

St Mary's Hornby, Our Lady's Caton, St Joseph's Kirkby Lonsdale

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1st December 2019 –Advent Sunday Year A - Divine Office Week 3

Mass Times and Intentions

Saturday 23 rd November	Kirkby Lonsdale	12 Noon	No Mass
Saturday 30 th November	Caton	6:00pm	Freda Roscoe
Sunday 1 st December	Kirkby Lonsdale	9:00am	Frederick & Margaret Cross
Sunday 1 st December	Hornby	11:00am	Elizabeth Stenson
Monday 2nd December -Saturday 7th December			
There are no weekday Masses scheduled in the Parishes. Mass is celebrated each day at Lancaster Cathedral at 12:15, and at St Joseph's Church, Slyne Road Lancaster, Tuesday - Saturday at 10am. Check https://stjosephs-lancaster.co.uk/ for details.			
Holy Trinity & St George Church, 33 Blackhall Road, Kendal, LA9 4BW, offer weekday masses at various times – see https://kendalcatholicchurch.uk/ .			
Saturday 7 th December	Caton	6:00pm	Jovita Tumushabe
Sunday 8 th December	Kirkby Lonsdale	9:00am	Peter Dickinson
Sunday 8 th December	Hornby	11:00am	Parish

Kirkby Lonsdale Weekly Services

Sunday	After 9:00 am Mass	Chaplet of Divine Mercy
Tuesday	9:30 am	Ecumenical Prayer (St Mary's Kirkby Lonsdale)
Tuesday	6:30 pm	Novena to Our Lady and Benediction
Wednesday	10:15 am	Morning Prayers
Saturday	11- 11:45 am	Adoration and Confession
Sunday	After 9:00 am Mass	Chaplet of Divine Mercy

Hornby /Caton Services

Tuesday	6:00 pm	Rosary Prayers at Caton
Friday	5:00 – 6:00 pm	Holy Hour for Vocations (Hornby)

Special Collection:

This week for Diocesan Poor Mission Fund

Anniversaries:

W.T. Turner, Trevor Parkinson, Fr. William Wrennall, Arthur Slade, William Gee and Anthony Kevill.

Please Pray for the Sick of the Parishes:

Brian Byrne, Sarah Adam, Veronica Law, Dennis Brown, Graham Jubb, Paul Shuttleworth, Keith and Alexa Wightman, Sarah Mason, Cynthia McPherson, Jean Wilson, Kevin Casey, Esther Castle, Chris Broadhurst, Joan Randall, Hazel Waring, Eric and Nina Ireland, Frances McKenzie, Sandie Hardy, Elizabeth Ackerley, Pepe Casanova, Karen Parkinson, Margaret Aspin, Damien Waterhouse, Bruce Kay, Colette Calvey, Lucy Ball, Maggie Trimble, Pauline O'Toole and Roberta Whiteside.

Red Boxes

Many thanks for your generous donations for the Missions. We have collected over £670. If anyone still has a red box that they would like emptied please contact Christine Griffiths.

Stay awake...

Advent begins with two very positive readings and a warning. Jeremiah speaks to a people decimated by their enemies. The Babylonians had captured many of them and exiled them to Babylon. The Hebrews knew they had sinned; was the exile the result of their sins, had God totally deserted them? Jeremiah reassures them: No! God has not given up on them. The time was coming when a righteous shoot of David would lead them, and Jerusalem would be made safe. St Paul tells the Thessalonians - anxious that the Lord would come soon - that all they have to do is abound in love for one another and thus be blameless before God at the Lord's coming. These are comforting words, particularly in light of Jesus' warnings in the Gospel where He speaks of dread-filled signs in the heavens and of death. He adds that when we see the Son of Man coming on the clouds with power and great glory, we should be ready, lifting our heads, because our redemption is at hand. Waiting for the Lord to come again is the focus of this first week of Advent. This waiting for the Lord demands that we make the best use of the time we have before He comes.

...The Lord is at Hand!

Walk Through the Bible - Ecumenical Away Day

You are warmly invited to *Walk Through The Bible - Old Testament*. This is a Live Interactive, memorable, fun and engaging: relax and enjoy the journey as an experienced guide leads us through the timeline and geography of the Old Testament - the big overview that can unlock 39 of the books. The event is sponsored by Tunstall Deanery and Churches Together in Caton – see invitation cards at the back of church.

Saturday 18 January 10am to 4.30pm Brookhouse Methodist Church LA2 9PA. Cost £14 including workbook. Free for children aged 11-16 if accompanied by an adult. Please bring a packed lunch.

Book online at bible.org.uk (click 'Tickets') or call 015242 21712 or sign up at the back of Church.

Reverse Advent calendar

Some people are popping an item of seasonal food or chocolate etc into a box each day during advent & bringing it to Church on the THIRD Sunday of Advent so that it can be taken to the Olive Branch.....just sayin.....

Thanks. Chris Doyle.

Rosary Prayers at Caton

Since there will be no Mass at Caton on Tuesdays, a group of us is getting together each week at 6:00 pm to pray the Rosary in the porch. Beads and prayer cards are available – please join us.

While Fr Luiz is away

As you are aware, Fr Luiz is away from the parishes until 19 April 2020. During this time a number of priests will be looking after the parishes and saying the masses, and various volunteers are helping with church management.

You can read full details of all arrangements on the website:

<https://www.lunevalleycatholics.org.uk/2019/11/01/fr-luiz-sabbatical-leave/> .

Email notices to: newsletter@lunevalleycatholics.org.uk
