

Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time: Year B – 10th June 2018

St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Bilton, Harrogate

Sunday 10th June 2018

6:30pm	Saturday (Vigil) Intention: Eileen Stead Reader: Warren Considine
8:00am	Sunday Mass Intention: Parish Dead List Reader: Mark Gargan
11:00am	Sunday Mass Intention: Parish Dead list Readers: Paul Fletcher & Linda Francis



Monday 11th June 2018

Feast

Intention:

No Mass

Tuesday 12th June 2018

Feast:

Intention:

9:30am Eucharistic Service

Wednesday 13th June 2018

Feast:

Intention:

No Mass

Thursday 14th June 2018

(HMP Wetherby Young Offenders)

Chaplaincy

No Mass

Friday 15th June 2018

Feast:

Intention: Parish Dead List

9:30am Mass

Readers at Mass - next week

Saturday (Vigil): Elizabeth Tyszka

Sunday 8.00am: John Warren

Sunday 11:00am: Patsy Rochester & John Tweddle

Devotion

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament before each Mass.

Rosary recited after each Mass.

Confessions

5.30pm – 6.00pm

Saturday evening or by appointment.

Marriage and Baptism

By appointment and after preparation. Marriages require a minimum of 6 month notice.

Please remember in your prayers:

Those who are sick: Jean Harston, James Mularkey, Georgina McCaul, Baby Elspeth Morris, Gemma Smith, Alex & Mary Hobson, Father Angelo, Monsignor Philip Holyroyd. Carol Wood, Mary Hammond, Marie Lockwood, Emma Tolan, Michael Flynn.

Those who have died:

Parish Priest: Rev. Father Neil Byrne

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Second Collection This Weekend there will be the annual second collection for the **Diocesan Priest's Retirement Fund**. Priests are permitted to retire at 75 (just under 20 years to go!) and in addition to being housed, we receive an annual retirement allowance, from the Fund. At the moment the Fund stands at about £5.8M -it first began with the Diocesan Appeal in 1997- and needs to pay out about £350K a year to the 50 retired priests, as well as accommodation and care costs. Anything you can give to support the Fund is very much appreciated. Donations can be gift-aided or by bank transfer.

Gift Aid Tax Letters. The Diocese has now issued the letters of tax reclaimed for the year 2017/18. Not everyone needs them to complete their tax returns and although they are available for everyone who donates and has completed a Gift Aid Declaration. If you need your letter please let Father Neil or John Tweddle (523332 or johnwtweddle@btopenworld.com) know and your copy will be sent to you.

Replacing the Parish Hall Floor. The work will take place over the summer holidays and the Hall will be closed for 3 weeks from Monday 30th July to Sunday 19th August. There is a list for **Volunteering** on the noticeboard in the church entrance showing what help is needed and when. If you can help move furniture, strip out the old floor and repaint the hall please consider booking some of your time to help with this work.

CATECHIST FORUM SATURDAY 16TH JUNE 2018: All Diocesan Catechists are invited to the Catechist Forum at 10:00am at Wheeler Hall on Saturday June 16th. The meeting will conclude with the celebration of Mass in the Cathedral with Bishop Marcus at 12 noon. To book a place please contact evangelisation.admin@dioceseofleeds.org.uk or 0113 261 8040. I would like as many of our parish catechists to attend. Can those Catechists who are attending please let me know this week.

Congratulations and Welcome to Travis Brian Sibson who was baptised last weekend. Please remember him and his family in your prayers.

Counters: We could do with a couple of new teams to assist with the weekly collection count – either on Sunday morning after the 11am Mass or during Monday. If you think you could offer some help, please get in touch with Father Neil or John Tweddle.

TODAY - Festa Italiana: Italian families of the Parish welcome you to a special lunch party with traditional homemade Italian dishes. An afternoon of fun! food! music! and dance! Cose da pazzi!!! All proceeds to Parish funds

Father Angelo: On July 8th 2018, Father Angelo will celebrate his 40th Anniversary of Priesthood. I'm sure you will agree that Father Angelo enjoys coming to St Joseph's and providing cover for me and that we appreciate his time with us. **Envelopes are now available** for you to make a donation to Father Angelo. Volunteers needed to help organise the 'shared table' reception.

Clergy Moves – It is that time of the year again when some priests are asked to take up new appointments in the diocese. Please keep all those who may be affected by the moves in your prayers.

DIOCESAN CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION: Sun 24th June 2018. Procession begins 4pm at Mount St Joseph's, Headingley and through the grounds of Hinsley Hall. Car parking at Hinsley Hall. After the procession, refreshments, bouncy castle, ice creams, lawn games until 7pm. For more information, please see the attached revised poster.

Diocesan Collections: Please be aware that over the next few weeks there will be Diocesan collections at all Masses:

- Day for Life collection 16th/17th June
- Peter's Pence collection 23rd/24th June

Next Weekend: DAY FOR LIFE 2018: MODERN SLAVERY AND HUMAN TRAFFICKING: This year's Day for Life (17th June) will remember all those who are suffering or have survived human trafficking and modern slavery. Day for Life is celebrated yearly by the Catholic Church in Ireland, Scotland, and England and Wales. It is a day dedicated to raising awareness about the meaning and value of human life at every stage and in every condition. After the recent vote in Ireland, it is clear that much support is needed in this area. The proceeds of the Day for Life collection to be held is used for the promotion of the dignity of the human person. Money collected for Day for Life will be used to fund projects that support work in this area by organisations which further this objective. Your donation is greatly appreciated.