

## Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ (*Corpus Christi*) – Year A



### Sunday 18 June

5pm Confessions. 5.30pm Mass, followed by Refreshments upstairs.

### Monday 19 June

**Tuesday 20 June** *St Alban, proto-martyr of England*  
No Mass today

**Wed 21 June** *St Aloysius Gonzaga*  
No Holy Hour

**Thursday 22 June** *Ss John Fisher & Thomas More*  
No Mass

**Friday 23 June** *Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus*

**Saturday 24 June**

**If you need to see Fr Philip at any time, please do not hesitate to contact him on 01524 594080 or you can try him at St Joseph's parish on 01524 32493 or email [p.conner@lancaster.ac.uk](mailto:p.conner@lancaster.ac.uk) – always happy to meet up if you need some help or counsel.**

**Today** has been designated the *Day for Life*, an opportunity for the whole country to reflect on the dignity of every human person, both young and old, and to pray for and support all life from conception to natural death. We live in a throwaway culture, and there are signs that we have developed the same attitude towards human life. Today we pray especially for the safety of all children in the womb, for their parents, and for all those who help and support families going through difficult times, especially the work of the Life Charity in Morecambe and Rachel's Vineyard which brings healing to men and women who are suffering from the effects of abortion. There is a second collection today for the work of the Anscombe Bioethics Centre. See [www.dayforlife.org](http://www.dayforlife.org)

**Fr Philip is away** this week on his annual retreat. For this reason, there is no weekday Mass or services. The chapel remains always open for quiet prayer.

**Breakfast Club** at 8am on Thursday 22 June (the last of the term). This is an initiative organised by the students, beginning with the *Divine Mercy* prayer in the Chapel at 8am followed by breakfast in the Flat. Guaranteed to get the day off to a good start.

**ACN Portraits of Faith: Syria's Christians search for peace.** Next weekend 24-25 June, the Cathedral will be hosting an exhibition, organised by the *Aid to the Church in Need*. The exhibition will include art and needlework from Aleppo and provide the opportunity to find out what it is like for the Christian community in Syria today. Entrance is free, 9am-6pm.

**Mass over the Summer Holidays.** The final Sunday Mass in the Catholic Chapel will be on Sunday 9 July, resuming on Sunday 24 September. Through the Summer, Mass will be available in the surrounding parishes:

- St Peter's Cathedral, Balmoral Rd, Lancaster LA1 3BT (take bus to the Infirmary, cross the road, follow the pathway along the canal and the Cathedral is just above the White Cross pub) Saturday Vigil 6.30pm, Sunday morning 10.30am, Sunday evening 6.30pm. Weekdays at 12.15pm.
- St Bernadette's, 120 Bowerham Rd, Lancaster LA1 4HT. Saturday Vigil 6.30pm, Sunday morning 11am.
- St Joseph's, Slyne Road, Skerton LA1 2HU. Saturday Vigil 6.30pm, Sunday morning 10.00am.

During the Summer holidays, Fr Philip can continue to be contacted through the contact details above, and is always happy to meet up.

**Summer Events.** Lots of things going on over the summer for young people: **Brightlights** Festival for young Catholics at Alton Castle, 23-25 June [brightlights.org.uk](http://brightlights.org.uk); **Walsingham Way**, a vocations weekend 30 June-2 July [ukvocation.org](http://ukvocation.org); **Dominican Pilgrimage to Turin** to visit the relics of Pier Giorgio Frassati 3-7 July; the **Commission**, leadership summit for Catholic students led by Focus Ministries 9-12 July [commission17.com](http://commission17.com); **Dominican Philosophy and Theology Summer School** at the Aquinas Institute of Ireland 23-29 July; **Faith Summer Session** at Woldingham School 31 July-4 August [faith.org.uk](http://faith.org.uk); **Route St Martin** in France 31 July – 9 August [communautesaintmartin.org](http://communautesaintmartin.org); **Youth 2000 Walsingham Festival** 24-27 August [youth2000.org](http://youth2000.org)