

NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, Year B 8th & 9th August 2015

PARISH NOTICES

WEDDING CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Carolyn Merilles and Steven Coulson who were married this weekend on 8th August in St Edward's Church, Whitley Bay.

ST EDWARD'S TEA AND COFFEE

Just to remind you that there are refreshments served after 11.00am Mass each Sunday in the church rooms. Everyone is welcome.

ST EDWARD'S PIETY STALL

Rotas are now ready for collection in the Narthex.

COMPLINE

After a summer break Compline will resume at St. Edward's on Thursday, 10th September at 7.00pm.

THANK YOU

To everyone who contributed to the success of last Monday's Charity Coffee Morning in the St Edward's church rooms. £180.00 was raised for the 'Walking With Project' in Wallsend which provides support, befriending and advice for refugees in our local area.

THE NEXT J&P CHARITY COFFEE MORNING

Will be on Monday 17th August, 10.00am – 11.30am in the church rooms at St Edward's, to raise funds for 'Stella Maris', Fellowship of the Sea. Paul Atkinson, the local Chaplain for the North East branch, is often a member of our congregation so it would be great to have a good attendance for this event. Home-made cakes, raffle and accessories stall available. Everyone very welcome.

MONDAY CLUB AT ST EDWARD'S

The Monday Club will not be meeting during the holiday period, but we'll return on 14th September. Best wishes to everyone and have an enjoyable summer.

INVITATION TO MUSICIANS

As those who attend Saturday evening Mass at Immaculate Heart of Mary Church are aware, we now have a small instrumental ensemble. Peter and Adele would like to invite any musicians to join them. Please either speak to them at Mass or email Adele at wilsonadele1@sky.com . They look forward to hearing from you!

NEW HYMN BOOKS

Monsignor Andrew and the parish council have agreed that in the autumn each church will use a new hymn book which includes the text of the Mass, and the readings for Sundays will be printed on the bulletin. This will mean that those attending Sunday Mass will have access to the same texts across the parish. Those who receive the bulletin at home, such as the sick and housebound, will be able to pray the Sunday readings for themselves. Further information will follow in September.

FORWARD TOGETHER IN HOPE: AUGUST UPDATE

An on-line questionnaire has been launched that provides the opportunity for anyone to offer comments about the present and the future of the Diocese. The organizers are particularly keen to get responses from those Catholics who do not attend church regularly to learn from their perspectives.

The link is: <https://forwardtogether.onlinesurveys.ac.uk/hope>. You, your families, friends and colleagues are encouraged to respond to the questionnaire.



Glory be to the Father –
in whom we live and move
and have our being.

Glory be to the Son –
whose name we bear
and who calls each of us
to be his disciples;
to build his Kingdom
and to go out into the world
and bear its fruit.

Glory be to the Holy Spirit –
pouring out grace and guidance,
forming us and renewing us.

Inspire us all
in the Diocese of Hexham and Newcastle
to live the Gospel,
to be open to change
and to move forward together in hope. Amen.

OTHER NOTICES

60th anniversary Flower Festival

St Joseph's Catholic Church, Wallsend Road, North Shields. Thursday 20th August opening service at 7.00pm, followed by refreshments. Friday 21st & Saturday 22nd August 10.00am—4.00pm, Sunday 23rd August 12.30pm—4.30pm with afternoon tea, Monday 24th August 60th Anniversary Mass of the opening of St Joseph's Church at 7.00pm followed by buffet.

WORLD YOUTH DAY, KRAKÓW - 25TH JULY TO 1ST AUGUST 2016



Pope Francis has invited young people from across the world to join him in Kraków, Poland in July 2016. It is a great opportunity for those aged 18-30 to travel with Bishop Séamus and other young people from the diocese for 8 days of pilgrimage. More information and a downloadable registration form can be found at www.ymt.org/wyd16.html.

Parish Office opening hours: Mondays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays 10.00am—12.00noon.

For bulletin entries please contact the Parish Secretary - telephone 0191 2527066 or email to parishofficeolss@btconnect.com

Items for inclusion in the bulletin should be received by 12 noon on Thursdays.

MASS INTENTIONS			
DAY	ST EDWARD'S	IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY	OUR LADY'S AND ST EDMUND'S
Saturday 8th August ST DOMINIC	9.30am Word and Communion NO CONFESSIONS 1.30pm Wedding—Carolyn Merilles & Steven Coulson	6.00pm Lawrence Anastasi (JA)	NO SERVICE
Sunday 9th August	11.00am Harry Larkin (VML)	5.00pm Jim McCourt (KMCC)	9.30am People of the Parish
Monday 10th August ST LAURENCE	9.30am Paul Atkinson (MR)	10.00am Word and Communion	NO SERVICE
Tuesday 11th August ST CLARE OF ASSISI	7.00pm Araniello family (MA)	10.00am Fr Michael Corbett (J&MR)	NO SERVICE
Wednesday 12th August ST JANE FRANCES DE CHANTAL	9.30am Word and Communion 8.00pm Prayer Group	10.00am Margaret Howe (BH)	9.30am Steve & Bas Perrett (AD)
Thursday 13th August	9.30am Bill Muers (MS)	10.00am June Carroll (MKW)	NO SERVICE
Friday 14th August ST MAXIMILIAN MARY KOLBE	9.30am The Gray family (AW)	10.00am Pam Harris	NO SERVICE
Saturday 15th August	9.30am Deceased members of Kimmitt & Fraser families (JK) 10.00am CONFESSIONS	6.00pm Eileen Pasquarello	NO SERVICE
Sunday 16th August THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY	11.00am Brenda Brady (MD)	5.00pm People of the Parish	9.30am Jim McCourt (KMCC)

Please remember in your prayers those who are ill and unable to attend Mass, particularly, Mary Dalby, Maureen Bell, Norma Smith, John Jameson, Steve Heywood, Bob Howe, Charlie McCuigan, Veronica Clarke, Joan Waugh, Father Michael Corbett, Michael Snowdon and Peggy Blewitt. Please also remember those whose anniversaries occur at this time and those who have died recently especially Mary Garborino.

BAPTISMS	OUR LADY AND ST EDMUND
Sunday 9th August, 12.30pm (Deacon Frank)	Darcey Olsen
Sunday 16th August, 12.30pm (Deacon Frank)	Luca Diego Zuniga

Hospital Chaplaincies

North Tyneside General Hospital, Rake Lane: Father David Nixon MSC 03448 118111 Ext 4268 or 0191 2934268.

RVI, Freeman & Walkergate: Please phone St Mary's Cathedral on 0191 2326953

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READINGS AT MASS, 19TH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR, 9TH AUGUST 2015

First reading

1 Kings 19:4-8

Elijah went into the wilderness, a day's journey, and sitting under a furze bush wished he were dead. 'O 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.

Psalm

Psalm 33:2-9

Response: Taste and see that the Lord is good.

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| 1. 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. | 2. 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. |
| 3. 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 loving as he loved you, giving himself up in our place as a fragrant offering and a sacrifice to God.

Gospel Acclamation

John 14:23

Alleluia, alleluia! If anyone loves me he will keep my word, and my Father will love him, and we shall come to him. Alleluia!

Gospel

John 6:41-51

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.'