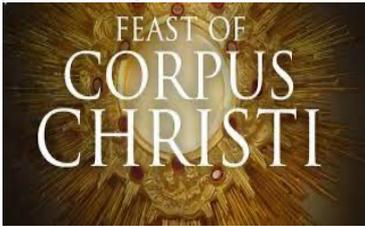




Sacred Heart Of Jesus Newsletter



Welcome to this week's newsletter. This information is also available on the [Sacred Heart Web Page](#) Please note the web page will always be the most up to date link with parish news.

If you need to contact Fr Paul Chipchase, please ring the parish office on 01509 219325 or email Fr Paul at oh.sacredheart.loughboro@dioceseofnottingham.uk

Message for the Feast of Corpus Christi.

As a child, I remember being excited when our parish priest announced that we were to have a new mosaic in the church.

We were delighted, and puzzled, when it was unveiled. Expecting an image of Jesus or one of the saints, we were surprised to see, just in front of the communion rails, a splendid mosaic of - a pelican!

But why a pelican? Eventually the parish priest explained it to us. Long before the days of David Attenborough or Chris Packham, when little was known about the ways of birds and animals, people had observed pelicans on the nest apparently biting off their own flesh and feeding it to their young. In fact, the pelicans were waterproofing their feathers with the preen gland on their beaks and then feeding their chicks with regurgitated fish.

The pelican was an ancient symbol of the Eucharist, in which Christ gives us his flesh to eat and his blood to drink, and which we celebrate in today's feast and at all Masses.

God bless Fr. Paul

Parish Service and Intentions for this coming week

Date	Service	Intentions	Welcomer
Saturday 18th June 2022	17:30 Vigil Mass	People of the Parish	Noel
Saturday Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)		From 5:00 to 5:20 p.m.	
Sunday 19th June Corpus Christi	10:00 Mass 11:00 Mass	Fr. Ben Choyce R.I.P. First Holy Communion children and families	Richard Liz
Monday 20th June	09:30 Mass	Fr. Peter Hawker R.I.P.	
Tuesday 21st June St. Aloysius Gonzaga	17:30 Mass	5:30 p.m. Mass in Sacred Heart school (Parishioners welcome)	
Wednesday 22nd June Ss. John Fisher & Thomas More	09:30 Mass	Rita Preston R.I.P.	
Thursday 23rd June Birth of John the Baptist	09:30 Mass	Fr. Kevin Eastell R.I.P.	
Friday 24th June The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus (Parish feast day)	09:30 Mass	Parish intentions	
Saturday 25th June	17:30 Vigil Mass	George and Claire Gandy R.I.P.	Ian
Sunday 26th June 2022	10:00 Mass	People of the Parish.	Maggie / Liz

Sunday Mass at 11am. Please keep our First Holy Communion children, their families and Fiona, our catechist, in your prayers on their special day.



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Monday 20th June. There will be a meeting in our parish hall at 7:00 p.m. for those who represented the parishes of the Loughborough Deanery at the Roadshow. This meeting will discuss the arrangements for those parishes which are to be linked.

Tuesday 21st June 7:30 p.m. Loughborough Churches Partnership AGM at St. Peters Centre - would anyone like to represent our parish?

Tuesday 5th July. Fr. Paul's 25th Anniversary of Ordination. There will be a celebration Mass in church at 5:30 p.m. followed by a barbecue in the presbytery garden. All welcome.

News from within our Nottingham Diocese - Forthcoming Events

New Diocesan e-news. The first edition of the brand new diocesan e-news is on the horizon, sign up to make sure you don't miss it. It will take no more than 60 seconds to do. Register via WWW.dioceseofnottingham.uk/news/maillinglist by emailing naomi.roberts@dioceseofnottingham.uk or scan the QR code on the poster within the church.

