



**THE PARISH OF OUR LADY AND ST PHILIP NERI**  
**Immaculate Heart of Mary ▪ Lobley Hill**  
**St Mary ▪ Whickham**  
**St Philip Neri ▪ Dunston**



The John Ingram Partnership  
 Diocese of Hexham and Newcastle

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'Both apostles share the same feast day, for these two were one;....Let us embrace what they believed, their life, their labours, their sufferings, their preaching, and their confession of faith.'

*From a sermon of St Augustine of Hippo, 395 AD*

*The Parish Secretary, Julie Hindmarsh, is available in the Parish Office this week **Tuesday – Thursday, 10am - 2pm**  
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**Sunday 30 June 2019**

**SAINT PETER AND SAINT PAUL, APOSTLES**

**YEAR C**

**MASS AND SERVICE TIMES**

Saturday 29 June *The Immaculate Heart of Mary*

<b>Vigil Mass</b>	<b>5.30pm</b>	<b>St Philip Neri</b>	Michael David Almond
<b>Sunday 30 June</b>	<b>9.30am</b>	<b>St Mary</b>	Joe Welsh (ann.)
<b>SS Peter and Paul, Apostles</b>	<b>11.00am</b>	<b>Immaculate Heart</b>	People of the Parish

*Weekday Readings: Ordinary Time Week 13, Year 1*

Monday 1 July	9.15am	Immaculate Heart	<i>Service of the Word and Holy Communion</i>
Tuesday 2 July	6.30pm	Immaculate Heart	Bill McPhee (dec.)
Wednesday 3 July <i>St Thomas, Apostle</i>	10.00am	St Philip Neri	Mary (Maureen) Fagan (dec.)
Thursday 4 July	9.30am	St Mary	Terry Gardiner (dec.)
Friday 5 July	10.00am	St Mary	<i>Service of the Word and Holy Communion</i>

Saturday 6 July

<b>Vigil Mass</b>	<b>5.30pm</b>	<b>St Philip Neri</b>	Kathleen Cailey (ann.)
<b>Sunday 7 July</b>	<b>9.30am</b>	<b>St Mary</b>	The Lytton & Drummond Families (dec.)
<b>Fourteenth Sunday of the Year</b>	<b>11.00am</b>	<b>Immaculate Heart</b>	People of the Parish

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION**

Saturday at St Philip Neri 5.00pm - 5.20pm Tuesday at immaculate Heart 6.10pm - 6.25pm



Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 9.30am at St Mary

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK:** Matty Bullock, Raymond Deponio, Pat Flynn, Barney Hayes, Maria Thi Kien Chiene Le, John Leitch, Peter McLoughlin, Pauline Mulholland, Astrid Muse (Gower), Joseph Relph, Geoff Taylor, Ken Webster.

***If you or any members of your family are going into hospital and would like to see the Catholic Chaplain, please ask a member of the ward staff to let the Catholic Chaplain know. For the Queen Elizabeth Hospital, you can contact the Chaplaincy Department Office directly, tel. 0191 445 2072 (Catholic Chaplain: Rev. Peter Jones). For the RVI and Freeman Hospitals in Newcastle, tel. 0191 233 6161 (Catholic Chaplain: Fr Mariadass 0191 265 5290).***

**RETIRING COLLECTION** This weekend there is a retiring collection at all Masses for **Peter's Pence** which supports the charitable work of the Holy Father and the Holy See.

**THE RED MISSION BOXES** collection is now due in each of our three churches. Please could all monies be paid in by Sunday 14 July. Thank you.

**SENIOR MOMENTS** The next Senior Moments event will be this **Wednesday 3 July at 11.30am** in St Mary's Parish Hall. The theme is "American Independence Day" and we also have a 20 minute "Sitting Zumba" session if you're up for it, or just to watch. Through your attendance and enjoyment we are able to support local charities. Recently we have been able to donate £250 to the People's Kitchen in Newcastle. It's a Win/Win situation! All Welcome!

**PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY** The next meeting will be held on **Tuesday 9 July at 1.30pm** in the Weekday Chapel at Immaculate Heart Church. If you enjoy knitting or crocheting, or if you are interested in what we hope to do with this ministry, please come along. We would welcome names of people in our parish who might benefit from receiving a prayer shawl. For further information please contact Joan McCoy tel. 0191 488 4395.

**IMMACULATE HEART COFFEE MORNING** A Coffee Morning will be held at Immaculate Heart Church on **Saturday 13 July 2019 from 10am - 12.30pm** - ALL WELCOME! Tea, coffee and biscuits will be on sale for £1. There will be a Raffle, Cake Stall, and Mystery Tombola. Donations for the Cake Stall and Raffle Prizes would be greatly appreciated. Raffle tickets will be on sale at the back of each church. All monies raised in aid of *Gift for Life* and H.C.P.T.

**CATHOLIC CERTIFICATE IN RELIGIOUS STUDIES (CCRS) 2019-2020** The Catholic Certificate in Religious Studies is managed and awarded by the Board of Religious Studies on behalf of the Bishops' Conference of England and Wales. The programme seeks to ensure that participants have a basic understanding of the central beliefs of the Catholic faith. This programme is available for catechists, lay leaders and other adults wishing to deepen their understanding of the Catholic faith and Catholic education, serving teachers in Catholic and other schools, and teachers in training preparing to take up posts in Catholic schools. The CCRS course programme is now available for 2019-2020 and there is a short presentation shown on the Diocesan website: [www.edurcdhnorg.uk/courses/courses\\_ccrs.php](http://www.edurcdhnorg.uk/courses/courses_ccrs.php)

If anyone would like further information, please contact Eamonn Diffley at the Diocese of Hexham and Newcastle, Department for Education on 0191 243 3313 or email [education@diocesehn.org.uk](mailto:education@diocesehn.org.uk)

**JOHN INGRAM PARTNERSHIP AFTERNOON TEA WITH ST WILFRID'S GATESHEAD** Following the success of last year's Afternoon Tea at Whickham, we decided it was important to repeat the event this year at an alternative venue. This time we will be joining in with St Wilfrid's annual afternoon tea and extend a very warm invitation to ALL parishioners, across our Partnership, to come along and join in the fun on **Sunday 7 July from 2pm to 4pm**. PLEASE try to make the effort to come along. It is a 'Bring and Share' tea and you don't have to be Mary Berry as anything home cooked or shop bought will be gratefully received. There will be live entertainment, raffle, a number of stalls - tombola, Good-as-New, Piety, Books/DVD/CD and Benediction will follow. Tea, Coffee and juice will be on sale. **There is also a colouring competition for children** - *please pick up a colouring sheet from the back of church, write your name on the back and bring it on the day. Under 6 years – picture of the flowers, 6 – 11 years the picture of the teapot.* It really should be a wonderful afternoon, friends to catch up with (both old and new) and some sunshine (please God). Last year every parish was represented and we all had a wonderful afternoon, so please let us repeat that success - come along for some enjoyment, friendship and yummy cakes.

#### **JOHN INGRAM PRIEST AND MARTYR 1565 - 1594**

In his new book, Fr Zielinski provides the background to the tempest of the Protestant Reformation in England and its impact on the spiritual, social and cultural dimensions of society, including on Tyneside, in order to situate the coming into the country of the seminary priests, such as John Ingram, who had trained abroad and who had to live hunted lives in Elizabethan England which had become a police state with an elaborate spy-network. The book encourages the general reader to delve more deeply into the findings of Professor Eamon Duffy and Clare (Lady) Asquith, who argue for a more multi-dimensional reading of this period in English history, in contrast to the one-dimensional Protestant version of events in Tudor England. Some of John Ingram's letters and epigrams are included in the book, as well as a photocopy of his student entry and his signature in the *Liber Rubra* of the English College in Rome, courtesy of Professor Maurice Whitehead, the Schwarzenbach Research Fellow, acting as Archivist in the Archivum Venerabilis Collegii Anglorum de Urbe (The Venerable English College) in Rome.

