# St John the Evangelist

Fr James Callaghan OSB

7<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter

2<sup>nd</sup> June 2019 (Year C)

## 53<sup>rd</sup> World Communications Day

**Parish Administrator**: Kathryn Lynam; **Assistants**: Emma Harrison and William Scrope Office Hours: Tuesday (busy), Wednesday 9:00-3:00pm, Thursday 9:30am-3:30pm; Friday 9:00-3:00pm.

Under normal circumstances the Church itself should be open 9:00am -3:00pm on a weekday. Telephone 01347 821295.

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The email address is the formal Priory address of the Parish Priest. All emails are read by the Administrator and either Kathryn or Fr James may reply accordingly.

#### **Mass Times this Week**

Saturday 1 St Justin, Martyr, Mem 11:45am Rosary in Church

12 Noon Reconciliation (Confession)

3pm: Blessing of Marriage of Carly Grainger and John Crowley at Anglican Church

5:45pm World Communications Day

Vigil Mass: John Holton RIP

Sunday 2 7th Sunday of Easter 10:00am Mass: *Mary Cooper RIP* 

Monday 3 St Charles Lwanga and Companions, Martyrs, Mem

Tuesday 4 Feria

Wednesday 5 St Boniface, Bishop, Martyr, Mem

9:30am Mass: *EBC* 

Thursday 6 Feria

6:30pm Mass: Fr James' Intention

Friday 7 Feria

9:30am Mass: *Dead of the EBC* 10:15am SVP meeting in the Priory

Saturday 8 St William of York, Bishop, Feast

11:45am Rosary in Church

12 Noon Reconciliation (Confession) 5:45pm Vigil Mass: *The Abbot* 

Mini-Vinnies visit to Church at both Masses

Sunday 9 Pentecost, Solemnity

10:00am Mass: Parish

6:15 Service of Celebration of the Day of Pentecost, Rievaulx Abbey. Grounds open from 5:30 for

picnics.

### His Holiness Pope Francis on LIII WCD, 2019

Invite(s) you once again to reflect on the foundation and importance of our being-in-relation and to rediscover...the desire of the human person who does not want to be left isolated and alone.

## Thought for the Week

"I am not sure exactly what heaven will be like, but I know that when we die and it comes time for God to judge us, he will not ask, 'How many good things have you done in your life?' rather he will ask, 'How much love did you put into what you did?"'

St Teresa of Calcutta

## **Recommissioning of Ministers**

There are quite a few ministers of Holy Communion due to be recommissioned. Kathryn emailed all of those who are on the email, and printed out copies for those who are not. The most sensible venue from our perspective is at Our Lady's in Acomb, on 6<sup>th</sup> June. Please let Kathryn know if you can offer a lift and we will try to arrange car sharing.

## Cake Sale/cafe weekend of 8th and 9th June

Hosted by the Mini-Vinnies and SVP, this will be running after both masses. The money raised will go towards the SVP to help the needy. All donations welcome: cakes; tea; coffee; biscuits; croissants; raisin bread; scones; and money!! If you can provide croissants or raisin bread please advise Mary Atkin-Johnson to avoid duplication. Donations can be left with Kathryn, or contact Mary on 07904 232746.

## Middlesbrough Foodbank

Thank you so much for your generous donations! Next delivery - 3<sup>rd</sup> June. No advice on shortages at the moment, but it helps the volunteers at the depot if you give multipacks of tins or cartons. The need, sadly, is ever-increasing, so please remember the MFB when shopping, but remember also that donations of money are always welcome too! If you want more information, please contact us on 01653 628755. More information to be found on the MFB website. Thank you all for your support! God bless.

#### Parishioners in need

If you, or someone you know, does require more assistance than we can offer, the following charities may be of interest to you:

- The Beckwith Trust: The criteria for the grants awarded by the Beckwith Bequest is such that they must be for educational purposes and apply only to individuals either living or attending schools within the Parishes of Easingwold and Husthwaite. An application does not have to be for those under 18 only, however any grant to an adult must be for educational purposes. Trustee meetings are in
  - January, April and September. Beckwithbequest@outlook.com
- Easingwold Food Bank: can help you with food, toiletries and other essentials besides advising on further help. Importantly they deliver to you and are completely confidential. No referrals needed as they trust our local residents. Please contact them and leave a message on 0772 44 44 750 and they will respond ASAP.
- Soldier On! works with vulnerable, socially isolated or disadvantaged people to find out what they really want to do with their lives and make a plan to move forward. This is achieved through workshops and delivered onsite at community-led inclusive archaeology projects. Please see www.soldieron.org.uk for details.

### **Upcoming Events – See Posters**

#### June

Thur 13 7pm: Parish Forum Meeting

#### July

- 8-10 Jul:Conference at Durham University Catholicism, Literature, and the Arts II: Legacies and Revivals
- Sun 14 First Communions

#### **SPUC Rosary for the Unborn**

There are some cards at the back for this which SPUC is promoting with the Knights of St Columba in their centenary year.

#### **CAFOD Candlelight Funds**

This is for families who are bereaved, who can support CAFOD in memory of a loved one in. There are some leaflets at the back

#### Sri Lanka Emergency Appeal.

Aid to the Church in Need says:

For many years ACN has funded projects in Sri Lanka, supporting the building of churches, children's education and more. As we continue our vital support in the country, we ask you to give what you can to help Christians in Sri Lanka.

Please remember all those affected by these horrific acts in your prayers. We pray for all persecuted and oppressed Christians; wherever they may be, trusting in our Risen Lord.

## **Prayer to St Michael**

Holy Michael, Archangel, defend us in the day of battle. Be our safeguard against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do Thou, Prince of the Heavenly Host, by the power of God, thrust down into hell Satan and all the wicked spirits who wander through the world for the ruin of souls. Amen.

## Offertory Collections and Charities: Thank you for your donations.

- The Offertory Collections on the 6th Sunday of Easter totalled £528.71 for which we are most grateful.
- Easyfundraising: We have received £57.25 this quarter so thank you to all those using the scheme. Your internet shopping can fundraise for the Church at no cost to yourself. Please see Kathryn for information.

#### PLEASE PRAY FOR:

*Housebound:* Sally Agar, Mattie Burke, Kitty Carrington, Veronica Ellerby, Pat Grotrian, Graham Harrand, Eunice Huby, Sheila Jack, Darren Kennedy, Fr Leo, Kay Moss, Beryl Rhodes, Anita Schubert, Jack Windust.

Presently infirm/in hospital (please keep us updated of their progress): Christopher Browne, Barbara Burnett, Nino & Mary Capaldi, Cath Cavanagh, John Charnock, Jenny Cook, Linda Davison, Paul Gallagher, Nigel Graham, John Lee, Yvonne Milles, Malcolm Richmond, Claire Robinson, John Simpson and Anne Waggott.

Those who have died recently: Greta Hopperton, Sir Timothy Kitson, Anthony Shepherd, and for those whose Anniversaries occur about this time: Doris Mary Basnett, Josephine Delves Broughton, Teresa Gilbert, Jozeph Dziurzynski, Hilda Drury, Anthony Cosgrove, Winifred Mary Bromfield Callaghan, Anne Gertrude Segriff.

#### Accommodation available to rent

One bed fully furnished in village outside Easingwold on the main bus route. See Kathryn if you would like information.