

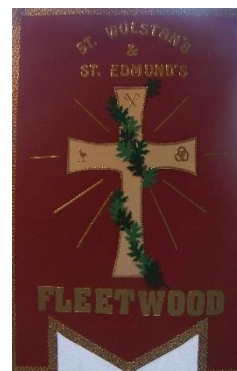
**New Sound System:** Is now installed in St Wulstans. It looks a bit strange, but does a brilliant job in reaching all nooks & crannies in the church in an even wave of sound, including the loop system. The other strange thing is that I have to wear a head-mike which will possibly make me look a bit cool!

**No Sound?** I'm sure everyone is aware that the relentless hard sell for Christmas has already started in media advertising and promotion in shops. While this is to be expected at this time of the year, how about taking 15 minutes out during Advent to sit in silence, in the Lady Chapel, to calm the soul during the feverish build up! Apart from the usual Wednesday & Saturday exposition, the Blessed Sacrament will be exposed on the altar from 12 noon till 1215 on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday during Advent. No services involved – just an opportunity for a silent 15 minutes.

**Vote for Both Lives:** Right to Life UK has launched the above campaign in the run-up to the General Election in which people are asked to email prospective candidates asking them to take the Both Lives Pledge. For further info log onto [info@righttolife.org.uk](mailto:info@righttolife.org.uk).

### **Repeats**

**St Mary's Music Group Concert:** Are having a sponsored sing on the 14th December from 11.30 through to 4.30. It is to raise money to go to St Mary's Church restoration. Everyone is very welcome and there will be refreshments on offer and a tombola.



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### ***Our Lord Jesus Christ the King Year C 24/11/2019***

Saturday 23rd	1800 (E)	Desmond Coxall (Anniversary)
Sunday 24th	1000 (W)	Kev Cullen (Birthday Anniversary)
Monday 25th	<b>No Mass</b>	
Tuesday 26th	0900 (E)	Ruth Pirie (RIP)
Wednesday 27th	1200 (W)	Darren & Graham Squirrel (RIP)
	1315 (W)	Funeral Service for Winifred Peel
Thursday 28th	0900 (W)	Class Mass
		People of the Parish
	1830 (W)	Theresa Campy's intentions
Friday 29th	0900 (W)	Terry McCarron (Anniversary)
Saturday 30th	<b>St Andrew, Apostle</b>	
	0900 (W)	Anthony Buschini (RIP)
	<b>1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Advent</b>	
	1800 (E)	Bernadette & Tom Delaney (RIP)
Sunday 1st	1000 (W)	Bernard Roche (Birthday Anniversary)

**Confessions:** Saturdays 0930-1000 (W) / 1730-1745 (E)  
*Or anytime on request*

*The Lady Chapel is open for private prayer every day from 8am till evening*

**Collection:** £563.74

**Attendance:** 125 (W) 69 (E)

Thankyou.



**Please pray for:** *All the sick and housebound of our parish family and also those in care or in hospital*

**Anniversaries this Week:** Fr Dan Darragon, Julie McLoughlin, Fr Bernard Hearty, Doris Moore, Terry McCarron, Catherine Jones, Mary Airnes.

**Baptism Anniversaries:**

Ciaran James Smith 28<sup>th</sup> November 2010

Toby John McCrodden-Steele 29<sup>th</sup> November 2016

**Churches Together Prayer Calendar:** This week we are praying for Trinity Baptist and the people of Brathay Place, Dryden Road, Hathaway Road, Littlewood, Orchard Drive, Shap Court and Windsor Place with the prayer: *May the peace of Christ be in their hearts and in their homes.*

## **NEW NOTICES**

**Bonus Ball:** Winners for 17<sup>th</sup> November were Jeff Wilson and Julie Lynch with No 17.

**Meetings this Week:**

Maintenance Committee - 1900 - Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> in the presbytery

FCT Advent Service - 1830 - 1<sup>st</sup> December at United Reformed Church

**New Rotas:** For Readers and Eucharistic Ministers are at the back of church.

**Invitations:** For our Senior Citizens' Christmas party in St Wulstan's school hall on Monday 16<sup>th</sup> December are at the back of church. If your name is not there please let Maria Doherty know.

