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Corpus Christi & First Holy Communion | Sat 6th June– Sun 14th June 2026

Date	Mass & Service Details	Timings	Intentions & Notes	Other Events
Sat 6 th June	Reconciliation Rosary Mass – Corpus Christi	3:30pm 5:30pm 6pm	<i>Holy Souls in Purgatory</i>	<i>Hall in use all day (First Holy Communion prep) Eucharistic Minister Renewals (end of Mass)</i>
Sun 7 th June	Rosary Mass – Corpus Christi	9:30am 10am	<i>Betty & Dennis.H (60th Wedding Anniv)</i>	<i>First Holy Communion Celebration Eucharistic Minister Renewals (end of Mass)</i>
Mon 8 th	Mass	10am	<i>For the health and wellbeing of Stefan. Barbara Ralph (RIP)</i>	<i>Hall in use (5-8pm)</i>
Tues 9 th	Adoration Mass	12pm 12:30pm	<i>Neil Jenkins (RIP) Christine Haywood (RIP)</i>	<i>Hall in use (9am-1pm) First Holy Communion Class – 3:45pm Hall in use (6:15pm- 7:45pm)</i>
Wed 10 th	Funeral Mass	12pm	<i>Funeral of Barbara Ralph</i>	<i>Toddler Church – 9:30am Choir Practise – TBC Hall in Use 3:30pm – 4:30pm</i>
Thurs 11 th	No Mass			<i>Hall in use (5:30pm – 7:30pm)</i>
Fri 12 th	Mass – The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus	7pm	<i>Canon Peter Coyle (RIP)</i>	
Sat 13 th June	Reconciliation Rosary Mass	3:30pm 5:30pm 6pm	<i>Private intentions of PL</i>	
Sun 14 th June	Rosary Mass Funeral vigil	9:30am 10am 5pm	<i>Hattie Blair (Born sleeping 14/6/25) Christine Haywood</i>	<i>Tea and coffee after Mass (all are welcome!) Reception of Christine's Body</i>

Please pray for our sick & housebound: Fr. Michael Eastwood, John & Jean B, Dee O, Colin B, Marie R, Margaret W, Aileen R, Deacon Bill, Janet W, David W, Kathleen L, Sharon, Cathy L, Mary & Michael W, Terry H, Joan B., Beryll W., Danny B and Tara.

Requiescant in pace - Death has been announced of two members of the parish: Barbara Ralph and Christine Haywood. Their funeral liturgies will be on Wednesday 10th June (12 noon) and Monday 15th June respectively. Please keep them and their families in your prayers

Future Parish Events

Date	Details
Sat 13 th June	Artisan Market (St Winefride's School) - 11am to 2pm (<i>Details below</i>)
Mon.15 th June	<i>Funeral Mass of Christine Haywood</i>
Sat 20 th June	Parish Garden Fete
Sat 5 th December	Parish Christmas Fair

Thanks from Fr Michael – Fr Michael would like to express his sincere thanks to parishioners for their thoughts, prayers and good wishes during his recent stay in hospital. He asks that you please continue to keep him in your prayers as he continues his recovery and wants everyone to know that your prayers are helping. Breda would also like to extend her heartfelt thanks to all those who kindly helped by driving her to and from the hospital each day. Your support and generosity have been greatly appreciated by them both.

Parish Development Fund – A reminder that the second collection this weekend (Sat, Jun 6 and Sun, Jun 7) will be for the Parish Development Fund. As always, this fund helps support the ongoing upkeep, maintenance, and improvement of our parish buildings and facilities. Thank you for your continued generosity and support.

200 Club Winners – Congratulations to the winners of the May 200 Club draw: 1st Prize – Fr Patrick, 2nd Prize – Danny B., and 3rd Prize – Beryl W. Thank you to everyone who supports the 200 Club. The June draw will take place over the weekend of Jun 27/28

Chester Coach Trip – Thank you to everyone who joined us on the recent coach trip to Chester and Cheshire Oaks. A lovely day was enjoyed by all, with plenty of opportunity for shopping, sightseeing and good company. We are also delighted to report that the trip raised £321 in support of parish funds. Thank you to everyone who helped organise the day and to all who took part and supported the event.

First Holy Communion – This weekend, a number of young people from our parish will celebrate their First Holy Communion. This is always a joyful and important occasion in the life of the parish and a special milestone in the faith journey of the children and their families. Please keep all of our First Holy Communion children in your prayers as they receive Our Lord in the Eucharist for the first time.

Garden Fete Appeal – Our Parish Garden Fete takes place on Sat, Jun 20 from 2 PM–4 PM and once again we are asking for your support with donations and practical help. We would be very grateful for raffle and tombola prizes, toys, spirits, wine, bric-a-brac, plants, biscuits, toiletries, chocolate and, on the day itself, cakes. If anyone has ideas for a stall or game they may be willing to run, we would also love to hear from you. Help will be needed with setting up from 9:30 AM and packing away from 3:30 PM onwards, and any spare gazebos would be greatly appreciated too. Many thanks from the Garden Fete Committee.

Volunteer Fire Marshals – Thank you to those parishioners who have already expressed an interest in becoming Volunteer Fire Marshals. Your support is greatly appreciated. However, we do still need additional volunteers. The role requires only a short, straightforward piece of online training and a willingness to assist in the unlikely event of an evacuation. There are no regular ongoing duties attached to the role, but it is an important one and we genuinely need more people to come forward. If you may be willing to help, please contact Teresa.

Parish Suggestion Box – Parishioners may notice a new suggestion box appearing in the Narthex over the coming weeks. This forms part of a wider diocesan initiative aimed at encouraging parishioners to become more engaged in the life and future of both their parish and the Diocese. Whilst using the suggestion box is entirely voluntary, we warmly encourage you to share any comments, ideas, observations or suggestions you may have. This is your parish and our Diocese, and the more parishioners are willing to share their thoughts and experiences, the better equipped we will be to understand the needs, hopes and aspirations of our communities in the years ahead. Every contribution, however small, is welcome and valued.

Artisan Market – Sat 13 Jun, 11 a.m.–2 p.m. at St Winefride’s School. Food and drinks available, raffle, and a wide range of stalls including crafts, cakes, jams, baby goods, candles, crochet, wax melts and more. All are welcome.

Faith School Transport Consultation – Nottinghamshire County Council is consulting on the possible removal of discretionary transport for pupils attending Catholic schools on a faith basis. If implemented, this could have a significant impact on families, affecting access to Catholic education, increasing costs and creating additional travel and safety challenges for many children. Parishioners are encouraged to share their views and support the continuation of the service by completing the consultation at www.consult.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/transport/faith-school-transport-review

Date	Welcoming	Readings & Bid’ Prayers	Offertory Procession	Eucharistic Min’
Sat 13 th Jun	Diane W	Kit S	Bridget T	Luis V
Sun 14 th Jun	Nora L	Brian B	Danny B	Nora L

“The Lord is compassion and love.” - (Psalm 102/103)