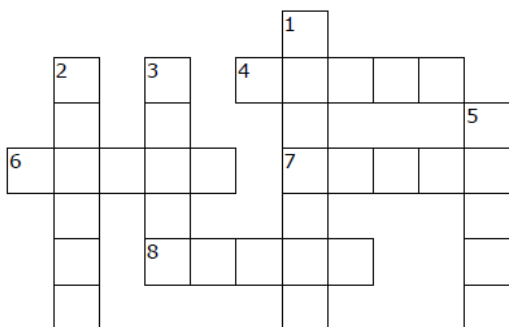


# St. Anthony's Little Church

'Filled with the Holy Spirit, Jesus left the Jordan and was led by the Spirit through the wilderness, being tempted there by the devil for forty days. During that time, he ate nothing, and at the end he was hungry.'

## Word Search Puzzle



### ACROSS

4. The entire Earth and all the places and things on it
6. A heavenly being, often shown as a human figure with a halo and wings
7. A small rock
8. The evil ruler of Hell, and enemy of God

### DOWN

1. To show a strong feeling of love and respect for God
2. To feel a need or desire for food
3. A food made of flour and water, shaped into loaves, and baked
5. To try to get someone to do wrong

DEVIL	WORSHIP	HUNGRY	WORLD
BREAD	ANGEL	STONE	TEMPT

Fr. Peter

# St Anthony of Padua

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**Sunday Masses:** 6.00 (Vigil - Saturday Evening) 9.30am (Sunday Morning)  
**Weekday Mass:** Tue, Wed, Fri: 9.15am. (Mon & Thurs 9.15am at Holy Family)

**Confessions:** Saturday: 5.30 - 5.50pm  
**Annexe:** 725544 **Social Centre:** 735963 **Primary school:** 726621  
**Playgroup/Preschool** 07963 700591

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## Temptation

Today's Gospel story of the temptations of Jesus follows immediately on from Jesus' baptism. Each of the three temptations touches on Jesus' identity as the Son of God. The type of temptations we experience and the circumstances by which they come are unique to each one of us because they reveal what's inside us, what fills us. That's why just saying no is an overly simplistic understanding of this gospel and an inadequate response to temptation. Temptation is less about a choice and more about our identity and direction in life. Who am I? Where is my life headed? We answer those questions every time we face and respond to our temptations.



## CAFOD Family Fast



CAFOD renewed its commitment to the poorest people in our human family around the world. We believe that no one should be beyond the reach of the love and support they need to thrive. As Catholics, we are driven by the belief that if one of us is hurt, hungry or abandoned, we all are hurt, hungry and abandoned. But at CAFOD we are forced to turn away one in three requests for help because we don't have enough money to go around. With your help, this Lent Fast Day CAFOD and our partners will be able to respond to every request for help. Thank you for your support and generosity.

First Sunday in Lent Year C

10th March 2019

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# DIARY AND MASS INTENTIONS

## for the week beginning Saturday 9th March 2019

Sat 6.00pm	<i>St. Anthony</i>	George Keane	
Sun 9.30am 11.00am	<i>St. Anthony</i> <i>Holy Family</i>	Robert & Joan Taylor Tony Hardman	<i>1st Sunday in Lent</i>
Mon 11.45am	<i>St. Anthony</i>	Funeral Mass: Frances Copp	
Tue 9.15am	<i>St Anthony</i>	Catherine Holmes	
Wed 9.15am	<i>St Anthony</i>	Joan Wane	
Thur 9.15am	<i>Holy Family</i>	Special Intention	
Fri 11.30am 6.00p.m. 6.30-7.30pm	<i>St Anthony</i> <i>St. Anthony</i> <i>Holy Family</i>	Funeral Mass: Lucia La'Velle	<i>Stations of the Cross</i> <i>Exposition &amp; Holy Communion</i>
Sat: 6.00pm	<i>St. Anthony</i>	Theresa Crook	
Sun 9.30am 11.00am	<i>St. Anthony</i> <i>Holy Family</i>	Patrick Fortune For our Parish	<i>2nd Sunday in Lent</i>

**Last Weekend:** Offertory £786.62 Attendance: 241 (6.00pm: 109, 9.30am 132)  
Thank you for your continued generosity.

### Masses received this week:

George Keane, Theresa Crook, Denis Towers, Patrick Fortune, Catherine Holmes, Joan Wane, Frances Copp.

