

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

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Feast of Christ the King

13/11/22

Masses at Westby

Sunday	20/11/22	8.45am – The Byrne Family 3.00pm - Benediction
Tuesday	23/11/22	
Wednesday	24/11/22	
Thursday	25/11/22	
Friday	26/11/22	
Sunday	28/11/22	8.45am – People of the Parish

Next Sunday begins the season of Advent in preparation for Christmas.

Feast of Christ the King Benediction:

Sunday 20th November St Anne's Westby at 3pm. There will be Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament and the Act of Consecration of Humanity to the Sacred Heart to mark this special feast and give honour to Christ our King present in the Blessed Sacrament.

St. Anne's church is open every day during the day for private prayer.

The Parish is most grateful to have received a generous legacy of £5000 from the Estate of Les Fragle. He will be remembered as a much loved benefactor of our Parish.

Mass Offering. If you would like a Mass to be said, please let Father John know. Please put in an envelope the Mass Offering (suggested £10) and write on the name etc. and preferred date for the Mass to be celebrated.

Aid to the Church in Need marks this Wednesday as their annual "Red Wednesday" to highlight the suffering of persecuted Christians throughout the world. While we may freely practice the Catholic Faith in the country, in so many other people face discrimination, arrest or even death for living as Catholics. For more details see the ACN website.

CONFESSIONS: Confessions at Westby: during Advent 8.15am to 8.40am every Sunday

ACE Project (Assisted Community Engagement). We usually collect for this Preston-based charity every year and are once again asking for your donations. If you can support this very worthwhile cause, there is a separate box at the back of church. 95% of those engaged in this project do not re-offend, successfully re-join society and go on to rebuild their lives. Thank you also for your generous donations to the local foodbank at the primary school. This is ongoing.

	<u>£3</u>	<u>74.50</u>
Sick & retired Priests	£	1.00
World Mission	£	1.00
S/Orders	£200.00	
Cash/envelopes	£1	72.50

Congregation 54

Special collection today for Diocesan Youth Services

Please pray for the sick of our parish: Betty Robertson, & Jo Thomas.

If you would like anyone added to the sick list or they would like communion taking, please message Fr John.

Anniversaries: John Drinkwater, Thomas Dugdale, Gabriel Baines, William Hogarth, Oliver James Gillett, George Marsden, Josephine Cardwell, Tim Howe, Mary Cowban, Kenneth Thomas, John Benson, Elizabeth Mary Bond.

Communion: If you know of anyone that would like communion taking to them, please let Father John know either by email or phone call or chat to him after mass.

Marian Devotions: It has been suggested that we have special prayers once a month on a feast of Mary in preparation for the parish pilgrimage to Lourdes next summer. Tomorrow is feast of the Presentation of Our Lady. There will be short prayers in honour of Our Lady at the end of Mass.

The Society for the Protection of Unborn Children have begun a campaign of prayer marking the 55th anniversary of the Abortion Act. Prayer cards to support this are available at the back of church.

CAFOD: The generous response to the conflict in Ukraine and the world food crisis appeal is much appreciated by CAFOD. It reminds us how we are all connected and that, as people of faith we are called to respond to hope.

Fr Kevin: This month while we continue to feel the loss of our loved ones - we remember Fr Kevin. His candlelight fund was set up by St Annes in memory of him. It has already raised £1,173.03. If anyone would like to donate to Fr Kevin's candlelight fund then contact CAFOD on 02070955348 or email candlelight@cafod.org.uk Quote fund ref: TB-20528.

Carol Concert: St Kentigerns Choir from Blackpool will be giving a carol concert on 4th December at 2pm in St Anne's Church at Westby. Donations at the door. Refreshments and raffle afterwards. Raffle donations greatly received.