



SCARBOROUGH CATHOLIC PARISHES

INCORPORATING THE CHURCHES OF

ST PETER, ST JOSEPH, ST EDWARD THE CONFESSOR



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WEEK COMMENCING 16 SEPTEMBER 2018

Home Mission Sunday

TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME – YEAR B

DIVINE OFFICE Week 4

NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS, LIVERPOOL

ADOREMUS - LET US ADORE

Adoremus National Eucharistic Congress began in Liverpool on Friday 7 September and culminated on Sunday 9 September. Around **10,000 people took part in the Adoremus Pilgrimage Day** on the Sunday. This was the first *National Eucharist Congress* in England and Wales (the last Congress in 1908 was an *International Eucharistic Congress*) and was the largest Catholic event in the country since Pope Benedict XVI visited in 2010 – indeed, as reported by the BBC, since St Pope John Paul II's visit in 1982. Christ in the Blessed Sacrament brought all to their knees after three days of talks, worship and celebration. Adoremus is an initiative of the Catholic Bishops' Conference of England and Wales to create a *special opportunity* to reflect on the centrality of the Eucharist in the life of the Church. A small group of delegates from Scarborough attended events on Friday and Saturday, and 31 parishioners attended the Pilgrim Day on Sunday.

Archbishop of Liverpool, Malcolm McMahon, opened the Congress at Friday's Symposium by expressing the hope that it would be *"a place of welcome where you feel at home, not just in the city, but at home in Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament."* Friday's events featured a symposium on the Eucharist. The first presentation was given by Canon Mervyn Tower of Oxford, who said that *"the Eucharist brings together some of the most important and significant elements of our humanity and shared Christian faith: gathering together in the presence of the Lord,"*. His presentation revealed the Scriptural underpinnings of the Eucharist. Canon Tower spoke about the Wisdom literature of the Old Testament, the similarities between the processions of the Torah in modern Jewish liturgies with Eucharistic processions, and how Hebrew and Greek terminology informs our understanding of the Eucharist. *"The Eucharist forcibly encourages us to focus on the Scriptures. There has not been enough recognition of this in much of contemporary liturgical approaches to the Eucharist nor in many of our parishes of the crucial intrinsic synergy between the Eucharist and the Scriptures, especially with regards to the Old Testament,"* said Canon Tower.

Canon David Oakley, Rector of St Mary's College, Oscott, began the second presentation by asking everyone, *"What is your favourite model, or image, of the Church?"* He said many people see it as an institution among many, or something that is dying, but emphasized this is not the case: The Church is part of God's plan, the Body of Christ, and the Pilgrim People of God. *"When we come before Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament and realize how much we are loved by the Lord and shown his mercy, this leads to a certain way of looking at things, to being joyful and to being grateful,"*. He acknowledged that it sometimes seems that *"there are few signs of joy and gratitude"* in the lives of many disciples of Jesus, who are *"somewhat broken, wounded and crippled by resentment, a burning anger, a furious sense that they are unappreciated, unloved, unrewarded. It all seems to be part of the spirit of our age,"*. But he urged that we should *"begin to look as though we have found the pearl of great price, and to mix the Gospel metaphors, not buried it in a field somewhere, then others might take our good news message more seriously,"*. Sister Margaret, a member of the Augustinian Community at Boarbank Hall in Cumbria and former teacher of Theology at Trinity and All Saints College, Leeds, spoke on how the Eucharist won't make sense unless it is taught from a lived context that makes sense of it. During the afternoon of Friday, presentations were tailored to specific areas of ministry, and attendees were asked to choose the topics most suited to their own ministries.

On Saturday, Bishop Robert Barron gave two excellent keynote addresses. The first spoke about the mystery of the Mass - the *source and summit* of Christian life. His second talk reflected on sainthood, sanctity and what makes us holy. Bishop Barron is auxiliary bishop for the Archdiocese of Los Angeles, founder of Word on Fire Catholic Ministries and host of *Catholicism*, the award-winning series on the Catholic Faith shown previously in our parish. His two **keynote talks are available in Vimeo video format**, and are available on the Bishop's Conference website at <http://www.catholicnews.org.uk/Home/Special-Events/Adoremus-National-Eucharistic-Pilgrimage>. It is intended to show both of these in the parish very soon. Watch the newsletter for more details. Also available on the website in **pdf format or video** are **transcripts of many of the talks** and presentations, including those mentioned above. If you would like a hard copy of any of the talks, please ask at the parish office (note: Bishop Barron's talks are only in video format).

