



Jesus said to them, 'The harvest is rich but the labourers are few, so ask the Lord of the harvest to send labourers to his harvest.'

Luke 10:2

THE PARISH OF OUR LADY AND ST PHILIP NERI

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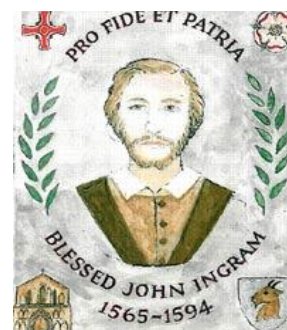
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The Parish Secretary, Julie Hindmarsh, is available in the Parish Office this week

Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday, 10am - 2pm and Thursday 9am - 1pm

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Sunday 7 July 2019

Fourteenth Sunday of the Year

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MASS AND SERVICE TIMES

Saturday 6 July

Vigil Mass

5.30pm

St Philip Neri

Kathleen Cailey (ann.)

Sunday 7 July

9.30am

St Mary

The Lytton & Drummond Families (dec.)

Fourteenth Sunday of the Year

11.00am

Immaculate Heart

People of the Parish

Weekday Readings: Ordinary Time Week 14, Year 1

Monday 8 July

9.15am

Immaculate Heart

Service of the Word and Holy Communion

Tuesday 9 July

6.30pm

Immaculate Heart

Grace & William McPhee (dec.)

Wednesday 10 July

10.00am

St Philip Neri

Rose & Andy Caffrey (dec.)

Thursday 11 July *St Benedict*

9.30am

St Mary

Arthur Lee (ann.)

Friday 12 July

10.00am

St Mary

Tom Turnbull (dec.)

11.30am

St Mary

Funeral Service - Wyn Peacock RIP

Saturday 13 July

Vigil Mass

5.30pm

St Philip Neri

Josie & Joseph O'Keefe (dec.)

Sunday 14 July

9.30am

St Mary

People of the Parish

Fifteenth Sunday of the Year

11.00am

Immaculate Heart

For the intention of Richard & Rachel

Sea Sunday (Day of Special Prayer for Seafarers)

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday at St Philip Neri 5.00pm - 5.20pm

Tuesday at Immaculate Heart 6.10pm - 6.25pm Friday at St Mary 9.40am - 9.55am

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

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 9.30am Friday at St Mary

This Sunday, in the Sacrament of Baptism, we welcome into the Family of the Church

Arlo Myles Gregory, Henry James Jackson, Charlotte Sarah McKenna

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).

RECENTLY DECEASED Please remember in your prayers Wyn Peacock who died recently and whose Funeral Service will be celebrated on Friday 12 July at St Mary's Church, Whickham followed by Cremation at Mountsett Crematorium. Please also remember Fr Austin Tomaney who died recently. May they rest in peace. Amen.

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION Prayerful good wishes and congratulations to our young people who received the Sacrament of Confirmation from Bishop Robert at St Joseph, Blaydon on Friday 5 July.

SEA SUNDAY Next Sunday 14 June we celebrate Sea Sunday, a Day of Special Prayer for Seafarers. There will be a retiring collection at all Masses next weekend to support the work of the Apostleship of the Sea.

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.

THE PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL (PPC) ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING will be held on **Wednesday 10 July at 7pm** in **St Mary's Hall, Whickham**. Fr Peter (President) and Katie Wilkinson (Chair) extend a warm invitation to all parishioners to attend the meeting which will include a report from the Chair about what the PPC have been trying to achieve during the year, an opportunity for parishioners to air any questions they may have plus any suggestions for future tasks the PPC might consider. The evening will end with some cheese and wine (hot/soft drinks for drivers) giving us all an opportunity to mingle following the meeting. We hope many of you will be able to attend.

IMMACULATE HEART COFFEE MORNING will be held at Immaculate Heart Church **next 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 will be in aid of *Gift for Life* and H.C.P.T.

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

ST MARYS RC SCHOOL DIOCESAN INSPECTION
A message from Mr J Wheatley (Headteacher, St Mary's RC Primary School): *It is with great pride that I am able to share with you all that St Mary's RC primary School has once more been rated 'Outstanding' in all areas following our recent Diocesan Inspection. I wanted to take this opportunity to say a huge thank you to all our pupils, staff, governors, and of course our families and wider parish community, for the part that you have all played in achieving this fantastic outcome. The inspection process was incredibly affirming for us all, and as ever, our pupils shone throughout – demonstrating the very best of what we are at St Mary's. As a steward of this special community, it is wonderful for me to know that a visiting colleague has instantly recognised the many strengths of the school's Catholic Life, Religious Education and Collective Worship, making comment that, "prayer and spirituality are at the heart of the school community, helping pupils to develop their understanding of God's love for them," "excellent relationships are a strength of the school," and that, "staff know their pupils well and consistently teach lessons that engage and enthuse pupils."* A copy of the full report can be found on our school website (<http://www.whickhamstmarys.org.uk/performance.html>). God bless.

