



SUNDAY SERVICE		
Sunday 15th March – Mothering Sunday		
10:30	Parish Eucharist	
<p>If you are new to church, please note that we have a children's area at the back of church. We have toilets in the back room of church. Please do stay for refreshments following the service in the back room of church.</p> <p>We are continuing with our new Sunday School. If you have a child of any age from birth upwards, please join us if you wish, in the Pomfret Room at the start of the readings, where we will be sharing age-appropriate stories and play relating to our shared faith.</p>		
Processional	194	For Mary, mother of our Lord
Offertory	666	Sing we of the Blessed Mother
Final	692	Tell out my soul
Communion	Choir	Psalm
		MU Hymn on sheet
	654	She sits like a bird
	Choir	O Lady, full of God's own grace

PRAYERS	
Collect	
<p>God of compassion, whose Son Jesus Christ, the child of Mary, shared the life of a home in Nazareth, and on the cross drew the whole human family to himself: strengthen us in our daily living that in joy and in sorrow we may know the power of your presence to bind together and to heal; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Amen.</p>	
We pray for the sick:	
<p><i>Barbara Slater David Armer Sheila Gallagher Jackie Hart Walter Danson Sandra Danson</i></p>	
We remember those who have died:	
<p><i>Eric Saville Jean Snape</i></p>	
Post Communion	
<p>Loving God, as a mother feeds her children at the breast you feed us in this sacrament with the food and drink of eternal life: help us who have tasted your goodness to grow in grace within the household of faith; through Jesus Christ our Lord.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Amen</p>	

Names or notices for this sheet:
kirkhamstmichaelswebmaster@gmail.com or write in book at back of church, by Thursday each week, 10:30am

WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK			
Mon	16th	10:00	Hobbycraft Group
Tue	17th	10:45	Funeral
		14:00	Adult Drumming Group
		18:30	Bell Practice
Wed	18th	09:15	St Michael's Primary School Service
		09:30	St Michael's Little Gems
		15:30	Family Kitchen
		18:00	Men's Shed
		18:30	Bereavement Support Group
Thu	19th	13:00	Creative Heritage Explorers
		15:30	Children's Choir Practice
		18:00	Holy Communion followed by Compline
		19:00	Choir Practice
Fri	20th	15:30	The World Music Group
Sun	22nd	09:00	Holy Communion according to the Book of Common Prayer
		10:30	Parish Eucharist – Passiontide Sunday
		13:00	Baptism

Notices	
<p>Looking at the Bible together - Home group - The Diocese of Blackburn Lent Course: "Knowing Jesus" In each session we will look at a bible passage in Acts and then watch a video talk by Bishop Philip. There will be an opportunity to discuss the Bible passage and the points highlighted by Bishop Philip. Please see Anne Wintle if you would like further details.</p>	
<p>Christian Aid locally are looking for a new Treasurer, if you'd be interested please let Jane Cairns know and she'll pass on your details.</p>	
<p>We are reviving the Parish Magazine as a free quarterly publication appearing in Spring, Summer, Autumn, and Winter. The Spring 2026 issue should be ready for distribution during March. The magazine will be distributed by email as a PDF document. A small number of paper copies will also be printed for those without online access and for visitors to St Michael's. If you would like to receive an email copy, please contact rogerwordsworth@btinternet.com. If you prefer a printed copy, please add your name to the list on the table at the back of church. Roger Wordsworth</p>	

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