



CATHOLIC CHURCH OF ST BEDE

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18th Sunday of the Year – Sunday 2nd August 2020

MASS TIMES (from 1st August)

Saturday 6pm

Sunday 10am and 6pm

MASS ON-LINE

See list on website

Diocese of Westminster

www.rcdow.org.uk

Catholic Bishops' Conference of England & Wales

www.cbcew.org.uk

DIAL-A-MASS - 01642 130120

(local rate call)

St Mary's Cathedral, Middlesbrough.

LIVE-STREAMED MASSES

More and more parishes are now resuming public Masses, and there have been changes to some of the live-streamed Mass schedules.

There is a search option on the Catholic Bishops' Conference of England & Wales website:

<https://www.cbcew.org.uk/home/our-work/health-social-care/coronavirus-guidelines/online-mass-directory/>

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

The sick and housebound, also, the lately deceased, and those whose anniversaries occur about this time. May they rest in peace.

STAYING IN TOUCH

Sign up for E-Alerts on the parish website to receive updates.

Any queries please contact:

stbede185@gmail.com

A MESSAGE FOR THE YOUNGER MEMBERS OF THE PARISH

We would love to receive any prayers or drawings you have made during lockdown.

Contributions can be posted through the Presbytery letterbox, marked for the attention of Ursula.

Remember to include your name and contact details!

ELASTIC FOR FACE MASKS

Please call Sue Reilly if you need elastic to make face masks. She has some to spare.

Contact: 07745 797944

ATTENDING MASS

This weekend we will be resuming public Masses at St Bede's. However, numbers allowed to attend will be greatly reduced, and we will be following strict guidelines. Sadly, we will need to operate a booking system.

For this reason, Sunday obligation remains suspended.

While the Covid-19 pandemic persists, attending Mass will be a very different experience for everyone, but Stewards will be on hand to guide you.

HOW TO BOOK MASS

Applications to be made between 9am Mon & 6pm Weds every week

Send an email to croxleygreen@rcdow.org.uk with the words MASS BOOKING in the title bar, or phone **01923 445163**

State the following information:

Time & date of Mass preferred.

Number of people (couples / families / groups from same household or bubble, can apply as one booking)

We will respond on Thurs/Fri to confirm your booking.

TRACK & TRACE (T&T)

In accordance with Government guidelines, we are encouraging everyone to complete a T&T form, so that people can be notified in the event of any suspected Covid-19 cases. Forms will be emailed out, and there will also be paper copies available at the church entrance, with sanitised pens.

Any personal details provided will be stored securely for a period of 21 days, solely for the purpose of the T&T system. Details of how we process your data, and your rights, are included in the full Privacy Notice which can be found at www.rcdow.org.uk/diocese/privacy-policy.

THE ROSARY

Live-streamed at 11.05am daily from Walsingham Shrine.

www.walsingham.org.uk/live-stream/

MESSAGE FROM FR JOHN

It is a great joy, and a great relief, that we are now able to celebrate Mass in public once again. We renew our thanks to the volunteers who served as Stewards when the church was open for private prayer, and to all of you who have offered to help at our Masses over the coming weekends.

Our bishops have authorised some modifications to be made in the celebration of Mass at this time, to reduce the danger of infection.

Communion is to be given under one kind, as you leave the church. The Bidding Prayers and the Sign of Peace are to be omitted, and the sermon is to be kept very brief indeed. Because of this, and because we are only able to accommodate a reduced number in the congregation, I shall continue to have some reflections on the Sunday Scripture readings printed in the Newsletter.

The priest is directed to withdraw to the Sacristy at the end of Mass, and to instruct the congregation to maintain social distancing while greeting friends or saying prayers of thanksgiving in the Memorial Garden.

MORE VOLUNTEERS ARE URGENTLY NEEDED to support our 3 Masses each weekend. **Please consider volunteering for a Mass time of your choice.**

Stewards, Eucharistic Ministers and Readers are needed. We are offering training and commissioning for new Eucharistic Ministers. Please get in touch if you can help.

Contact: stbede185@gmail.com or Ursula – 01923 445163

SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

*My Jesus,
I believe that you are present in the Holy Sacrament of the altar.
I love you above all things
and I passionately desire to receive you into my soul.
Since I cannot now receive you sacramentally, come spiritually into my soul so that I may unite myself wholly to you
now and forever. Amen.*