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***PARISH PETITION BOOKS:** In all our 5 churches. For your intentions which will be prayed for at the Sunday Masses and at other times.

NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF THE MIRACULOUS MEDAL: First Saturday of the month during the 10am Mass OLSJ.

NEW TO THE PARISH? Or if you have changed: email, phone or address? Please complete the *Details Update Form* at the back of Church.

ENQUIRIES: regarding Baptisms, Marriages, Funerals, First Communions, Confirmations or those wanting to become Catholic, please contact the Parish Office. Also, for all enquiries regarding the newsletter- admin@carlislecatholicchurch.org

***TEA/COFFEE AFTER MASS:** All invited to this in the Parish Hall after the 10am Mass OLSJ & after the 11am at St Augustine's every Sunday. (not at present)

***WEEKLY ACTIVITIES:** **Mon:** Morning Prayer 7.45am OLSJ & St B; 7.30pm: Journey in Faith; **Tue:** Morning Prayer 7.45am OLSJ; Prayer Meeting: fortnightly 6pm WB; Evening Prayer 6.45pm St E; **Wed:** Morning Prayer 7.45am OLSJ; **Thur:** Morning Prayer 7.45am OLSJ; Rosary: after Mass OLSJ; Holy Hour 6pm St Bede's; **Fri:** Morning Prayer 7.45am OLSJ & St B, Divine Mercy Chaplet: 3pm OLSJ; **Sat:** Morning Prayer 7.45am, Adoration and Prayer for Vocations after the 10am Mass 'til noon. OLSJ. (not at present)

CARLISLE FOOD BANK: The foodbank is short of: Milk, mashed potato, tinned rice pudding, tinned vegetables and pot noodles. email carlislefoodbankuk@gmail.com for further information. Thank you again.

***DEMENTIA TEA SERVICE:** St George's URC West Walls, 2pm, every 3rd Tues.

NHS 'TEST & TRACE' APP: at church scan the Q.R. at the door to record your attendance. If you are contacted it will not mention the church just that you have recently been to a place where you spent 15 + mins, close to someone who has now tested positive for coronavirus. Privacy details are on the internet. If you do not check-in with your phone at church, you will still need to do a manual check-in (i.e., name on a list).

MASS REQUESTS: We will try to honour the dates requested. Intentions are published a week in advance in the bulletin so the earlier the request the better. If a request is 'late' or others request the same date a 'near' date may be substituted.

STANDING ORDERS: Update; the title of the Parish is long and can result in an error message when internet banking. We have received advice from the finance office for the diocese as follows: The sort code and account number are the most important details to enter: **Sort Code:40-27-02 Ac/n: 01334670** (bank is HSBC UK). If these are entered correctly the money will get to the correct bank account. The donor should enter: **LRC DTR CH No 234331** as the beneficiary. An error message may be received but if the donor is confident, he/she has entered the correct sort code & account number then ignore the error message and continue. To be paid Monthly. In future any donations by cheque must be made out to "Our Lady of Perpetual help Carlisle". Thank you for your continued support.

Last Week	Offertory	Special	Attended
OLPH	1317.70		496

*To get the bulletin electronically visit
<https://app.flocknote.com/StHerberts> Then sign up under
Our Lady of Eden Parish (for the time being).*

SCHOOLS: St Ninian's Federation, Executive Head Mr M Merrick. Comprising: St. Cuthbert's Primary School - Victoria Road Carlisle CA1 2UE Email: secretary@st-cuthberts-carlisle.cumbria.sch.uk Website: www.st-cuthberts-carlisle.cumbria.sch.uk and St Margaret Mary- Kirklands Rd, Carlisle CA2 4JD Email: admin@stmmary.cumbria.sch.uk Website: www.smmcatholicprimary.co.uk
St Bede's -Strathclyde Avenue, Carlisle CA2 7DS Head: Mrs Louise McMillan Email: head@stbedes.cumbria.sch.uk Website: www.stbedes.cumbria.sch.uk
St John Henry Newman Secondary School, Scalegate Rd, CA2 4NL Head: Mr John McAuley <https://www.newman.cumbria.sch.uk/>

NEXT WEEKEND

Holy Mass (with a restricted congregation) [see Mass list inside]
Each church has benches for Households and Other places for a single person or a couple
OLSJ: 6 (H) 39 (O); St A: 8 (H) 14 (O) 8 single only; St B 4 (H) 32 (O) OLSW 20 (O); St E 2 (H) 20 (O)
StMM: 90, CtK: 65

When capacity is reached entry will not be possible.

