



'Whoever does the will of God is brother and sister and mother to me.'

Mark 3:35

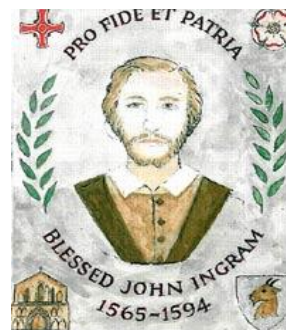
THE PARISH OF OUR LADY AND ST PHILIP NERI
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Sunday 10 June 2018

Tenth Sunday of the Year

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MASS AND SERVICE TIMES

Saturday 9 June *The Immaculate Heart of Mary*

Vigil Mass

5.30pm St Philip Neri

Tom & Jenny Wilkinson (Golden Ann.)

Sunday 10 June

9.30am St Mary

Joe Welsh (dec.)

Tenth Sunday of the Year

11.00am Immaculate Heart

People of the Parish

Weekday Readings: Ordinary Time Week 10, Year 2

Monday 11 June *St Barnabas*

12 noon St Philip Neri

Funeral Service for Muriel Young RIP

Tuesday 12 June

6.30pm Immaculate Heart

Living & deceased of the Arkless family

Wednesday 13 June *St Anthony of Padua*

10.00am St Philip Neri

Priest's Intention

Thursday 14 June

9.30am St Mary

Tom Airey (dec.)

Friday 15 June

10.00am St Mary

Private Intention

Saturday 16 June

10.00am St Mary

First Holy Communion Mass

Vigil Mass

5.30pm St Philip Neri

People of the Parish

Sunday 17 June

9.30am St Mary

John and Elizabeth Arnold (dec.)

Eleventh Sunday of the Year

11.00am Immaculate Heart

Wilf Corrigan (dec.)

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday at St Philip Neri 5.05pm - 5.20pm

Tuesday at Immaculate Heart 6.10pm - 6.25pm Friday at St Mary 9.10am - 9.25am



Rosary and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Wednesday 9.30am at St Philip Neri

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Friday 9.30am at St Mary

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK: Marjorie Gray, James Roach, David Roach, Luke Roach, Christine Taylor, Terry Gardner, Pauline Mulholland, Sheila Rickerby, Susan Wall, Paul Leonard, Kathleen Bruce, Peter McLoughlin, Ray Deponio, Astrid Muse (Gower), Ann Camozzi, Lesley Gough, Susan Walker, Kai Thompson, Monica Meaney, Tammie Blair, Kathleen Buxton, Liz McKenna, Fr Jim Doherty, Bernard Lyons, Geoff Taylor, Kathleen Cailey, Ken Webster, Winnie Easton, Joanne Maclean, Pat Flynn, Barney Hayes, Brigid Rankin, Joe Oxley, Helen Coulson, Samuel O'Reilly.

If you or 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.

BAPTISMS IN THE PARISH This Sunday we welcome into the Family of the Church Jack Paul Martin Wright, Harriet Smith, Thea Elizabeth Anne Mearns and John Mearns who are being Baptised at St Mary's Church, Whickham.

RECENTLY DECEASED Please remember in your prayers Muriel Young who died recently and whose Funeral Service will be at St Philip Neri Church on Monday 11 June 2018 at 11.30am (celebrant: Fr Kevin Daly). May she rest in peace. Amen.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION Please remember in your prayers the children from St Mary's School who will celebrate their First Holy Communion during 10am Mass next Saturday 16 June at St Mary's Church.

DAY FOR LIFE is the day in the Church's year dedicated to raising awareness about the meaning and value of human life at every stage and in every condition. The Church teaches that life is to be nurtured from conception to natural death. **This year's Day for Life is celebrated next Sunday 17 June and a retiring collection will be taken at all Masses next weekend** to support the work of the Anscombe Bioethics Centre and other life-related activities supported by the Catholic Church in England and Wales.

COFFEE MORNING A Coffee Morning will be held in Immaculate Heart Church **on Saturday 23 June from 10am to 12.30pm**, including tea/coffee and biscuits for £1. There will be a raffle (tickets for sale now at the back of all 3 churches), a cake stall, mystery tombola and various others. Donations of prizes and items for the cake stall would be very much appreciated. All proceeds will be equally divided between HCPT Group 41 & Balamma Satram Indian Mission. All are welcome.

NEW STANDING ORDER MANDATES There are still a few parishioners who contribute to the parish income (and/or *Gift for Life*) by standing order who have not yet completed the new standing order mandate which is required for the new parish of Our Lady and St Philip Neri. If you haven't yet done so, please use the forms in the named envelopes which you collected from the back of church a few weeks ago or which you received in the post.

OUR LADY AND ST PHILIP NERI: THREE CHURCHES...

