

Our Lady & St Joseph's Parish Bulletin

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FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
MAY 18TH 2003



THIS WEEK'S MUSIC. Entry 406 O, Praise Ye the Lord. Gloria 527. Off. 627 This is My Body
Comm. 938 Soul of My Saviour Final 351 This is the Image.

TODAY at the 10.0 Mass there is a little ceremony presenting to the parish those young people who are to be Confirmed at Pentecost later this year. We do this to remind all parishioners of their duty to pray for those boys and girls in our parish who are at such an early stage of their journey of Faith.

Next Saturday (May 24th) Fr John Winstanley from St Bede's has kindly agreed to say the 6.0 Mass at ALSTON and will be available for Confessions before and after Mass.

PARISH PASTORAL DEVELOPMENT GROUP

Members are reminded that there is a meeting in the Rectory on Tuesday at 7.0 pm

CAR BOOT SALE

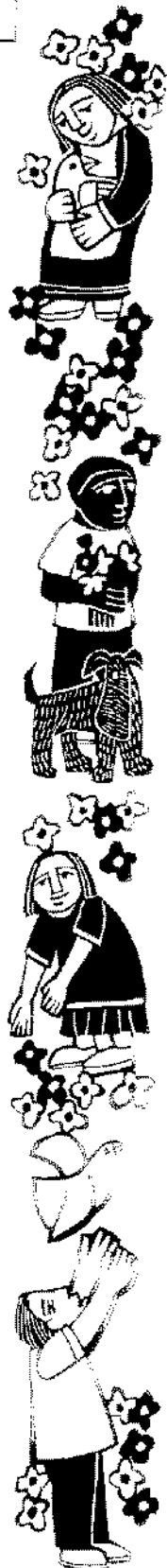
.....at St Augustine's on Bank Holiday Monday, May 26th, from 8.30 am. Details on the porch board.

THERE'S SOME LITERATURE AT THE BACK OF CHURCH ABOUT VOCATIONS. SOME PEOPLE CHOOSE TO KNOW AND LOVE GOD IN VERY PARTICULAR CHOICES — AS PRIESTS, DEACONS, RELIGIOUS SISTERS OR BROTHERS, IN MARRIAGE, AND THE COMMITTED SINGLE LIFE. ALL THESE 'PATHS' EXPRESS THE CALLING GOD MAKES TO US ALL: TO BE HOLY AND FULFILLED AS HUMAN BEINGS.

MARANATHA COMMUNITY

(second monthly gathering)

Play your part in the battle against evil in the world! There's a video called "Spiritual Warfare" which will be shown in the sacristy next Tuesday at 7.30.



Churches Together in Carlisle

in conjunction with

The Cumberland News

Praise Together

"The Spirit of Life"

A Christian Celebration

with Hymns, Readings and Prayers

Sunday 8th June 2003

The Sands Centre, Carlisle

This Pentecost Sunday event has become a most popular occasion in the calendar of Christian Unity in Carlisle. It is because it is so popular that it is now possible to fill the Sands twice on the one day, at 3.30 and 6.30. Fr Turner has **FREE** tickets for both times — only take them if you really intend to be there. Ask him, or go in the sacristy after Mass, or ring the Rectory doorbell.

Summer Fayre

Unless anyone can see a good reason why not, the best date for our Fayre seems to be Saturday July the fifth. So start gathering stuff for the stalls please. As usual we would like to put out a request for any help possible and for any new ideas that people would like to try. Some parishioners feel they have done the same thing for years so fresh faces would be a great help.

MASS INTENTIONS

Sat	6.00	Alston	The Parish
Sun	10.00		Living & Dec'd Styles fam
	4.30		Bert Wilson
Mon	12.10		Dec'd Dale family
Tue	8.00		Thomas Turner
	12.10		Jack Johnston
Wed	9.15 (St Gab)		The Bailey family
	12.10		Margaret Hayhoe
Thu	8.0		John Davidson
	9.15 (School)		Special Intention (Yr 3)
	12.10		Bridget McCabe
Fri	8.00		Joan Mathews
	12.10		Ints of Maisie Hickey
Sat	12.10		Margaret Macmillan
	6.00	Alston	Margaret Renwick
Sun	10.0		Cyril Atkinson
	4.30		The Parish

Please pray for the following parishioners are sick:-
Brigid Ward, Paddy Waters, Frank Logan, Peter Fitzsimmons.

The following have Anniversaries about now:- Jack Johnston, Margaret Hayhoe, Margaret Renwick, Bridget McCabe, Thomas Turner.

THE JUSTICE & PEACE GROUP meets this Tuesday at 7.30 in the Rectory. All are welcome.

A LETTER FROM SUZANNE.....

"Thank-you, Theresa, for keeping the children's liturgy going over the last few months. I know it isn't easy! We hope to restart the Children's Liturgy again during the 10.0 Mass and it is intended for all children to take part in the Mass in a *child-friendly* way. However, we are in desperate need of volunteers to help out once in a while. We cannot run it with only one adult present. For more information contact me on (01228) 537514 or see me at Mass.

Thanks,
Suzanne."

FLOWER ARRANGERS

The new rota is available at the back of church. Apologies for not having it ready before now!



NEWMAN PTA GALA

to be held on
SUNDAY 18 MAY 2003
at 1.00 p.m.

Attractions include: Carlisle Youth Concert Band, Pony Rides, Amusements Slide and Bouncy Castle, Swing Boat Rides (£1 a go) Roxy Fun Fair (£1 a go).

Other Attractions include: Primary School Boys and Girls 6-a-side Soccer, Greasy Pole, Skittles, Beat the Goalie, Wet Sponge, Bottle Shy, Treasure Hunt, 1.5 litres of Whisky Draw

Stalls: Quality Plants; White Elephant; Bottle Tombola; Cakes

GALA DRAW

1st Prize - £100
and other excellent prizes

Refreshments - Ice Cream, Hot Dogs, Sweets

Admission : Adult 50p Child 20p

The Committee reserve the right to change any attractions and stalls in the event of unforeseen circumstances.

Again, the Wednesday evening PARISHES IN PARTNERSHIP course was well attended with 35 parishioners from three parishes there. Remember, we changed the starting time from 7.0 to 7.30