



The Catholic Parish of The Sacred Heart, Darwen

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*"It is the smallest of the seeds,
yet it grows into the
biggest shrub of them all."*

11th Sunday Ordinary Time – Year B

13th June 2021

St. Joseph's St. Edward's

Saturday	6.15 p.m.		Vigil Mass – HAVE YOU BOOKED?
Sunday	9.00 a.m.	11.00 a.m.	Mass – HAVE YOU BOOKED?
Monday	9.15 a.m.		Mass
Tuesday		9.15 a.m.	Mass
Wednesday	9.15 a.m.		Mass
Thursday			NO MASS
Friday	9.15 a.m.		Mass
Saturday		9.15 a.m.	Mass
	6.15 p.m.		Vigil Mass 12 th Sunday Ordinary Time– PLEASE BOOK
Sunday	9.00 a.m.	11.00 a.m.	Mass 12 th Sunday Ordinary Time – PLEASE BOOK



BOOKING NOTICE FOR NEXT SUNDAY Sunday 20th June 9am St Joseph's

First Communion Families: NO NEED TO BOOK!
12 bays will be reserved at the front of Church for First Communion Families. i.e Child plus 2.
Regular Parishioners: Places are very limited this week so first come, first served. The 6.15pm Vigil Mass usually has spare places or you can watch on live stream. Remember, the Sunday obligation is still suspended due to the pandemic.



PLEASE BOOK SUNDAY MASS

Text only - kept 21 days NHS tracing.

Saturday 6.15pm: 07772 257315

Sunday 9am: 07598 908987

Sunday 11am: 07722 889932

Lines open Mon-Sat 10-4pm. TEXT:

SURNAME - MASS - NO. OF PLACES;
e.g. **Smith 9am 2 places.**

A simple YES /NO reply will be returned.



First Holy Communion Masses

Places limited to child +2 adults.

Sunday 20th June Non-Catholic Schools

St Joseph's Church 9am Y4+

PRACTICE: Saturday 19th June 12 noon St Joseph's Church

Sunday 27th June St Edward's School

St Edward's Church 12.00 Y4 & 1.30 Y3

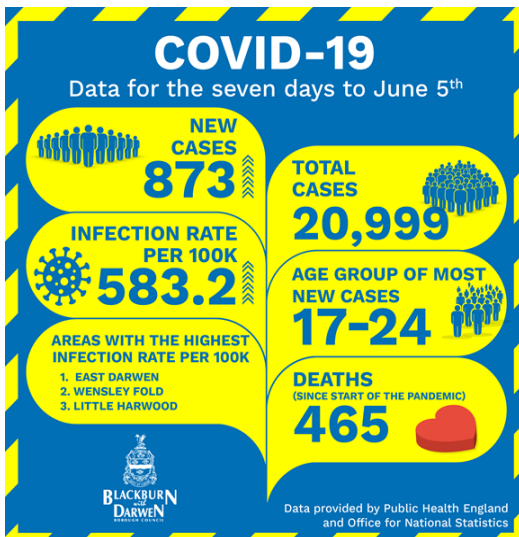


WELCOME ST JOSEPH'S SCHOOL

This Sunday we welcome the families of St Joseph's school to celebrate First Communion.

It is wonderful that these Masses can be celebrated despite the restricted numbers. We pray for all these children on their sacramental journey, that they may remember forever their sacred day as a very special occasion.

THANKS TO EVERYONE WHO HAS HELPED PREPARE THEM AND GUIDE THEM.



COVID CONTINUES

Darwen is currently top of the list for infection rates in the borough and in the UK. While there are changing patterns to how the virus is affecting people, the situation is concerning. Sad as it is, we are still obliged to take seriously the guidance and warnings of the scientists. Please take care to follow the rules, not just for your own sake but for the sake of those you love.

St Joseph's Maintenance

1. We have one more roof to seal over the sacristy.
2. The entrance posts to the car-park are to be lowered, thus reducing the risk of them falling and opening up vision for emerging traffic.

Gift Aid Donations

Please let Fr Brian know if any of your details change e.g. address, tax-code etc. This is very important as it will affect our claim to the tax man! Many thanks for your support.

Mass Intentions

Latently Dead: Joseph Lennon, Maureen Murphy

Anniversaries: All whose anniversaries are at this time

Birthday Anniversaries: Alan Almond (14th June), James Reid (June 14th)

Live-Stream St Joseph's

<https://www.churchservices.tv/darwen>



Sunday Order of Service & Readings

Readings: <https://universalis.com/mass.htm>

Order of Mass: PDF file on website home page.



Parish Walk 8.5 miles
Saturday 26th June 10am
Blacksnape Playing Fields
Car Park BB3 3PN

This is an interesting trail route exploring the local landscape combination of nature and industry. There are several options for those wanting a shorter route.

Route: Along Sough Tunnel to Whittlestone Head following the railway trail towards Entwistle. Cross the railway bridge and up the old tramline to Roman Road.

Explore Roundbarn Quarry plus a brew and break. Traverse the top of the quarry and on to the Naze for lunch at Broadhead Colliery coke kilns. After lunch follow the trails to Aushaw and back down to Roman Rd. Cross over and follow the path opposite the Crown & Thistle to Top of the Meadow. Follow the main path round Cranberry Moss to Bull Hill coke kiln. Back to Blacksnape via Jacks Key & Cranberry.

ALL WELCOME

There are mainly good trail paths with some moorland sections. Please bring water/packed lunch. We will have a brew/snack break and lunch. Depending on the group and length of stops we will be back 3-4pm.



The Trees

The trees are coming into leaf
Like something almost being said;
The recent buds relax and spread,
Their greenness is a kind of grief.

Is it that they are born again
And we grow old? No, they die too,
Their yearly trick of looking new
Is written down in rings of grain.
Yet still the unresting castles thresh
In fullgrown thickness every May.
Last year is dead, they seem to say,
Begin afresh, afresh, afresh.

Philip Larkin

Highlights Euro 2021

"Ee there's nowt on telly but football!"

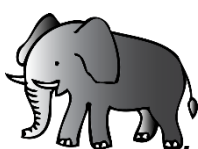


WEEKLY COLLECTIONS – THANK YOU!

Donations to either house or online:

Account: **TSDT Sacred Heart**

A/C no. **40835803** Sort code: **205534**



SACRED HEART CATHOLIC PARISH DARWEN

Summer Holiday Family Trip to CHESTER ZOO

Tuesday 24th August 2021

Leaving Anchor Pub Bus Stop 9am / St Joseph's Church Bus Stop 9.10am

Leaving Chester Zoo 5pm



Cost £15 per person children & adults)



(Age 2 & under FREE - but please add into the children numbers for the coach seats)

Our prices are concessionary and well below what you would pay yourselves.

(Online £21.80 adult/ £18.18 child or on the gate £28 adult & £24 child)

DEPOSIT £5 per person due NOW and payment in full required by 30th June.

PLEASE PUT DEPOSIT OF £5 per person in a sealed envelope marked ZOO TRIP plus:

Name, telephone no., number of adults, number of children & number of children 2 or under

POST THROUGH EITHER PRESBYTERY OR BOOK THROUGH ST EDWARD'S/ST JOSEPH'S SCHOOLS

