

6 /7 May 2023 5 Sunday of Easter Yr A

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Morgan, Winifred Nicholson Margaret and Joan Murphy, Elsie Bradley, Madge Brogan, Percival Gould, Mgr B O'Neill, Rev M Hennehan, and all whose anniversaries occur around this time.

Lately dead: Of your charity, please pray for the repose of the souls of Rose Levison and Christopher Goodwin, lately dead.

May all our deceased loved ones rest in peace and rise in glory.

The organist will be playing next at Windermere on 20th May.

He is Risen! Risen Indeed!



Don't forget! The glorious Easter season continues until Trinity Sunday in June!

May, the month particularly associated with our Blessed Lady begins this coming week! Hurrah! Let us rejoice in these special days of our holy Patroness, Our Lady of Windermere.

Thought for the Week

I seek your grace, O Mary my mother!
You are the fruit of Anna and Joachim.
You are a vine tree, O Mary!

You are like the heavens.
You gave birth to the Son.
You gave us the Saviour.

You are like the tabernacle.

Masses and Intentions

6 May 2023 – 12 May 2023

5 Sunday of Easter (Yr A)

Sat 6	4.00pm Mass in Polish (OLW)
	5.30pm (OLW) Vigil Mass
Sun 7	9.30am (MA)
	11.15am (OLW)
Fri 12	11.30am Funeral of Christopher Eric Goodwin (Celebrant, Father Hugh Pollock)

Please note there are no weekday Masses or confessions at either MA or OLW this week.

For those who are sick: Please pray for Ruth Gajdowska and Rose Crowe who are sick. We hold in our prayers all parishioners who are sick at this time, and those caring for them.

Anniversaries. Of your charity, please pray for the souls of: Ada Nora Emory, Lola Marie Hanson, Winefride Mary Charnley, Julia Austin, William Patrick Murphy, Edward Locke, Jane Jeffrey, Colin Coop, Mary Jane Wilson, Margaret

You gave birth to the altar.
You gave the heavenly.

You are like the cloud.
You gave birth to the Eucharist.
You gave us health.

You are like fragrance.
You gave birth to the saviour.
You heal the sick.

You are the bride of the Father.
You are the mother of the Son.
You are the dwelling of the Holy Spirit.

Ancient Ethiopian Hymn

refreshments. Available from SCS members, Staveley Pharmacy and at the door.

...AND AROUND THE CHURCH

LIGHT OF TRUTH ON-LINE COURSES FOR CATHOLIC FORMATION FOR EVERYONE

The Dominican Sisters of St Joseph offer on-line opportunities to learn more about our Faith. They have courses suitable for individuals, groups and schools. Courses last from 2-5 sessions depending on the content, and range from understanding the Bible, learning about the sacraments, and there are even courses for Church readers! To find out more, visit www.lightoftruth.uk. The Sisters welcome donations, suggested at £5 per person per session, but no one should feel they can't afford to participate. Visit the website to find out more!

GOSPEL SHARING GROUP MEETING ONLINE

On Thursdays 8.00pm to 9.00pm. An opportunity to reflect on the upcoming Sunday Gospel. If you are interested please email **Ann-Marie Houghton on catehist@lancastercathedral.org.uk** for further details and a link to the meeting.

WORLD YOUTH DAY 2023 July 31-Aug 6 The diocese are taking a small group to Lisbon to join World Youth Day with Pope Francis and a few million others. There are still spaces left. World Youth Day is a chance to meet young Catholics from all over the world and to deepen your faith in the middle of a huge international festival. For more information, head to www.castleriggmanor.com. Open to anyone aged 18-35.

Parish News

HAVE A CUPPA AFTER MASS on SUNDAY!

Parishioners and visitors both! Don't forget refreshments are served after Sunday Mass at both Mater Amabilis and Our Lady of Windermere. Tea, coffee, juice and biscuits are yours. No charge, but donations welcome which benefit many charities throughout the year, including CAFOD, Aid to the Church in Need and Mary's Meals.

Around the South Lakes

VOLUNTEERS WELCOME!

Every **Wednesday**, there is **COFFEE AND A CHAT** at Windermere Methodist Church on the corner of Main Road/ College Road in Windermere, with a warm space, coffee and / or soup to residents and visitors. This ecumenical initiative is staffed by a rota of volunteers from our local churches. If you would like to join us, we welcome volunteers. Please phone Barbara on 015394 42120 or just drop in on a Wednesday **between 10.30-1.30pm**.

GREEN LANES AND A PEDLAR'S PACK

Staveley Choral Society are giving a concert of classical and popular music on Saturday 20th May at 7.30pm at St Anne's Church, Ings. Come and support our singing parishioners – have a great time, and enjoy delicious refreshments too. Tickets are £10 and include

NEWSLETTER DEADLINES

Items for the newsletter should be sent to the Editor by Wednesday lunch time at: greetingsolw22@gmail.com