



Holy Family, Freckleton & Warton
St Anne's, Westby Mills

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Date	Time & Church	Intention
Sat 7 June	10.00am – Holy Family - Holy Hour 6.30pm - Holy Family – Mass	People of the Parish
Sun 8 June <i>Pentecost Sunday</i>	8.45am St Annes – Mass 10.45am Holy Family – Mass	The Byrne Family Tommy Bradley
Mon 9 June <i>The Blessed Virgin Mary</i>	9.30am – Holy Family School– Mass No Mass at St Annes	Pope Francis RIP
Tues 10 June	No Mass at St Annes 6.00pm – Holy Family - Holy Hour 7.00pm Holy Family – Mass	Pat Kay RIP
Wed 11 June <i>St Barnabas</i>	9.00am – Holy Family - Mass No Mass at St Annes	Intention thanksgiving (MB)
Thurs 12 June <i>Our Lord Jesus Christ</i>	9.00am – Holy Family - Mass 10.30am – St Annes - Mass	Brenda Burdon RIP
Fri 13 June <i>St Anthony of Padus</i>	No Mass at Holy Family 10.30am – St Annes - Mass	
Sat 14 June	10.00am – Holy Family - Holy Hour 6.30pm - Holy Family – Mass	Thanksgiving (NJY)

Collection: 1/6/25 Holy Family
 Gift Aid envelopes/loose: £251.00 plus £215 (Standing Orders)
 Total £466.00 Attendance 75
World Communications: £109.80 **Ascension Day:** £107.70

Please pray for those who are sick, Meriel McGowan, Jo Wray, Norman Benyon, Felicity Jones, Peter Simcock, Alex Keelan, Diane Shields, Fr Jim Allen, Daniel (Danny) Flemen, Geoffrey Whiteside, Colin Davidson and all our friends and relatives who are ill.

Lately dead: David Clark

Freckleton Club Day - Saturday 21st June

Just a reminder for all those walking in the procession to please be at Church at 8.30am. The procession finishes at Freckleton Church of England Primary School, we pray for good weather.

Eucharistic Minister's training event. As a follow-up to the meeting in April, please would Eucharistic ministers (we know that you're Extraordinary!) gather in Holy Family Presbytery on Tuesday 10th June about 7.30 (certainly after 7pm Mass) for about 45 minutes. Maybe come to Holy Hour 6-7 and Mass as part of the meeting?

Mass of First Holy Communion will take place at the 1045 Mass on Sunday 15th June (Trinity Sunday). We have 14 youngsters who will enter into the Eucharistic life of the faith on that day. Please pray that their families will continue to support them in this life by Word and example.

From Fr. Philip: The Syrian Refugees and the Displaced Lebanese thank Fr. Stephen and the parish of Holy Family, Freckleton & Warton and the Parish of St. Anne, Westby for donating to Aid to the Church in Need project in Zahleh, Lebanon. The project aims to feed 1500 Refugees each weekday with special concern for the Sick, Elderly and the Infirm.

Aid to the Church advises that 10 euros (roughly £10) will feed
 ONE REFUGEE FOR ONE WEEK
 St. Anne, Westby donated £10.00
 Holy Family, Freckleton & Warton donated £505.00
 The total raised is £9,100.20 Thank you
 Fr. Philip will offer 3 Masses for the intentions & wellbeing of all benefactors. In Christ, Fr. Philip

Holy Family & St Anne Westby Safeguarding Representatives: see poster in church entrance. Safeguarding contact number: (HF) 07913 107614. ST.A 07941297526

Collection: 1/6/25 St Anne Westby
 Gift Aid envelopes/loose £118.50 plus £254 (Standing Orders)
 Total £372.50 Ascension £60.00, World Communication £15.00.
Grand total £447.50. Attendance 48

Thank you for a generous donation of £60 to St Anne's church.

Anniversaries at St Annes: Mary Valentine, Angus Robertson Jnr, Gordon Ward, Mary Eccles, Bettine Salter, Margaret Mary Yates, Thomas Dugdale, Mary Baxter.

Anniversaries Holy Family: Included in anniversary book in front of the Sacred Heart statue in the porch.

SVP meeting Thursday, 12th June 7pm in the Sherburne Room

Ascension to Pentecost...a time of waiting. As I write this piece we are about to celebrate the Ascension of the Lord.

St Luke's gospel tells us that once the Lord had ascended, the disciples returned to the centre of Jerusalem to wait.

Jesus had promised them the help and strength of the Holy Spirit...but they had to wait for this gift.

Maybe this is a salutary reminder for all the Christian people. We too, like those first disciples, are given the help of the Holy Spirit in our lives of faith, but sometimes it will involve waiting...waiting upon the Lord. The ten days to Pentecost can seem like an eternity...but what that feast commemorates (originally a Jewish type of "harvest festival")

is now a constant reality in our lives. Waiting for answer to our prayers is news to no one living the Christian life, but realising that the Holy Spirit is a constant in our lives and wants us to share fundamentally in the risen life with Christ is reassuring for us all.

