



## **KENT ESTUARY CATHOLIC CHURCHES**

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

**served from Holy Trinity & St George Kendal**

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## **Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time: Year C 16<sup>th</sup> February 2025**

### **This Sunday's Scripture:**

We are called to be God's Holy People. This means trusting in the Lord and making God the centre of our lives, rather than trusting in ourselves alone. Those who trust in God never cease to bear fruits of the Spirit, and live good lives. That is why those who know their need: the poor, the hungry, those who weep, tend to be the blessed ones, because they put their trust in God. They have no other resource.

### **GRANGE News:**

**CONFESSIONS** are available immediately after Mass on the last Tuesday of each month (Or by private arrangement with Fr Simon or Fr Hugh).

**St Charles' church open** 9.30am - 4.30pm Monday to Saturday.

**Contemplative Prayer Group:** Thursdays at 2pm in the Presbytery.

**Morning Prayer in church 10am Thursday** followed by Rosary. **10am Friday** followed by Adoration (Exposition).

**SVP:** meet on the second and fourth Wednesday of each month.

### **ADVANCE NOTIFICATION: STATIONS OF THE CROSS - LENT**

**2025 ...** Stations of the Cross at St. Charles will take place on Fridays at 3.00pm. Anyone wishing to lead a service, please put your name on the list which will be in the sacristy in due course. Thank you.

**THE C.T.S NEW DAILY MISSAL ...** The New Daily Missal with revised texts will be available from April. The Missal contains the complete Sunday, daily and sanctoral cycles. Price. £69.99. Further information available from Deacon Joe or Liz P.

**Ladies' Group Lunch: The March Ladies' Group Lunch** will be on Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> March, as the first Wednesday (5<sup>th</sup> March) is Ash Wednesday.

**Lent Study Course on the penitential psalms:** Mondays 2.00pm to 3.00 pm in Fr Magner room.

10<sup>th</sup> March Psalm 32; 17<sup>th</sup> March Psalm 38; 24<sup>th</sup> March Psalm 51;

31<sup>st</sup> March Psalm 143; 7<sup>th</sup> April Psalm 130

Bring a bible, or book of psalms if possible. There will be a few spare copies for those who do not. It would be useful to read the psalm before you come.

**We are looking for extra cleaners for the Father Magner room.** The clean takes no longer than an hour, done weekly on a rolling rotation, the more cleaners we have the less often we clean! Thank you. Please contact Diane.

**Offertory Collections January:** Offertory - £2750.67; Special Collections: £5.00.

**MISSIO RED BOXES:** These are overdue for emptying. Would those Red Box holders who have not returned their boxes for emptying, please see Eric on Sunday or phone him on 34487. Thank you.

**WHITE FLOWER APPEAL:** The annual White Flower Appeal, supporting the protection of unborn children and promoting right to life in our society, will be held on **Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> February**, when there will be a retiring collection after Mass.

**THANK YOU to Grange Cancer Support Drop In Group** for their generous donation to the church of almost £2,200, which will help enormously towards the cost of roof repairs. The Drop In group sadly had to close in 2024 because of declining numbers, after thirty years of giving friendship and support to cancer sufferers and their families and friends. The group particularly wished to express their appreciation of the hospitality and support given by the church during the difficulties of recent years, when the weekly hall fees were waived for some considerable time. This allowed the group to continue to meet, but unfortunately had to disband in May last year.

### **MILNTHORPE News:**

**House Group (CTK):** meets twice a month, usually Tuesdays, 7-9pm at Sioban's home in Yealand. Every 5th or 6th meeting is a social one. If interested in joining us please contact Sioban (07803 967617) or Deirdre (07468 535830).

**Christ The King church can be open for private prayer** at any time. ask any member of the PPC for the door lock codes. (PPC members and contact details on noticeboard in entrance hall).

**AFTERNOON TEA** on 21<sup>st</sup> February at 2.30pm in CTK church hall. We will be celebrating Monsignor Slattery's birthday. Quiz and raffle. Do come, you will be very welcome.

## ARNSIDE News:

**Our Lady of Lourdes** open for private prayer daily. 10am - 4pm.

**Adoration:** Adoration before the Blessed Sacrament at 2pm, followed by the Rosary, every Tuesday.

**There will be Mass or a Eucharistic service** at 10.00am on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays, at Our Lady of Lourdes Arnside, for the foreseeable future. *Followed by tea/coffee, biscuits and a friendly chat*

## Please pray for those of our parishes who are sick:

Geoff Critchley, Michael Carter, Pam Gee, Brian Mills, Eileen Parker, John Browne, David James, Angela Taylor, Philip Barry, Alan Wild, Pat Duckett, Monica Farnworth, Geoff Guy, Ira Fishman, Mary Wainwright, Bernard Walker, Alex Davies, Margaret and Burt Wilson, Margaret Godfrey, Peter Clough, Barbara Hunt.

**Please also pray** for those whose anniversaries occur about this time.

**DAY OF RENEWAL** – The next Day of Renewal will be held on Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> March 2025, from 10am to 4pm at St Clare's Church, Sharoe Green Lane, Preston PR2 9HH – See poster in church porch for further information.

## MASS SERVICES AND INTENTIONS

### Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C

Sat Vigil	15 Feb	5.30pm	Arnside	People of the Parish
Sun	16 Feb	9.00am	Grange	Joyce and Patrick Dowling RIP (4/25)
Sun	16 Feb	10.30am	Milnthorpe	People of the Parish
Mon	17 Feb	10.00am	Grange	--
Tue	18 Feb	10.00am	Grange	Maureen and Peter Higgins RIP (H43)
Tue	18 Feb	9.30am	Arnside	Mass or Eucharistic Service †
Wed	19 Feb	10.00am	Arnside	Mass or Eucharistic Service †
Wed	19 Feb	10.00am	Grange	Eucharistic Service
Thurs	20 Feb	10.00am	Grange	Morning Prayer followed by Rosary
Thurs	20 Feb	10.00am	Arnside	Mass or Eucharistic Service †
Fri	21 Feb	10.00am	Milnthorpe	--
Fri	21 Feb	10.00am	Grange	Morning Prayer followed by Exposition

### Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C

Sat Vigil	22 Feb	5.30pm	Arnside	People of the Parish
Sun	23 Feb	9.00am	Grange	People of the Parish
Sun	23 Feb	10.30am	Milnthorpe	--

**† Mass will be celebrated if a priest is available, otherwise a Eucharistic Service will be held.**

**OFFICE: Marian will be in the office 9.30am-4.00pm Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> February and 12.30pm-4pm Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> February.**

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**PASTORAL EMERGENCIES:**

**Contact Holy Trinity & St George RC Church, Kendal**  
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