

Calendar

2 nd December	2.00pm	Advent Service followed by Christmas Fayre
3 rd December	2.30pm	Mass in School. Led by Class 1
4 th December	7.00pm	Christmas Tree Lighting, Freckleton Memorial Gardens
19 th December	9.05am	End of Term Mass
17 th January	7.00pm	Parish Pastoral Meeting
6 th March		Ash Wednesday
31 st March	10.45am	Mother's Day, Mass Led by the School Children
11 th April	7.00pm	Parish Pastoral Meeting
18 th July	7.00pm	Parish Pastoral Meeting
3 rd October	7.00pm	AGM and Parish Pastoral Meeting

Every Sunday: Coffee in the house after the 10.45am Mass. All Welcome

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Feast Days

- 3rd December: St Francis Xavier SJ, missionary to India and Japan
- 6th December: St Nicholas of Myra, Bishop,
- 7th December: St Ambrose, Bishop of Milan
- 8th December: Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary
- 13th December: St Lucy, Virgin and Martyr
- 14th December: St John of the Cross, Priest and Doctor

Xaverian Spirituality Centre (Tabor),

169 Sharoe Green Lane, Fulwood
Future events include:

15-Dec-2018: Advent Mystery | A Journey with Mary who gives birth to the Word.



Parish of Holy Family, Freckleton & Warton with the Parish of St Anne, Westby Mills

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St Joseph's, Ansdell & St Peter's, Lytham	01253 737037
Holy Cross Kirkham & Wesham	01772 683664

2ND DECEMBER – FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Mass Times & Intentions at Holy Family

Sat 1 st Dec	6.30pm	Esther and Leo Gregson
Sun 2 nd	10.45am	People of the Parish
Mon 3 rd	9.00am	Private Intentions
	2.30pm	Mass in School. Led by Class 1
Tues 4 th	7.00pm	Holy Souls RIP
Wed 5 th	9.00am	Private Intentions
Thur 6 th	9.00am	Private Intentions
Fri 7 th	2.00pm	Mass of Anointing. People of the Parish
	5.55pm– 6.55pm	Prayer before the Blessed Sacrament
Sat 8 th	6.30pm	In honour of our Lady, Immaculate Conception
Sun 9 th	10.45am	Jim and Annie Woods

- **Mass at St Anne's Westby at 8.45am each Sunday**

TODAYS MASS:

Responsorial To you, O Lord, I lift up my soul

Psalm:

Gospel Alleluia, alleluia!

Acclamation: Let us see, O Lord, your mercy and give us your saving help.
Alleluia, alleluia!

Communion Antiphon: The Lord will bestow his bounty, and our earth shall yield its increase.

This weeks Offerings:

25 November
Gift Aid envelopes/loose
£270.67 plus
£145.00 (Standing Orders)
Total £415.67

Many thanks
Special collection:
Youth Services: £136.76

Confessions:

- Friday 6.20pm – 6.55pm.
- Saturday 5.30pm – 6.00pm.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:

- Friday 5.55pm – 6.55pm

Please pray for all those who have died recently and all those whose anniversaries occur around this time:

Recently Deceased: Doris Mary Daniels

Anniversaries: Michael Docherty, Edward Corrigan, Esther Gregson, Josie O'Reilly, Charles Harding, Michael Caraher, Cyril Wilson, Rose Cartmell, Thomas Owens, Annie Woods, Jim Cardwell, John Blower, John Lupton, Winifred Cartmell, Denis Cox, Sheila Burgeon, Bryan Phillimore

Please pray for those who are sick, housebound and hospitalised, especially:

Margaret De Santi	Marie Foster	Margaret Morris	Joe Ashton
Margaret Foster	Jeanie Forster	Arthur Bunce	Cath Smith
Catriona King	Peter Stout	Frances Courtney	Ruth Whiteside
Margaret Baybutt	Margaret Harling	Fran & Tony Cartlidge	

and all our friends and relatives who are ill.

Christmas Tree Lighting

4th December 7pm at
Freckleton Memorial Gardens.

Afternoon Tea

No afternoon tea in
December

CONFIRMATION

Bishop Paul will return for Confirmation on the 11th July (feast of St Benedict, Co-Patron of Europe) next year. It is very important that we start preparation as soon as possible in the new year. There are forms on the noticeboard near the Sacred Heart statue. Please complete the form and return to the presbytery. If you missed out on Confirmation as a child, then you are most welcome to be confirmed at this time. There will be separate preparation for adults.

Monday 3rd December Mass in school at 2.30pm and will be led by Class 1. Mass will be celebrated by Fr Peter Clarke and all parents and parishioners are welcome to attend. Children will lead the mass and share work they have been doing in class on RE. Tea and biscuits will be available to all people who attend. Please come along and support Holy Family School.

Advance Notice:

Masses on the 26th, 27th, 28th and 31st December and 1st January will be at 10am.

Weekend Mass at usual times.

Advent Vigil at Newman College, Preston:

The season of Advent begins on Sunday 2nd December. We would like to invite you, your family and your friends to our Advent Vigil which takes place in the College chapel on Tuesday 4th December at 6.30 pm; the Vigil is a quiet Service of prayer and reflection with the opportunity to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation for those who wish. Join us for festive refreshments afterwards and shop in peace at our Fairtrade gift stall and also from our range of WoW bags.

Missio calendars are available free of charge in the porch.

VENEZUELA CRISIS APPEAL

A Bingo and Tombola will be held on Saturday 8th. December, 2018 from 2pm to 5pm at Our Lady and St. Edwards Church Hall, 4 Marlborough Drive, Fulwood, Preston PR2 9UE, to help thousands of Venezuelans who are suffering hunger and persecution. Your support will be greatly appreciated.

Please do support the Advent Service and Christmas Fayre this Sunday at 2.00pm

Keep Christ in Christmas Posters available at back of church. Please take one for yourself, family and friends.

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13th December 6pm: HMP Prison, Kirkham, invites all parishioners to their carol service. For security purposes, Father has to notify them of the names of those attending. You will also need to take photoid with you. Please write your name and contact details on an envelope/paper marked "HMP Kirkham Carol Concert" and hand in at the presbytery.