...ONE PARISH See your invitation poster at the entrance of the church! Come and join in the celebrations on **Friday 6 July, beginning at 6.30pm** with a Mass of Thanksgiving in Immaculate Heart of Mary Church, including the Induction of Fr Peter as Parish Priest. After Mass, there will be a "Prosecco Reception" as a toast to our new parish, together with a buffet, music and good company.

To ensure we can all enjoy the evening, a marquee will be erected in the church grounds and the school children from St Mary, Whickham and St Philip Neri, Dunston are preparing decorations to make it look extra special. **Please help us by providing food for the buffet.** There is a sheet of paper at the entrance of each church which lists suggested food types which we hope will suit everyone and make preparation easier. Please write your name against the option(s) you are happy to provide.

On the day - If you can, please indicate what the food is, (e.g. "does not contain meat/fish", "free from gluten", "contains nuts" etc), cut it into portions and provide in disposable containers, foil, or clingfilm - doing this will be really helpful, especially for clearing up. Bring your food donation to the marquee on your way to Mass. **Tea, Coffee and juice will be provided** however if you wish to bring anything stronger for your own use or to share, feel free to do so! Plastic glasses will be available. **We look forward to seeing you and thank you for your help!**

CHRISTIAN AID We have received a letter of thanks from Christian Aid for the recent donation of £44.50. The donation will go towards helping communities to have a plan in place for when a typhoon approaches. Thank you for your generosity.

THE JOHN INGRAM PARTNERSHIP DEVELOPMENT PLAN - AN INVITATION! This is an exciting opportunity for all parishioners to become involved in developing our Partnership for the future

A 'one-off' meeting is to be held on **Saturday 16 June at Corpus Christi, Kelvin Grove, Bensham, NE8 4QP, 10am - 12 noon.**

This session, led by Deacon Tom Rooke, will focus on all aspects of **Adult Formation** with a view to understanding what is currently ongoing within the Partnership and what else the Partnership could do to support our communities. All are invited to attend - please remember **Parishioners are the Partnership** - it's up to you to develop its future. This is the third event out of five which are to be developed within the plan and it is very important that as many people as possible are involved so it would be great if someone from each of our three churches could attend. For further information, please contact Katie Wilkinson (Chair of the Partnership Development Group) mobile [07837 386 760](tel:07837386760) or email teachkate1@gmail.com

PARTNERSHIP NEWS FOR ALL PARISHIONERS Please remember - *Parishioners are the Partnership* and your opinion counts, hence the importance of keeping you informed. The June/July edition of the bi-monthly *Partnership Matters* news update is now available on the front page of the diocesan website www.rcdhn.org.uk - It includes activities and ideas shared from across the Partnerships.

COACH TRANSPORT FOR FR JEFF DODDS SILVER JUBILEE CELEBRATION For those travelling to the Silver Jubilee Celebration of Fr Jeff Dodds (7pm, Tuesday 26 June, St Joseph's Church, Norton, Stockton-on-Tees TS20 1EN), the coach has been booked and the cost per person is £7.50 (please note, the cost will increase if anyone drops out). Payment and pick-up details to follow.

USHAW 450TH ANNIVERSARY FLOWER FESTIVAL will be from Wednesday 13 to Sunday 17 June from 11am to 5pm. Beautiful displays can be viewed telling the story of Ushaw and its predecessor Douai. The gardens, currently displaying stunning rhododendrons, will be open and the café will be serving food all day. Entry is £5 and groups and coaches are welcome. For further information, please telephone 0191 334 5119.

DIOCESAN FESTIVAL 2018 Saturday 23 June to Sunday 24 June 2018, Emmaus Youth Village, Consett This year's theme is 'Encounter' and there will be talks from Magnus MacFarlane-Barrow OBE, Sr Judith Russi and Sara Bryson. The Festival will include prayer, liturgy, reflection, discussion and music. It is an opportunity for our whole Diocesan family to come together to celebrate and to be encouraged in our faith offering inspiring speakers for adults as well as activities for young people and children. You are warmly invited to come and experience the festival as a parish group, as a family or as individuals. Everyone is welcome. Booking forms are now available either from the back of church or can be downloaded from the diocesan website at www.rcdhn.org.uk. For more information, please see the diocesan website, email festival@diocesehn.org.uk or contact the team on 01207 592244.

TRANSFORMING OUR LIVES WITH THE BIBLE An evening hearing about recent research into old and new ways of engaging with Scripture will be held on Thursday 28 June from 7pm to 9pm at St Hilda's, Beaumont Street, Sunderland, SR5 2JD. The evening is free of charge and can be booked in advance by emailing adult.formation@diocesehn.org.uk.

LOURDES DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE 2018 The Diocese of Hexham and Newcastle Annual Pilgrimage to Lourdes takes place this year between Friday 27 July and Friday 3 August. The pilgrimage coordinator is Fr. Peter Stott at St. Robert of Newminster, Morpeth and can be contacted by email lourdes@rcdhn.org.uk or tel. 01670 513410.

