



The Body and Blood of Christ

Mass times, intentions + the week ahead

Saturday 21st June	6.00pm	Graham Tunstall John Welsh + Maureen Billington
Sun 22nd June Corpus Christi	10.30am	Stephen Kate Long
Monday 23rd June	9.10am	Francis Mullen
Tuesday 24th June Birth of John the Baptist	9.10am	Good results Sandro Moretti
Wed 25th June	9.10am <i>After Mass</i>	Monica Riley <i>Confessions</i>
Thursday 26th June	9.10am	Marie Conder Sarah Jones
Friday 27th June The Sacred Heart	10.00am	Funeral Mass: John Wainwright
Saturday 28th June	6.00pm	Mr Bennett Parishioners Intentions
Sun 29th June Sts Peter + Paul	10.30am	James Bromilow (Snr + Jnr) Colin Campbell Nuttall Family

Pope Leo XIV's prayer intention for the month of June: "that each of us might find consolation in a personal relationship with Jesus, and from his Heart, learn to have compassion on the world."

Confessions	Wednesday after Mass and by appointment with Fr Philip.
PRAYING THE PARISH: WE PRAY FOR ALL THOSE WHO LIVE IN ETON DRIVE, CRANWELL CLOSE + DARTMOUTH AVENUE	

Praying the Sunday Missal: The readings are on **Page 453** in the red Sunday Missals - and on page 893 In the blue missals.



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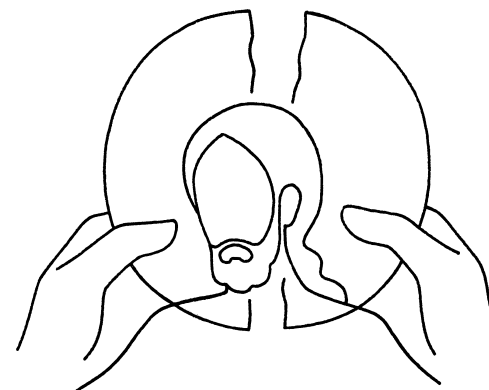
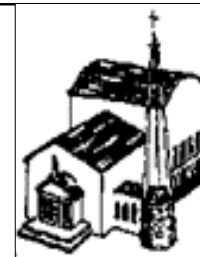
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22nd June 2025

Following the great feasts of Pentecost and the Holy Trinity, this Sunday we celebrate the wonderful gift of the Body and Blood of our Lord.

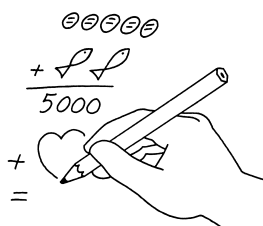
In the **First Reading** we have the brief appearance of Melchizedek, king and priest, offering bread and wine to God in thanksgiving of Abraham's victory over the Canaanites.

The **Psalm**, naming Melchizedek also points to Jesus Christ, king and priest, who offers his sacrifice under the form of bread and wine.

St Paul, in the **Second Reading**, gives one of the earliest accounts of the Last Supper and the institution of the Eucharist. This has been handed on for almost 2,000 years!

The **Gospel** narrates the feeding of the five thousand. It foreshadows the institution of the Eucharist, and also the continuing role of Jesus's disciples.

As we give God thanks this week particularly for the Sacrament of the Eucharist, may we be ever more conscious of the Lord's presence not just in Holy Communion but in all people and created things.



Please note: Mass times on Wednesday + Friday.

Warm Lunch: The next Friday summer lunch is Friday 27th June. Open at 12 noon - lunch is served at 12.30pm. All are welcome - no charge - but a donation helps us to cover the costs if you can.

FoodShare: Tinned meat and herbs and spices.

Altar servers – If you are in year 4 or older and would like to help with our altar servers team at weekend Masses, please let Fr Philip know. It's a great way to learn about your faith and serve God and our parish family.

Northern Saints: Full payment is due by the 23rd June. Everyone has paid a deposit. If you asked for a single room - £160 to pay, for shared room £150 to pay. Please put your money/cheque in an envelope with your name on it. You can pay directly to the parish bank account (details on the newsletter) - please fill in an envelope indicating this is what you have done or by the card reader. (If you use the card reader you have to add £5.00 to cover the surcharge.) Thank you. There are still places left.

Parish Account Details: You can set up a regular donation to Holy Rosary via Standing Order. This can be done online by mobile banking. Use these account details to make a monthly offering. Holy Rosary Presbytery (183) Sort Code 40-29-12 Account No. 41543849 Or fill out a Standing Order form (in church) and give it into the Parish Office or send it to your bank.

Sat evening + Sunday is the Feast of Corpus Christi - the Body and Blood of Christ. At our weekend Masses we will invite our Eucharistic Ministers to renew their commitment.

Holy Rosary ladies: There are 10 spare places to **Castle Howard** near York on **Tuesday 8th July** with Holy Rosary ladies group. The cost is £45 which includes return coach fare and entry into the house and gardens. The coach will leave church at 9:30am and arrive back approximately 6:30pm. If you would like a place speak to Liz Wilson or Kathy Collins. Men welcome too!

Assisi Pilgrimage Pilgrims returned full of joy and peace after a truly wonderful experience. Each and every person made a contribution to what everyone described as a life changing experience!

Large padded Mass Cards: Please be careful when you choose - there are two types - for the intentions of..... and for the repose of the soul of.....

Castlerigg Manor is a Catholic residential youth centre in the Lake District and it's opening its doors to family groups and social groups this August. There are single rooms, twin rooms, and large family rooms at very cheap rates. Guests have access to the grounds, chapel, games room, and lounges, with Keswick and the Lake only a short walk away. For more info director@castleriggmanor.co.uk or www.castleriggmanor.com/open

Holy Rosary ladies group meets on Tuesday 24th June at 7pm in the parish hall. This week the group will be learning the This city is ours number 54 line dance! New members always welcome

Communion at Home – If you are not able to go out and come to Mass and would like to receive communion at home, please phone the Parish Office.

Share (Supporting and Helping Asylum seekers and Refugees in Knowsley) are looking for volunteer befrienders. Can you spare 1 - 3 hours a week. If so contact Share: admin@shareknowsley.org.uk

Cycle of Prayer: Ordinary Time: Summer - During Ordinary Time, Summer, let us pray for: a deeper understanding between Christians and Jews, those who suffer persecution, oppression and denial of human rights (especially on the feast of St John Fisher and St Thomas More – 22nd June), Europe (especially on the Feast of St Benedict – 11th July), St Bridget (23rd July), St Teresa Benedicta of the Cross (9th August), Seafarers (especially on Sea Sunday – 2nd Sunday in July)

Woodlands@ Forget me not: Through donating a meaningful Forget-me-not flower you will help Woodlands Hospice continue improving the lives of its patients and helping their families. With a choice from either a striking steel bloom to display in your own garden or a field flower in our virtual meadow. After dedicating a metal flower you'll receive a thank you letter along with a certificate of dedication through the post. To dedicate a bloom in our virtual meadow, including a photo and message, just visit: Visufund.com/forget-me-not-campaign-2025