

Sunday, 19th April 2026

Sick: David Meares, Georgina Carroll, Etai Itzhaki, Gillian Bitcon, Lisa Andresaki, Fr Michael Fish, Paul Bingham, Bev Waker, Will Ackerman, Rosalind Harrison, Donna Taylor, Sara Dalton, Michael Grey

LAMPS BURN THIS WEEK

Blessed Sacrament: Kenneth Hunter RIP

High Altar: Stella Walsh RIP

Lady Chapel: In thanksgiving for Wendy and the Church Flowers

Easter Garden: Father Richard Thanksgiving for 80th Birthday

Parish Prayer Cycle: Peter Crook, Sara Dalton & David Workman

MASS & SERVICE TIMES THIS WEEK

Monday	<i>Easter Weekday</i>	Mass 8:30am
Tuesday	<i>Easter Weekday</i>	Mass 6:00pm
Wednesday	<i>Easter Weekday</i> (Rosary 6pm)	Mass 8:30am Mass 6:30pm
Thursday	S GEORGE (Exposition & Prayer 11:30am)	Mass 8:00am Mass 12:00pm
Friday	<i>Easter Weekday</i>	Mass 12:00pm
Saturday	<i>S Mark</i>	Mass 10:00am

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)

9:30am – 9:50am Saturdays (or by appointment)

VIGIL MASS 6:00pm - Saturday Evening

NEXT SUNDAY

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Mass 8:15am

PARISH MASS 10:30am

STEWARDSHIP REMINDER: Kindly return outstanding Stewardship Pledges. Thank you If you need Envelopes, Standing Order Forms or Gift Aid Forms, please ask Eric

PARISH SUNDAY LUNCH: Next Sunday 26th April, 12pm

Two-course meal plus Coffee or Tea £8. To avoid disappointment, book and pay Hazel today! All welcome

PLAYGROUP: Meets Mondays 1–2:45pm Please encourage parents and families to come along and join the fun activities.

BRIGADE: Tue 5:00pm & 6pm Anchors & Juniors meet 5pm & Company 6pm on Tuesdays. Fun, achievement, adventure.

LUNCHEON CLUB: Thu 12:30pm 2 Course Meal (Includes Refreshments) £5 To book contact Ellen: Mob 07783 143719

EASY FUNDRAISING: Join easyfundraising.org.uk & help the Community Centre raise funds each time you shop online.

100 CLUB' WEEKLY DRAW: Three Prizes every week. New Members welcome. To join please see Duncan Walsh.

DONATIONS FOR FOOD PARCELS & MEALS: Thanks to all who donate tins, packet foods etc to our DROP-OFF BOX.

WEEKLY LAMPS: Lamps may be lit for the living, the departed, anniversaries of death, year's mind, weddings, birthdays, exams, new job, moving house etc. Please take a Prayer Card for the recipient or deceased's family. The cost for a Seven Day Lamp is only £5 Please PRINT requests and pay your £5 to Father Roger. Kindly use the Gift Aid Envelopes.

CHURCH FLOWERS: Anniversaries of Death, Weddings, and Birthdays etc why not sponsor the Church Flowers? It does not have to be a special occasion, sponsorship at any time will be most welcome. We ask for a minimum donation of £30 (Pedestal) or £15 (Smaller Arrangement). Please use a 'Gift Aid' Envelopes give to Wendy Graveston or Father Roger

THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH COMMUNITY CENTRE

SUNDAY CLUB: 10:25am – 11:30am

DROP-IN & ADVICE: Mon 9:30 – 11:30am Breakfast & Lunch

PLAYGROUP: Mon 1:00pm – 2:45pm Babies, Tots, Carers

CRAFT GROUP: Tuesday 12:30pm – 3:00pm

BRIGADE ANCHORS & JUNIORS: Tues 5:00pm – 6:25pm

BRIGADE COMPANY SECTION: Tues 6:00pm – 7:25pm

COMMUNITY CHOIR: Tue 7:30pm – 9pm With John Garrett

SLIMMING WORLD: Wed 7:30am 9am 10:30am 5pm 6:30pm

BINGO BUDDIES: Thursday 1:30pm – 3:30pm

TFSW JU JITSU: Thurs 6 – 7pm Children 7 – 8pm Adults

BRUNCH CLUB: Fri 9:30 – 11:30am Coffee, Tea, Brunch

SLIMMING WORLD: Sat 7:30am 9:00am & 10:30am

WEBSITE: achurchnearyou.com/st-catherine-burnley



The Parish of
Saint Catherine
with Saint Alban
& Saint Paul
Burnley

WELCOME

Tea and coffee are served at the back of Church after the 10:30am Mass. Please join us. If you are a visitor, please make yourself known to one of the Priests.



'Jesus himself came up and walked by their side.'

(Luke 24:15)

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

OUR WORSHIP TODAY

The disciples on their way to Emmaus were without hope until they met Jesus - their lives were transformed by their meeting.

MUSIC TODAY

Entrance Hymn: 302 'The Day of ...'

Before the Gospel: 'Alleluia, alleluia ...'

Offertory Hymn: 543 'Lord enthroned...'

Communion Hymn: 816 'What do you...?'

Final Hymn: 495 'He is risen, tell the ...'

NOTES ON THE READINGS

The First Reading

We hear the sermon of Saint Peter. He proclaims the good news that Jesus has risen from the dead in fulfilment of the scriptures.

The Responsorial Psalm

The psalmist discovers the fullness of joy in the presence of the Lord.

The Second Reading

Again, we hear from Saint Peter. Jesus was raised from the dead, he tells us, so that we would have faith and hope in God.

The Gospel

Jesus imparts his Spirit to his disciples and gives them power to forgive sins. He challenges Thomas to believe, and Thomas acknowledges Jesus as his Lord and God.