Adult Helpers are still URGENTLY required. The pilgrimage could not take place without the invaluable support given by our many adult helpers. If you would like to volunteer for this year's pilgrimage, the Adult Helpers Registration Form is available from Fr. Stott or through the pilgrimage website:

<http://www.hexhamandnewcastlelourdespilgrimage.co.uk>

EVENTS AT MINSTERACRES *Quiet Day* will take place Wednesday 13 June from 10am to 4pm. An opportunity to set aside, listen to God in scripture and enjoy the peace and tranquillity at Minsteracres. Coffee and tea will be provided but please bring a packed lunch. There is a suggested donation of £15. For further information please visit <http://www.minsteracres.org/retreats/quiet-day-7-2-2/>

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 or post through the presbytery letterbox at Immaculate Heart **by 10am on Thursday 14 June 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.
Through the same Christ our Lord, Amen.

First Reading*Genesis 3:9-15*

The Lord God called to the man after he had eaten of the tree. 'Where are you?' he asked. 'I heard the sound of you in the garden,' he replied 'I was afraid because I was naked, so I hid.' 'Who told you that you were naked?' he asked. 'Have you been eating of the tree I forbade you to eat?' The man replied, 'It was the woman you put with me; she gave me the fruit, and I ate it.' Then the Lord God asked the woman, 'What is this you have done?' The woman replied, 'The serpent tempted me and I ate.'

Then the Lord God said to the serpent, 'Because you have done this, be accursed beyond all cattle, all wild beasts. You shall crawl on your belly and eat dust every day of your life. I will make you enemies of each other: you and the woman, your offspring and her offspring. It will crush your head and you will strike its heel.'

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm*Psalms 129. R/v.7*

**Response: With the Lord there is mercy
and fullness of redemption.**

1. Out of the depths I cry to you, O Lord,
Lord, hear my voice!
O let your ears be attentive
to the voice of my pleading.
2. If you, O Lord, should mark our guilt,
Lord, who would survive?
But with you is found forgiveness:
for this we revere you.
3. My soul is waiting for the Lord,
I count on his word.
My soul is longing for the Lord
more than watchman for daybreak.
4. Because with the Lord there is mercy
and fullness of redemption,
Israel indeed he will redeem
from all its iniquity.

Second Reading*II Corinthians 4:13 - 5:1*

As we have the same spirit of faith that is mentioned in scripture – I believed, and therefore I spoke – we too believe and therefore we too speak, knowing that he who raised the Lord Jesus to life will raise us with Jesus in our turn, and put us by his side and you with us. You see, all this is for your benefit, so that the more grace is multiplied among people, the more thanksgiving there will be, to the glory of God.

That is why there is no weakening on our part, and instead, though this outer man of ours may be falling into decay, the inner man is renewed day by day. Yes, the troubles, which are soon over, though they weigh little, train us for the carrying of a weight of eternal glory which is out of

all proportion to them. And so we have no eyes for things that are visible, but only for things that are invisible; for visible things last only for a time, and the invisible things are eternal.

For we know that when the tent that we live in on earth is folded up, there is a house built by God for us, an everlasting home not made by human hands, in the heavens.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation*John 14:23*

Alleluia, alleluia!

If anyone loves me he will keep my word, and my Father will love him, and we shall come to him.

Alleluia!

Gospel*Mark 3:20-35*

The Lord be with you.

And with your spirit.

A reading from the Holy Gospel according to Mark.

Glory to you, O Lord.

Jesus went home with his disciples, and such a crowd collected that they could not even have a meal. When his relatives heard of this, they set out to take charge of him, convinced he was out of his mind. The scribes who had come down from Jerusalem were saying, 'Beelzebul is in him,' and, 'It is through the prince of devils that he casts devils out.' So he called them to him and spoke to them in parables, 'How can Satan cast out Satan? If a kingdom is divided against itself, that kingdom cannot last. And if a household is divided against itself, that household can never stand. Now if Satan has rebelled against himself and is divided, he cannot stand either – it is the end of him. But no one can make his way into a strong man's house and burgle his property unless he has tied up the strong man first. Only then can he burgle his house. I tell you solemnly, all men's sins will be forgiven, and all their blasphemies; but let anyone blaspheme against the Holy Spirit and he will never have forgiveness: he is guilty of an eternal sin.' This was because they were saying, 'An unclean spirit is in him.' His mother and brothers now arrived and, standing outside, sent in a message asking for him. A crowd was sitting round him at the time the message was passed to him, 'Your mother and brothers and sisters are outside asking for you.' He replied, 'Who are my mother and my brothers?' And looking round at those sitting in a circle about him, he said, 'Here are my mother and my brothers. Anyone who does the will of God, that person is my brother and sister and mother.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

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