

St Mary's Kells Parish Bulletin

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Sunday 22nd September 2019 – 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Weekdays – Week 25

Date	Service Time	Mass Intentions
Saturday 21 Sep	5.30pm – Mass – St B	
Sunday 22 Sep	10.00am – Mass – St M	People of the Parish
Monday 23 Sep		
Tuesday 24 Sep		
Wednesday 25 Sep	10.00am – Liturgy of the Word & Communion – St B	
Thursday 26 Sep	10.00am – Liturgy of the Word & Communion – St M	
Friday 27 Sep	10.00am – Liturgy of the Word & Communion – St B	
Saturday 28 Sep	5.30pm – Mass – St B	
Sunday 29 Sep	10.00am – Mass – St M	People of the Parish

This Week's Rotas

Eucharistic Ministers:

Sunday 10am – Sheila Richardson/John Doran/Jean Soriano

Reader:

Sunday 10am – Willie Slavin

Little Lambs:

Sunday 10am – Margaret Benson



Church Cleaners:

Josephine Burns/Margaret Norman

Altar Supervisors:

Sunday 10am – Sheila Richardson

Offertory

Sunday 10am – Carol Pierce/Lorraine Stewart



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:

Jimmy Ruddy, Henry Goodall, Sarah Burns, Tom Brown, Mary Doran, William Gartland, Patrick Hughes, Rose Crewdson, Lillian Heron, Joanne Irving, Patrick Brown, George Rumney, Edward Warbrick, Chrissie Doran, William Bradley

MAY THEY REST IN PEACE, AMEN



Your prayers please for the following who are sick:

Tracey McLaughlin, Margaret Atkinson, Sharon Burns, Martin Grugan, Allen Irving, Teresa Bone, Fred Bragg, Betty Kitchen, Sadie Hutchinson, Celia Rumney, Hughie Diamond
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 22nd September for
Chrissie Doran

Our Lady's Lamp

Will be lit week beginning 22nd September for
**George Rumney
Rosemary & Family
Patrick Hughes**



Fund Raising



Thank you all so very much. We now have a room full of prizes, a folding table and four volunteers. All we need is to sell as many tickets as possible on Friday. Presuming that we will have some prizes left over, Sheila and I will be continuing the tombola in the porch next Sunday, so we are looking for your support yet again!

Mission Boxes



Don't forget to collect your Mission Box from Eileen Holliday who will be in the porch before Mass. No doubt, Eileen will let us know how much was raised. On behalf of St Mary's, thank you Eileen for keeping this long held tradition going.



Offertory Rota

The rota for the month of October is:

6th October - Celia Rumney/Marie Moore

13th October - Jocelyn Coan/Sheila Woolley

20th October - Margaret Leadley/Dennis Gainford

27th October - Dorothy & John Crewdson

If you would like to take part in the Offertory either on a regular basis or for a special occasion/anniversary just see me & I'll add you to the list. Thank you.

Mass Book Dedications

We received more requests for dedications after the labels had been inserted in the books. These will be printed in the next few weeks. If you missed out and would like to take part just give me a list and £2 per book and we will do the rest.

Roof Repair



We have now accepted a quote for repairs to the flat roof over the Baptistry. The work will begin in early October (hopefully).

Thank You




To Robert Goulding, Billy Starkey & Colin Scowcroft who cleared the Baptistry of years of hoarded junk. We now have an empty room which can be put to some good use.

Food Bank



This week's special needs are jam (not homemade), tinned tomatoes, UHT fruit juice, tinned vegetables & tea. Please make an effort to help those in more need than yourselves.


A Call To Action

 A retreat themed "Christian Vocation – Loved, Called, Gifted, Empowered" is to be held on 19th October 10am-3pm in St Joseph's Church, Cockermouth. See the poster for more info.

St Mary's Parish Hall

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

A man gets into a cab & asks to be driven to the airport. Ten minutes later the man realises he needs to stop at an ATM & get some cash. He reaches over and taps the driver on the shoulder to get his attention. The driver lets out a high-pitched scream, jumps a foot in the air, loses control of the cab & crashes it into a tree. The shaken passenger manages to crawl out of the wreckage and pulls the driver free of the burning cab. The man props the driver up against a tree & says "What on earth was all that about? All I did was tap you on the shoulder". "I'm sorry," replies the driver, "but this is my first day as a cab driver, for the past 25 years I drove a hearse." 

Thank you for your offerings last weekend that were as follows: Offertory: £275.50

No second collection last week

Second collection this week for the Bishop's Administration Fund

No second collection next week

Number attending last week: 97



PS I keep skipping every other number when I count - it's very odd!!