

Heart to Heart

Newsletter of the Sacred Heart of Jesus Parish, Luton

Province of Westminster, Diocese of Northampton, Deanery of St Alban



The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ - Year B - Psalter Week 2 - 6th June 2021

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PARISH OFFICE: The Parish office is closed, with the Parish admin being managed remotely on a part time voluntary basis via the new Parish email address parish.sacredheartofjesus@northamptondiocese.org

COVID RULES FOR SACRAMENTS: Face coverings (unless exempt), sanitising and social distancing continue to apply in Church. Weddings are up to 30 attendees. Funerals are up to the maximum possible with social distancing. Baptisms are by prior arrangement. Confessions are by individual appointment. There are no private prayer sessions. Public Masses are indicated below in bold. All other Masses are celebrated privately. There are no private prayer sessions.

Saturday 5th	6.30pm	Patrick (Paddy) Goldsboro RIP	St Boniface
Sunday 6th	9.00am 11.00am	Angeline Bradley – Intention Nicholas McHale RIP	Corpus Christi
Monday 7 th	Private		
Tuesday 8 th	Private		
Wednesday 9th	9.30am		St Columba
Thursday 10 th	Private		
FUNERAL	2.00pm	Margaret Coskun RIP	
Friday 11 th	Private		The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus
Saturday 12th	6.30pm	McFaul Family – Intentions	The Immaculate Heart of Mary

SPIRITUAL COMMUNION: My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament of the altar. I love You above all things and I passionately desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot now receive You sacramentally, come spiritually into my soul so that I may unite myself wholly to You now and forever. Amen.

Entrance Antiphon	He fed them with the finest wheat and satisfied them with honey from the rock.
Psalm Response	The cup of salvation I will raise; I will call on the Lord's name.
Gospel Acclamation	Alleluia, alleluia! I am the living bread which has come down from heaven, says the Lord; Anyone who eats this bread will live for ever. Alleluia!
Communion Antiphon	Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood remains in me and I in him, says the Lord.

COVID STEWARDS AND CLEANERS: If you are under 70 years of age and not shielding, you can volunteer as a steward or cleaner for Masses and funerals by emailing parish.sacredheartofjesus@northamptondiocese.org

WEDNESDAY CHURCH CLEANING: Now that the 9.30am Wednesday public Mass has recommenced, we are also seeking to recommence the weekly general cleaning of the church after this Mass which always used to occur pre-pandemic, your help if you are available would be much appreciated.

CARDINAL NEWMAN VACANCIES: The new Visual Impaired Unit at Cardinal Newman Catholic School has the following staff vacancies for September 2021, please visit the MyNewTerm website for more information:

- Higher Level Teaching Assistant - L6, £21 948, 37 hours per week, term time only +5 days
- Brailist - L6, £21 948, 37 hours per week, term time only +5 days
- Teaching Assistants - L2, £14 988, 34 hours per week, term time only +5 days

INVITATION FROM BISHOP DAVID TO ALL EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Bishop David invites Eucharistic Ministers to pray a Holy Hour with him at 3.00pm on the Feast of Corpus Christi, Sunday 6th June 2021. You can either come in person to the Cathedral or join by Live Stream <https://northamptoncathedral.org/live/> for this opportunity to pray and reflect with Bishop David and to give thanks to God for all who share this wonderful ministry.

BISHOP DAVID: Bishop David has produced a series of short talks focussed on 'The Church'. These videos can be viewed on the Northampton Diocese YouTube channel. Simply type 'Northampton Diocese' into the search bar on YouTube and click on 'The Church' playlist. All the videos in this series so far will be displayed.

LEVEL TRUST VOLUNTEERS: Level Trust is a local charity supporting school children with everything they need to help them learn including providing free uniform, coats, shoes, learning resources and holiday food provision. They are looking for volunteers to support their local work. For more information please contact Sam on 07480 753905 or email admin@leveltrust.org

CAFOD: CAFOD has been helping communities around the world cope with the pandemic. In Zambia, for example, in the past year they helped 1,234,200 people with messages on COVID-19, provided 13,312 people with access to safe water, trained 392 frontline health workers from Zambia's 11 dioceses on how to prepare and respond to COVID-19 in their local communities and donated over 1,000 handwashing hygiene stations in communities to support handwashing measures. To stand alongside our brothers and sisters in Zambia and for supporting people in more than 30 other countries worldwide go to <https://cafod.org.uk/Give>

COVID-19 VACCINATION AND POPE FRANCIS: Pope Francis has been vaccinated and urges everyone to also do so to protect not only their own lives but those of others. 'I believe that ethically everyone should take the vaccine,' the Pope said in a TV interview. 'It is an ethical choice because you are gambling with your health, with your life, but you are also gambling with the lives of others.' As well as taking, and encouraging others to take, the vaccination, you can also be a vaccination centre volunteer at <https://www.bedscg.covid.volunteers@nhs.net>

COVID-19 FREE HOME TESTING KITS: Each household can order a free pack of 7, Covid-19 home test kits. These are able to produce a result in 20 to 30 minutes. Households can order one pack, once a week. Use the link below for more information and ordering <https://www.gov.uk/order-coronavirus-rapid-lateral-flow-tests>. You can also order by phone free of charge on 119 between 7.00am and 11.00pm.

MARGARET ROSE COSKUN RIP: The funeral Mass at the church for Margaret Rose Coskun RIP will be at 2.00pm on Thursday 10th June followed by burial on Friday 11th June at 1.30pm in Utley Cemetery, Bradford. The maximum number of attendees in the church is limited by ensuring social distancing. Face masks (unless exempt) and sanitising continue to apply. Please follow the stewards' guidance.

RIP: Please keep Nicholas McHale RIP, Alexandra Diengdoh Pavel RIP, Margaret Rose Coskun RIP and all other recently deceased Parishioners in your prayers at this difficult and sad time for their families and friends.

ANNIVERSARIES: Please pray for those whose anniversaries occur at this time: John Caldbeck 1998; Mary Coakley 2001; Roger Lewis Barnard 2014; Lojas Horvath 1964; Kevin Higgs 1985; Magda Maar 1988; Yvonne Andre 2006; Feliciano Rodriguez 1967; Mabel O'Dell 2003; Dennis Pollard 2019; Edward Lane 1977; Patrick McLoughlin 1999; Elizabeth Dolan 1984; Marie Macpherson 1996; Sean Matthew Mark Galvin 2014; Margaret Bolton 1978; Charles Reynolds 1998; John Lynch 2003; Annette Wall 2010; Andrew McDonagh 2014; Steven Hart 1999; Maruin Bullen 2004. ✠ **May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen.**