

# PARISH OF ST. JOHN HENRY NEWMAN MORECAMBE

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**SUNDAY 12<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2021**

**TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**THE YEAR OF ST JOSEPH**

## MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday	St Patrick's	6.00pm	Allan Mitchell
Sunday	St Mary's St Mary's	8.30am 10.30am	For the parishioners George and Agnes Brown, William and Ellen Clough
Monday	<b>St Mary's School</b>	<b>9.30am</b>	Winefride Ward
Tuesday	St Patrick's	10.00am	Norah Nicholson
Wednesday	St Mary's St Mary's	<b>12 noon</b> 7.00pm	<b>Requiem:</b> Philomena Bones Thanksgiving for parishioners
Thursday	St Mary's	12.10pm	Jack O'Sullivan and family
Friday	St Patrick's	10.00am	Jacko and Astrid Jackson
Saturday	St Mary's St Patrick's	10.00am 6.00pm	Thanksgiving (Cordingley) Peter Carney
Sunday	St Mary's St Mary's <b>St Patrick's</b>	8.30am 10.30am <b>2.00pm</b>	Paul Yates David and Rita Brewer For the parishioners

The Sunday Mass at 8:30am will be live streamed.

*St Mary's Church is open for private prayer every day*



### PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

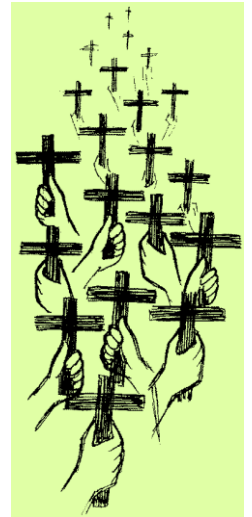
Louis Rowan, Keith Townsend, Winnie Coupe, Gerard Ashton, Vincent Murray, Zoe Jarman, Matthew Hoey, Mary Bland, Alan Anderson, Karen Guerrero, Dorothy Chadwick, Donald and Margaret McQuaker, Cath Harker, Win Cowell and the sick and housebound in the parish and those in local hospitals and nursing homes.

### ANNIVERSARIES

Canon Candlish MC, Fr Michael Turner, Fr V Cahalane, Jean Sharples, Jack Loveder, Thomas Murray, Maureen Thornton, Robert Lindley, Elizabeth McMahan, Eunice Mulholland, Estelle Jackson, Bonnie Mae Mayers, Joan Bouskill, John Owens, Neil McCarron, Anne Lindley, Maureen Bacon and all those whose anniversaries occur between 12<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> September.

### FEASTS THIS WEEK

Monday	St John Chrysostom
Tuesday	THE EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS
Wednesday	Our Lady of Sorrows
Thursday	Sts Cornelius & Cyprian
Friday	St Robert Bellarmine (optional)



### SACRAMENT OF CONFESSION

- Saturdays - St Mary's, 10.30am to 11.00am in the confessional
- St Patrick's, 5.30pm

*Lord Jesus, have mercy on me, a sinner*



### LATELY DEAD

Please pray for the repose of the soul of:

**Philomena Bones** late of Old Hall Close who died on Saturday, aged 95. Reception into St Mary's Church on Tuesday at 4.30pm. Requiem Mass on Wednesday at 12 noon followed by interment in Torrisholme Cemetery.

Parishioners have asked prayers for relations and friends lately dead:

**Margaret Charlesworth and Mary Moran**

## **BAPTISM**

We welcome into the family of the Church through the Sacrament of Baptism:

**Bella-Jo Lois Coyle**

daughter of Joseph and Charlotte  
on Saturday at St Mary's at 12.30pm



## **CANON COOPER'S RETIREMENT**

On Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. there will be a Mass to celebrate the time which Canon Cooper has spent at the parish of St. John Henry Newman. Following this Mass, there will be a pie and peas supper in the church hall at St. Mary's – happily we can accommodate all those who have booked for the supper..

## **MISSIO**

“The APF red boxes are due to be emptied and the contents and contributions need to be given to us, (telephone 823815) or left with Canon Cooper or Fr Carden by Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> September at the latest. Please ensure that each contribution is clearly identified with the giver's or collector's name.”  
*Eddie and Mavis Kingsley*

## **JOB VACANCY – SITE SUPERVISOR/CLEANER**

The Governors at St Patrick's Catholic Primary School wish to employ a Site Supervisor/Cleaner to undertake the duties of caretaker at school.

Under the general guidance of the Headteacher/Senior Manager, to contribute to the smooth running of the School by carrying out a range of caretaking duties to the agreed quality standards, including security and supervision of the site and related equipment, and other caretaking duties including portage, cleaning and maintenance. Management and monitoring of cleaning staff/work. The emphasis of this post will focus on either site supervision or Handyperson activities.

Working hours: Monday to Friday, 7am-9am and 3pm-6pm

St Patrick's Catholic Primary School is committed to the safeguarding of our children. Post holders will be required to undertake safeguarding training. Any job offers would be subject to an enhanced DBS check.

**Please note the Mass on Monday will be outdoors at St Mary's School at 9.30am (or in the School hall if weather is inclement) All are welcome.**



## CATHOLIC BISHOPS AND ORGANISATIONS CALL FOR AN END TO THE ARMS TRADE

Catholic Bishops and organisations have voiced their opposition to the arms trade, as the UK prepares to host one of the world's largest arms fairs next week.

The DSEI arms fair takes place in London on 14<sup>th</sup> to 17<sup>th</sup> September, bringing together

governments and military delegations from across the world with more than 1,500 companies selling guns, bombs, and other weaponry.

A statement signed by Catholic Bishops from across the UK, as well as representatives of Pax Christi, Justice and Peace movements, CAFOD and SCIAF, took up the call of Pope Francis to end the arms trade. It emphasises how conflicts fuelled by the trade harm the world's poorest communities, force people to flee their homes as refugees, and have devastating consequences for our environment.

**Full statement:** As the UK again prepares to host one of the world's largest arms fairs, we recall the message of Pope Francis: "Why are deadly weapons being sold to those who plan to inflict untold suffering on individuals and society? Sadly, the answer, as we all know, is simply for money: money that is drenched in blood, often innocent blood. In the face of this shameful and culpable silence, it is our duty to confront the problem and to stop the arms trade."

We recognise the right of every country to defend itself against attack, but we must never ignore, or allow ourselves to become complicit in, the destruction of human life and violations of human dignity made possible by the sale of weaponry. The conflicts fuelled by this trade harm the poorest communities, force people to flee their homes as refugees, and have devastating consequences for our environment.

We stand alongside all those people of goodwill who are peacefully campaigning against the arms trade and join in prayer with the Holy Father that our leaders may commit themselves to ending it, in pursuit of peace and care for our whole human family.

## BISHOP FOR LIFE ISSUES ASKS CATHOLICS TO TAKE ACTION TO OPPOSE THE ASSISTED DYING BILL

Bishop John Sherrington, Lead Bishop for Life Issues for the Catholic Bishops' Conference of England and Wales has written an open letter inviting Catholics to pray for the defeat of the Assisted Dying Bill to be debated in the House of Lords in October. It encourages them to write to peers at the House of Lords stating the reasons why they oppose this legislation and particularly explain from personal experience the reasons why this change in the law should be opposed.

It urges discussion and communication about this important matter. To read the full letter, visit <https://www.cbcew.org.uk/bishop-for-life-issues-asks-catholics-to-take-action-to-oppose-the-assisted-dying-bill/>