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Sunday 4th June	THE MOST HOLY TRINITY 10.00 am: Mass	
Monday 5th June	St Boniface No Mass	
Tuesday 6th June	Feria (St Norbert) 9.00 am: Rosary	9.30 am: Mass
Wednesday 7th June	Feria 9.00 am: Rosary	9.30 am: Mass
Thursday 8th June	St William of York 9.00 am: Rosary	9.30 am: Mass
Friday 9th June	Feria (St Columba, St Ephrem) 8.30 am: Adoration	9.30 am: Mass
Saturday 10th June	Feria 9.00 am: Rosary	9.30 am: Mass
Sunday 11th June	Corpus Christi 10.00 am: Mass	

Confessions are available before and after Mass, or on request.

Sister Susan Taylor, RIP

Please remember in your prayers Sr. Susan Taylor, formerly known as Sr. Theresa, who taught for many years at St. Mary's College. Sr. Susan died on 17th May, and her Requiem Mass will be at the Sacred Heart Church, Southcoates Lane, on Monday 19th June at 11.30 am. May she rest in peace and rise in glory.

Please also pray for: Harold Hartley, Rosemary Guazzelli, Selina May Young, Edna Swindell, Joan Scannell, Margaret Coyle, Eileen Hayes and Herbert Campbell whose anniversaries occur during the coming week.

Notices

Parish Celebration

There will be a celebratory 'shared buffet' after Mass, next Sunday, 11th June, for the young people who were confirmed recently at the Marist Church; and for the First Communion children who will be receiving their certificates at Mass today.

If anyone is able to help by providing food, it would be very gratefully received, and there is a list in the porch to indicate what you are able to bring. Thank you.

Parish Finance Committee

The next meeting of the Finance Committee will be this Tuesday 6th June at 7.00 pm in the church meeting room.

Parish Pastoral Council Meeting

The next Parish Meeting will be on Thursday 15th June at 7.00 pm.

Diocesan Justice and Peace Commission

Anthony Storey Memorial Lecture: Tuesday 6th June at 7.00 pm via Zoom

The speaker this year is Christine Allen. Christine has been the Executive Director of CAFOD since the spring of 2019. Prior to this she held leadership positions at two faith-based international development organisations for the previous 17 years - namely Christian Aid and Progressio. Her career began as a field worker with the Justice and Peace Commission in the Archdiocese of Liverpool in 1987 and as CAFOD's campaigns coordinator in 1989.

She brings a wealth of energy and experience to her work and plans to use the lecture to explore what it means to be a sign of hope at many different levels, and where we get our inspiration from to be signs of hope, whilst referencing the work of CAFOD - its supporters and partners and the wider influence in the church as a witness of hope.

Having the lecture via Zoom last year seemed to work well, so is being used again this year. To register for the lecture, please e.mail Barbara Hungin at: bhungin@yahoo.co.uk

Summer Concert

A concert has been arranged with the New Park Singers for Thursday 13th July at 7.00 pm in St Anthony's Church. Refreshments and Raffle. All proceeds in aid of the church. Tickets £5, available from Jean Campbell: Tel: 875698. Please try and support this event as these concerts are an important source of fund-raising for the parish, and we had to cancel our Christmas Concert due to lack of heating in the church!

SJOG / CSAN Homes for Ukraine

We are writing to request your support in promoting our programme for individuals displaced by the war in Ukraine. We, as Caritas Social Action Network (CSAN), are working in partnership with one of our member charities, St John of God Hospitaller Services, to coordinate a Homes for Ukraine programme, which provides temporary housing and support for Ukrainian displaced individuals as they adjust to life in the UK.

Get in touch:

Kindly let us know if you might be able to support our mission in this way and the Homes for Ukraine team will be happy to send you further information that you might need.

If you have any feedback or further questions, please don't hesitate to get in contact with us and the team and we'll do our best to help you.

More information on the project can be found at the following links:

Website: <https://sjog-homesforukraine.uk>

E-mail: homesforukraine@sjog.org.uk

Facebook page: facebook.com/sjoghomesforukraine

Middlesbrough Diocesan Missio Mass

The Mass, particularly for Red Box holders, this year is on Wednesday 7th June at 2.00 pm at English Martyrs Church, Dalton Terrace, York, YO24 4DA. Please ring 07593 544625 if you are able to attend.

A Date for your Diary - an Invitation from Hull Catenians

On Thursday 22nd June the Hull Circle of the Catenian Association will be visiting Oldroyd's Corner at 2.30 pm. Oldroyd's Corner is located behind the Woodmansey Garden Centre, (Hull Road, Woodmansey, HU17 0RS), and is accessed through the outside plants area. Paul Oldroyd will give a short talk about the place and be happy to answer any questions about plants. Cost £3.00 per person and includes tea/coffee and scones.

More information about Oldroyd's Corner: oldroydscorner.co.uk

If you are interested. please contact Kath on 07964 708732 or Charles at drcseka@gmail.com Please see poster.