**Take Not That:** As mentioned at Mass last week, the Take That Tribute Night fundraiser was a great success. 170 people attended and £1924.48 was raised for our parish "Welcome Project", a phenomenal result. Special thanks go to Rachael Eacott for organising and Mark Eacott, lead singer in the group, together with his other band members. It was a lot of fun.

**Parish Bake-Off Competition:** St Wulstan's Bake off competition Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> December 11-12 in the Green hut. If you'd like to enter please collect an entry form at the back of church or contact Rachael on 07828016833. There will be a wonderful prize for the winners as well as the chance to be named 'Bake Off champ 2019'. The cakes will be on sale after the judges have made their decision so why not pop along to get yourself some yummy treats? Cakes can be dropped off in the Green hut with the entry form from 9.30 on the day. All proceeds go to The Welcome Project.

**Church Cleaning:** This month's church cleaning has been postponed till Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> December in order to have the church sparklingly clean for the Feast of Our Lord's birth. All welcome to lend a hand.

**Free E-Book of the Daily Gospels:** *Son of God: The Daily Gospel Year A-2* The new Liturgical Year begins on the First Sunday of Advent. This e-book may be downloaded free of charge to any computer / tablet/ phone. It offers the Gospel for every day of the coming Liturgical Year A-2 (Sundays Year A, weekdays Year 2), together with a reflection of some 750 words on each daily Gospel. The e-book may be passed on for downloading to friends or acquaintances as desired. It carries the Imprimatur of Archbishop Anthony Fisher of Sydney, given when he was Bishop of Parramatta. *Son of God: The Daily Gospel Year A-2* may be accessed at the following URL address: [www.catholic-thoughts.info/ebook/](http://www.catholic-thoughts.info/ebook/)

**Future Fleetwood:** Wyre Borough has been successful in securing £150,000 to develop a masterplan and support a business case for Fleetwood Town Centre. There will be a 'drop in' event on **Tuesday 3 December at Fleetwood Marine Hall, The Esplanade, FY7 6HF, between 2.00 and 7.30pm.** This is an opportunity for you to come and discuss your future vision for Fleetwood and view initial proposals and there will also be festive refreshments available. The 'drop in' event will also be an opportunity to review wider initiatives and proposals that are currently being developed in Fleetwood, including the Heritage Action Zone, proposals for Fleetwood Market and work currently underway at the Mount. Further information regarding the Future Fleetwood consultation and 'drop in' event can be viewed on the council's website at: [www.wyre.gov.uk/futurefleetwood](http://www.wyre.gov.uk/futurefleetwood)

**Radiant:** Not a Youth Service event, but a great opportunity organised by young adults in the diocese, presenting high quality speakers, praise and worship, and opportunities of encounter. The day will culminate with Mass celebrated by the Bishop of Lancaster, Bishop Paul Swarbrick. 30<sup>th</sup> November, Corpus Christi High School, Preston.  
<https://www.facebook.com/events/2169777629812344/>.

**Elsie Clapp RIP:** Elsie's Funeral will be at St Mary's on Tuesday at 1230.

**Healthcare Retreat:** Open to anyone interested in matters of health & sickness, the Retreat will take place at Boardbank Hall, Grange over Sands from 6-8 December. For more details go to [margaret@boardbankhall.org.uk](mailto:margaret@boardbankhall.org.uk) or tel: 015395 32288.

**My Health:** On Wednesday I got the results of my recent surgery. The cancer has not spread, thanks be to God, and thanks for your many prayers, for which I am truly grateful. I feel I've been carried on a wave of prayer. I will be kept "under surveillance" for the next few years, so looks like you're stuck with me for a bit longer!

**Christmas Fair: 30th November.** Our Annual Parish Christmas Fair will be held next Saturday, 30<sup>th</sup> November from 1.30. This is our major fundraising event of the year and we ask for your support. Please come and join in the fun. Please return raffle tickets on the day or to the presbytery during next week. Cakes for the Cake Stall and refreshments would be very gratefully received and may be brought on the day. If you are able to help in any way, please contact Maria Doherty.