During the 3 days of the Congress, a parallel programme of other workshops and events took place in churches and religious institutes across Liverpool, which included a Youth Congress. In the crypt of the Metropolitan Cathedral there was also an exhibition of approved Eucharistic Miracles.

The Congress culminated on Sunday, when Liverpool Metropolitan Cathedral of Christ the King (or Paddy's Wigwam as it is called, locally) was filled to capacity twice over for a glorious celebration of the Eucharist in 2 Pilgrim Masses. After the second of these Masses the crowds poured out in a great procession. A *vast* crowd of pilgrims followed a column of Papal Knights and Dames in robes who, in turn, followed a long column of priests in white vestments, all processing behind Our Lord in the Most Blessed Sacrament of the altar, exposed under a huge golden embroidered canopy. Intriguing passers-by, we processed around the streets, and back to the Cathedral where Cardinal Nichols ended with Benediction. It was a procession undertaken in a spirit of prayer and penance, and despite the downpour, it was an intensely moving and blessed event.

MASS TIMES WEEK COMMENCING 16 SEPTEMBER 2018

24TH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

Saturday Vigil	15	6.30pm	St Edward's	
Sunday	16	9.30am 10am 11.30am 5pm	St Peter's (Polish) St Joseph's St Peter's St Peter's	See printed copy for Mass Intentions
Monday	17	6.30pm	St Edward's	<i>St Robert Bellamine</i>
Tuesday	18	9.30am 6.30pm	St Joseph's St Peter's	
Wednesday	19	9.30am	St Peter's	<i>St Januarius/St Theodore of Canterbury</i>
Thursday	20	9.30am 6.30pm	St Joseph's St Edward's	<i>Ss Andrew Kim Taegon & Paul Chong Hasang & companions</i>
Friday	21	9.30am	St Peter's	<i>ST MATTHEW APOSTLE</i>
Saturday	22	9.30am	St Peter's	

SYRO-MALABAR MASS: normally 3rd Sunday of the month at 4pm at St Edward's Church Avenue Victoria.

MORNING PRAYER OF THE CHURCH (Divine Office) 15 minutes before morning Mass: St Peter's – Saturdays; St Joseph's - daily

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (Confessions):

Saturdays	St Edward's	5.45 - 6.15pm
Sundays	St Joseph's	9.15 - 9.45am
Saturdays	St Peter's	10 - 10.30am



ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:

Tuesday	St Joseph's	8.30 - 9.30am
Thursday	St Edward's	5.30 - 6.30pm
Saturday	St Peter's	10 - 10.30am



MASSES RECEIVED: see printed copy

300 CLUB WINNERS
No.184 £25
No.53 £10

ANNIVERSARIES: see printed copy

REGULAR PARISH GROUPS (more information from Parish Office)

- ROSARY for the Unborn** St Peter's: 9am Fridays; St Joseph's: Thurs after Mass
- STATIONS OF THE CROSS** Fridays after Mass (St Peter's)
- ANGELUS** Saturday morning after Mass (St Peter's) Sundays, St Joseph's
- SACRED HEART Devotion** Fridays after Mass (St Peter's)
- OUR LADY of Perpetual Help** devotion 3rd Wed. monthly (St Peter's after Mass)
- MOTHERS' PRAYERS** Tuesdays 12.30pm (St Peter's Parish Centre upper room)
- DIVINE MERCY Devotion** Fridays at 2.45pm (St Peter's Church)
- LEGION OF MARY** Saturdays after Exposition (St Peter's Parish Centre)
- LIFE ASCENDING** Prayer Group: 2nd Thursday monthly 10am (St Joseph's bungalow)
- EMMAUS** Scripture sharing fortnightly 2pm Thursday afternoons (St Edward's)
- SVP (St Vincent De Paul Society)** 7.30pm first Monday of month (St Peter's Parish Centre)
- UCM (Union of Catholic Mothers)** 1.30pm (winter), 7.15pm (summertime) third Tuesday monthly (St Peter's Parish Centre)
- PARENTS & TODDLERS** Term-time weekly Mondays 9.30am (St Joseph's Bungalow).
- CRAFT GROUPS:** St Peter's 7-9pm last Tuesday of month (Parish Centre; St Joseph's normally 2-4pm fortnightly (bungalow).
- BARROWCLIFF CHURCHES TOGETHER LUNCH** 12pm to 1pm every 4th Tuesday of the month at Wreyfield Methodist Church
- OUR LADY'S PRAYER GROUP** 1st Thursday of the month 2pm to 4pm at the house of a parishioner (ask for venue)
- ICONOGRAPHY GROUP** Thursdays, fortnightly 2-4pm, with breaks at term ends (St Peter's Parish Centre).

