

Rotas commencing TODAY Sunday June 22nd


Eucharistic Ministers 10am	Eucharistic Ministers 6pm	Readers 10am June	Readers 6pm June	Weekday readers This week	Eucharistic Ministers weekdays
Marie Fahey	Kathy Petty	Yvonne Tapodi	By Ju Joseph	John Press	Comfort Mensah
Bernard Grigaitis	Carol Cooper	Audrey Stedford	Janice Banks	Christine Kelly	Barbara Philips
Mary Gurney	Comfort Mensah	Thomas McCormack	Irene Edwards	Counting Team	
Olive Hogan	Little Church	Tea & Coffee		Ged Allcock	
Denis Keyworth	Geraldine & Pat	Bridie Close	10am Offertory	Olive Hogan	
Liam McMahon		G Oakley	Christopher & Maureen	Liam McMahon	
Christine Kelly		Sam Collins		Yvonne Tapodi	Cleaning team

Church Cleaning teams; if willing to help on a monthly basis then please speak to Christine Kelly? John & Ossa will provide the hoovering team; and the Ladies will top and bottom once a month or before special occasions. Thank you.

FAMILY FLOWERS: Thank you for the continued gifts of flowers for the Church. **New flower list** at the back of Church; Thank you.

Last week's Offerings to the Parish: Total £ 842 27p Thank you

E	V	E	N	V	A	E	H	S	E	BREAD	HEAVEN	LIVE
L	I	V	E	N	D	A	E	R	B	EVER	FLESH	DRINK
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N	D	O	O	R	E	V	E	T	H	ANCESTORS	DEAD	ANYONE
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Items for the Bulletin can be left at the Presbytery or emailed to michaelkujacz@hotmail.com by Wednesday evening as the Newsletter for inclusion the following Sunday is usually published Friday Morning.

Signed Mass Cards can be obtained from Bridie Close, 44 Shawbrook Rd, during the week or on Sundays from the Bookstall (back of Church) or the Piety Stall (Parish Hall).

ST. BERNARD'S PARISH NEWSLETTER

CORPUS CHRISTI

Sunday 22nd June 2014

Parish Priest Mgr. Michael J Kujacz: Assistant Fr. Michael Job

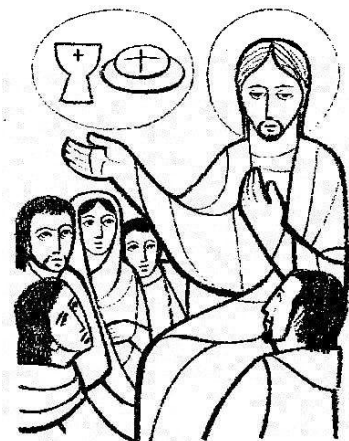
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Corpus Christi Sunday MASS 7/ Creed 11; Sunday P.83 Eucharistic Prayer 2 (p24)



In some ways every Sunday is a feast of the Eucharist, because by participating in the Mass, and in receiving Communion, we are honoring and celebrating the Eucharist. Nonetheless, a desire to specifically celebrate the Eucharist developed. The feast of Corpus Christi owes a rather large debt to St. Juliana, a nun of Liege, Belgium, who was led to start a celebration of the Mass around AD 1230. At an early age, she developed a strong devotion to the Blessed Sacrament, and she longed for a feast in honor of the Eucharist. In AD 1264 a bull of Pope Urban IV commanded universal the observance of the feast. Nonetheless, Urban's death impeded the spread of the feast. However, by the 14th century, the feast became

universally celebrated in the West. St. Thomas Aquinas is given credit for many of the customs and hymns associated with Corpus Christi. The Feast of Corpus Christi is celebrated throughout the Catholic Church.

"I adore You, Lord and Creator, hidden in the Most Blessed Sacrament. I adore you for all the works of your hands, which reveal to me so much wisdom, goodness and mercy, O Lord.

You have spread so much beauty over the earth and it tells me about your beauty, even though these beautiful things are but a faint reflection of you, incomprehensible Beauty. And although You have hidden Yourself and concealed your beauty, my eye, enlightened by faith, reaches You and my souls recognizes its Creator, its Highest Good, and my heart is completely immersed in prayer of adoration." Saint Faustina Kowalska

Make a date and make sure you come along to Quarant Ore. Next Sunday there is an extra Mass for First Communions at 12 Noon; if any of our support people are available to help it would be very much appreciated: Thank you mjk.

