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John 6:47-48

THE PARISH OF OUR LADY AND ST PHILIP NERI

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The Parish Secretary, Julie Hindmarsh, is on annual leave this week and will return to the office on Tuesday 21 August
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Sunday 12 August 2018

Nineteenth Sunday of the Year

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MASS AND SERVICE TIMES

Saturday 11 August St Clare of Assisi

Vigil Mass5.30pmSt Philip NeriPeople of the ParishSunday 12 August9.30amSt MarySeamus McCabe (ann.)Nineteenth Sunday of the Year11.00amImmaculate HeartJoanne and Paddy Hayes

Weekday Readings: Ordinary Time Week 19, Year 2

Monday 13 August 9.15am Immaculate Heart Service of the Word and Holy Communion

Tuesday 14 August

Vigil Mass6.30pmImmaculate HeartJohn Lucas (dec.)Wednesday 15 August9.30amSt MaryPeople of the Parish

Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Holyday of Obligation)

Thursday 16 August 9.30am St Mary Private Intention Friday 17 August 10.00am St Mary Joe Welsh (dec.)

Saturday 18 August

Vigil Mass5.30pmSt Philip NeriVeronica Ross (dec.)Sunday 19 August9.30amSt MaryPrivate Intention (WWEJ)Twentieth Sunday of the Year11.00amImmaculate HeartPeople of the Parish

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday at St Philip Neri 5.00pm - 5.20pm Friday at St Mary 9.40am - 9.55am

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Friday 9.30am at St Mary

Please pray for Neil Andrew Davison and Alison Maria Lannigan who are to be married next Saturday 18 August 2018 at Immaculate Heart Church, Lobley Hill

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, Ken Webster, Winnie Easton, Joanne Maclean, Pat Flynn, Barney Hayes, Brigid Rankin, Joe Oxley, Helen Coulson, Samuel O'Reilly, Fr Paul Hannon, Joseph Borthwick, Cecilia McCusker, Jean Power, Mary and Bernard Carrick, Matty Bullock. *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*.

THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY will be celebrated on 15 August and is a Holyday of Obligation. Masses in the parish will be celebrated at the following times:

Vigil Mass Tuesday 14 August 6.30pm at Immaculate Heart.

Morning Mass Wednesday 15 August 9.30am at St Mary.

ST MARY'S COFFEE MORNING Please note that there will be no coffee morning after the 9.30am Mass next Sunday 19 August at St Mary's Church.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PREPARATION 2018/2019 If your child will be in Year 4 (or above) from September 2018 and they are not attending a Catholic School and you would like them to prepare to celebrate their First Holy Communion in 2019, please contact the parish secretary at Immaculate Heart as soon as possible, tel. 0191 460 4274 or e-mail stmarysphilip@aol.co.uk providing your name, address, tel. no. and email address. Thank you.

SAVE THE DAY - SAVE THE DAY - SAVE THE DAY
The Blessed John Ingram Partnership would like to give
you an advanced invitation to a special social event for
all the family - A Sunday Afternoon Tea at St Mary's
Hall, Whickham on Sunday 23 September 2018 from
3pm to 5.30pm. All parishioners are most cordially
invited to this Partnership event. We plan to include
some music, entertainment for the children and
wonderful food (provided by the gifted cooks of the
Partnership!). All in all, an afternoon of happiness and
joy. More information will follow but please put this
date in your diary now!

DIOCESAN VACANCIES 1) Property Surveyor, full-time, initial 3 month temporary contract. Closing date for applications is 16 August. 2) Property Review Coordinator, full-time, 18 month fixed term contract. Closing date for applications is 26 August. For further information and details of how to apply please visit website www.rcdhn.org.uk tel. 0191 243 3301 email Human.resources@diocesehn.org.uk.

