

Mass times week beginning 18th June, 2022	Times	Intention
Saturday	10am Rosary and confessions 4:30 pm Vigil Mass	Parish
Corpus Christi	09:30am Mass	Cateeya Yardley (Thanksgiving)
Tuesday	12pm Mass	Mary Dorothea Jones RIP
Wednesday	12pm Mass	Mary Hansen (For success following operation)
Friday	12pm Mass	Richard Leeming RIP and Family
Saturday	10am Rosary and confessions 4:30 pm Vigil Mass	Peace in Nigeria
Sunday	09:30am Mass	Parish

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For Stella Maris bookings and information : Contact office

**Last weeks collection:**

Plate:£497.00

Gift Aid :£229.00

## Blessings on the Feast of Corpus Christi 2022: What is the Eucharist?

**On This the Feast of Corpus Christi, we will re-visit what we may already know about the Holy Eucharist.**

**Who instituted the Eucharist?:** Jesus Christ instituted all seven sacraments, including the Sacrament of Holy Eucharist, the Eucharist was introduced at the first Mass, at the Last Supper.

**What does the Catechism of the Catholic Church teach?** “It teaches that it is by the conversion of the bread and wine into Christ’s Body and Blood that Christ becomes present in this sacrament.” (Catholic Herald, 2019)

**When does the transformation take place?** “The Eucharistic presence of Christ begins at the moment of the Consecration and endures as long as the Eucharistic species subsist. Christ is present whole and entire in each of the species and whole and entire in each of their parts, in such a way that the breaking of the bread does not divide Christ.” (Catechism of the Catholic Church, para 1377)

**How should we receive?** “It is permitted to receive the Eucharist standing and in the hand. However, kneeling to receive on the tongue is a sign of increased reverence and more clearly identifies us as Catholic. It also helps avoid profanation of the sacrament.” (Catholic Herald, 2019) It is very important that the Eucharist is consumed immediately after receiving, it is not symbolic, it really and truly contains the body, blood, soul and divinity of our Lord Jesus Christ. Under no circumstances should the Blessed Sacrament be removed from the Church, or given to anyone else by a lay person.

**When was the feast of Corpus Christi introduced?** “In 1263 a German priest, Fr. Peter of Prague, made a pilgrimage to Rome. He stopped in Bolsena, Italy, to celebrate Mass at the Church of St. Christina. At the time he was having doubts about Jesus being truly present in the Blessed Sacrament. He was affected by the growing debate among certain theologians who, for the first time in the history of the Church, began introducing doubts about the Body and Blood of Christ being actually present in the consecrated bread and wine. In response to his doubt, when he recited the prayer of consecration as he celebrated the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, blood started seeping from the consecrated host and onto the altar and corporal.

Fr. Peter reported this miracle to Pope Urban IV, who at the time was nearby in Orvieto. The pope sent delegates to investigate and ordered that host and blood-stained corporal be brought to Orvieto. The relics were then placed in the Cathedral of Orvieto, where they remain today

This Eucharistic Miracle confirmed the visions given to St. Juliana of Mont Cornillon in Belgium (1193-1258). St. Juliana was a nun and mystic who had a series of visions in which she was instructed by Our Lord to work to establish a liturgical feast for the Holy Eucharist, to which she had a great devotion. After many years of trying, she finally convinced the bishop, the future Pope Urban IV, to create this special feast in honor of the Blessed Sacrament, where none had existed before.” (Filz, 2017)



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### Notices

**HAPPY FATHER’S DAY TO ALL THE DADS AND GRANDADS IN OUR PARISH, AS WELL AS THOSE WHO ARE LIKE FATHERS TO US. MAY GOD BLESS YOU ALL.**

**DBS Renewal:** If you haven't already returned your forms along with supporting documents, then please do so as soon as you can.

**Greater Manchester Police Male Voice Choir Concert: This Sunday (19th June)**

at 8pm, we will be hosting a concert by the Manchester Police Male Voice Choir. Tickets available on the door.

**Residential KSC Youth Seminar: Hinsley Hall Tuesday 26th - Friday 29th July 2022:** Think about your own Children and your Council’s Young People as candidates to attend, think about the Young People who are Altar Servers, think about the Young People who sit next to you at Mass with their Parents. Don’t forget the Secondary Schools Lay Chaplains to approach. Note: Costs of the seminar and accommodation at Hinsley Hall, Leeds will be borne by the Order’s Central General Fund; cost of travel to and from Leeds will be borne by others (i.e. The Province, Council, Parish, Parent, Parish Group etc.) Contact the KSC Head Office : Knights of St Columba 75 Hillington Road South, Glasgow, G52 2AE Tel: (+ 44) 0141 883 5700 Or Brother Michael Akinrere Deputy Supreme Knight KSC Youth youth@ksc.org.uk (Ages 16-23) Website: <http://www.ksc.org.uk>

**Marriage prep course :** There will be holding a Marriage Care ‘Preparing Together’ programme on Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> July at Stella Maris Centre, Llandudno. This is a full day course starting at 10am. This skills-oriented course covers topics such as good communication skills, how to deal with conflict, expectations and how family background plays a part in a couple’s relationship. The course also explores the importance and significance of the Sacrament of Marriage and the meaning of the marriage vows. This course is open to any couples who are preparing to marry. Booking for this course is essential. For more information about the course and to book couples may visit <https://www.marriagecare.org.uk/marriage-preparation-2/>

This Sunday our Eucharistic ministers will renew their commitments, please pray for them .

**Friendship group :** The next meeting for the new friendship group will be on Saturday 25th June at 2pm, if anyone would like any more information please see Jane Baines.

**Thursdays: Faith conversations**

The next meeting will be at 10am until 11:30am Thursday 30th June, 2022 at Stella Maris. Newcomers are encouraged to just turn up! All welcome. Please contact Paddy Rylands for any further information.01492 868616.

**Any items for the newsletter please send to [priestllandudno@rcdwxm.org.uk](mailto:priestllandudno@rcdwxm.org.uk)**

**PLEASE SEE OUR NOTICEBOARD FOR MORE EVENTS AND INFORMATION**

**It is a Christian and wholesome charity for us to pray for our sick clergy and our brothers and sisters, and housebound. :** Fr Antony Jones, Fr Ian Dalgleish and Canon Bernard Lordan . Jennifer Congreve, Doreen Barker, Bob Lemon, Pat Wilcox, Stephen O’Connell, Jim Kane, Shelagh Scraggs , Jennifer Hamlett, Olive McStay, Emmie Kelly, John Barron, Patrick McGlad, Kristina Adey-Davies , Christopher Rakestraw Eric Hibbert, Des Garth Jones, Amy Jones, Eira Dalzell , Teresa Keams, Maria Spacome , Linda and Paul Blanchard , Joe Evans, Mary Hansen , George Quigley, Hugh Drennan,



## Living Theology Summer School

Loreto Centre

Friday 8–10th July 2022

The Living Theology Summer School is organised by Jesuits and their associates to provide opportunities to deepen our understanding of the Christian faith and develop our personal reflection on Christian living and belief.

If you have ever thought ‘I wish I understood a bit more about that’, then this weekend may be for you. No prior theological knowledge is required, just an open mind and willingness to engage.

• Some residential places are still available

Keynote Speaker: **Nicholas King SJ**

plus, a choice of workshops by Fiona Ellis, Mike Barnes SJ and Mike Smith SJ

For more information, please see [www.loretocentre.org.uk](http://www.loretocentre.org.uk) or contact Loreto Centre on 01492 878031