BOOKINGS of our Parish communal areas should be made only through the Parish office, thus avoiding double booking and upset.

RECENTLY DEAD: see printed copy

MASS ATTENDANCE

St Peter's 11.30am	160
St Peter's 5pm	57
St Joseph's 10am	187
St Edward's Vigil	88
Polish Mass (approx)	104
total (including children)	596

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

St Edward's 6.30pm:	£178
St Joseph's 10am:	£211
St Peter's 11.30am & 5pm:	£375
Gift Aid envelopes total:	£409
Standing orders (weekly av.):	£524
Polish Mass	£30
Total:	£1,727

Cheques payable to St Peter's, please

TOILETS St Peter's: in the Parish Centre (across the car park); St Joseph's & St Edward's toilets in the church building.

ADULTS please **ALWAYS** accompany your children to the toilet when in church.
ST PETER'S CHURCH IS OPEN at certain times during the weekdays. Call in and say a prayer. CCTV is in operation.
VISITORS DO SIGN VISITORS BOOK IN THE PORCH

St Edward's Hall is available for family functions £10 per hour – enquiries to Parish Office

INSTRUCTION FOR CONVERTS (RCIA) 15 sessions Course of Instruction for those thinking about becoming a Catholic: **Tuesdays at 6pm** in St Joseph's bungalow. Speak to Fr Albert if you wish to attend.

BAPTISM COURSE begins **7pm on Wednesday 21 November** - 1 hour weekly for 4 weeks. If you want your baby/child baptised, speak to Fr Gubbins.

WALKING PILGRIMAGE on the Camino de Compostela Spain: Our 2 Parishioners are half way along their **800 kilometre** 40 day trek along the Camino Francés to St James' shrine in the Cathedral of Santiago de Compostela. **Sponsor forms available at back of church, if you would like to sponsor them.** Proceeds to *St Peter's Church Restoration Fund*.

UCM (Union of Catholic Mothers) next meet at **7.15pm on Tuesday 18 September** in St Peter's Parish Centre. There will be a *Bring & Buy* sale. All are welcome.

ST PETER'S GOVERNORS MEETING 4pm on Tuesday 18 September in school.

PASTORAL COUNCIL meets **6.30pm on Wednesday 19 September** in St Peter's Parish Centre. All members contact the Parish Office to confirm attendance - please do try to attend.

ST AUGUSTINE'S SCHOOL OPEN EVENING 6.30pm on Wednesday 19 September.

COUNTRY DANCE CLASSES at St Edwards resumes **2-4pm Monday 24 September**, and **7.30-9.30pm Tuesday 25 September** until early December. Details from the parish office.

THEATRE FUNDRAISER in aid of the **Middlesbrough Lourdes Fund** & other charities: **7.30pm Friday 28 September** at Middlesbrough Theatre. Tickets £12 (family of 4 £36). Guest Star Jimmy Cricket. Tickets from Middlesbrough Theatre Box Office 01642 815181 or Keith Tillotson 01642 324043.

LUNCHEON CLUB Wednesday 3 October after 11.30am Mass in St Peter's Parish Centre - this will be a **Fast Lunch** to coincide with CAFOD Family Fast Day. Contact the parish office to book a place.