### Sacrament of Confirmation

Bishop Paul will be coming to administer the Sacrament of Confirmation on Thursday 4th July at 6.30pm. Any young people in Year 7 and above may apply. Young people in Our Lady's High school will be contacted direct around Easter.

**Please pray for the following:** Joan Anderton, Francis Parkinson, Bill Embery, Judith Holman, Chris Goldsmith, Teresa Clarkson, Theresa Crook, Frances & Les Farrer, Betty Murphy, Marie Gardner, Frank & Norah Stanton and Lawrence Dunnagan;

**... for those who have died recently:** Frances Copp, Joan Wane, Lucia La'Velle;

**... and for those whose anniversaries are around now:** Charlotte Snam, John Cooke, Dorothy Pickles, Bert Smith, John & Lucy Swarbrick, George Keane, Luke Kehoe, Maureen Berry, Imelda Salisbury, Joan Taylor, Alan Kenny.

We keep in our prayers those who have been injured or lost their lives in conflict, especially those from our parish.

## LENT

**Stations of the Cross.** Every Friday in St. Anthony's at 6pm.

**'Lent in the Minster'**- The annual talks will take place on Monday evenings during Lent but this year they will be at Central Methodist Church, Lune Street, starting at 7.20pm for 7.30pm until 9.00pm.

### **St. Anthony's project - "Genesis to Jesus"**

- our Lent course giving an opportunity to deepen knowledge of the Bible started last Thursday. You can follow the free 6 week course in your own time or join a small group each Thursday evening to watch the videos together. Meet in the Presbytery at 7.00pm. Contact Jackie Stopyra on jackie.stopyra@gmail.com or 07934 667292. Sign up for the course at the St Paul Center, USA - <https://stpaulcenter.com/>

**Ignatian Lent Retreat -** At Xaverian Missionary Spirituality Centre (Tabor) on 6 Tuesdays in Lent from 7.30—9.00pm. Details from [rose.mccrave@outlook.com](mailto:rose.mccrave@outlook.com) 07866 736067.

### **Catholic Miracle Rally (North) - this weekend**

From 10.00am Sat 9th– Sun 10th March at Our Lady's High School. Organised by Cor et Lumen. Speakers include Bishop Paul. \*poster and fliers

### **Parish Leadership Group**

Thanks for all the completed questionnaires. These are being collated and a summary will be produced. Today is the last day to return questionnaires.

### **St Anthony's ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY**

Raffle Tickets will be available at the back of church this weekend in aid of the National St Vincent de Paul Society (£1 a ticket £5 per book) with large cash prizes for the winners. St Anthony's St Vincent De Paul thank you for your continued support.

### **Rwanda Group Trust**

Can you spare 3 hours a week (or more)? The RGT in Preston urgently needs helpers for its charity shop in the city centre. You will be working in a supportive team raising money for the education, health, food and shelter of the very poorest communities in Rwanda. No experience necessary. Contact: Veronica Sanders (07715077630)

### **Discernment Day for the Priesthood in the Diocese of Lancaster**

Young Catholic men (16+) in the Diocese are invited to discern and reflect on this vocation. Come and see on Saturday 30th March at St Joseph's Church, Lancaster, LA1 2HU. The Day begins with Mass at 10.00am and concludes at 2.00pm. For more information please contact Fr D Etienne on 01253 762227 at: [frdanieletienne@gmail.com](mailto:frdanieletienne@gmail.com)

### **Lourdes 2019 Pilgrimage**

- to coincide with the Lancaster Diocesan Pilgrimage, from 25th July—3rd August, by coach. See poster or ring Bernadette Roberts on 07443 639364 for booking form.

### **Castlerigg Youth Centre News**

Lourdes is a great opportunity for our young people to spend time away with others and discover in a new way the joy of faith. For so many, this has been the pilgrimage that has changed their lives. For young people (aged 15+, year 10 and above), to book with us. We are also looking for adult leaders to come with us for Lourdes. For adults coming with the youth section, the price is £420. To find out more please get in touch.