



KENT ESTUARY CATHOLIC CHURCHES

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

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TENTH SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME 9th June 2024

This Sunday's Scripture

The readings deal with the existence of evil and of temptation. We soon know the reality of the devil within us when we are severely tempted. Adam & Eve were tempted and fell. Jesus casts out devils that entered people. But we can with St Paul say that the inner person is renewed each day in order to face temptation – by God's grace. We are spurred on by the hope that all our struggles will be repaid, for we are aiming to reach the reward of an everlasting home in heaven.

KECC News

“What Now” Survey: Thank you for your concern for the well-being of our churches in time of change. Your responses to our survey are being examined, and will be summed up shortly. This is a follow on to the first questions raised in the “Vocation of the Laity” day. The implications will be discussed by our PPC's.

Prayer Anchors: Our parish Prayer Anchors commit themselves in whatever way they find best to pray for our churches. The blessing ceremonies and commissioning for this essential task will take place next weekend. If anybody wishes to join them, please contact Fr. Philip.

D Day landings: let us remember in our prayers all those who died in the D Day landings on this weekend of commemoration of the event.

Grange News

Contemplative Prayer Group: Held on Thursdays in Presbytery sitting room at 2pm.

Morning Prayer in church 10am Thursdays and Fridays followed by Rosary on Thursdays and by Adoration (Exposition) on Fridays.

Ladies' Lunch: Ladies' Lunch for July will be at The Hare and Hounds, Levens. (July 3rd).

Thanks from Jennifer: "I would like to thank everybody from the parish for all their kind wishes, gifts and cards for my first Holy Communion. I had a lovely day celebrating with family and friends. It was a very special day. Love from Jennifer".

MILNTHORPE News:

House Group in Yealand. Meets every 1st and 3rd week of the month, Tuesday or Thursday. Also a purely social gathering every 3 months. Contact Sioban (07803 967617) or Deirdre (07468 535830) if interested.

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

Diocesan Exposition, this Sunday: From the end of the Mass there will be exposition of the Eucharist until 12.15pm. The time will end with a short Benediction. You are asked to stay, or to return after coffee in the hall. The exposition upholds our belief in the sacramental presence of Our Lord in our churches. This Real Presence is a great spiritual treasure of the Church.

Streaming, Milnthorpe: we are aware that recently there have been some reliability problems. Please note that there has been a lot of renewal work on the broadband system in the area. This may be the cause of the problems.

Tuesday 25th June at 2.30pm in Christ the King church hall.

Come and meet Sister Eleanor, a Salesian Sister who is here from Dagoretti, Kenya, and hear the latest news over tea and cake.

ARNSIDE News:

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

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

Please pray for those of our parishes who are sick: Geoff Critchley, Michael Carter, Pam Gee, Brian Mills, Eileen Parker, John Browne, Jenny Hodkinson, David James, Angela Taylor, Philip Barry, Cathy Mayes, Alan Wild, Pat Duckett, Monica Farnworth, Frank Jordan, Geoff Guy, Ira Fishman, George Inchmore, Alex Davies, Mary Wainwright.

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

New Lectionaries: *“Since, in liturgical celebrations the books serve as signs and symbols of the sacred, care must be taken to ensure that they truly are worthy and beautiful”* (Vatican II)

The new altar books are required from Advent 2024. Each of our churches has stated their preference for the size of the lectionaries. Costs as follows: Large Lectionary books x 4 £695.00; compact chapel lectionaries x 4 £395.00 (chosen by Milnthorpe & Arnside); Processional Gospel book for each church: £275.00.

I ask whether any person or persons are willing to donate the money for the lectionaries and gospel books to contact me. We must put in the order shortly. (Grange has already received kind donations to cover the costs of both the lectionary set and the Gospel book). (See illustrated leaflet for details).

Day for Life: retiring collection next Sunday

DAY of RENEWAL: “Come Holy Spirit” Led by Maria Hall. Saturday 22nd June 10am-4pm, at St Clare’s Church Hall, Preston, starting with Mass at 10am at St Clare’s Church.

CHARITY FUNDRAISING EVENT at St Mary’s Church, Allithwaite. Bank Holiday Monday August 26th. Fun Day for all the family. (see poster for more details). All proceeds are for Boarbank Hall Nursing Home.

MASS SERVICES AND INTENTIONS

TENTH SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME (Year B)

Sat Vigil	8 June	5.30pm	Arnside	Clergy of the Diocese
Sun	9 June	9.00am	Grange	People of the Parish
Sun	9 June	10.30am	Milnthorpe	People of the Parish
Sun	9 June	11.30-12.15	Milnthorpe	Diocesan Exposition
Mon	10 June	10.00am	Grange	Maureen and Peter Higgins RIP
Tues	11 June	10.00am	Grange	Deceased of Rowlinson & Carter Families
Wed	12 June	10.00am	Grange	Eucharistic Service
Thurs	13 June	10.00am	Arnside	
Fri	14 June	10.00am	Milnthorpe	
Fri	14 June	2.00pm	Grange	Funeral Mass Tony Leonard RIP
Sat	15 June	10.00am	Grange	

ELEVENTH SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME (Year B)

Sat Vigil	15 June	5.30pm	Arnside	
Sun	16 June	9.00am	Grange	People of the Parish
Sun	16 June	10.30am	Milnthorpe	People of the Parish

All Masses and other services normally streamed from Grange and Milnthorpe.

Confessions: Tues: 9.30am – 9.50am Grange; Thurs 9.30am – 9.50am Arnside; Fri: 9.30am – 9.50am Milnthorpe. Also by arrangement with Fr. Philip.

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