MASS IN HONOUR OF STELLA MARIS, Our Lady Star of the Sea: Apostleship of the Sea invites you to come pray for the work of Apostleship of the Sea and for seafarers at **7pm on Wednesday 3 October** in St Mary's Cathedral, Dalby Way, Coulby Newham, Middlesbrough TS8 0TW. Bishop Draine will celebrate Mass, followed by a reception. All invited. Email to confirm attendance at salvina@apostleshipofthesea.org.uk

WELCOME TO THE EMERALD ISLE Show presented by the Kevin O'Connor School of Irish Dancing: **7pm on Friday 5 October** at the YMCA Theatre. Tickets £7 from the YMCA box office. Tel 506750.

INSPIRATIONAL DAY FOR LAY MINISTERS OF THE WORD & HOLY COMMUNION Saturday 20 October at the Spa, Scarborough (later this year due to the National Eucharistic Conference). Details to follow.

PILGRIMAGE TO MARIAN SHRINE OF KNOCK in Mayo, Ireland, possibly **April or May 2019**. If interested, add your name to the list at back of church - no obligation. This is to test the water to see if it is worth pursuing.

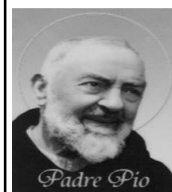
ST PETER'S 160 YEARS PHOTO of the congregation - sample copies in the porch. Add your name if you would like a copy, stating **A** and/or **B**. Photos of St Joseph's Sunday congregation will be taken **16 September** and St Edwards Saturday Vigil congregation **15 September**. This will give a pictorial glimpse of Scarborough Catholic Mass going population in 2018.

HOME MISSION SUNDAY is **this weekend 15/16 September**. There will be a second collection at all weekend Masses.

ST PETER'S RESTORATION & CONSERVATION Estimated costs for all 3 phases (Upper Sanctuary, Lower Sanctuary & Lady Chapel) total £100,000. We are applying for Historic Church Lottery Fund Grants. More details to follow. We await a formal 'green light' from the Diocesan Trustees to continue this endeavour.

APOSTLESHIP OF THE SEA AT TO TEESIDE DOCKS recent visit gave a fascinating insight into the work of the AoS. Many sea farers work long contracts and are poorly treated, and many are ill equipped for cold weather conditions. Scarborough Parishes will be supporting them on an ongoing basis. Boxes have been placed at back of all churches for your donations. They are in urgent need of the following items:

- men's clothing (*especially small & medium sizes 28 to 32*). T-shirts especially needed.
- men's underwear & warm socks (*new only*)
- warm hats & scarves (*especially snoods*)
- Shorts & flip-flops (some lower areas of the ship are hot)
- small devotional items, eg. Rosaries, medals, crucifixes, picture prayer cards and religious wall images.
- small nativity scenes
- confectionery/snack items (long date)



Padre Pio

50TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE DEATH OF PADRE PIO (ST PIO)

Day Pilgrimage by coach to the National Shrine at Pantasaph, North Wales, **Sunday 23 September**. Add your name to the list at back of church (on one list only please). **Seats £10 in advance (children free)**. Departs **7am** from St Peter's, **7.15am** from St Joseph's, back in Scarborough **8.30pm** approx (3½ hr journey). **26 names so far.** **PETITIONS TO ST (PADRE) PIO** can be taken next Sunday. Write your petition and send in a sealed envelope to St Peter's Office.

NOVENA OF REPARATION under the patronage of St Joseph, in front of the blessed Sacrament will begin in our parishes on **17 September for 18 hours over 9 days**. Dates, times and venues are listed on the back page of this newsletter. This is in response to the Holy Father, Pope Francis' request that we show solidarity with the victims of the abuse scandal committed by some members of the clergy and religious, both historic and more recent. You are all encouraged to participate. Please add your name to the list at back of church to **enrol** and you will receive material to pray at home on days you are unable to make it to church.

IMPORTANT NOTICE REGARDING MASS INTENTIONS Currently *almost all* Mass intentions received are for requested dates. This is causing frequent duplicate requests and disappointments, and the system has become unsustainable. Please consider making a general date request (remember your intention is heard by God the moment you make it). Otherwise give *at least one* alternative date.

