

Parish of St. Anne Weeton Road Westby Mills, PR4 3PL

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21st March 2021 5th Sunday of Lent

NHS 'TEST and TRACE' PHONE APP -

If you do not check-in with your phone at church, you will still need to do a manual check-in (i.e. name on a list).

Mass will be streamed each week as usual: https://www.facebook.com/StAnneandHolyfamily/

Face coverings must be worn at all masses

Sunday 21/3/21 - 8.45 am Bronwen Bailey Sunday 28/3/21 - 8.45 am Beryl Sergeant

During Lent Mass will be celebrated at Westby Monday to Friday in Church at 10.30am.

If you would like a Mass to be said, please let Father Jim know. There are plenty of spaces at the moment.

Here is the link to the latest guidelines

https://www.gov.uk/guidance/national-lockdown-stay-at-home

The Blessed Sacrament is exposed 3 times a week during private prayer at HF Freckleton. Please come along.

Holy Family church will be open for private prayer on

Tuesday 11am - 12 noon; Thursday 6pm - 7pm; and Saturday 10am - 11am.

CONFESSIONS: Are available by appointment with social distancing, and during private prayer times.

Schedule for Holy Week 2021:

March 24th Service of Reconciliation 7pm Holy Family Warton/Freckleton

March 31st Service of Reconciliation 7pm St Anne's Westby

March 27th/28th Palm Sunday-Blessing of Palms at all Masses. No processions.

April 1st Holy Thursday: Mass of the Lord's Supper, followed by a short period of 'Watching'(till 10pm) at Holy Family. No washing of the feet and no procession.

April 2nd Good Friday: Solemn Liturgy of the Passion 3pm at **Holy Family & St Anne's** (Day of Fasting and Abstinence). No individual veneration of the cross.

April 3rd Holy Saturday: Vigil & First Mass of Easter 8pm at Holy Family. No fire & Paschal Candle lit in its place, with a shortened liturgy.

 $\mbox{\bf April 4}^{th}$ $\mbox{\bf EASTER DAY}$ Masses at 10am in Holy Family & St Annes.

Collections 14/3/21

Cash & envelopes £162.00 Standing orders £204.00

Cafod water pump appeal £ 20.00 Total so far: 857.20

Total £366.00

Congregation: 39 On line views: 129

Anniversaries : Joan Strickland, Francis Joseph Bond, William Francis Jennings, Christina Miller, Mary Gillett, Hugh Francis Murray

Please pray for the sick of our parish: Betty Robertson, Des Connolly, Tony Flanigan, Marie Foster, George Hopwood, Jo Dearlove.

To raise £857 during a pandemic is incredible. Water is a basic need and the Abdella's story has definitely resonated with many of us. The generosity of the Catholic community is both humbling and inspiring. St Anne's parishioners have made a real difference this Lent, enabling CAFOD to bring healing and hope to many of our vulnerable sisters and brothers.

Parish Zoom Stations of the Cross. Anyone wishing to join should e mail jane will then send out the Zoom invitation to you. You simply click on the link and follow the onscreen instructions to join the meeting on Thursdays at 6pm. We will pray all 14 Stations -- anyone who wants to stay and chat is welcome, Jane will close the link down at 7pm latest.

You are warmly invited to join St Peter's CAFOD team for an hour on Sunday evening, for our Stations of the Cross online

<u>Please find below the zoom link</u> CAFOD Stations of the Cross & Prayers

Sunday 21st March 2021 at 6pm

Join us on Zoom, in a prayerful journey of transformation in solidarity, with people living in poverty around our world.

Zoom login details: Meeting ID: 987 2600 6047 Passcode: 3*Uz45GJ

National Day of Reflection for COVID 19 Tuesday 23rd March:

To mark the anniversary of the first national lockdown with a minute's silence at midday and doorstep vigils of light at 8pm. The Bishops of England and Wales have asked us to make this not only a Day of Reflection but also a Day of Prayer. We reflect in sorrow on all those who have died, we reflect with compassion on all those who have suffered during this last year, whether through illness, stress, financial disaster or family tensions. We reflect in hope that, as the pandemic is controlled and we open up our lives again, we will become more compassionate. As you know we have an hour of prayer on that Tuesday at Holy Family(11am - 12 noon)/ St Anne's(11am - 12 noon). Please come and ask for the inspiration of the Holy Spirit to guide and strengthen us in the future. The day after we have a chance to ask for forgiveness at the Holy Family Penitential at 7pm.