

St. Paul's RC Church, Cramlington

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Parish Mission Statement

To be a welcoming community that encounters Jesus in our Sacraments and spiritual activities and reflects Jesus' experience to the periphery of our community through the works of charity and transparent Christian living.





Sunday 30th June 2024

13th Sunday of the Year (B)

"Your faith has restored you to health; go in peace and be free of your complaint"

Mass Times and Intentions				
Sat 29 th	6:00pm	For the people of the Parish		
Sun 30 th	10:45am	SS Peter and Paul solemnity		
Tue 2 nd	10:00am	Mass at St. Johns		
Wed 3rd	10:00am	No Intentions Feast St. Thomas		
Thu 4 th	10:00am	No Intentions		
Fri 5 th	6:00pm	Adoration & Mass at St. Johns		
Sat 6 th	6:00pm	RIP Paul Battersby		
Sun 7 th		No Mass		

Exposition/Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Saturday Evening: 5:30 - 5.50pm before Mass at St. Paul's Sunday Morning: 10.15 - 10.35am before Mass at St. Paul's

WELCOME TO OUR CHURCH

The church is a place of prayer and reverence for the blessed sacrament reserved. Please keep due silence and atmosphere of the 'Presence of God'

Saturday 29th / Sunday 30th June 2024

First Reading: Wisdom 1: 13-15, 2: 23-24

Responsorial Psalm – 29(30): 2, 4-6, 11-13

I will praise you, Lord, you have rescued me.

Second Reading: 2 Corinthians 8: 7, 9, 13-15

Gospel: Mark 5: 21-43

Hymn Numbers for Masses this weekend 65, 241, 39, 19,64, 161

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

We resumed Exposition last weekend before the Masses for 25 minutes. Please do try to attend and spend some quiet time with the Lord.

Holy Father's Prayer intention for the Month of July

Let us pray that the sacrament of anointing of the sick grant the Lord's strength to those who receive it and to their loved ones, and it may become for everyone an ever more visible sign of compassion and hope.

A word of gratitude to the sponsors of the New Lectionary

Very many thanks to all who have responded to the appeal to support the cost of the New Lectionaries for Advent. We had an overwhelming response and have received the required donations we need to cover the cost. We are extremely grateful to those who generously contributed to the cost of these books

The Virgin of Peace in Medjugorje

Our Lady, in Her ongoing apparitions in Medjugorje, asked on the 25th of June to pray constantly for peace in the world. "Dear children! I rejoice with you and thank God for permitting me to be with you, to lead you and love you. Little children, peace is in danger and the family is under attack. I am calling you, little children: return to prayer in the family. Put Sacred Scripture in a visible place and read it every day. Love God above all that it may be good for you on earth. Thank you for having responded to my call".

Prayers for the Sick

Please remember to pray for Rita Johnson (Linda Turnbull's sister) who is poorly and also to keep her family in your prayers.

Holy Island Trip 13th July 2024

The cost of the coach is £15 per adult (children free). The Social Group require the £15 to be paid by 29^{th} June. The itinerary is: 09:30: Bus leaves St Paul's Church Car Park. 11:00: Walk with Cross over Causeway (optional).

15:00: Mass at St Aidan's RC Church. 16:30: Leave Island.

Justice & Peace Group

Over the past two months I have been attending the Justice & Peace Group at St. Wilfrid's Blyth. The group is also represented by New Hartley and now by myself from St Paul's. Can you help the Newcastle J&P Refugee Project? On behalf of our Parish, we will be collecting Tins of Tomatoes/Tins of Chickpeas and packets of biscuits. This collection will only happen on the Last Saturday of each month commencing 29th June. Your donations will be greatly appreciated. Joyce George.

Property & Maintenance

We thank Bob Mitchell for accepting the duty as the Property and Maintenance in charge of the parish which was vacant for a while. We wish him the very best for the duty ahead.

Finance Committee

The committee in its meeting held on May 29th appointed Stephanie as the secretary of the finance committee of the parish. We appreciate her willingness and support to the parish to shoulder this responsibility.

World Day of Grandparents and the Elderly

The 4th Annual event is on 28th July with the theme "Do not cast me off in my old age." Pope Francis said "God never abandons his children, never. Even when our age advances and our powers decline, when our hair grows white and our role in society lessens, when our lives become less productive and can risk appearing useless, God discards no stone; indeed, the "oldest" are the firm foundation on which "new" stones can rest. We can be certain, then, that he will be close to us also in old age. On this 4th World Day let us show our tender love for the grandparents and the elderly members of our families. Let us spend time with those who are disheartened and without hope in the future. Let us show the open heart and the joyful face of men and women who have the courage to say "I will not abandon you". Please pray for the elderly.

Spiritual Formation Group Film Night

We will be showing the film `The Song of Bernadette` on Thursday 11th of July at 7pm. All are welcome. We will have refreshments available. A donation towards these would be appreciated with any profit going into church funds. Let me know if you would like to attend by ringing Teresa on 07779116642 so we can have an idea of numbers.

Liturgy Days for Readers and the New Lectionary

The Diocesan Liturgical Formation team are running a day for readers of all levels of experience to explore the new translation of the Lectionary on Saturday 26 October at St Bede, Bedlington, NE22 6HS. This day will provide an opportunity to look at the background of the new Lectionary and to be ready to proclaim the Scriptures. For more information and to book, please visit: <u>bit.ly/LiturgyCoursesAndEvents</u>. Details of other Liturgy days are also available on the Diocesan website.

Finances

Weekly Collection for 22nd/23rd June = 256.50 Special Collection this weekend for Peters Pence & The Holy See

Bonus Ball

23rd June No. 34 Congratulations to B. Wilson **2 spare numbers available, 10 and 11.**

	Rota	
Bidding Prayers	29^{th}	Terry C
Welcomers	$29^{ ext{th}}$	Barbara B & Anne
Marie L		
	$30^{ m th}$	Julie & Bob M
Readers	$29^{ ext{th}}$	Barbara B & Teresa K
	$30^{ m th}$	Eddie L & Julie M
Coffee		Victoria L & Pamela
Bulletin	Mariella	
Weekly Cleaning Te	Julie & Bob M	
Collection Count Te	Bob & Julie M and	
Sheila		

Bidding Prayers 6th Jacqui H
Welcomers 6th Maxine T & Linda
Readers 6th Malcolm G & Terry C
Coffee 6th Joyce & Malcolm G
Bulletin Peter (new format)
Weekly Cleaning Team 1: Stephanie N. Barbara W

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The new Rota List is on the Notice Boards

Please check the Notice Board for future Ministries. Kindly let Peter Killen (07948 403341) know if you cannot fulfil your Ministry on the designated date(s).