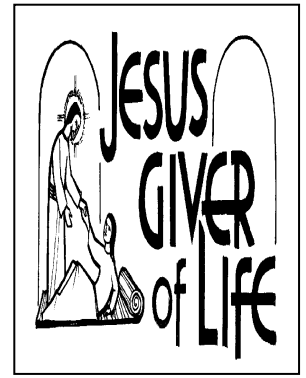




OUR LADY & ST PHILIP NERI

PARISH NEWSLETTER

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Sunday 17th July 2016
16th Sunday of the Year

MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS

16th Sunday of the Year

Vigil Saturday 16 th	5.30pm	St Philip's	Private Intention
	12.00noon	St Philip's	Wedding Service
			for Christopher Michael Marshall & Nicole Margaret Anderson
Sunday 17 th	9.30am	St Mary's	Kevin Riley (Dec)
	11.00am	Immaculate Heart	Rosa & Andy Caffrey (Dec)
Monday 18 th	9.15am	Immaculate Heart	Celebration of the Word & Holy Communion
Tuesday 19 th	7.00pm	Immaculate Heart	John McDine (Dec)
Wednesday 20 th	10.00am	St Philip's	School Staff & Children
Thursday 21 st	9.30am	St Mary's	Paul Anthony Richardson
Friday 22 nd	10.00am	St Mary's	Kathleen Francis Brennan (Anniversary)

17th Sunday of the Year

Vigil Saturday 23 rd	5.30pm	St Philip's	James Rouse (Dec)
Sunday 24 th	9.30am	St Mary's	Rosa & Andy Caffrey (Dec)
	11.00am	Immaculate Heart	Sr Mary Colette (Dec)

Feast Days This Week

Monday – St. Apollinaris; Thursday- St. Lawrence of Brindisi; Friday – St. Mary Magdalene;
 Saturday- St Bridget of Sweden, Patron of Europe

Diocesan 'Forward Together in Hope' Prayer (3 Year Review Programme)

This prayer will be said by the parish at the end of each Mass

Glory be to the Father – in whom we live and move and have our being.

Glory be to the Son – whose name we bear and who calls each of us to be his disciples; to build his Kingdom and to go out into the world and bear its fruit.

Glory be to the Holy Spirit – pouring out grace and guidance, forming us and renewing us.

Inspire us all in the Diocese of Hexham and Newcastle to live the Gospel, be open to change and move forward together in hope. Amen.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION Saturday at St Philip's Church 4.45pm – 5.15pm, Tuesday's Immaculate Heart Church 6.30pm – 7.00pm and St Mary's Church Friday 9.30am – 10.00am.

SICK AND IN NEED OF PRAYER Please pray for William Weaver, Marjorie Gray, James Roach, David Roach, Luke Roach, Emily Keane, Bernadette Kebell, Christine Taylor, Terry Gardner, Alan Crame, Pauline Mulholland, Margaret Lyddieth, Sheila Rickerby, Susan Wall, Paul Leonard, Kathleen Bruce, Peter McLoughlin, Josie O'Keefe, Isaac Dawson (aged 5), Edna Murray, Margaret Woodhall, Ray Deponio, Astrid Muse (Gower), Ann Camozzi, Mary Melia, Lesley Gough, Susan Walker, John Collier, Kai Thompson (9 months), Diana Bambrough, Monica Meaney. *Our Lady of the sick. Pray for them.*

RECENTLY DECEASED. Please pray for all those who have died and were injured in the Nice terrorist attack. May Government Leaders and Church Leaders be guided to help us all build a better world, where peace and tolerance amongst people will reign. Our Lady Queen of Peace. Pray for us. Amen.

CONGRATULATIONS TO Agnes Martha Wheatley, Jayden Robert Betteridge and Jessica Charlton who will be baptised at St Mary's today.

FORTHCOMING EVENTS...