VACANCIES AT ST JOSEPH'S HOME, NEWCASTLE (run by the Little Sisters of the Poor) 1) Care Assistants: 30-31.5 Hours per week. Shifts are 8am to 3pm and 3pm to 9pm. 2) Registered Nurse: 37.5 Hours per week. Shifts are 8am to 4pm and 1pm to 9pm. Two References and an enhanced DBS check are required. For further information please contact Caroline Suttle on 0191 273 1279 or email pers.newcastle@lsplondon.co.uk

VACANCIES AT SVP 1) Young Vincentians Programme £30k pa, full time permanent contract. Closing date for applications is 3pm on Thursday 23 August 2018. Interviews will be held on Thursday 30 August 2018. To start as soon as possible. 2) Mini Vinnies Officer. £23k pro rata, days per week, one year contract. Closing date for applications is 10am on Monday 20 August 2018. Interviews will be held on Friday 24 August. To start as soon as possible. Both roles are based at the national office. For further information and an application pack, please visit the section of the **SVP** vacancies website: https://www.svp.org.uk/.

CATHOLIC CERTIFICATE IN RELIGIOUS STUDIES (CCRS) 2018-2019 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 2018-2019 and can be accessed on the Diocesan website at

www.edurcdhn.org.uk/courses/courses ccrs.php

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 16 August 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.

"John Ingram Partnership Tea at the Hall"



Sunday September 23rd 2018

3.00pm-5.30pm



St Mary Church Hall

Dockendale Lane

Whickham NE16 4EN

ALL Welcome - come and enjoy the company of your extended church family.

Its free, just bring yourselves and food to share!



An Afternoon of Happiness & Joy for adults & children!

<car park available and on bus route>

First Reading

I Kings 19:4-8

Elijah went into the wilderness, a day's journey, and sitting under a furze bush wished he were dead. 'Lord,' he said 'I have had enough. Take my life; I am no better than my ancestors.' Then he lay down and went to sleep. But an angel touched him and said, 'Get up and eat.' He looked round, and there at his head was a scone baked on hot stones, and a jar of water. He ate and drank and then lay down again. But the angel of the Lord came back a second time and touched him and said, 'Get up and eat, or the journey will be too long for you.' So he got up and ate and drank, and strengthened by that food he walked for forty days and forty nights until he reached Horeb, the mountain of God.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 33:2-9. R/v.9

Response: Taste and see that the Lord is good.

- 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.
- 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.
- 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

Ephesians 4:30 – 5:2

Do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God who has marked you with his seal for you to be set free when the day comes. Never have grudges against others, or lose your temper, or raise your voice to anybody, or call each other names, or allow any sort of spitefulness. Be friends with one another, and kind, forgiving each other as readily as God forgave you in Christ.

Try, then, to imitate God, as children of his that he loves, and follow Christ by loving as he loved you, giving himself up in our place as a fragrant offering and a sacrifice to God.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation

John 6:51

Alleluia, alleluia!

I am the living bread which has come down from heaven, says the Lord.

Anyone who eats this bread will live for ever.

Alleluia!

Gospel

John 6:41-51

The Lord be with you.

And with your spirit.

A reading from the Holy Gospel according to John.

Glory to you, O Lord.

The Jews were complaining to each other about Jesus, because he had said, 'I am the bread that came down from heaven.' 'Surely this is Jesus son of Joseph' they said. 'We know his father and mother. How can he now say, "I have come down from heaven"?' Jesus said in reply, 'Stop complaining to each other.

'No one can come to me unless he is drawn by the Father who sent me, and I will raise him up at the last day. It is written in the prophets: They will all be taught by God, and to hear the teaching of the Father, and learn from it, is to come to me. Not that anybody has seen the Father, except the one who comes from God: he has seen the Father. I tell you most solemnly, everybody who believes has eternal life. I am the bread of life. Your fathers ate the manna in the desert and they are dead; but this is the bread that comes down from heaven, so that a man may eat it and not die. I am the living bread which has come down from heaven. Anyone who eats this bread will live for ever; and the bread that I shall give is my flesh, for the life of the world.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

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Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

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