

**Week Commencing 15th February 2026**

# **PARISH BULLETIN**

## **Amendment to Office Hours**

**Week Commencing  
2nd March**

The Office will be open  
9am to 2pm on  
Wednesday 4th and  
Thursday 5th March.  
The office will be closed  
on Tuesday 3rd March.

## **Funeral of Joan Clarkson**

**Service will be held  
At St. Francis on  
Monday 16th  
February at 11am.**

**Followed by  
interment at  
Forsbrook  
Cemetery.**

## **ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICES**

***Services will be held at St. Francis on the  
18th February at 12.00pm and 7.30pm***

## **Walsingham Pilgrimage 2026**

**Can all Pilgrims please make their final  
payment no later than 3rd March.  
Thank You**

Join us for coffee at the back of the church  
after the 9.30am Mass

• **Social Committee trips etc** [https://assets.msn.com/staticsb/statics/latest/fluent-icons/caret\\_left\\_24\\_filled.svg](https://assets.msn.com/staticsb/statics/latest/fluent-icons/caret_left_24_filled.svg) Please contact Yvonne  
• 07443 562148 or  
• see her at church.

• Any payments can be made to Yvonne but if possible please  
• pay directly into the Church bank account (Church bank  
• details available from Yvonne or the office or Julie our Treasurer)

• Raffle prizes are urgently needed, if you can help please

## **TRIP TO LIVERPOOL MARCH 28TH 2026**



**Coach leaves St. Francis Car Park at 9am.**

**Leaving Liverpool 5.30pm**

**The home of the Beatles**

**Beautiful Cathedrals, Shops, Places to eat  
& more.**

**Cost per person is £16.00**

**Please see Yvonne to book your place.**

## **CALENDAR**

Feb 16th	Mother Union: St Francis', 1.30-3.30pm
Feb 17th	Stitch Knit or Natter: St Francis', 1.30-3.30pm Young at heart 1.30 - 4.00pm
Feb 24th	Stitch Knit or Natter: St Francis', 1.30-3.30pm
Feb 26th	Games Club: St Francis', 1.30-3.30pm
Mar 3rd	Stitch Knit or Natter: St Francis', 1.30-3.30pm Young at heart 1.30 - 4.00pm

## **UPCOMING EVENT**

### **PCC MEETING**

**The next PCC Meeting will be on Monday  
16th February at 7.30pm preceded by Mass  
at 7pm**

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### **Parish Holiday to the Isle of Man**

**Unfortunately due to lack of numbers we  
are having to cancel this event.**

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### **Sunday 15th February - 6th Sunday - Quinquagesima**

8.00am Low Mass : (125) St Francis' Lady Chapel  
9.30am Sung Mass: St Francis'  
11.15am Sung Mass: Holy Evangelists' **CANCELLED**

**Ecclus 15:15-20 1 Cor 2:6-10 Mt 5:17-37**

### **Sunday 22nd February - The First Sunday of Lent**

8.00am Low Mass : (129) St Francis' Lady Chapel  
9.30am Sung Mass: St Francis'  
11.15am Sung Mass: Holy Evangelists' **CANCELLED**

**Gen 2:7-9; 3:1-7 Rom 5:12 (13-16)17-19 Mt 4:1-11**

**USUAL WEEKDAY TIMES:** (please see front page of Bulletin for any changes)

**Holy Evangelists:** Mass on Thursday at 10.00am **CANCELLED**

**St Francis:** Mass on Tuesday at 9.30am in Lady Chapel  
Mass on Thursday at 7.30pm in Lady Chapel

### **The Parish of Meir Heath and Normacot**

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A Church Near You:

St Francis: <https://www.achurchnearyou.com/church/4396/>

Holy Evangelists':

**Please note : Readings Lists are at the back of the Church.**