Please bring a face covering.



OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP, CARLISLE

Sunday 4th January 2021
Second Sunday of Christmas

This Wednesday is the Feast of the Epiphany (6 Jan). It commemorates the event, as told in Matthew's Gospel, of the visit of the Magi, who are also known as the Three Kings. (Matthew doesn't tell us how many of them there were, but we read that they brought 3 gifts). These visitors travelled some distance to find Jesus. They stand as a symbol of all people of all nations seeking the face of God.

Each one of us has our own personal spiritual journey to follow. Some people find Jesus quickly and easily, like the shepherds who hurried to Bethlehem. Perhaps such people have their parents or teachers to thank who guided them as children. If you are such a 'shepherd', take a moment to thank your childhood 'guides' who brought you to the Lord. Some people, however, journey a long and winding way to discover Christ in their lives. Finding God on one's own can be a long, emotional, inner journey. We may feel that we are still 'mid trek' in the expedition. The Magi began their journey gazing at the stars a long way from Jesus. But they got there in the end. So will we.

Priests: Canon Luiz Ruscillo, Revv Francis Osman, Christopher Loughran,

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MASSES THIS WEEK: 4th January

Office: Proper & Ps Wk 2, Mass: Sun. Yr. B. Weekday Yr 1

Sun SECOND SUNDAY AFTER CHRISTMAS

6pm Sat (St A) Bob Finlayson RIP

6pm Sat (St B) Florence, Florrie & George Ward RIP

9am: (CtK) People of the Parish

9.30am: (St B) Ernesto Bandoni RIP

10am (OLSJ) DM Forster & Queen Families

11am (St A) Edwina Cadman RIP

11am (St MM) John McGinn RIP

1pm (OLSJ) Polish Mass

4.30pm: (OLSJ) Alister Mullan

Mon of Christmas Season

10am (St B) Harold Lowry RIP

12.00 (OLSJ) Andy Holden RIP

Tue of Christmas Season

10am (St E)) For all priests

12.00 (OLSJ) Dolly Josephides RIP

WED THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

6pm (CtK) People of the parish (Vigil)

7pm (St A) Bob Finlayson RIP (Vigil)

9.30am: (St B) Christmas Family Ints

9.30am: (St MM) Maria Fe Santos

12.00 (OLSJ) Kacper Broczek RIP

7pm (OLSJ) Dorothy McCarthy RIP

Thur After the Epiphany

10am (OLSW)) Gerald & Clare Wilcock RIP

10am (CtK) Julia Charbel sick

12.00 (OLSJ) Jean & Mark Hampson

Fri After the Epiphany

12.00 (OLSJ) Alice Geriehty RIP

7pm (St MM) Elizabeth Lovell

Sat After the Epiphany

10am (OLSW) Keith & Pauline Macallister

12.00 (OLSJ) Catherine Nash RIP

Sun THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

6pm Sat (St A) Souls in Purgatory

6pm Sat (St B) Kathleen Devaney RIP

9am: (CtK) People of the Parish

9.30am: (St B) Maureen Hodgson RIP

10am (OLSJ) Winnie Wilson RIP

11am (St A) Sean Fehrenbach RIP

11am (St MM) James & Alice Moffat RIP

1pm (OLSJ) Polish Mass

4.30pm: (OLSJ) Catherine Poland RIP

The Clergy of the parish wish you all a very Happy and Blessed New Year

LIVE-STREAMED MASS each day @ **Noon** from Our Lady & St Joseph's Mon-Sat; 10am on Sunday.

Search You Tube and further search of Our Lady of Eden.

BLESSED SACRAMENT EXPOSITION:

Saturday 11am to the Noon Mass.

APOLOGIES, we have had some technical difficulties which are trying to resolve.

