

St Mary's Kells Parish Bulletin

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Sunday 18th October 2020 – 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Weekdays – Week 29

Date	Service Time	Mass Intentions
Saturday 17 Oct	5.30pm – Mass – St B	
Sunday 18 Oct	10.00am – Mass – St M	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <p>People of the Parish Katie Carling & Betty Benson Monica Burns Arthur Hillon Matthew Woolaghan Special Intention (SB)</p> </div>
Monday 19 Oct		
Tuesday 20 Oct	10.00am – Mass – St M	
Wednesday 21 Oct	10.00am – Mass – St B	
Thursday 22 Oct	10.00am – Mass – St M	
Friday 23 Oct	10.00am – Mass – St B	
Saturday 24 Oct	5.30pm – Mass – St B	
Sunday 25 Oct	10.00am – Mass – St M	

This Week's Rotas

Eucharistic Ministers:

Sunday 10am –

Reader:

Sunday 10am – Dennis Gainford



Offertory

Sunday 10am –

Stewards

Sunday: Billy Starkey/Pat Carling/Sheila Richardson/Robert Hope

Tuesday: Billy Starkey/Pat Carling

Thursday: Robert Hope/Josie Burns



Please let a member of the Parish Council know if you would like to help in any way with our church community.



Fr Ed will hear Confessions as and when requested

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS ALL THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES OCCUR AROUND THIS TIME:

Esther Walker, Elizabeth Pickering, Harold Skelly,
 Audrey McLean, Margaret Burns,
 Vincent Cannon, Charles Glasson, Alex Durkin,
 Fr Paul Bloom, Mary McCrink,
 Mary Jane McQuilliam, Sally Burns, Jane Bragg



Your prayers please for the following who are sick:

Margaret Atkinson, Sharon Burns, Martin Grugan, Allen Irving, Sadie Hutchinson, Hughie Diamond,
 Vic Raby, Josie Irving

Father of goodness and love; hear our prayers for the sick members of our community and for all who are in need, Amen.





Sacred Heart Candle

Will be lit week beginning 18th October for
Parishioners' Intentions



Our Lady's Candle

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First Holy Communion



The first session went well, here's hoping the remainder of the course continues without further interruption.



CAFOD

The collection last week raised the fantastic sum of £384.20 - you are all so very generous. Thank you. Unfortunately we ran out of envelopes so some parishioners had to provide their own, this meant that 3 of you who wanted to gift aid their donation will need to complete an official form otherwise it cannot be accepted. Father Ed will catch you with a form to sign.

United Utilities



We have been successful in claiming back the money we paid the above during the years the presbytery was uninhabited. We had been able to claim 2018-20 but then had to prove the property was empty in order to claim previous years. Having provided the necessary proof, we have received £2544.32 for 2014-18!



Rota

The Stewards' rota for November will be available on the table beside the porch door next week.

Offertory Collection



At a time when the number attending Mass is reduced & therefore the collections are also down, it would appear that several of our regular Offertory envelope users are not using their envelopes at the moment & we don't know why. If you have set up a direct debit to be paid from your bank account would you please check the payments are leaving your account or, if you just no longer wish to use the envelope scheme, would you let either Fr Ed or me know & we can reduce the number of envelopes we order & thus save money that way.



St Mary's School

Last week the children decided to give up sweets for CAFOD's Family Fast Day. The money saved was donated and £59.70 was raised. Well done all of you – a brilliant idea!

Congratulations



For those of you who weren't at Mass last Sunday Father Ed congratulated Willie Slavin who had been awarded an MBE in the Queen's Birthday Honours List for services to the homeless, education & the community in West Cumbria. Congratulations also to Monica who kept everything going in the background. Well done both!



Don't Forget

**The clocks go back next weekend!
You don't want to be arriving for Mass an hour early.**

Thank you for your offerings last week that were as follows: Offertory: £220.36
Second collection last week for CAFOD Family Fast Day raised £384.20
No second collection this week
Second collection next week for World Mission Sunday
Number attending last week: 62



PS My teacher said I'd never be any good at poetry due to my dyslexia, but so far I've made 3 vases & a jug!!!