Divine Renovation Connect Nottingham is being held from 10.00am until 5.00pm on Saturday 2nd July at the Parish of the Good Shepherd, Woodthorpe, to connect with other on the journey of parish renewal. Parish renewal can be a lonely journey, which is why it is important for priests and parish leaders to regularly connect with other mission-minded leaders to exchange ideas, support each other, and to pray and worship together. If you are already implementing principles of renewal in your parish (e.g. run an evangelisation tool such as Alpha, cast a vision for your parish, or leading out of a leadership team), we invite you to join us This is an opportunity for you to be with parish leaders from across the UK and hear from speakers on the practicalities of parish renewal, share your own experiences, learn from others, and to pray and worship together. For bookings, see: <https://brushfire.com/divinerenovationministry-uk/drukconnectnottingham>

Children's Activity





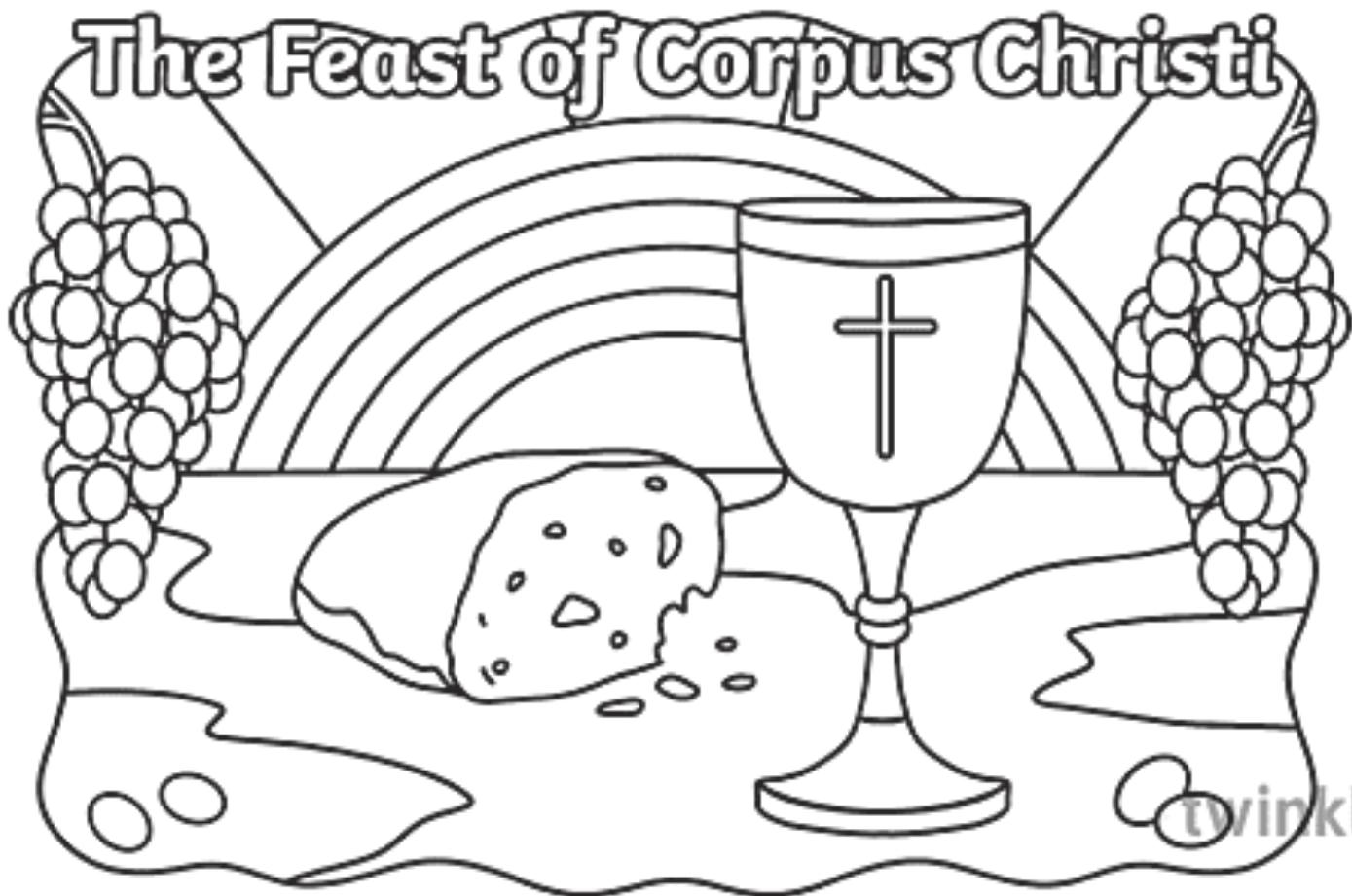
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EVER FLESH DRINK
BLOOD ETERNAL FATHER
ANCESTORS DEAD ANYONE



The Feast of Corpus Christi





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