

ROTA NEXT WEEKEND
READERS Saturday—Claire McGuire Sunday—Liz Cullen
EUCARISTIC MINISTERS
Saturday—Michael Fox Sunday—Sion Hall
Tea & Coffee
Liz Cullen & Phil Ryan

DUNSOP BRIDGE

PILATE SESSIONS Monday evening 6-7pm. More Info Christine Billing-
ton992@gmail.com

SEWING GROUP on Fridays 1.30-3.30pm. Details Janet 01200 448201

PLAYGROUP in Dunsop Bridge Village Hall on Wednesday mornings 9.30—11.30am
term times only (some holiday sessions) contact Laura 07790 516260

KEEPING FIT WITH MATT Thurs & Fri email mdfitnesscoach@outlook.com

TAY AND PLAY Every Friday at Thorneyholme Primary School we have a 'Stay and
Play' session. These are 9.30—10.45am and are for 0-5year olds to attend along
with their parent/carer. A session costs £3 and they get to spend time in the In-
fant Classroom playing alongside our Nursery and Reception pupils and they
often play a game, make a craft, sing, listen to a story etc. Refreshments are pro-
vided and there is no need to book

SABDEN

CHOIR The Sabden adult choir meets every Tuesday from 6pm-7pm in our hall
and is open to anyone who wants to go along and have a sing. No experience or
musical knowledge is required. It costs £4 a session. Just go along any Tuesday
or call Annie on 07710 248458 for more details.

EXERCISES An exercise class for the over 50's takes place every Tuesday morning
from 10-11am in our hall, run by Ribble Valley Council's Let's Live Life team. It
costs £3.50 a session.

BONUS BALL Winning number 17 | Lesley Holmes

TODDLER GROUP There is a baby and toddler group every Wednesday morning in
school term time in our hall, run by the ladies of the Branching Out children's
nursery. All parents/carers and pre-school children are welcome any Wednesday
from 9-11am. Adults can enjoy tea and toast while the children play.

*There is tea/coffee and biscuits in the Hall most Sundays after Mass,
a lovely chance to meet up and have a chat. Please join us*

Parish of Our Lady of the Valley

Catholic Communities of Clitheroe, Sabden & Dunsop Bridge

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St Mary's Primary School, Sabden: Tel: 01282 771009 Head: Ms Claire Halstead

Thorneyholme Catholic Primary, Dunsop Bridge Tel: 01200 448276 Head: Ms Claire Halstead

Parish Safeguarding Officer—Sion Hall email: sionhall@hotmail.co.uk mobile 07432 463778

Second week of Easter 7th April 2024



HE IS RISEN!

MASSES THIS WEEKEND

Saturday

12noon—Mass at Dunsop Bridge
5pm—Mass at Clitheroe

Sunday

9.30am—Mass at Clitheroe
11am—Mass at Sabden

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday

Mass at 10am Clitheroe

Saturday 13th April

Mass at 12noon— Dunsop Bridge
Mass at 5pm—Clitheroe

Baptisms by appointment with Fr Paul

MASSES RECEIVED THIS WEEK

Leo Clarkson, Brian & Veronica Connolly, Firth family, Margaret Maden,
Pat O'Donnell, Betty Brown

LATELY DEAD - Mary McManus, Jane Brown

ANNIVERSARIES

Leo Clarkson, Margaret Maden, Betty Brown, Brian & Veronica Connolly

LIVE SIMPLY The season of Easter is a time for celebrating Our Risen Christ. It is also the season of spring—new life in nature unfolding around us. Let us show our gratitude by remembering those who are suffering the consequences of the cost of living crisis. Please support our local Foodbank:

<https://ribblevalley.foodbank.org.uk/> Donations to Foodbank can be left in the box in the porch at St Michael & St John's Church.

CAFOD LENT APPEAL Cafod Lent Fast Day envelopes are being collected at masses this weekend. If you have forgotten to bring yours you will have the opportunity to bring it over the next couple of weeks—just pop it in the offertory basket.

LAUDATO SI ANIMATORS' CERTIFICATE Are you looking for a way to Care For Creation and build a better world? Use the link below to join the next course in April. Participation is free! Please use this link to register laudatosianimators.org

LAUDATO SI GARDENING DAYS AND NEXT MEETING DATES Gardening day Thursday 11th April 10.30—12noon followed by Laudato St meeting 12noon 1pm. Gardening day Saturday 25th May 10am—12noon

CLITHEROE CHRISTIANS IN PARTNERSHIP (CCP) Bereavement Support Group—Monthly Meetings Every first Tuesday of the month 2pm at Trinity Methodist Church and Community Hub. More information tel 01200 429346

WALSINGHAM The Annual Salford Diocesan Saturday 4th May. A choice of going on the day OR go on Friday 3rd, stay overnight and return Saturday. Booking forms available from Janet the Parish Secretary. Tel Janet 01200 423307 ext 3 or leave a message.

DIVINE MERCY DEVOTIONS TODAY Sunday 7th April at St Joseph's Church, Audley Range, Blackburn BB1 1TG—see notice in porch.

ST AUGUSTINES St Augustine's 60th Anniversary Production of 'The Conversion Job' by Peter Rose and Anne Conlon, in conjunction with our partner primary schools, will be performed on Friday 19th April at 7pm. Tickets £5 can be purchased from the School Office (cash only)

If you have still not received your new set of Gift Aid Envelopes for 2024/2025 the please see Janet after Mass

CLITHEROE

SEEDLINGS PLAYGROUP Wednesday mornings 9.15—11am. We invite children 0-4 years and their parent/carer to join us for a morning of toys, craft, song time and snack.

CLITHEROE CIVIC SOCIETY Monday 8th April 7.30pm in the Assembly Hall (St Michael & St John's Parish Hall) 'Ernest Evans—from weaver to Master of Natural Sciences. How East Lancashire's mechanics Institutes were improved and how the explorations of Pendle and the Ribble Valley inspired scientists and cartographers. Presented by Nick Burton

TRINITY METHODIST HUB Regular events take place at Trinity Methodist Hub which may be of interest to some of our parishioners. Details of them including a Parkinson's and MS Drop in Café and a Youth Group can be found on the posters in the church porch.

LADIES GROUP Wednesday 24th April 7.30pm. 'The Ballet Backstage' A look at costume and how it all works behind the scenes. Speaker Hilary McCumiskey

LADIES GROUP Afternoon Variety Show on Wednesday 10 April 2024 in the Assembly Hall Tickets now on sale available from Daphne 01200 427912 or Carol 01200 426769 Cost £10 inc light refreshments. Door open 1.30pm Everyone Welcome, proceeds to Crossroads Care. .

WANTED

We would be grateful for parishioners to come forward to join the readers rota at both weekend (approx. once every seven weeks) and weekday masses. If you would be willing to go on the rota please have a word with Teresa Mercer.

DATE FOR YOUR DIARY (Ladies Group) Afternoon Concert on Sunday 2nd June. More details later

RED BOXES are being collected. Anyone who doesn't have a collector calling please bring your box into the Presbytery or see Janet Hall or Sion at Mass.

WHALLEY & DISTRICT FLOWER CLUB Ruby Anniversary meeting on Thursday 11th April at 7.30pm in the Assembly Hall (SMSJ Parish Hall) when Sioned Hughes will be demonstrating "Superstitions". Tickets Non-members £8 Members free. Raffle of arrangements and Cake and Home produce stall.

Come along, you will be made very welcome, to the Assembly Hall (our Parish Hall) after Mass on Sunday morning and join other parishioners for a cup of Coffee or Tea and biscuits. You will be most welcome