



Our Lady & St Joseph's Parish Bulletin

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**FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION
OF OUR BLESSED LADY
AUGUST 15TH 2004**



TODAY'S MUSIC. Entry 328 *Holy Light* Offertory 601 *Praise to the Lord*
Recessional 356 *Hail Queen of Heaven*

We bid Fr William a fond farewell today. Tomorrow he takes up his duties as parish priest of Penrith. He has been here almost one year and we thank him for all the good things he has done in this parish and accompany him with our prayers as he takes on his new responsibilities.

This afternoon at the 4.30 Mass we will have a special place for our older and more infirm parishioners. The Sacrament of the Sick will be given to all those who feel they need healing in either mind or body. Afterwards there will be a strawberry tea for them on the lawn – let's hope the weather will be better than it has been over the past week! If all our prayers fail, tea will be served in the Rectory. If there is a need for transport the SVP will pick up parishioners if you let them know in good time today.



Strange to say, even though they have visited a large number, the Worthington-Smyth's are still looking for a church that suits them.

CARLISLE WORLD SHOP

We sell jewellery, quality clothing, crafts, and cards and an excellent range of fairly traded food. Have you visited our new shop? Buy Fairly Traded goods and make a difference to the lives of the producers and their children. We are in Lowthian's Lane – between HSBC Bank and JD Sports. Tel 550385.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK

SAT	6.0 (Alston) The parish
SUN	10.0 Frank & Ronnie Matthews 4.30 Rose Boyle
MON	12.10 Thanksgiving (IC)
TUE	8.0 Donor's Intention 12.10 Ron Lee
WED	9.15 (St Gab) Special Intention 12.10 Eve Morton
THU	8.0 Canon Matthew McNarney 12.10 Ellen Farish (99 th Birthday)
FRI	8.0 Holy Souls 12.10 Kathleen Poland
SAT	12.10 Fr Laurence Wells 6.0 (Alston) The parish
SUN	10.0 Annie Lou Nelson 4.30 Joseph Cregan

PLEASE PRAY FOR Fr Tom Walsh (once of Appleby) who is sick. The following have anniversaries about now:- Eve Morton, Joseph Cregan, and Mark Dias. The father of a parishioner, Ron Lee, died recently.

DERWENTWATER CHALLENGE OUR LADY'S CANOE CLUB

The club enjoyed a picnic and a sunny day's paddling on Derwentwater last week with a Force 5 wind blowing the party to St Herbert's Island in record time. Sadly the wind did not relent for the return journey and it was a difficult, though successful paddle, for Pat and Paul Blackshaw (a debut!), Helen Smylie, and Evelyn Richardson. All struggled bravely against the elements to reach their destination, and as they did the wind dropped! A gentle paddle up the river Derwent completed a demanding but exhilarating day in the Lake District. Next Sunday outing is on August 29th - Talkin Tarn. Canoe skills developing from 12.0 to 4.0. Ring Gerald on 537791 if you would like to go.



There are two events on the horizon for all the Catholics in Carlisle:

1. On Sunday September 12th there's the annual Pilgrimage to Our Lady of Lourdes shrine at Cleator. This year is the 150th anniversary of the Defining of the doctrine of the Immaculate Conception (that's why the Pope is in Lourdes this weekend) so it is a significant occasion. Refreshments? £5 - ring 01946 811062 before August 23rd.
2. *Thirsting for God* - a day of Prayer and Reflection from 11.0 to 5.0 at St Bede's church on Saturday September 18th. The day is centred on the richness of the Carmelite spiritual tradition.

There's more information about both events on the parish noticeboard.



CHURCHES TOGETHER IN CUMBRIA MEET YOUR NEIGHBOUR Saturday October 9th 2004

Arrive Blackburn at 10.30 am - coaches will pick up at various points throughout the County. £12 for lunch and travel. Pay on the day. A chance to visit the places of worship of the Muslim and Sikh communities, to listen to the stories of those who worship there, and to visit South Asian food, clothes, and Jewellery shops. Apply to Andrew Dodd (County Ecumenical Officer), Chapel Cottage, Hawkhead Hill, Ambleside LA22 0PW. Tel 015394 36451 or email andrew.dodd1@btinternet.com