**Copies of the book (£5.99) are available in our three churches and at Pauline Books and Media, St Mary's Cathedral.**

**SAYING GOODBYE SERVICE 2019** This is a Service for anyone who has lost a baby, in pregnancy, at birth or in early years, whether the loss was today or 80 years ago. Those who grieve a pregnancy never even taken place are also welcome. The Service will be held in Sunderland Minster this Sunday 30 June 2019 at 3pm. For further information about the Service, please visit the website [www.sayinggoodbye.org](http://www.sayinggoodbye.org).

## EVENTS AT MINSTERACRES

**Three Day Walking Retreat - Minsteracres team** Three days with walks of eight to ten miles through the beautiful countryside around Minsteracres. Every day starts with a reflection. You will need suitable walking boots and weatherproof clothing. This walking retreat will be held from Tuesday 9 July at 10am to Thursday 11 July at 5pm. There is a suggested donation of £135. For further information please visit

<http://www.minsteracres.org/retreats/three-day-walking-retreat-3>

**THE NEWMAN ASSOCIATION 'Children of Abraham' – Interfaith Topics.** This weekend will take place from Saturday 13 July to Sunday 14 July at The Bar Convent, York. The total cost is £70 (students half price) and includes lunches and refreshments. For details of speakers please see the poster at the back of church. For further details and to book a place, please visit [www.jesuit.org.uk/living-theology-york-2019](http://www.jesuit.org.uk/living-theology-york-2019) or email. [Tpi.egerton@virgin.net](mailto:Tpi.egerton@virgin.net) tel. 01642 645 732.

**DEMENTIA CAFÉ AT ST MARY'S CATHEDRAL** Thank you to everyone who has come along to the new Dementia Café at St Mary's Cathedral. The Dementia Café runs every week on a Tuesday from 10am to 12noon at The Mercy Project, St Mary's Cathedral, Neville Street Newcastle upon Tyne NE1 5HH.

We understand that transport can be difficult when you are with someone living with dementia. Therefore we have secured funding to help cover the costs of a taxi to bring you the Café and return you home safely.

### What does a Dementia Café do?

A Dementia Café provides a safe and supportive place to:

- Discuss your own dementia diagnosis, or someone else's, and think about what it means for the future.
- Get answers and meet and learn from other people in similar situations.
- Keep active, make new friends and feel more confident.

For more information please contact tel. 07904 881430 or email [joe.kirwin@themercuryproject.org.uk](mailto:joe.kirwin@themercuryproject.org.uk)

**THE CARDINAL HUME MEMORIAL LECTURE 2019** will be on Thursday 11 July at 7pm in St Mary's Cathedral, Newcastle upon Tyne. This year's lecture, entitled ***A migrant, pilgrimage people - how the Catholic revival shaped the Church today***, will be given by Catherine Pepinster, Religious Correspondent and former editor of *The Tablet*. Entrance is free and all are welcome.

**DIOCESAN VACANCIES** The Diocese of Hexham and Newcastle has the following vacancies:

- Refugee Project Worker, Department for Justice and Peace, Newcastle - 8 hours per week, 6 month fixed term contract. Closing date: 30 June.
- Parish Secretary, Our Lady Star of the Sea, Backworth, West Monkseaton and Whitley Bay - 18 hours per week, 12 month fixed term contract. Closing date: 3 July 2019.
- Data Input Clerk, Department for Safeguarding, Newcastle - full or part-time, flexible hours of work, temporary contract.

For further information and details of how to apply, please visit the diocesan website [www.rcdhn.org.uk](http://www.rcdhn.org.uk) or email [humanresources@diocesehn.org.uk](mailto:humanresources@diocesehn.org.uk) or tel. 0191 243 3301.

**ITEMS FOR THE NEWSLETTER** Please type or write the item with as much detail as possible (i.e. description of the event or notice, dates, times, venue, contact person, links to further information) and then either email to [stmarysphilip@aol.co.uk](mailto:stmarysphilip@aol.co.uk) or post through the presbytery letterbox at Immaculate Heart **by 10am on Thursday 4 July at the latest.**

### Partnership Prayer



Risen Christ,  
from your abundant grace,  
pour out afresh your Holy Spirit upon our Diocese.  
As we build on the deep foundations of faith  
laid by the countless saints of these Northern lands,  
by Aidan and Cuthbert, Hilda and Bede,  
may our Partnerships continue the mission  
of building your Kingdom on the earth:  
to give living witness to your love,  
and to your compassion and hope for our world.  
We pray in trustful confidence  
that your power working in us  
can do infinitely more than we can ask or imagine.  
Who live and reign for ever and ever.  
Amen.