LATEST UPDATE FROM BALAMMA SATRAM When Fr Sarves and Mary Skaag visited our parish recently, they were happy to be given such a warm welcome and to receive the commitment from *Gift for Life* to support their charity in the future. Mary outlined that the most recent concerns were based on the fact that there has been no rain for six years, causing catastrophic consequences - wells have dried up across an area as large as from Durham to Newcastle. Temperatures are currently 50 degrees and recent winds have blown away so many fragile homes in the region, although thankfully their complex is secure due to good foundations for the buildings. Balamma Satram provides accommodation for 150 people at any one time, namely the following groups in desperate need: the elderly, lepers, those disabled, the sick, victims of accidents; with additional support for others in dire need on occasion. Other groups of the poor who are widows or grandparents give help to the Balamma Satram community which enables their children/dependents to be educated. 54 are in education, 24 are handicapped and the remainder are the elderly. To assist in the longevity of the charity, it has paired with Carmelite Sisters in the province to ensure the continuation of the great work being carried out at Balamma Satram over the next 70 years. Fr Sarves and Mary have worked tirelessly to achieve this aim and offer Masses of ~Thanksgiving to all who support their mission.

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 **this 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*. 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.

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

- 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 or email humanresources@diocesehn.org.uk or tel. 0191 243 3301.

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*. The lecture will focus on examining what kind of Church the Catholic Church became after emancipation. It was very much a Church of migrants, especially Irish, in the early days, and it was as much focused on education as worship. Catherine will also look at how churches and schools served the mostly migrant Church and how that has given Catholicism a particular character in the UK. Cardinal Hume will come into the lecture because of his impact on the Church at the national level and how important he thought education was, but also how his interest in serving the homeless is typical of the Catholic Church in this country, a very strong feeling for those struggling in society. Entrance is free and all are welcome.

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 or email. Tpj.egerton@virgin.net tel. 01642 645 732.

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 11 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*Isaiah 66:10-14*

Rejoice, Jerusalem,
be glad for her, all you who love her!
Rejoice, rejoice for her,
all you who mourned her!

That you may be suckled, filled,
from her consoling breast,
that you may savour with delight
her glorious breasts.

For thus says the Lord:
Now towards her I send flowing
peace, like a river,
and like a stream in spate
the glory of the nations.

At her breast will her nurslings be carried
and fondled in her lap.
Like a son comforted by his mother
will I comfort you.
And by Jerusalem you will be comforted.

At the sight your heart will rejoice,
and your bones flourish like the grass.
To his servants the Lord will reveal his hand.

The word of the Lord
Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm*Psalm 65:1-7. 16. 20. R/v.1***Response: Cry out with joy to God all the earth.**

1. Cry out with joy to God all the earth,
O sing to the glory of his name.
O render him glorious praise.
Say to God: 'How tremendous your deeds!
2. 'Before you all the earth shall bow;
shall sing to you, sing to your name!
Come and see the works of God,
tremendous his deeds among men.
3. He turned the sea into dry land,
they passed through the river dry-shod.
Let our joy then be in him;
he rules for ever by his might.
4. Come and hear, all who fear God.
I will tell what he did for my soul.
Blessed be God who did not reject my prayer
nor withhold his love from me.

Second Reading*Galatians 6:14-18*

The only thing I can boast about is the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom the world is crucified to me, and I to the world. It does not matter if a person is circumcised or not; what matters is for him to become an altogether new creature. Peace and mercy to all who follow this rule, who form the Israel of God.

I want no more trouble from anybody after this; the marks on my body are those of Jesus. The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with your spirit, my brothers. Amen.

The word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation*Col. 3:15*

Alleluia, alleluia!
May the peace of Christ reign in your hearts,
because it is for this that you were called together
as parts of one body.
Alleluia!

Gospel*Luke 10:1-9*

The Lord be with you.
And with your spirit.
A reading from the Holy Gospel according to Luke.
Glory to you, O Lord.

The Lord appointed seventy-two others and sent them out ahead of him, in pairs, to all the towns and places he himself was to visit. He said to them, 'The harvest is rich but the labourers are few, so ask the Lord of the harvest to send labourers to his harvest. Start off now, but remember, I am sending you out like lambs among wolves. Carry no purse, no haversack, no sandals. Salute no one on the road. Whatever house you go into, let your first words be, "Peace to this house!" And if a man of peace lives there, your peace will go and rest on him; if not, it will come back to you. Stay in the same house, taking what food and drink they have to offer, for the labourer deserves his wages; do not move from house to house. Whenever you go into a town where they make you welcome, eat what is set before you. Cure those in it who are sick, and say, "The kingdom of God is very near to you."'

The Gospel of the Lord.
Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.