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9th May 2021

6th Sunday of Easter

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

Masses at Westby this week:

Sunday 09/05/21 – 8.45 am **George & Beryl Sergeant**
Tuesday 11/05/21 – 10.30 am
Wednesday 12/05/21 – 10.30 am
Thursday 13/05/21 – 7.00 pm **Feast of the Ascension**
Friday 14/05/21 – 10.30 am
Sunday 16/05/21 – 8.45 am **People of the Parish**

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.

Return to Mass: Statement from the Bishops of England and Wales encouraging people to return to Mass as the pandemic eases. "It is the Eucharist, the celebration of the Mass, that makes the Church; and it is the Church, in the gift of the Holy Spirit, which makes the Eucharist. The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass is the lifeblood of the Church. It requires our active participation and, to be fully celebrated, our physical presence. At this moment, then, we need to have in our sights the need to restore to its rightful centrality in our lives the Sunday Mass, encouraging each to take his or her place once again in the assembly of our brothers and sisters."

Rosary in May: Pope Francis has invited Catholics and Marian Shrines around the world to dedicate the month of May to a marathon of prayer for an end to the Covid-19 pandemic. Pope Francis will open the Marian month of prayer on 1 May with a Rosary broadcast across Vatican Media's platforms. Each day will see Vatican News broadcast the recitation of the Rosary at 6 PM Rome time from the various Shrines taking part in the initiative. The Pope will also close the initiative on 31 May with another specially-broadcast Rosary.



CHRIST IS RISEN

	2/5/21
Cash & envelopes	£176.10
Standing orders	£204.00
Total	£380.10

Congregation: 57 Online views: 124

Special collection next Sunday – World Communications Day

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

Anniversaries: Elizabeth Arrowsmith, Luke Jamieson, Mary Ellen Salter, Samuel Shaw, Diane Marie Hindle, Dorothy Corral, Ann Sharrock, Mary Pickervance, Winifred Smith

Seating at Sunday Mass - a request from the stewards

It's lovely to see people returning to Sunday Mass in church. We need to maintain social distancing to keep everyone safe particularly those who are most vulnerable. Last Sunday it was difficult to find some families a place to sit together, so we need to make better use of the space we have.

So we ask: single people to either sit on a chair in the side aisles OR to sit in a bench occupied by one other person.. If every single person sits on a separate bench we lose capacity for families. This way we can safely welcome everyone who comes. Thank you for your understanding.

THE CASTLERIGG LOTTERY

Castlerigg Manor is the Diocesan Youth Centre near Keswick. A wonderful facility for all our young people. In order to help raise funds during this difficult time, they have recently started a lottery! It's just £3 a month to join and the winner takes half the pot each month! Register at www.castleriggmanor.co.uk/lottery

Gift Aid envelopes. These are available at the back of church. If you would like to gift aid your contributions (25p extra for very £1, thanks to HM Gov) do get in touch with Carmel on: 0771 300 1130.

Red Mission Boxes. If yours is getting full please bring it to Mass on Sundays and give it to Mary, who will empty it for you.