

DIARY EVENTS:

SUN 14 th	10.00 am:	Children's Liturgy
	11.00 am:	Prayer Ministry
MON 15 th	10.00 am:	NO Christian Meditation (resumes 9 th September)
TUES 16 th	7.30 pm:	Eucharistic Ministers Meeting
WED 17 th	7.30 pm:	Prayer Meeting
THURS 18 th	2.00 pm:	Thursday Club
SUN 21 st	10.00 am:	NO Childrens Liturgy (resume September)
	11.00 am:	Prayer Ministry

WEEKLY DUTIES COMMENCING Sunday 21st July

COFFEE:	Church Ministers
COUNTERS:	Mr & Mrs Graham
CLEANERS:	Mrs E Scanlan, Dr J Clough

Reminders.....

HOSPITAL ADMISSIONS: If you or a loved one are going into hospital and would appreciate a visit from the chaplain, please do ring the parish office to let the priests know - it is not automatic that the chaplain will be informed by the hospital.

VISITATION REQUEST: If you, a family member or a friend would like a priest to visit you in your home please complete a card available from the back of church and place in the collection bag or post at the presbytery.

MASS REQUESTS: If you would like a mass to be said for a loved one or maybe a special occasion, please take an envelope from the porch. Please ensure that the request details are printed clearly to avoid any spelling errors.

PARISH REGISTER: We are continually updating this so if you move home or your contact details change, or if you are new to the parish, you can fill out a form to let us know your new details. Alternatively, if you no longer wish for your details to be kept on the register please inform the office.

CATHOLIC NEWSPAPERS for sale in the church porch - full of information on what our Church has to say on current day issues. There are also some free leaflets if you'd like to take a look. **BOOKLETS** also for sale on the CTS Stand and **GIFTS & BIBLES** in the piety shop.

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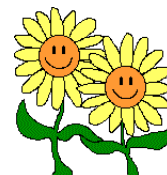
FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – 14th July 2019

What is the Torah?...

The lawyer we encounter in today's gospel was a student of the Torah, today we might call him a theologian. He asks the question that is always on a theologian's mind: how do we, flawed human beings, achieve the fulfilment God intends for us? Quoting the Torah Jesus gives the classic answer by loving God (Deuteronomy 6:5) and our neighbour (Leviticus 19:18) everything else is secondary. Jesus then goes on to show the practical implications of these commandments in the parable of the Good Samaritan. The contrast is dramatic: the priest and Levite who belong to the class of professional men of religion while the Samaritan is from the despised and uneducated group of Jews who were left in Palestine during the Exile and whose religious "purity" was highly suspect. In Jesus' parable it is this religious outcast, the Samaritan, who has understood the real meaning of the Torah while the professional practitioners of religion seem to be only concerned with the external, ritual elements of it. Jesus is telling us that we should be authentic people of faith who seek to observe and live out the true and deep spirit of our faith and not just its externals.

...It is the Law as found in the five books of Moses.

We will be postponing the retiring collection for Apostleship of the Sea until weekend of 10th / 11th August. You can visit www.apostleshipofthesea.org.uk for more information on the charity in the meantime. *Thank you.*



SUNFLOWERS: We have some sunflowers that we planted at the Creation Mass at Pentecost. If you would like to take one from the back of church please do so.

MASSES WEEK COMMENCING SUNDAY 14th JULY 2019

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Sun 13 th 14 th	FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 6.00 pm Vigil: John (Special Intention) 10.00 am: Mike Williams RIP 12.00 noon: People of the parish (at Sedbergh) 6.00 pm: Betty Stuart LD
Mon 15 th	St Bonaventure 9.15 am: Angelo Feliciello
Tues 16 th	Our Lady of Mount Carmel 12.15 pm: Betty Stuart LD (OAG)
Wed 17 th	Wednesday of week 15 7.00 pm: Eucharistic Service
Thurs 18 th	Thursday of week 15 9.15 am: (note earlier time)
Fri 19 th	St John Plessington, St John Wall & Companions Martyrs of Lancashire 12.15 pm: Paul Leyland RIP
Sat 20 th	Saturday of week 15 SATURDAY CONFESSIONS in confessional 5.10 – 5.40pm
Sun 20 th 21 st	SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 6.00 pm Vigil: T Goundry RIP 10.00 am: Michael Brady RIP 12.00 noon: People of the parish (at Sedbergh) 6.00 pm: Frank McAvoy RIP

Divine Mercy Chaplet is recited at 3pm each Friday. **Rosary Recitation** takes place on Tuesdays, Thursdays & Fridays at 11.50am, Wednesdays at 6.40pm.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

SICK: Bernadette Watts, George Weld-Blundell, Holly Howe, Anne Riding, Ged Hillon, Will Flitcroft, Philip Barry, Pat Newton, Trish Hoad, Margaret West, Aleyamma Punnen, Brian Chambers, Varlien Vynner-Brooks, Joan Baines, Howard Selby, Archie Scott, Jamie Banks Wallhead, Mary Brady, Bob Dickie, Ian Muir, Sylvia Duckworth, Winnie Edgar.

ANNIVERSARIES: George Miller, Peter Kelly, Mollie Donnelly, Jack Longworth, John Hidden, Agnes Delaney, Mary Doherty, Frank Bitniak, Doris (Dolly) Keely, Henry Taylor, Michael Murray, Christina Mellor, Anna Shaw, Joan Graham, Robert Tickell, James Connolly, John Muzalewski, Maurice Griffin.

Congratulations to Jonah Jack Martin who was baptised here recently.

FRONT OF CHURCH BUILDING WORKS: Someone from the company that the Diocese has recommended to tackle these works will be attending on Wednesday 17th July. No doubt he or she will then have to draw up a report but after that we may have some idea what is going to be required. *Fr Hugh*

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS: The second session for ministers will be in the parish centre on Tuesday 16th July at 7.30pm. Following these sessions there will be a renewal of commitment at a Mass on Sunday. *Fr. Hugh*



HCPT (Hosanna House and Children's Pilgrimage Trust) is the charity that I go to Lourdes with, taking children with disabilities. There are two annual trips, one at Easter and one in the summer. In our region (Lancaster diocese) we are struggling to build groups and if anyone is interested in finding out more about it, and helping to create a group, do get in touch. *Fr. Hugh*

LOURDES PETITIONS: Zoe is going to Lourdes in 10 days with the diocese and there is a box for petitions on Our Lady's altar which she is happy to take.

CATHOLIC CERTIFICATE IN RELIGIOUS STUDIES (CCRS): This course is open to catechists & those involved in liturgical work and can help to offer a better understanding of and help accurately communicate the Catholic teaching principles. You can google 'Lancaster Diocese Online Learning' or ring the Education Centre, 01524 841190 or take a look at the course details on the notice board.

TEA SERVICES are being held every third Thursday monthly for those affected by dementia but open to everyone. Kendal Parish Church 2.30pm. **Next one 18th July.**

RECYCLING GLASSES: There is a box in church where you can donate any old glasses to the Lions Club for recycling. Thank you.

Last week's Attendance: 374 **Offertory:** £857.93
Medical Missionary (Sr Ruth) £1051.02 *Thank you.*