

# St Mary's Kells Parish Bulletin

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Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> March 2018 – 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Lent  
Weekdays – 3<sup>rd</sup> Week in Lent



Date	Service Time	Mass Intentions
Saturday 3 Mar	5.30pm – Mass with separate Children's Liturgy – St B	<b>People of the Parish</b>
Sunday 4 Mar	10.00am – Mass – St M	
Monday 5 Mar	9.15am – Liturgy of the Word & Communion – St B	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <b>Jan Tedesco</b>  <b>Pat Kane</b>  <b>Tanya Pater</b>  <b>Jean Currie</b>  <b>Esther Drake</b>  <b>Kathleen &amp; Michael Crewdson</b> </div>
Tuesday 6 Mar	10.00am – Mass – St M	
Wednesday 7 Mar	10.00am – Mass – St B	
Thursday 8 Mar	10.00am – Requiem Mass – St M	
Friday 9 Mar	10.00am – Mass – St B	
Saturday 10 Mar	5.30pm – Mass with separate Children's Liturgy – St B	<b>People of the Parish</b>
Sunday 11 Mar	10.00am – Mass – St M	

### This Week's Rotas

#### Eucharistic Ministers:

Sunday 10am – Lorraine Stewart/Alan Raby/Eileen George

#### Reader:

Sunday 10am – Tony Messenger



#### Little Lambs:

Sunday 10am – Margaret Benson



#### Church Cleaners:

Liz Goulding/Jean Soriano/Josephine Burns

#### Altar Supervisors:

Sunday 10am – Sheila Richardson

**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 WHO'S ANNIVERSARIES OCCUR AROUND THIS TIME:

Isobel McCartney, Thomas Weighman, Robert Merner, James Mahone, Lena Lavery, William Haldane, Frank Walsh, Judith Howlett, Mark Lewthwaite, Joseph Young, James Ruddy, Sally Brennan, Brian Cromwell, Robert Kirkbride, Elizabeth McAleese

MAY THEY REST IN PEACE, AMEN



*Rest In Peace*

### Your prayers please for the following who are sick:

Tracey McLaughlin, Margaret Atkinson, Sharon Burns, Kathleen Cake, Eileen Squires, Glenda Leech, Martin Grugan, Allen Irving, Betty Burns, Bill Smith, Tricia O'Sullivan

*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 Lamp**

Will be lit week beginning 4<sup>th</sup> March for  
**Ken Morgan & Bob Brown**

**Our Lady's Lamp**

Will be lit week beginning 4<sup>th</sup> March for  
**Michael Coan**



**Lately Dead**

Please pray for the repose of the soul of

**Bill Smith**

who died recently

(His Requiem Mass is on Thursday at 10.00am)

May he rest in peace Amen



**Holy Half Hour**



Every Thursday during Lent there will be  
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament at 7.00-

7.30pm. This Thursday it will be here at St Mary's. The

entire half hour will be quiet time – no hymns, no

readings – just you and your silent thoughts and prayers.

**New Bishop**



Please continue to keep Fr Paul Swarbrick  
in your prayers as he faces the mountain he has to  
climb in taking over as the Bishop of Lancaster.

**Lenten Lunch**



St Benedict's Church is holding Lenten Lunches  
each Friday in Lent from 12-1.00pm in the Sacristy in aid of  
CAFOD. Please go along and give them your support.

**Readers' Rota**

A copy of the rota for all readers is on the  
table in porch, please take one with you.



Copies of the Catholic Voice are on the table in  
the porch, please take one home with you.

**St Mary's CMS Club**

- Monday 7.30-9.15 –Bingo
- Tuesday 7.30 – Old Thyme Dancing
- Wednesday 7.30-9.15 –Bingo
- Thursday 6.30 – Line Dancing
- Friday 7.30-9.15 – Bingo

To hire the hall contact Billy Starkey on 61448

**Fund Raising**

Another Easter Egg grid today which will  
be drawn after Mass – squares £1 each. Thank you so  
much for the eggs you have so kindly donated. Last  
week's winners were: Muriel Graham, Jean Harrison,  
Margaret Benson, Eva Mallard, Sam Rowell, Bradley  
Thomason, Olly Kirkbride, Millie Burns, Aryana, Betty  
Burns, J Norman, Margaret Doran (Rannerdale), Frank  
Savage, Maureen Brown.

Thank you all for your support.



**Mission Boxes**



Missio have informed us that St Mary's Kells raised  
the wonderful sum of £982.45 through your donations in  
your Mission Boxes. Well done everyone and thank you to  
Eileen Holliday who does all the work behind the scenes.  
She will be here on 18<sup>th</sup> March to collect your boxes for  
emptying. Reminder later!

**Thank You**

Thank you to Eileen & John Cowley  
(parishioners of St Benedict's) who have donated  
a bag full of new teddies for us to use in our fund raising  
efforts. Thank you so much.



**Foodbank**



This week's special needs are:  
UHT Fruit Juice, 1 Litre UHT milk (not skimmed), jam,  
sponge pudding, custard.  
Please help if you can.

**Bereavement Service**

Just a date for your diaries - this year's  
service will take place on Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> May  
at 7pm. This is not just for those who are recently  
bereaved but for anyone who would like to come along.



Thank you for your offerings last weekend that were as follows: Offertory: £354.42

Second collection last week was for CAFOD Family Fast Day

No second collection this week

No second collection next week

Number attending last week: 84



PS Why do they call small chocolate bars "fun size"? Wouldn't it be more fun if they were bigger?!!