Prayers for the sick Ged Feeney, Maura Delap, Reg Long, Karen Long, Haley Read, Amy Scroggie, Brenda Notnan, Anne Wilson, Winifred Mooney, Harry Holmes, Suzanne Stevens, Margaret McMullen, Kathleen Gallagher, May Moorehead, Sylvia McCormick, George Hanlon, John Carruthers, Anne Douglas, Raymond Stevens, Ryan Gannon, Charley Ford, John Muter, Margaret Campbell, Fr Cassian, Marion Brecken, Irene McNamey, Irene Robinson, Henry Samuel, Edith Black, Margot Wood, Maureen McKenna (Dias), John Buckley, Eric Bolderson, Baby Lincoln, James Harold, Muriel Lamb, Robin McCormick, those in the Hospitals, Hospice and Carleton Clinic and all the sick, especially with COVID-19 at this time.

Lately Dead: Frances Birrell, Mgr James Hook, Kym Wray.

CONFESSIONS: are available after the Noon Mass at OLSJ and by appointment, both with social distancing.
FUNERALS, BAPTISMS & WEDDINGS: can now take place in church with restrictions.

CHURCH OPENING TIMES: for private prayer OLSJ Mon-Sat 11am to 1pm with Mass at Noon

THANK YOU: for your great kindness, support & generosity. It is a source of much encouragement and joy for us as priests. We assure you of our prayers for you and your families. Fr Chris, Fr Frank, Fr Luiz.

HOSPITAL CHAPLAIN: As regular ward rounds are not now possible, please phone Fr Osman (521509) to inform him of any admissions to Hospital

WHITE FLOWER COLLECTION: (Next Weekend) to support those who work for Life. Please put any contributions in the Offertory Basket and a percentage will be sent to the organisation.

RED MISSIO BOXES: (St A) The pandemic has had a severe impact on Missio collections. Red boxes can be emptied at Sunday Mass & given to Anne Parrini. Donations by cheque payable to "Missio" can be put in an envelope marked for Anne. Donations can also be made via <https://missio.org.uk/donate/> St A. enquiries to Anne on 01228-674553.

CTK SVP CONFERENCE: 'Due to health and age considerations the conference will be placed in abeyance

at the end of December. The conference wishes to thank the parishioners for their support over many years.' Paul Daley President Christ the King Conference.

FAITH ONLINE TALKS: series of online talks. First is 21st January. (web link to follow). See poster for details.

MARY'S MEALS: This year have fed children with a daily meal in a place of education. They wish to share with you an opportunity to provide 43,000 children in Bong County, Liberia, with a meal at school. From 2nd Nov until 31st Jan 2021, donations made Double The Love campaign will be matched by the UK government, up to £2 million. Please visit [Big Family Christmas dinner table](http://BigFamilyChristmasdinnertable) or buy a Christmas card at www.marysmeals.org.uk/doublethelove.

ASSISTED SUICIDE BILL: The assisted suicide lobby are putting pressure on Government to legislate for assisted suicide. *Right To Life UK* have set up an easy to use tool for you to email your MP asking them to make it clear to the Government that it should not give into demands from the assisted suicide. It only takes 30 seconds to email your MP by visiting the link below:

<https://righttolife.org.uk/StopAssistedSuicide>

GROWING in the PROPHETIC & Open Miracle Healing Service - with Damian Stayne Fri 22 - Sat 23 Jan 2021 - Online information: www.coretlumenchristi.org Email: stcuthberts@coretlumenchristi.org Tel: 016973 45623 or 07588 159341

DIOCESAN DIRECTORIES 2021: are now available at the back of church. Ring Bound £4.50, ordinary £4.

BLOOD TRANSFUSION SERVICE: are asking for help. They will be in Carlisle on Jan 26th. For details please visit www.blood.co.uk

CHURCH WORSHIP IN TIER 4 RESTRICTIONS

Government regulations say that it is permissible to attend church for communal worship in Tier 4 provided strict adherence to Covid restrictions are maintained and there should be no mingling after worship. In our churches stewards are on hand to check each that person is symptom free, face coverings and hand sanitising is a requirement, a one-way system is employed and seating is arranged in such a way as to respect social distancing. Other measures to reduce the length of time spent in church are also used. For further information visit: [/www.gov.uk/guidance/tier-4-stay-at-home#places-of-worship](http://www.gov.uk/guidance/tier-4-stay-at-home#places-of-worship)

Pope's Prayer Intentions for January: May the Lord give us the grace to live in full fellowship with our brothers & sisters of other religions, praying for one another, open to all