LORD, TEACH ME TO PRAY. This is being held at St. Andrew's Parish Room, Worswick Street, Newcastle. For those people wishing to explore and experience contemplative and creative ways to pray. The date is: Tuesday 19th July between 10:00 am. To 11:30 a.m. Booking and further information available from Department for Spirituality 0191 2433302 or email address: spirituality@diocesehn.org.uk

AFTERNOON TEA As stated last week due to the cancellation of the Indian Night, an afternoon tea will take place instead, on Sunday 17th July at 3.30pm. It is to be held in St Mary's Hall & St Mary's Primary School grounds. There will be a small minimum charge of £4 per ticket plus a bargain family ticket for 2 adults & 2 children priced at £12. **Please bring your entrance ticket with you on the day as there will be a surprise draw.** Also at the event, tickets will be available to purchase, which can then be exchanged for glasses of Bucks Fizz and wine. The raffle, which has approx. £1000 worth of prizes, will still go ahead - please continue to buy tickets. We thought this might be a more appealing event for all – cakes, scones, tea, good company, chat, fun, children's laughter and a sunny day! Please support our Parish event. Any willing volunteers to bake scones, cakes, biscuits, muffins etc. would be greatly appreciated.

MISSIONARIES OF CHARITY Invite everyone to Holy Mass in thanksgiving for the canonization of our foundress, Blessed Teresa of Calcutta, Saturday 23rd July, 11.30am at St Robert's Church, Cedar Road, Fenham. Thank you. *Sisters Elswick Convent, Newcastle.*

DIOCESE OF HEXHAM AND NEWCASTLE Voices of Mercy - 'Visit the Imprisoned', Wednesday 27th July 2016 at 7:00pm, English Martyr's Church, Stamfordham Road, Newcastle. Come and hear Rachel and Liz, representing, Open Gate talk about 'supporting women leaving prison.' Listen to Fr. Chris Hughes, prison chaplain, give a talk about his experiences working in prisons. For further information please contact Department for Spirituality 0191 2433302/email spirituality@diocesehn.org.uk

MASS OF THANKSGIVING To celebrate 150 years of their presence in Newcastle, The Little Sisters of the Poor will be holding a Mass of Thanksgiving at Saint Mary's RC Cathedral at 11am on Saturday 3rd September. A reception will follow the Mass. For booking and further information: 0191 2731279 or ms.newcastle@lslondon.co.uk

APF- MILL HILL MISSION THANK YOU & APPEAL This will take place next weekend at all the Masses when we welcome Fr John Conroy MHM to our parish. Thank you to all parishioners who already support this wonderful Association through the Red Boxes. If you have not yet thought of doing so, perhaps this thank you & appeal might persuade you to think about doing so. Please see the poster at the back for more details.

FR JEFF'S TESTIMONIAL & LEAVING CELEBRATION. Father Jeff's last Sunday in our parish will be on Sunday 21st August, after the morning Masses and a wedding at 1.00pm. To send Fr Jeff on his way, there will be a Leaving Celebration on Friday 19th August. The evening will begin with Holy Mass (In Thanksgiving to Parishioners Living & Deceased) at 7.00pm, and then a shared table all at St Mary's Church, Whickham. Please come along and enjoy the company on this special occasion.

Fr Jeff's Testimonial Envelopes will be given out at Mass for you to contribute to a thank you gift. Please have all envelopes in by Sunday 14th August. Thank you, Katie Wilkinson (Chair of Parish Pastoral Council).

GENERAL INFORMATION...

ADVANCE NOTICE FOR PARISH VOLUNTEERS The Diocese has been carrying out an update of all parishes with volunteers who have a CRB (now DBS) Certificate. They have now reached St. Mary's Whickham on their list. Please be aware that parish volunteers will soon be receiving information from the Diocese as to what is required. Thank you, Mary McMillan – Parish Safeguarding Rep.

ITEMS FOR THE BULLETIN If you would like a notice put in the bulletin, please have them in by Wednesday evening at the latest. Either email to stmarysphilip@aol.co.uk or post through the letterbox at Immaculate Heart.