**First Reading***Acts of the Apostles 12:1-11*

King Herod started persecuting certain members of the Church. He beheaded James the brother of John, and when he saw that this pleased the Jews he decided to arrest Peter as well. This was during the days of Unleavened Bread, and he put Peter in prison, assigning four squads of four soldiers each to guard him in turns. Herod meant to try Peter in public after the end of Passover week. All the time Peter was under guard the Church prayed to God for him unremittingly.

On the night before Herod was to try him, Peter was sleeping between two soldiers, fastened with double chains, while guards kept watch at the main entrance to the prison. Then suddenly the angel of the Lord stood there, and the cell was filled with light. He tapped Peter on the side and woke him. 'Get up!' he said 'Hurry!' – and the chains fell from his hands. The angel then said, 'Put on your belt and sandals.' After he had done this, the angel next said, 'Wrap your cloak round you and follow me.' Peter followed him, but had no idea that what the angel did was all happening in reality; he thought he was seeing a vision. They passed through two guard posts one after the other, and reached the iron gate leading to the city. This opened of its own accord; they went through it and had walked the whole length of one street when suddenly the angel left him. It was only then that Peter came to himself. 'Now I know it is all true,' he said. 'The Lord really did send his angel and has saved me from Herod and from all that the Jewish people were so certain would happen to me.'

The word of the Lord

**Thanks be to God.**

**Responsorial Psalm***Psalm 33:2-9. R/ v.5.*

**Response: The angel of the Lord rescues those who revere him.**

1. I will bless the Lord at all times.  
his praise always on my lips;  
in the Lord my soul shall make its boast.  
The humble shall hear and be glad.
2. Glorify the Lord with me.  
Together let us praise his name.  
I sought the Lord and he answered me;  
from all my terrors he set me free.
3. Look towards him and be radiant;  
let your faces not be abashed.  
This poor man called; the Lord heard him  
and rescued him from all his distress.
4. The angel of the Lord is encamped  
around those who revere him, to rescue them.  
Taste and see that the Lord is good.  
He is happy who seeks refuge in him.

**Second Reading***II Timothy 4:6-8, 17-18*

My life is already being poured away as a libation, and the time has come for me to be gone. I have fought the good fight to the end; I have run the race to the finish; I have kept the faith; all there is to come now is the crown of righteousness reserved for me, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will give to me on that Day; and not only to me but to all those who have longed for his Appearing. The Lord stood by me and gave me power, so that through me the whole message might be proclaimed for all the pagans to hear; and so I was rescued from the lion's mouth. The Lord will rescue me from all evil attempts on me, and bring me safely to his heavenly kingdom. To him be glory for ever and ever. Amen.

The word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

**Gospel Acclamation***Matthew 16:18*

Alleluia, alleluia!

You are Peter and on this rock I will build my church. And the gates of the underworld can never hold out against it. Alleluia!

**Gospel***Matthew 16:13-19*

The Lord be with you.

**And with your spirit.**

A reading from the Holy Gospel according to Luke.

**Glory to you, O Lord.**

When Jesus came to the region of Caesarea Philippi he put this question to his disciples, 'Who do people say the Son of Man is?' And they said, 'Some say he is John the Baptist, some Elijah, and others Jeremiah or one of the prophets.' 'But you,' he said 'who do you say I am?' Then Simon Peter spoke up, 'You are the Christ,' he said 'the Son of the living God.' Jesus replied, 'Simon son of Jonah, you are a happy man! Because it was not flesh and blood that revealed this to you but my Father in heaven. So I now say to you: You are Peter and on this rock I will build my Church. And the gates of the underworld can never hold out against it. I will give you the keys of the kingdom of heaven: whatever you bind on earth shall be considered bound in heaven; whatever you loose on earth shall be considered loosed in heaven.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

**Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**