#### **Notices**

Any items for next week's sheet to Angela Sewell by Wednesday please. alsewell@btinternet.com or 07845481179

#### **COVID-19 PRECAUTIONS**

- The wearing of face coverings is optional at all times inside, including at all points of our services.
- Communion is offered in both kinds (bread and wine). It is important that no one feels any pressure to receive in both kinds if they prefer to continue to receive in one kind (bread) only. Please do continue to respect each other's preferences, especially

those who may be, or feel, particularly vulnerable.

#### KNIT AND NATTER AT ST JOHN'S

Knit and Natter is having a break for the summer and will not meet in July and August. The next meeting will be on Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> September. Contact Sally-Ann Rothwell (<a href="mailto:sally-ann@thebower.co.uk">sally-ann@thebower.co.uk</a>, 734585,) for more information.

#### **BREAKING BREAD LUNCH AT ST OSWALD'S**

Breaking Bread lunch is taking a break during August. The next lunch will be on Thursday  $8^{\text{th}}$  September.

#### **COFFEE STOP AT ST OSWALD'S**

Coffee Stop will not meet on Tuesdays 23rd and 30th August.

#### ST MARY'S PATRONAL FESTIVAL, SUNDAY 4TH SEPTEMBER

We will celebrate St Mary's Patronal Festival with a Festival Eucharist at 10.30am on Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> September. Please note that this will be the only service in the Benefice this day.

### HOT DOGS AT OSSIE'S, SUNDAY 11TH SEPTEMBER

This is a new initiative for children aged 10+. It will take place at St Oswald's from 6pm to 8pm. It is a chance to share food, meet up with friends and maybe make some new ones. Please let us know if you would like to come by email to <a href="mailto:evbrantley@hotmail.com">evbrantley@hotmail.com</a>. Vegetarian options will be available.

#### **MONTHLY BIBLE STUDY GROUP**

A monthly bible study group will start again on the second Monday of each month from 10am until 12noon at Fernlands, Tewitfield. The first meeting will be Monday 12<sup>th</sup> September. Contact Noeline Clarke for more details.

## ST OSWALD'S CHRISTMAS FAIR AND CHRISTMAS TREE FESTIVAL

We hope these events can take place again this year, but we need volunteers to be part of a small planning group. If you are interested please let Robin know as soon as possible. Provisional dates are Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> November for the Fair and Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> to Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> December for the Tree Festival.

## WARTON POST OFFICE OUTREACH

Warton Post Office closes on 31<sup>st</sup> August. Thereafter, from 13<sup>th</sup> September, an outreach service will be available in Warton Village Hall weekly each Tuesday between 10.30am and 12noon staffed by Carnforth Post Office.

#### Please remember in your prayers...

Those who are sick or in particular need: Francesca Lever, Paul Gee, Tracey Wilson, David, Peter Thompson, Sr Michaela, Angela, Neil Oldham, Greta Puttick, Frances Hoggarth, Barbara Simpson, Allan Sayers.

Those with longer term needs or in residential care: Betty Greenwood, Phyllis Hargreaves, Jean Nelson,, Reg, Deborah Brindle, Eleanor, Carolyn Wolstenholme, Winifred Halliday, Nick Senior and

The recently departed: Marion Clarke.

those who are housebound.

At their anniversary: Geoffrey White, Frances Holmes, Edna Hoy, Bernard Lancaster, Winifred Bretherton, Sanderson Temple, Henry Bucket, Jack Foster.

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.

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## Sunday 7th August

#### OSWALD, KING AND MARTYR

10.30 a.m. Patronal Festival Eucharist at St Oswald's (NB. This is the only service in the Benefice today)
Wisdom 5.5-20; 1 Peter 4.12-19; John 16.29-33

## This Week — Praying Together

The readings are from the daily Eucharistic lectionary.

A simple form of service for Morning Prayer can be downloaded from the benefice website.

## Mon 8 Dominic, Priest, Founder of the Order of Preachers, 1221

Ezekiel 1.2,5,24-end; Psalm 148.1-4,12-13; Matthew 17.22-end

## Tue 9 Mary Sumner, Founder of the Mother's Union, 1921

Ezekiel 2.8-3.4; Psalm 119.65-72; Matthew 18.1-5,10,12-14

9.00 a.m. Coffee Stop at St Oswald's11.00 a.m. Eucharist at St Mary's12 noon Faith Matters at St Mary's

## Wed 10 Laurence, Deacon at Rome, Martyr, 258

Ezekiel 9.1-7,10.18-22; Psalm 113; Matthew 18.15-20

9.15 a.m. Eucharist at St John's

## Thu 11 Clare of Assisi, Founder of the Minoresses (Poor Clares), 1253

Ezekiel 12.1-12; Psalm 78.58-64; Matthew 18.21 - 19.1 11.00 a.m. Eucharist at St Oswald's No Breaking Bread lunch – next lunch 8<sup>th</sup> September

### Fri 12

Ezekiel 16.1-15,60-end; Psalm 118.14-18 Matthew 19.3-12

## Sat 13 Jeremy Taylor, Bishop of Down and Connor, Teacher, 1667

Ezekiel 18.1-11a,13b,30,32; Psalm 51.1-3,15-17; Matthew 19.13-15

A recording of Night Prayer (Compline) is available via the link on the home page of our website; the form of service is also available to download.

Please note that Robin is off duty from 8<sup>th</sup> to 21<sup>st</sup> August.

If necessary please contact a Churchwarden
or Licensed Lay Minister.

# Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> August THE NINTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

8.00 a.m. Eucharist at St Oswald's

9.15 a.m. Parish Eucharist at St John's (also livestreamed) 11.00 a.m. Parish Eucharist at St Oswald's

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Jeremiah 23.23-29; Hebrews 11.29-12.2; Luke 12.49-56

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Please note that the Vicar's rest day is usually Friday;



please contact him only in an emergency on this day.