

Sacred Heart and English Martyrs: Newsletter 090122

The Baptism of the Lord - Year C

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Parish Office Hours: Tuesday and Friday 9.30-12 noon

Entrance Antiphon: After the Lord was baptised, the heavens were opened, and the Spirit descended upon him like a dove, and the voice of the Father thundered: This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased.

First Reading: A reading from the prophet Isaiah

The glory of the Lord shall be revealed and all mankind shall see it.

Response: Psalm 103

Bless the Lord my soul! Lord God Lord God how great you are

Second Reading: A reading from the letter of St Paul to Titus.

He saved us by the cleansing water of rebirth and by renewing us with the Holy Spirit.

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia! Someone is coming, said John, someone greater than I. He will baptise you with the Holy Spirit and with fire. Alleluia!

Gospel: A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke.

While Jesus after his own baptism was at prayer, heaven opened.

PARISHES' MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS, LS = Live Stream

Saturday 8th 5 pm SH Pauline Inglis RIP LS

Sunday 9th 9.30 am SH People of the Parishes

Sunday 9th 11.00 am EM Alicija Golovacka RIP LS

Monday 10th 10am SH LS Private Intention

Tuesday 11th 10am SH LS Private Intention

Wednesday 12th 7pm SH Private Intention

Thursday 13th EM 11am First Communicants Ints

Friday 14th 7pm SH Holy Souls
Saturday 15th 5pm SH LS Chris Cassin RIP
Sunday 16th 9.30 am SH People of the Parishes
Sunday 17th 11 am EM LS Sick and Housebound

SACRED HEART PARISH SHARED LUNCH. This will take place this Sunday 9th after the morning Mass. There will be coffee and refreshments. Please bring some finger food to share. All are invited and most welcome.

STAMPS – SH Please bring any used postage stamps and put them in the jar in the narthex. They will help raise money for charity. Thanks.

LIVESTREAM; We will be livestreaming the 5pm Saturday Mass at Sacred Heart and 11 am Sunday Mass at English Martyrs until further notice and the weekday Masses as indicated.

SYNODALTY /WALKING TOGETHER CONSULTATION MEETINGS

Given the present uncertainty over Covid it may not be advisable to have in person meetings at present. Could those who attended previous meetings and those who are interested, let Fr Gerry or Richard Potter know as to whether you would be in favour of taking things forward through a ZOOM Meeting or a simple questionnaire. Thanks.

THE NICENE CREED- I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen

THE GLORIA - Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit in the glory of God the Father. Amen.