CAFOD: update on the conflict in Sudan

Violent conflict continues in Sudan and thousands of people are running out of food, water and medicine. Working as part of the Caritas network, your previous donations to CAFOD are enabling our teams to provide practical help to families who have escaped to neighbouring countries, including South Sudan. Please join Pope Francis in praying for peace in Sudan. Find out more on the CAFOD website:

<https://cafod.org.uk/news/emergencies-news/sudan-conflict>

*We pray for the people of Sudan,
and all those parts of the world
suffering from conflict and violence.
May the ways of peace and justice prevail.
Lord, in your mercy, hear our prayer.*

'The Oratory'

Nollywood comes to CAFOD - an exclusive CAFOD screening of 'The Oratory' – which tells the story of an African American Catholic priest, who, after struggling to find his purpose, inspired by the life of Don Bosco, ends up in Lagos in Nigeria working with street children. For further details go to:

<https://www.bigmarker.com/cafod/The-Oratory>

House Visits

Please let Fr Joseph know, if you would like him to visit you.

St William of York

The Feast of St William of York, Patron Saint of York, is on Thursday 8th June. William Fitzherbert was Archbishop of York from 1141-1147, and 1153-1154. His appointment was controversial, but ended in miracles and sainthood. William was the Minster's Treasurer before becoming Archbishop, and some of the Canons disputed his appointment, so he was not officially consecrated until 1143. In 1147 he was deposed by the Pope and replaced by the Abbot of Fountains Abbey, Henry Murdac. This was unpopular with the citizens of York who refused to allow him to enter the city in 1148. William had accepted the Pope's decision and left for Sicily. However, both Abbot Murdac and the Pope died in 1153 and William was asked back to York. As he returned triumphantly to York, he stopped on the Ouse Bridge, but so many people had crowded onto the bridge that it collapsed. William stopped and prayed to God to stop the drowning, and miraculously no one was hurt. Soon afterwards, in 1154, William was taken ill after celebrating Mass, and died a week later. Many believed that there had been poison in the chalice. His stone coffin is in the Western crypt of York Minster.

The Ouse Bridge Miracle and various other miracles attributed to him after his death led to his canonisation in 1226.

Hospital Chaplain

If you, or someone you know, is in hospital and would like a visit from the Chaplain, please contact Deacon Bob directly on 470456.

Catholic Listeners

Fr Dominic Robinson, SJ, of Farm Street Church in London, has asked that the information below about the 'Catholic Listeners Telephone Helpline Service' be circulated to all parishes:

'Catholic Listeners' is a confidential telephone helpline service set up for those returning Catholics who want to return to the faith and need a safe space to be heard. A Diocese of Westminster initiative, the helpline is staffed by a team of volunteers who are welcoming, friendly, empathetic and non-judgmental. The helpline is also based on the 'Landings' ethos of compassionate listening.

Operating three days a week from 4.00 pm - 7.00 pm on Mondays, Tuesdays and Fridays. Calls are free to the helpline on 0800 4480704 or by email at Catholiclisteners@gmail.com

Next World Youth Day

In August 2023, the Pope will meet young people in Lisbon for the next World Youth Day. It is hoped that a group from the Diocese will travel with Bishop Terry from 31st July - 7th August to join in this wonderful event. If anyone, aged 18 - 35 by August 2023, would like to go to Lisbon, please contact Fr Philip Cunnah to register your interest by email at: frphilip.cunnah@rcdmidd.org.uk, and to receive further details.

Prayer for those in Turkey and Syria affected by earthquakes

God of Mercy,
we pray for the people of Turkey and Syria
following the recent earthquakes.
We mourn the death and destruction,
and pray for those who have died and those who grieve.
Lord, bring them comfort, strength and renewed hope.

We hold in our hearts those who are injured,
and those who have lost loved ones, livelihoods and homes.
Sustain and guide all responding to this disaster.
Grant those affected courage and resilience
as they rebuild their lives and communities.
Lord, bring them comfort, strength and renewed hope.
Inspire us to unite in solidarity,
acting swiftly and generously,
so that help may reach all who need it.
Lord, bring them comfort, strength and renewed hope.
Amen.

Prayer for those affected by the Pakistan Floods

O Lord, in the goodness of your constant love,
be with the people of Pakistan
as they face devastating floods.

At this time of great loss –
loss of lives, homes and crops –
may we be filled with your compassion
and moved to reach out in love.

As we stand alongside our sisters and brothers, we pray that
they may find consolation in their sorrow,
strength as they seek shelter and safety
and courage to carry on.

Forgive us, O Lord,
for our part in the climate crisis,
and inspire us all to play our part
in protecting the earth, our common home.

So that together we may build a world
that reflects your glory,
where hope drives out despair
and all things are made new.

Prayer for Ukraine

(Bishop Kenneth Nowakowski of the Ukrainian Catholic Church)

God of peace,
your prophet Isaiah promised swords
would be turned into ploughshares,
and your Son's mother Mary
proclaimed the mighty would be put down
and the humble exalted.

Visit the people of Ukraine:
deliver them from fear, violence, attack,
injury, destruction and death;
and give them courage, solidarity,
and allies in their hour of vulnerability and sorrow.

Turn the hearts of those bent on war and invasion.
Strengthen the hand of all seeking to halt conflict,
restore order, and pursue justice.

And make this moment of peril an occasion
for your Holy Spirit to show your world the cost of conflict,

and our dependence on one another.

In Christ our Lord who went to his death
because of our hatred,
and rose again
because our hatred is never stronger
than your indomitable love.

Amen.

Prayer sent by Missio