

Day	Time	Place	Intention
4 th February	10.30	Church	

No Monday morning Masses until further notice.

Sunday readings: year B

Feasts of the Week:

Monday	- St. Agatha
Tuesday	- Ss Paul Miki & Companions
Thursday	- St. Josephine Bakhita
Saturday	- St. Scholastica

Anniversaries from our List: Please pray for all those whose anniversaries occur about this time especially Kathleen Ann Stecyk, Carol Anna Ibison, Anna Haythornethwaite, Jane Blanche Nelson, Helena Dobson and Thomas Bolton.

Attendance & Collections:

Attendance - 69 Collection - £241.00

Dates for Your Diary

Date	Time	Where	What
4 th Feb.	10.30	Church	Children's Liturgy
4 th Feb.	1.00	Goosnargh Village Hall	Glee Club, Band & Choir in "Showtime"
9 th Feb			Break up for Half Term
20 th Feb.			Return to school
25 th Feb.	10.30	Church	Children's Liturgy
4 th March	10.30	Church	Children's Liturgy
11 th March	10.30	Church	Family Mass – Mother's Day
18 th March	10.30	Church	Children's Liturgy
25 th March	10.30	Church	Children's Liturgy
1 st April	10.30	Church	Easter Sunday



St. Francis Hill Chapel Newsletter

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FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

4th February, 2018

Parish Mission Statement

Our Parish, guided by the example of our patron, St. Francis, seeks to be a welcoming Catholic Community, by living, sharing and growing in faith. We strive to deepen our own relationship with Christ and meet the needs of others.

Next Sunday is a Day of Prayer for the Unemployed and also World Day for the Sick.

Sick of the Parish: If you would like the parish to pray for someone who is currently sick, please email news@stfrancis.org.uk or ring Fr. Sony on 01772 865229. It will then be included on the sick list of the Newsletter. We have an area in church where you can write on a card and hang it up if you prefer it not to go on the parish newsletter. M. Peel.

Cycle of Prayer before Lent: Victims of Human Trafficking and those who Work to Combat it, 8th Feb., the Sick and those who care for them, 11th Feb., and also the Unemployed, 11th Feb.

Church Services TV: For anyone who is unable to get to Mass and who have a computer or tablet, it is now possible to watch Mass live each day of the week, free of charge. There is a website that many parishes subscribe to, so that people are able to access this facility. It is ideal for the sick and housebound so that they can still feel that they are not missing out with Mass. The nearest parish to Hill Chapel from which this facility is available is St. Mary's, Bamber Bridge.

Church Services TV was established in 2005 and streams services over the internet helping parishes and other religious organisations expand their reach across the globe well beyond traditionally possible.

Parishes and organisations can stream Mass, weddings, funerals, music and all other kinds of events from churches, halls and any other venue. The website is www.churchservices.tv if you need any help with this please see Tom Ibison who uses this site regularly.

Confirmation: To the parents of children (age 10+) living in the parish but not attending St. Francis School, if you would like your child to take part in the Confirmation programme this year, please contact Jenny Rossall on jennyrossall@hotmail.co.uk.



First Holy Communion: The next session Of the WYA course will be on Wednesday, 28th February.

Thanks from the Ryan family: Pat and family would like to thank everyone who attended Terry's Requiem Mass and for all your prayers, cards and messages of condolence and support – God Bless.

Safeguarding: Your Safeguarding representative is Maria Peel. For contact details please see the Safeguarding poster at the back of church. Safeguarding representatives have special responsibility for promoting good and safe practices in all activities involving children, young people and adults at risk. The Safeguarding Co-ordinator can be contacted on 01772 728433 Find out more: www.catholicsafeguarding.org.uk
www.lancasterdiocese.org.uk

Gardening & Cleaning Day: Saturday, 24th February.

Notices:

Sale of Religious Items: The Carmelite Convent on St. Vincent's Road, Fulwood, and the Repository at Ladyewell, Fernyhalgh, now have items for sale for Baptism, First Communion, Confirmation, Rosary Beads, etc., as well as a large selection of cards for various occasions. Other items can be ordered on request.

Facing Depression Together: support group for those with mental health concerns, e.g. anxiety, depression. Central Methodist Church, Lune Street, Preston, PR1 2NL. Thursday evening, 7.30 – 9.00pm. Be heard, respected and accepted, and receive help to work through mental health concerns.

Gentle Approach to Cancer Association: Meetings on 2nd Saturday of every month. Gerrard St., off Bow Lane, Preston. For more information contact Joan Moran on 865024 or www.gentleapproach.org.uk

**Tea, Coffee and biscuits available after the
Sunday Mass.
All parishioners, friends and visitors are very welcome
To join us**

