

St John Fisher's Church 2nd June 2024

Sunday 9.30am 12.00 noon	2nd June The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ Mass Adoration	
Monday	3rd June	St Charles Lwanga et al
Tuesday 9.00am 9.30am 11.00 am	4th June Mass Adoration Café	Weekday
Wednesday 9.00am 9.30am	5th June Mass Adoration Shrine Jubilee Steering Group	St Boniface
Thursday 6.30pm 7.30pm	6th June Adoration Mass	St Norbert
Friday 11.00am 12.00 noon	7th June Adoration Mass	The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus
Saturday 11.00am 12.00 noon 2.00pm	8th June Adoration Mass	Vigil Tenth Sunday Immaculate Heart of Mary
Sunday 9.30am 11.30am 2.00pm	9th June Mass Baptism Emilia Grace Ladies Afternoon with Rita Derbyshire	Tenth Sunday

Early Edition

**St John Fisher Parish Community
Shrine of Our Lady of Schoenstatt
26th May 2024 Corpus Christi Sunday**



The Eucharist Is a Double Miracle

We are so used to the Eucharist that we can sometimes forget how amazing this sacrament really is. That's one of the reasons the Church gives us today's beautiful feast of Corpus Christi. Today, every Catholic throughout the world is turning their attention to this divine gift by which Jesus Christ, under the appearances of bread and wine, continues to dwell among us and to nourish our souls through the most Blessed Sacrament of the Eucharist. There are two miracles involved in this sacrament, two miracles that occur at every Mass. During the words of consecration, the humble, normal substances of bread and wine are changed into Christ's living body and blood. The substance of the bread is changed into his body, and the substance of the wine is changed into his blood; this process is called "transubstantiation." They are truly changed; Christ becomes truly present in them. This is the first miracle. The second miracle is that although the substance of the bread and wine has changed, their appearance remains the same. After the sacred words of consecration, they still look like bread and wine, but under those appearances, Jesus is truly present. This is why we treat the Eucharist with such reverence: it is not just a symbol; it is a sacrament, a mystery of Christ's real presence. These two miracles are performed at every Mass, through the ministry of the priest, by the power of the Holy Spirit. And right after the words of consecration, we all express our wonder, awe, and belief in these two miracles when we give our response to the priest's invitation: "Let us proclaim the mystery of faith." This double-miracle is, admittedly, a quiet miracle - at least most of the time. But every once in awhile, God allows it to become more dramatic, just so we don't fall into routine.

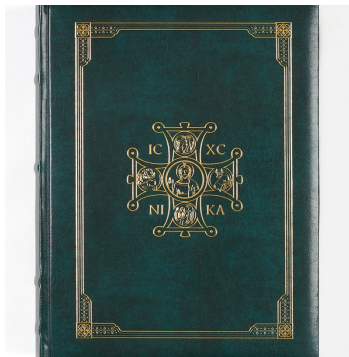


Mass Intentions. We Pray for peace in Eastern Europe, the Holy Land and for the people suffering there and other theatres of war. We pray for world leaders to follow a way to peace and justice. **For all our sick and housebound:** Please pray for Sheila McKay, Anne Holland, Peter Hughes, John Dennehy, Patrick O'Neill, Jodie Corless, Anne

Shuttleworth, Annamma, Irene Sargent, Kate Martin, baby John McDonagh, Konrad Ostmeier, Angela Edmundson, Colette Crillen Muriel & Brian Osborne, Auntie Rosaleen, Gerrard Herffernon, Gina Buccinno, Joan Eastwood, Paul Ormerod, Irene Wood, Alec Watson, Candy Harris, Elizabeth & John Ward, Anna Abraham, Susan Irvine, Chloe, Rose McGann, Nora McDonald, Sally Gibson, Jane Shades, Pauline Millington, Eileen Kehoe, Bob Plover, Ruth Dawson, Pauline Kent, Maureen Manion, Lynda Robinson, Ann Kirby, Paul Grogan, Leo Mazza, Doreen Mazza, Hilda Plover, Hildegard Cornelius, Avril de Mink, Barbara Conners, Maureen Rogers, Sheila Barker, Martin Hotchkiss, Alice Hindley, Pat Pearson, Edith Hamilton, Sheila Bocker, Peter Fenton, Marie Fenton, John Ward, Jane Jordan, Rita Derbyshire, Eric Derbyshire, John Derbyshire, Peter Tracey, Linda Muir, Sharon Simpson, Bob Cole, Elizabeth De Chazal, Maria Edwards, Agnes McFadden, Eileen Johnson, Jane Boyle, Pat Jones, Lee Pomfret. **For those, who died recently** Robert Kemp, Denis Mold, Rev Tony Cowell, Christine Ward, Freda Wilmer, Jim Allen, Jimmy Allen Jnr, Fr Ivanhoe Allies, Bernard Dunn, Tricia Fahy, Anne E Tootill, Caroline Hall, John Grow. **On the Anniversary** of Madge Mannion, Philip Johnson, Irene Caswell, Daniel O'Neill. For Janet Cassidy, Peter Fenton, Angela Fenton, Nikki Fenton and for Dominic Mazza, Marie Jones, Theresa Karey. For the MacDonald family, Harris family, Arun and Swami. **Special Intentions** of a family, Paul Cooper, Michael Sequeira, Jonny, and David Hawkins. For Michael McGinley, Willy & Lisa. For reconciliation in the family. Remembering the Birthday Jean Dunning and Madge Mannion (100).

The New Lectionary

For Advent 2024 the Church is introducing a new Lectionary. These books of Readings have been updated and a new translation of the Bible texts has been prepared and becomes the official text for holy Mass. Each set has four volumes. We will need a set of Lectionaries for St John Fisher and a smaller version for the Shrine. The cost of the lectionaries for St John Fisher's is £695.00. So approximately each book costs £175.00. The smaller edition for the Shrine costs £395.00. Near enough £100.00 per volume. I would like to invite you to make a donation towards the costs. You can donate in memory of a loved one or for your family. We will record the



donations and make a list for each volume.

GOOD NEWS *Keeping Our Glass Ready to Be Filled*

When we receive the holy Eucharist in Communion, this is what is going on, the redemption of the world through Christ's presence in each one of us. By making himself present in us, he heals and sanctifies us, but he also reaches out to heal and sanctify everyone around us, every part of the world that is connected to us.



MARRIAGE MATTERS *A promise of eternal life*

Today, the letter to the Hebrews speaks of a new covenant, a new promise of eternal life. We became a new covenant when we promised to be a married couple on our wedding day. We renew our married covenant each time we nourish and feed each other in our relationship with acts and words of tender kindness.



Rev Tony Cowell has died suddenly

It is with great sadness to convey the message that Rev Tony Cowell passed away yesterday evening. Our thoughts are with his wife Doreen and his family at this time. Tony was heavily involved across all our local churches and he will be a great loss to our church community. On Sunday Tony gave the talk at the Pentecost Service. May he rest in peace and rise in glory

Corpus Christi

God our Father, for Your glory and our salvation You appointed Jesus Christ eternal High Priest. May the people He gained for You by His Blood come to share in the power of His Cross and Resurrection by celebrating His Memorial in this Eucharist, for He lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever.



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