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The Body & Blood of Christ
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<u>Masses</u>		<u>Intentions</u>
Sunday	26 th The Body & Blood of Christ 9:00am 11:00am 7:00pm	Alan Bryce Nancy & Stan Ions People of the Parish
Monday	27 th 9:15am	Ermelinda Huskinson
Tuesday	28 th St Irenaeus 9:15am	Dec Hickey Family
Wednesday	29 th SS Peter & Paul Apostles (Holyday of Obligation) 9:15am 12.30pm 7:30pm	In Thanksgiving (CS) (No Intention Received) People of the Parish
Thursday	30 th 9:15am	Patrick Mulgrew
Friday	1 st The Sacred Heart of Jesus 9:15am	(No Intention Received)
Saturday	2 nd The Immaculate Heart of Mary 10:00am	Mary McLouglin
Sunday	3 rd 14th Sunday of the Year 9:00am 11:00am 7:00pm	James and Kathleen Rush

Sunday 3rd July 2011

14th Sunday of the Year

Mass	9:00am	11:00am	7:00pm
Readers	K. Wilson T. Walker	A. Dawes P. Dawes	S. Smith T. Edwards
Eucharistic Ministers	E. Harber G. Harber M. Bell	G. Davison T. Edwards C. Smith	L. Lindley C. Rich K. Brown
Servers	E. Shuttleworth A. Bambrick J. Dowd, E. Boyle	A. Turnball D. Willis P. Glancey	J& A Johnson P. Smith

Confessions: Wednesday 6.30pm to 7.00pm. Saturday 11.00pm to 12 noon

The Angelus: Recited Monday to Friday at 9.00am.

Morning Prayer: Monday to Friday at 9 00am.

Rosary: Saturday 9.40am.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament from the end of Mass on Saturday until 12 noon.

Welcome – a very warm welcome to Sr Daphne Norden of the Medical Mission Sisters who is making the annual mission appeal this weekend. **There will be a second collection as you leave Mass.**

Mass for the Sick – on Saturday 9th July at 3.00pm. Eucharistic ministers are requested to invite their communicants to Mass on this special occasion. This Mass is for all who are sick. Please come.

New Altar Servers – A list will be available next weekend for new altar servers. Fr Lawrence would like those who have just made their First Holy Communion to consider joining.

Confirmation – Those who are in year 10 in September and upwards are eligible for Confirmation in November. Registration forms will be available next weekend.

Many Thanks – The Parish Council Social Committee - Eileen, Simon and Anne would like to thank all parishioners who contributed to the sweets and cakes on the occasion of Fr Lawrence's Jubilee. The response was tremendous and the quality fantastic.

Concert of Traditional Music - A traditional music concert will take place in St George's Church Hall on Saturday 2nd July, for Christian Aid. See poster in porch. Performers will include Pipers Fancy Northumbrian pipers, JIVA folk duet and Old English singers. Tickets £5 (adult) £2,50 (child) from Gerry Harber (517829).

S.V.P. Art Competition - The national SVP are holding an art competition on the theme "Seeing Christ in Our Midst", with prizes of £100 and £50 for various categories. See notice in church porch for details if you would like to enter.

Great North Run - One of our parishioners, Geraldine Richell (mum to Patrick, Y9 at St Benet Biscop's; Max, Y2 at St Robert's and Luca, aged 3), is doing the Great North Run in aid of the National Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children (NSPCC). She would greatly appreciate your help to raise funds for this worthwhile cause. There is a form on the noticeboard in the church porch for anyone willing to sponsor her to run the half marathon in September and she passes on her thanks.

St. Robert's Nursery - has a very limited number of places left for 3 – 4 year olds in September! If you know anyone who would need a place in nursery, please collect a form from the school office as soon as possible.

The New Translation of the Missal - From September 2011 we shall be using a new translation of the Mass in all the Catholic Churches of this country. This will mean changes both in the words that the priests say and in the responses of the people. The structure of the Mass will NOT change. The Lectionary (Scripture readings) will NOT be changing. In our lifetime we live through many changes. It can be very uncomfortable but we need to be open to the opportunities that these changes can provide. **The colour booklet – "Understanding the Revised Mass Texts" costs £2.**

"An Introduction to the new translation of the Mass" – A six week course from the people who brought us the *Great Adventure* and *St Matthew's Gospel*. A fascinating and inspiring series that highlights the biblical foundations of the Mass. Thursday at 7.00pm in the parish hall. All welcome.

Bible Reflection - A small group of parishioners meet to prepare for the next Sunday's readings every Tuesday from 1.00pm to 2.00pm in the church hall. Everyone welcome.

Our Lady's Statue and Rosary – Rosary this week at Pat Ibbetson's residence – 2 Sovereign House, Manchester Street - Wednesday at 2.30pm – Please consider signing up next week.

Young Adults Pilgrimage to the Holy Land – Monday 27th February to Monday 5th March 2012 – (For those aged 18 to 30.) Fr Lawrence writes "Bishop Seamus will be leading this pilgrimage. It is basically the same pilgrimage that we had in February for older adults. We stay in the same excellent hotels – it is not a back packer's holiday. On the previous two occasions that I have organised youth pilgrimages I managed to find sponsorship from various trusts and religious orders. I was able to reduce the price from about £900 to £550. There is no guarantee that this will happen this time but again the cost should be no obstacle. Fundraising events can be organised. I hope that we will get a number of young pilgrims from St Robert's. I will need some help in organising it. Booking forms and an Itinerary are available at the back of church. It is now been advertised through the Northern Cross – so don't delay. Book up today! A deposit of £100 is required – cheques to "St Robert's Pilgrimage Fund."

Renewal of Commitment for Eucharistic Ministers – will actually take place next weekend - 3rd July.

Rest In Peace – Please remember in your prayers Jenny Sayer, aged 99, who died this week. May she rest in peace and rise in glory.