

St Robert of Newminster

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*St Robert's is celebrating a year of the Eucharist
from Corpus Christi 2011 to Corpus Christi 2012*

Sunday 14th August 2011

Assumption of Our Lady

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Sunday	14 th August	Mass 9 00am 11 00am 7 00pm	Intentions Frank & Mary Ellen McLaughlin People of the Parish
Monday	15 th	9 15am	Ann Donaldson
Tuesday	16 th	9 15am	Nora Keane
Wednesday	17 th	9 15am	Kevin O'Malley
Thursday	18 th	9 15am	Patrick Joseph O'Brien
Friday	19 th	St Oswin 9 15am 6.00pm	Paul Romer Mass of Our Lady
Saturday	20 th	St Bernard 10 00am	(No Intention Received)
Sunday	21 st	9 00am 11 00am 7 00pm	Sarah Ann Lockie Sylvia Callaghan People of the Parish
Sunday 21 st August 21 st Sunday of the Year			
Mass	9 00am	11 00am	7 00pm
Readers	T Walker, A Mitchell	M Anderson, J Ratcliffe	B Cole, L Cole
Eucharistic Ministers	D Shuttleworth, M Dewar, D Dewar	V Shearer, D Shearer R McAllister	A Smith, J Johnson M Illingworth
Servers	J. Laux, B. Donaldson D & A Johnson	A Turnbull D. Willis P. Clancey	C. Rich, B. Gosling D. 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.

Mass and BBQ for Young People – Everyone is welcome to the Mass of Our Lady on Friday evening at 6.00pm. If you are aged 17 to 25 you are invited to the BBQ afterwards. Bring a friend but please sign up on the list at the back of church TODAY.

CRB checks - Quite a number of parishioners will have received forms from the Diocese asking them to renew their CRB status so that they can continue with their ministries within our parish. This relates to those who were last checked in 2007 so if you have not received a form, please do not worry. It is not your turn yet!! Because of the number of people involved it would be helpful if we could have a few "processing sessions" in the Presbytery, when the safeguarding officers can check and photocopy the required evidence and sign off the forms. The first two suggested dates are **Tuesday August 16th from 6.30 to 7.30pm and Wednesday August 17th after morning Mass until 11.00am**. We will arrange a further date in September to accommodate those who are away on holiday. It would be very helpful if you could look carefully at the notes supplied by the Diocese to help you. For example, you do not need to complete question A28 or any of Section D. You do need to complete A30. You do need to bring the "Confirmation of Identity" form and have completed that too. When looking at the types of evidence you need to bring to be photocopied, please remember to check the dates on utility bills and bank statements etc. On the back of the "Confirmation of Identity" form, it tells you whether these sorts of documents need to have been issued within the last **three** months, **twelve** months or whether it does not matter. If you have a passport and/or Driving Licence it is important that you actually use these as evidence. If your Driving Licence is the photocard style, do remember to bring the paper counterpart as it is not acceptable without. Thank you very much for taking time to do this.

Ann Dawes

Home Rosary – at Eileen House's, 20 High Stanners on Monday 15th August at 2.00pm. All welcome. Please consider taking the statue of Our Lady for a week and hosting the rosary in your house at a day and time of your convenience. Please sign up at the back of Church.

Catechism of the Catholic Church – If you ordered a copy a few months ago they are now available in the porch. Price £12.

Congratulations - to Simon Dutson and Rebecca More who were married at St Robert's yesterday.

Confirmation – those in year 10 upwards are eligible for Confirmation in November. Fr. Phil Quinn, the episcopal vicar, will celebrate the Sacrament on Thursday (not Friday as previously stated) 10th November at 7 00pm. The preparation course will begin in September. Please fill in the registration form at the back of church and put it in the box provided or deliver to the presbytery.

Date for diary – A Parish Pilgrimage to the Holy Island of Lindisfarne – Saturday 17th September – coach will leave at 9 30am. Traditional crossing on the pilgrim's way for able bodied – starts on the mainland at about 10 30am. Coach to the island for invalids. Mass at 12 noon followed by picnic. Coach leaves at 4 00pm. Please sign up to give us an idea of numbers.

CTS – New booklets and leaflets on the new Missal at the back of church – **The New translation of the Mass begins in September**. Fr Lawrence recommends the material at the back of church to help you prepare for the changes and familiarise yourself with the new text and what it means