Pope Francis Tweet: There is never a reason to lose hope. Jesus says: "I am with you until the end of the world". *2014 Year of Our Parish*

THE HOLY FATHER'S INTENTIONS [June]

General: That a culture of dialogue, listening, and mutual respect may prevail among peoples. **Missionary:** That where secularization is strongest, Christian communities may effectively promote a new evangelization.

Corpus Christi	22 nd June	Mass of Sunday Evening Mass	10am 6-00pm	
Monday	23 rd June	Mass of the day	9-30am	Mass
Tuesday	24 th June	Sol: Birth of St John the Baptist	6-7pm 7pm	Exposition Mass
Wednesday	25 th June	Mass of the day	9-30am	Mass
Thursday	26 th June	Mass of the day	9-30am	Mass
Friday	27 th June	Sol: Most Sacred Heart	9-30am	Mass
Saturday	28 th June	Immaculate Heart of Mary	11- 12noon 12 Noon	Exposition & Confessions Mass
Ss. Peter & Paul	29 th June Armed Forces day	Mass of Sunday First Communion Mass Evening Mass	10am 12 Noon 6-00pm	

Masses received this week: Special Intentions, John Cross, Josephine McDermott, Celia Maguire, Mary Barrrens, Nellie Tomany, Tommy Rowe, Mr. & Mrs. McKee 50th anniv, Norman Worrall, Frank Duffy, Luke Marron, William Mitton, John Kelly, Thomas Gavin, Frank DeClaine, Thomas Coady, Maureen Daley, Jane Thompson and Mary Moran.

Sick: please commend to your prayers the sick and housebound of the Parish especially, Maximus, Daniel, Martin, Sarah, Cissie Corrigan, Pat Jones, Mary Duffy, Leanne Todd Michael Doyle, Jacob Bannister, Eddie Hogan, Janet Roberts, Simon Kelly, John Doona, Margaret Keable, Ruth Sivori, Pat Preston, Clare Bainbridge, Breda Gallagher, Dr Sean Doohan, Sheila MacCrimmon, Carolyn Smith, Pat Reid, Simon McDermott, Julie Ann Keeney, Stephen Gatley, Kath Rafter, Bernadette Maloney, Margaret Keable, Constance Murphy, Maria Baker, John Barnes, Denny McGuigan, Maureen Nash, Betty Foster, Steven Moorhouse, Alan O'Donnell, Frank DeClaine, Dorothy Hampsey, Louis Kerr, Mary Whieldon, Delia Connelly and Colin Pearson.

"Sometimes we cast the elderly aside, but they are a precious treasure: to cast them aside is an injustice and an irreparable loss." Pope Francis



The Sacrament of Baptism: Pick up yours forms after Mass and return them at our next Baptism meeting on Tuesday July 1st at 7-30pm in the Presbytery.

Quarant Ore

Friday 11th July, Saturday 12th & Sunday 13th July.

It is essential that the Blessed Sacrament is not left on its own, so please sign the watching list will be at the back of the Church: half hour slots.

If you would like a candle to burn during the 40 hours there are slips at the back of the Church for your intentions, and a box in the Sacred Heart Chapel to put your slips and donations. £5 offering for a family candle and towards flowers is suggested.



Our Lady's Lamp burns this week for the intentions of the Moorhouse and Moran Families. Thank you. There is a list at the back of the Church if you would like to be involved on any particular week. Suggested offering £5



House Masses around the parish. Please consider the possibility of hosting one. I am sure it will be a source of many blessings. New Forms to arrange a House mass at the back of the Church. [three applications so far]

Next September we will be introducing a new Sacramental programme; essential to its working are Catechists or team leaders; we will need eight at the moment. So if your child is due to be involved next time round you would be ideal also if you are just willing to help that would be brilliant. The programme is very well formed, and everything you need to know is given to you in advance. Please come and join in and help other grow in our beautiful faith. (So far 6 volunteers: 2 more please!!!!)

CAFOD: Greetings to you from **Sebeya** ... it was a privilege to meet **Abba Solomon & Tamiru** & hear about life in an Ethiopian village, little changed since Biblical times, a life governed by the seasons & nature. Thanks are sent by the community to the brothers & sisters in Burnage for their help, via **CAFOD**, with the irrigation scheme & the chickens & they look forward to hearing about our parish life. Thank you for your generous support of **Connect2Ethiopia**.

DROP IN THURSDAY after Mass in the Parish Hall, Good conversation, games, newspapers, constant tea and coffee, and toast. Homemade soup and bread at 12-30pm, heating and warm atmosphere, till 2-30pm. Young, middle, not so old, and golden oldies most welcome. This event is for all our Parishioners, why not pop in and show your support?



We even have a resident chiropodist!

"What God knows about me is more important than what others think about me"