



The Catholic Parish of The Sacred Heart, Darwen

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"This is my Body. This is my Blood."

The Body & Blood of Christ – Year B

6th 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		9.15 a.m.	Mass
Friday	9.15 a.m.		Mass
Saturday		9.15 a.m.	Mass
	6.15 p.m.		Vigil Mass 11th Sunday Ordinary Time– PLEASE BOOK
Sunday	9.00 a.m.	11.00 a.m.	Mass 11th Sunday Ordinary Time – PLEASE BOOK



PLEASE BOOK SUNDAY MASS

Text only - kept 21 days NHS tracing.

Saturday 6.15pm: 07772 257315

Sunday 9am: 07598 908987

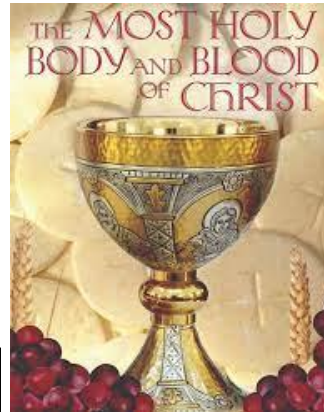
Sunday 11am: 07722 889932

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.



Our Lord Jesus Christ is present most significantly in food. So today we pray for those deprived of dignity by hunger.



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 a 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.

First Holy Communion Masses

Places limited to First Communion child +2 adults.

Sunday 13th June St Joseph's School Groups

St Joseph's Church 12.00 Y4 & 1.30 Y3

Sunday 20th June Non-Catholic Schools Group

St Joseph's Church 9am Y4+

Sunday 27th June St Edward's School Groups

St Edward's Church 12.00 Y4 & 1.30 Y3

First Communion Memories

What single memory do you have of your First Holy Communion Day?

Covid Neighbours

We still have a great many people isolated by Covid. Please remember to contact somebody who is on their own.

Food Larder

Many thanks to everyone who contributes to the Food Larder in this time of crisis. Donations of food can be left in the carpark shelter at St Joseph's Church.

Blessings of the Weather

"Oh it's too hot!"



Mass Intentions

Lately Dead: Joseph Lennon

Anniversaries: All whose anniversaries are at this time

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.

A Prayer for Our Earth

Published in Pope Francis' encyclical, 'Laudato Si'. It is for all who believe in God who is the all-powerful Creator.

All powerful God,
you are present in the universe
and in the smallest of your creatures.
You embrace with your tenderness all that exists.
Pour out upon us the power of your love,
that we may protect life and beauty.
Fill us with your peace, that we may live
as brothers and sisters, harming no one.
O God of the poor,
help us to rescue the abandoned
and forgotten of this earth,
so precious in your eyes.
Bring healing to our lives,
that we may protect the world and not prey on it,
that we may sow beauty,
not pollution and destruction.



Touch the hearts
of those who look only for gain
at the expense of the poor and the earth.
Teach us to discover the worth of each thing,
to be filled with awe and contemplation,
to recognize that we are profoundly united
with every creature
as we journey towards your infinite light.
We thank you for being with us each day.
Encourage us, we pray, in our struggle,
for justice, love and peace. AMEN



THE MOST SACRED HEART
OF
JESUS

The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus Friday 11th June

The contribution of the Catholic Church in Darwen has been profound. From the many different forms of social activity to the expressions of dignity at times of crisis. We give thanks for everyone in our community. We remember those who have gone before us and pray for those who will come after us. May the love of God be witnessed in the Parish of the Sacred Heart Darwen.

Fr Brian's Ascension

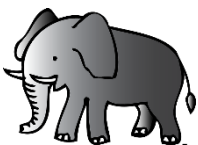
This week, Fr Brian visited Sedbergh for a walk in the Howgill Fells. He followed beautiful trails along the River Rawthey to the iron-age settlement at Cautley. The views were magnificent. He took the spectacular steep ascent past Cautley Spout, the UK's longest waterfall, and climbed up by Cautley Beck. The mist enveloped the landscape leaving little view of the wondrous landscape. On to the trig point at The Calf, the highest summit of the Howgills at 676m, where all that could be seen was a blank screen of moisture instead of endless rolling hills! Map in hand, Fr Brian aborted plans to explore further and took the Dales Highway route back to Sedbergh where bright skies re-appeared!

WEEKLY COLLECTIONS

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

