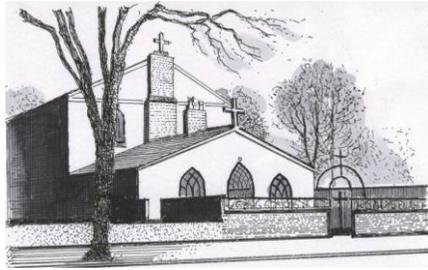


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11th SUNDAY OF THE YEAR 17 JUNE 2018

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MASSES THIS WEEKEND

Monday	9.00am	Service of the Word & Holy Communion
Saturday	6.30pm	Private Intention
Sunday	9.00am	Dorothy Garvey
	10.30am	Private Intention
Monday	9.00am	Service of the Word & Holy Com
Tuesday	9.00am	Service of the Word & Holy Communion
Wednesday	9.00am	Service of the Word & Holy Communion
Thursday	9.00am	Service of the Word & Holy Communion
Friday	9.00am	Private Intention CC

MASSES NEXT WEEKEND

Saturday	6.30pm	People of the Parish
Sunday	9.00am	Kate Hanson
	10.30am	Paddy Ryan

Novena	Wednesday after Mass
Confessions	Saturday 11.00 to 11.30am & 5.30 to 6.00pm
Meditation	Saturday 10.15am

Counters team next Sunday - Team E

Geraldine Simmons Teracina Taylor Jim Davies Ken Fidler

THE HOLY LAND

Greetings from Jerusalem. Isn't technology AMAZING. After the experience here two years ago I felt that it could not be repeated. I felt that I'd been here, done it and got the T-shirt. The only reason I decided to come was that I did not want to see Teresa Cash coming on the pilgrimage on her own. Well my socks have been well and truly blown away again, literally and metaphorically. It is different but mind blowing and very moving. What is amazing me is the things that are touching me that I did not notice last time. I keep asking the leaders if we were here last time. Then it obviously did not touch me or I would have remembered. This time I am being touched deeply once more. The great beauty is that it is not half as hot as it was last time and also the guide is very different. Please continue to remember us and pray for our safety.

MINSTERACRES RETREAT BREAK 2018

The Minsteracres Retreat Centre is a Christian place of prayer with a resident community rooted in the Passionist tradition. Come and stay in a beautiful location in Northumberland, make new friends or come with friends, family and join in thoughtful reflection and fun evening family activities. Returners please do come again and newcomers – give it a go! It will be from 1st - 8th August 2018, cost for the week is £390 which includes coach, meals and trips out. Visit local villages, beaches and towns or enjoy a peaceful stroll around the stunning grounds of the Minsteracres House. We would love to see you on this memorable holiday so if you are interested please contact MARGARET on 01744 734629 or mobile 07814 906645 or ANNETTE on 07510 248897. Deposits are £50.

LITTLE CHAPEL

The Little Chapel is fully operational at last. It will be open for private prayer each day where the Blessed Sacrament will be exposed. Access to the chapel is by fob which costs £5. If you would like a fob please have a word with Dave.

KNOCK PILGRIMAGE

Fully escorted Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine, Ireland, 10th September 2018. £599.00 per person sharing. Price includes flight from Liverpool or Birmingham with 10kg hand luggage, all taxes, luxury transfers, 4 nights' in Knock House Hotel with full Irish Breakfast each morning and 4 Course Dinner each evening. All entertainment, excursions and guided tours included. Wheelchair accessible rooms in the hotel. Limited single rooms at supplement of £100. Groups and Individual bookings welcome. Contact Patricia on 01268 762 278 or 07740 175557 or email knockpilgrimages@gmail.com. Knock Pilgrimages is a member of the Travel Trust Association and is fully protected by ATOL T7613.

DAY FOR LIFE

There will be a second collection after all Masses this weekend to support the Bishops' Day for Life.

NOVENA

It was just great to have the novena again after Mass last Wednesday. What a beautiful prayer it is. After over twelve months I'd almost forgotten.

CELEBRATION

The work on the church is nearing completion. When it is finished I think that there should be a celebration. Any ideas as to how we could celebrate such a wonderful occasion?