

Notices

Any items for next week's sheet to Angela Sewell by Wednesday please.
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STATIONS OF THE CROSS DURING LENT. There will be a service of Stations of the Cross each Saturday at 9.15am (note change of time) at St Oswald's. The service lasts approximately 30 minutes. All are encouraged to attend at least once during Lent.

JUNIOR CHURCH LENT CHALLENGE. For the first week of the Lent Challenge Morecambe Bay Food Bank have asked for....Please bring an item per family to church next week or leave it in the vicarage porch.

LENT COURSE — SUPERSTAR. This 5 session course will help us explore theme of faith and creation by drawing on words from *Jesus Christ Superstar*, which first opened in 1970, fifty years ago. Three groups are planned as follows:

- Tuesdays 10.30-12.00 at the Church Hall, Warton, from 3rd March
 - Wednesdays 12.00-1.30 at St Mary's, Borwick from 4th March
 - Fridays 7.15-8.45 at 63 Hazelmout Drive, Millhead from 6th March
- Please sign a list in church to indicate which group you will attend.

LENT QUIET DAY, SATURDAY 7TH MARCH 10.00AM-3.30PM. This will take place at Hying Monastery and will include two talks by Sister Michaela. The theme is 'Making space for God in Lent'. The cost is £20 with a cooked lunch or £16 with own packed lunch. Please sign a list in church to book a place.

LENT LUNCHES. Three Lent lunches will take place as follows:

- Saturday 14th March from 12 noon at Borwick Memorial Hall
- Monday 30th March from 11.30am at Yealand Village Hall
- Tuesday 7th April from 12 noon at St Oswald's, Warton

INFORMAL WALKING GROUP FRIDAY 28TH FEBRUARY. Circular walk, Clapham – Austwick. Pleasant walking with beautiful views 4.5 miles. Meet at Clapham National Car Park for 10.30am start. Bring a flask. Lunch at the end if you wish. For details or needing a lift phone Annette, 736944.

MEETING FOR ST OSWALD'S WELCOMERS (SIDESPERSONS), SATURDAY 29TH FEBRUARY from 10.00am until 11.00am in the church. Please let Sue Hopwood know if you are unable to attend.

DEMENTIA FRIENDLY CHURCH MEETING, TUESDAY 3RD MARCH at 1.30pm at St Oswald's. Are you interested in helping your church to be more Dementia friendly? If so, please come to the meeting. For more details ask Annette MacKenzie.

ST OSWALD'S SPRING CLEAN, SATURDAY 21ST MARCH from 9.45am. Come and help give the church a spruce up ready for Easter. Bacon rolls will be served at 12 noon, plus a chocolate treat for under 16s! Please sign the list at the back church for bacon roll numbers!

REVISION OF THE CHURCH ELECTORAL ROLLS If you are not on the current electoral roll and wish to have your name entered you must complete an application form (available in the church) by 5th April and return it to the appropriate electoral roll officer (details on the form).

CHILDREN'S SOCIETY BOXES. Many thanks for all boxes returned. They are now ready for collection at the back of church with a copy of the Box Collector's News. The total amount collected should be on next week's pew sheet. If you would like a box please phone Janet Mann, 419252.

Please remember in your prayers...

Those who are sick or in particular need: *Mary Schofield, Grant Woodbridge, Marion Clarke, Chris Hunter, Bob Harris.*

Those with longer term needs or in residential care: *Daniel Hughes, Jean & Jim Nelson, Betty Greenwood, Greta Puttick, Joshua, Edwina Shuttleworth, Phyllis Hargreaves, Barbara Simpson, David Burford, John Porter, Marion Brett, Frances Hoggarth, Vera Mitchell, Paul Fishwick and our home communicants.*

The recently departed:

At their anniversary: *Anthony Todd, Ernest Fothergill, Margaret Parkinson, Michael Gale, James Nicholson, Eddie Maguire, Arthur Penn.*

Names of those with immediate needs will be included for 8 weeks and then included with those with longer term needs for a further 8 weeks unless advised otherwise.

The United Benefice of St Oswald, Warton and St Mary, Borwick with St John, Yealand

Sunday 23rd February

THE SUNDAY NEXT BEFORE LENT

Welcome to our worship

- 8.00 a.m. Eucharist at St Oswald's
9.15 a.m. Parish Eucharist at St John's
11.00 a.m. Parish Eucharist at St Oswald's

Today's hymns and music

The hymns are included in the hymn sheet.

Anthem: Be Thou my Vision

Setting: St Thomas

This Week

Mon 24

12 noon Eucharist at St Oswald's

Tue 25

8.00 a.m. Eucharist at St Mary's
9-11.00 a.m. Coffee Stop at St Oswald's
12-1.30 p.m. Soup and pancake lunch at St John's
12 noon Ecumenical prayers at St Oswald's
1.30 p.m. St Mary's DCC meeting at St Mary's

Wed 26

ASH WEDNESDAY

9.15 a.m. Eucharist with Imposition of Ashes at St John's followed by Coffee and Chat
3.00 p.m. Tea at St John's
7.30 p.m. Eucharist with Imposition of Ashes at St Oswald's

Thu 27

George Herbert, Priest and Poet 1633

11.00 a.m. Eucharist at St Oswald's
11.45 a.m. Breaking Bread Lunch
7.30 p.m. Pilgrim course: *The Eucharist* at the Vicarage

Fri 28

Sat 29

9.15 a.m. Stations of the Cross at St Oswald's
10.00 a.m. Meeting for Welcomers at St Oswald's

Response to the Coronavirus outbreak

Whilst we should maintain good hygiene at all times, the Church of England has issued the following advice at this time:

- People with coughs and sneezes should consider receiving Communion in one kind only (the bread);
- People should not intinct (dip the wafer into the wine) as this could represent an infection transmission route;
- Clergy, Eucharistic ministers and servers should use hand-sanitiser before preparing the table and administering Communion.

Sunday 1st March

The First Sunday of Lent

8.00 a.m. Eucharist at St Oswald's
9.15 a.m. Parish Eucharist at St John's
9.30 a.m. Eucharist at St Mary's
11.00 a.m. Parish Eucharist at St Oswald's
6.00 p.m. Evening Prayer at St Oswald's

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Please note that the Vicar's day off is usually Friday;
please contact him only in an emergency on this day.

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