



KENT ESTUARY CATHOLIC CHURCHES

*Our Lady of Lourdes, Arnside
St Charles & St Cuthbert, Grange
Christ the King, Milnthorpe*

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SECOND SUNDAY of EASTER : 11th April 2021

This Sunday's Scripture

Doubting Thomas would not believe until he had touched the resurrected Jesus. But Jesus says 'Happy are those who have not seen yet believe'. By doing so Jesus points out that the act of faith in Jesus, that is 'Jesus is risen, Jesus is my lord' is the way we can find the presence of Jesus in our lives.

Keeping Faith

Divine Mercy Sunday:

Jesus said to St. Faustina one day: "Humanity will never find peace until it turns with trust to Divine Mercy". Divine Mercy! This is the Easter gift that the Church receives from the risen Christ and offers to humanity".

Pope John Paul II.

Living Waters: We are people of the resurrection.



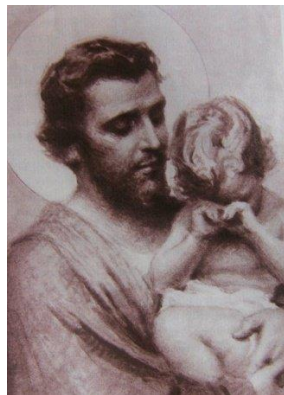
- We distribute this Sunday small bottles of the 'Easter Water', the water blessed on the night of the resurrection.
- They remind us of the connection between the resurrection of Jesus and our resurrection given to us through baptism.

Year of St. Joseph: We celebrate this year as follows:

- We pray especially to St Joseph on three Sundays in the year, starting with 2 May celebrating St Joseph the Worker.
- Each Wednesday we will say the prayer for St Joseph at the Mass:

Hail, Guardian of the Redeemer,
Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary.
To you God entrusted His only Son;
In you Mary placed her trust;
With you Christ became man.

Blessed Joseph, to us too,
Show yourself a father
And guide us in the path of life.
Obtain for us grace, mercy and courage,
And defend us from every evil. Amen.



Keeping Contact

In time of isolation, we offer the following personal prayer support:

- Fr Alf Parker will talk or pray with you on this number 015395 33145
- Or you can leave a prayer request as an answerphone message on this number 01524 734816
- Or leave your name and number if you would like someone to phone you back later that day

Website & Parish Groups: intended 'Parish Life' heading. This will be the reference point for all enquiring about what is happening in our churches: For Leaders of Church volunteer helpers, devotional and prayer groups, ministries and the like. Please:

- Complete the short form.
- It can be returned by e-mail, post or by putting it on the collection plate.

Keeping Charity

Please pray for the sick of our parishes:

Geoff Critchley, Michael Carter, Pam Gee, Stella Naylor, Josie Buckley, Margaret Vincent, Brian Mills, Eileen Parker, Christine McIvor, Philip Barry, Chris Browne, Libby Stretton, Jenny Hodkinson, Kathleen Lavin, Angela Nottingham, Alan Wild, Gerry Gibbons, Pat Duckett.

Also please pray for those whose anniversaries occur about this time.

THANKYOU! For our CAFOD WORLD GIFTS

Your generous donations over Lent has surpassed our target at Christ The King, Milnthorpe. We have been able to not only purchase a” Medical Outreach Team” but also “Water For a Family”, meaning a family can have a steady supply of clean, safe water. Please see the World Gift cards at the back of church in Milnthorpe. The Easter spirit in action! *Julia*

The SVP would like to wish all the members of our three churches a very Happy and Holy Easter, and to thank everyone for the support we have received over the past difficult twelve months.

Deacon Joe and Liz wish everyone a joyful Easter with many blessings of the Risen Lord. Surrexit Alleluia, Alleluia !

Heartfelt Thanks to all who produced the broadcasted Stations of the Cross, those who did the reasearch for the locations and the meditations and the filming and those who spoke and sang. *PC*

The Prophecy School and Miracle Healing Service ONLINE with Damian Stayne, 16-17 April 2021. For more information and booking, www.coretlumenchristi.org or email stcuthberts @coretlumenchristi.org

Booking a place at Mass: Please observe the rules and book to avoid overcrowding:

- Bookings for GRANGE & MILNTHORPE phone Len Gee 015395 33881 or email leonard.afgee@yahoo.co.uk.
- Bookings for ARNSIDE phone Wilf & Margaret Gill 01524 762124 or email wilfmag.gill@hotmail.co.uk

SECOND SUNDAY of EASTER B: (DIVINE MERCY)

Sat	10 April	5.30pm	Arnside	Irene & Robert Helm RIP
Sun	11 April	9.00am	Grange	People of the Parish
Sun	11 April	10.30am	Milnthorpe	People of the Parish
Sun	11 April	11.00am	(Broadcasted)	
Mon	12 April	11.00am	(Broadcasted)	Private Intention
Tues	13 April	9.30am	Grange	Joseph Peter & Maureen Higgins RIP
Tues	13 April	11.00am	(Broadcasted)	
Wed	14 April	11.00am	(Broadcasted)	Mary Ann Swart RIP
Thurs	15 April	9.30am	Arnside	Private Intention
Thurs	15 April	11.00am	(Broadcasted)	
Fri	16 April	9.30am	Milnthorpe	Private Intention
Fri	16 April	11.00am	(Broadcasted)	

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER B:

Sat	17 April	5.30pm	Arnside	Private Intention
Sun	18 April	9.00am	Grange	People of the Parish
Sun	18 April	10.30am	Milnthorpe	People of the Parish
Sun	18 April	11.00am	(Broadcasted)	

COVID

During the lockdown no public Masses, except as advertised. Each day a Mass will be broadcasted at 11.00am unless otherwise stated.

Confessions: by arrangement with Fr. Philip. The present regulations prevent opening the church for confession in the usual way.

THE FOLLOWING ARE DISCONTINUED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

- **Celebration of Office in the Church**
- **Rest Home & Nursing Home visits (except in an emergency)**
- **Private house visits (except for pastoral need or in emergency)**

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