

**Introduction:** The journey to our heavenly home is a journey of faith. We gather as a community of those who believe, giving thanks for the treasure that we have received, committing ourselves to pass it on to those who come after us.

**First Reading** Wisdom 18:6-9 - The people expected the virtuous to be saved and their enemies to be punished.

**Second Reading** Hebrews 11:1-2. 8-19

It was faith in God's promises that enabled Abraham to leave his home in search of a new city founded, designed and built by God.

**Gospel** Luke 12:32-48 - Faithful servants are ready for the master's return.

Please pray for all whose anniversaries occur about this time:

**AUGUST**

**13** Elizabeth Evelyn Bernie, Nigel Mark Whalley **14** Jack Valentine

**15** John Bisby **17** Ellen Gray

	<b>St Andrew's</b>	<b>St Mary's</b>
<b>Attendance/Collection</b>	182 / £639.36	55 / £141.80

**Join the parish's SVP group – we need you** To find out more contact us on SVP email: [svp@standrewscottam.org.uk](mailto:svp@standrewscottam.org.uk) or come along to our regular meetings. New members always welcome

**SVP Request for Help** – If parishioners know of anyone who would like a visit or any help in any way all they need to do is contact the parish SVP by emailing us or put a note in an envelope in the box marked 'SVP REQUEST'. All information will be kept confidential.

**Sick or Housebound** – If you are sick, housebound or in hospital please ask your family to inform Canon Adrian, so that he can arrange for you to be visited and, if you wish, to receive Holy Communion.

**Parishes of  
St Andrew & Blessed George Haydock, Cottam,  
and St Mary, Lea Town.**

**19<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time  
11<sup>th</sup> August 2019**

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Baptisms and Marriages by Arrangement.

The Sacrament of Reconciliation Saturday (4.30pm to 5pm) or on request.  
Please call in to the Presbytery or speak to Canon Adrian before or after Mass.

**WEBSITE: [www.standrewscottam.org.uk](http://www.standrewscottam.org.uk)**

The Diocesan Safeguarding Coordinator

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In this you glorified us  
whom you summoned.

Wisdom 18:8

**SATURDAY 10<sup>th</sup> August**

5.30pm (St Andrew's) Vigil Cissy McNally (6387)

**SUNDAY 11<sup>th</sup> August**

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9.00am (St Mary's) Departed Souls in SABS Congregation (6508)

10.30am (St Andrew's) People of the Parish

6.00pm (St Andrew's) John Hines (6517)

**MONDAY 12<sup>th</sup> August St. Jane Frances de Chantal (Opt. Memorial)**

9.15am (St Andrew's) Terry Entwistle – Recently Deceased (6515)

**TUESDAY 13<sup>th</sup> August – NO MASS**

**WEDNESDAY 14<sup>th</sup> August - St. Maximilian Kolbe (Memorial)**

9.15am (St Andrew's) Bridget Hampsey (6388)

**THURSDAY 15<sup>th</sup> August**

**Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Solemnity)**

**Holy Day of Obligation**

**9.15am (St Andrew's)** People of the Parish

**7.00pm (St Andrew's)** John Rider Bisby (Anniversary) (6509)

**FRIDAY 16<sup>th</sup> August**

**St. Stephen of Hungry (Opt. Memorial)**

9.15am (St Andrew's) Norah M<sup>c</sup>Mahon (6389)

**SATURDAY 17<sup>th</sup> August**

9.15am (St Andrew's) NO MASS

5.30pm (St Andrew's) Betty O'Neill (6390)

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament at St Mary's** Monday to Friday from 10am to 4pm. St Mary's will be open at these times and anyone who wishes to pay a visit and spend some time in prayer are most welcome.

**Mass Intentions** All Mass offerings and intentions are most welcome. If you require a Mass on a particular day, please let Canon Adrian know or place the intention, offering and details in an envelope on the collection plate at the back of church.

**HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION** This Thursday is the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, a Holyday of Obligation to attend Mass. Masses are at 9.15am and 7.00pm, both at St Andrew's.

**Wishing everyone a safe and happy Summer Holiday**

Please take care and have an enjoyable break.

**St Mary's and St Andrew's** No Children's Liturgy during the month of August. It will begin again on Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> September.

**Friday Adoration and Sunday afternoon Devotions** at St Andrew's have now finished for the summer. We will resume in September.

**Congratulations** to the winners in the July 100 Club Draw:

**£100 Prize** No 19 M Devine

**£50 Prize** No 32 Canon Adrian **£25 Prize** No 13 M. Brierley

**Chat & Play** (St Andrew's) meet at 10.00am Fridays (term time only).

**Seekers Youth Group** St Mary's, Lea Town each Friday (Term Time Only) 4pm to 5.30pm. Now taking a break for the summer holidays.

**Youth 2000 Walsingham 2019** 22- 26 August 2019 (Age 16 to 35, under 16's welcome with parent or guardian). Coach from diocese £40.00, Festival Ticket £95.00 (camping, food and admission included) when booked through Castlerigg Manor. [www.castleriggmanor.co.uk](http://www.castleriggmanor.co.uk)

**The Big Walk (Age 16+)** – Friday 6<sup>th</sup> Sept to Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> Sept. Join us for a weekend of friendship, fun and faith, as we walk on pilgrimage together. For more info visit [www.castleriggmanor.co.uk](http://www.castleriggmanor.co.uk).

**LANCASTER YOUTH - YOUR VOICE** 14<sup>th</sup> September 10.30am to 2.30pm at Our Lady's Catholic College, Morecambe Road, Lancaster LA1 2RX. A day of listening with Bishop Paul and the Diocesan Youth Service. We want your opinion on how we can best serve young people in life and faith. For more info visit [www.castleriggmanor.co.uk](http://www.castleriggmanor.co.uk).

**The Journey to Canonisation** John Henry Newman will be Canonised on 13<sup>th</sup> October 2019 in Rome. He will be the first recognised English Saint in over 300 years. There are details of his life and canonisation on [www.newmancanonisation.com](http://www.newmancanonisation.com)