i>Holy Rosary for Peace</i>
W 27th March <i>Wednesday</i> <i>Purple</i>	08.00 Hornby Mass	<i>Peter Johnson [h&i]</i>
T 28th March <i>Maundy Thursday</i> <i>White</i>	11.30 Cathedral 19.00 Caton Mass 20.45 Caton	<i>Chrism Mass with Bishop Paul Swarbrick</i> <i>Mass of the Lord's Supper - Betty Byrne</i> <i>Night prayer [Compline] at the Altar of Repose</i>
F 29th March <i>Good Friday</i> <i>Red</i> <i>Day of Fasting & Abstinence</i>	15.00 Caton	<i>Solemn Commemoration of the Passion and Death of Our Lord Jesus Christ</i>
S 30th March <i>Holy Saturday</i> <i>Purple/White</i>	19.00 Caton Mass	<i>The Easter Vigil & First Mass of Easter</i> <i>Emily Wood [h&i]</i>
Sunday 31st March <i>Easter Sunday</i> <i>White</i>	09.00 Kirkby Mass 11.00 Hornby Mass	<i>People of the Parish</i> <i>Intentions of the Read Family [illness]</i> N.B. British Summer Times begins today!

Pilgrimage to Walsingham

In September (2nd – 6th) Bishop Paul is renewing the annual Diocesan Pilgrimage to Walsingham, the National Shrine to Our Blessed Lady. He invites you to join him! This will be the first pilgrimage since the Pandemic, and we have so much to pray for, so much to give thanks for. Some of you are familiar with Walsingham. For others it will be your first visit.

In the Middle Ages the Shrine was one of the great ancient Marian places of pilgrimage in the whole of Christendom. It is known as England's very own Nazareth and is a place where the incarnation of Jesus is particularly remembered. Therefore, for the modern pilgrim, it is a place for all who would rejoice with Mary at 'the great joy of the Annunciation.' Like Lourdes in France, it is a place of reconciliation, conversion, peace and healing.

Dependent on accommodation type the all-inclusive cost is no more than £500,00 per person. Coach collection/drop off will take place in Workington, Carlisle, Penrith, Lancaster and Preston. For more information and booking details contact the pilgrimage organiser Deacon Charlie Conner on 07895 742 732 or email charlie.conner@lrcc.org.uk.

OLCC Uganda24 Project

They are selling Easter cards (£1) and mini knitted Easter baskets (£2) - they will be in Caton church but can also be ordered by email to r.lowe@olcc.lancs.sch.uk

Readers and Welcomers - Hornby & Caton

If anyone would be interested in joining one of our small teams of week-end Mass Readers and Welcomers, please contact Joe Armistead on

07918 144209. No previous experience is necessary.

Collections

The offertory collection on Holy Thursday is traditionally allocated 'To the Poor'. It will go to local organisations working to alleviate food poverty.

The collection on Good Friday is the annual collection for 'The Holy Places'. This supports the Church in the Holy Land and offers a significant support for our brothers and sisters there.

The collection for Easter Sunday is for the clergy and should represent a significant contribution to Fr Michael's annual 'allowance'.

Thank you

Thanks to those parishioners at Kirkby Lonsdale who 'Gift Aid' their offertory contribution. Last year £3,688.51 was received through the Gift Aid scheme from only 16 participating parishioners. We're sure many more pay tax and would be able to join the scheme. Please see Adrian Bell for more information in Kirkby Lonsdale and Joe Armistead in Hornby/Caton.

Safety Toolbox - can you help?

The Diocese operates an online log for Health and Safety Policies called 'Safety Toolbox'. This is kindly looked after in Kirkby Lonsdale by Jeremy and Joe helps with Hornby/Caton. We are looking for someone in Hornby/Caton to take this on in a more proactive way. If you can help please see Fr Michael.

Those available after Mass on Tuesday to prepare Caton Church for the Triduum would be very welcome.