PRAYER INTENTIONS OF POPE FRANCIS

SEPTEMBER - Universal:

Young People in Africa: That young people in Africa may have access to education and work in their own countries.



MESSAGE OF THANKS FROM SPUC

The Society for the Protection for Unborn Children would like to say a big thank you to everyone who responded to their recent postcard campaign calling on the Home Secretary not to introduce buffer zone legislation. The Home Secretary's statement makes it clear that the evidence put forward by the pro-life community, regarding what actually happens during peaceful pro-life vigils, was overwhelming. Pro-lifers spoke the truth and justice prevailed. Let us pause for a moment to give thanks for this most important victory.

HOME MISSION SUNDAY

Home Mission Sunday is this weekend **15/16 September**. It is an opportunity to focus on spreading the Gospel in our local areas. In **today's Gospel**, Jesus presents us, as disciples, with a challenging question, **'Who do you say I am?'** For some the most challenging element of this question is whether we talk about him at all. Today on Home Mission Sunday, you are invited to ponder this question as we *pray to the Holy Spirit to reveal the person of Jesus Christ to each person through the sacrifice of the Mass*. We pray too for the spread of the Gospel in our town and our nation.

The **Second Collection** for this Sunday supports the work of the Home Mission Office. Contributing to this collection is one way to play your part in our vision to help the local Church make the Joy of the Gospel a reality across England and Wales. From the donations made in 2017 the Home Mission Office were able to provide training and support to diocesan evangelisation personnel, put on events that inspire people to share their Faith and encourage the faithful to pray for evangelisation.

Adoremus Eucharistic Procession makes its way back to Liverpool Cathedral



18 HOUR NOVENA IN FRONT OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT, UNDER THE PATRONAGE OF ST JOSEPH, GUARDIAN OF THE CHURCH for the healing and Wellbeing of the Holy Roman Catholic Church and society. Date and times are as follows

Day 1: Monday 17 September

St Joseph's: 12 - 1pm (Exposition of Blessed Sacrament)

St Edward's: 5:30 - 6:30pm (Exposition of Blessed Sacrament)

St Edward's: Mass at 6:30pm

Day 2: Tuesday 18 September

St Joseph's: 8:30 - 9:30am (Exposition of Blessed Sacrament)

St Joseph's: Mass at 9:30am

St Peter's: 5:30 - 6:30pm (Exposition of Blessed Sacrament)

Peter's: Mass at 6:30pm

Day 3: Wednesday 19 September

St Peter's: 8:30 - 9:30am (Exposition of Blessed Sacrament)

St Peter's: Mass at 9:30am

St Joseph's: 5:30 - 6:30pm (Exposition of Blessed Sacrament)

St Joseph's: Mass at 6:30pm

Day 4: Thursday 20 September

St Joseph's: 8:30 - 9:30am (Exposition of Blessed Sacrament)

St Joseph's: Mass at 9:30am

St Edward's: 5:30 - 6:30pm (Exposition of Blessed Sacrament)

St Edward's: Mass at 6:30pm

Day 5: Friday 21 September

St Peter's: 8:30 - 9:30am (Exposition of Blessed Sacrament)

St Peter's: Mass at 9:30am

St Joseph's: 12 - 1pm (Exposition of Blessed Sacrament)

Day 6: Saturday 22 September

St Peter's: Mass at 9:30am

St Peter's: 10 - 11am (Exposition of Blessed Sacrament)

St Edward's: 5:15 - 6:15pm (Exposition of Blessed Sacrament)

St Edward's: Mass at 6:30pm

Day 7: Sunday 23 September

St Joseph's: 8:45 - 9:45am (Exposition of Blessed Sacrament)

St Joseph's: Mass at 10:00am

St Peter's: 4 - 5pm (Exposition of Blessed Sacrament)

St Peter's: Mass at 5pm

Day 8: Monday 24 September

St Joseph's: 12 - 1pm (Exposition of Blessed Sacrament)

St Edward's: 5:30 - 6:30pm (Exposition of Blessed Sacrament)

St Edward's: Mass at 6:30pm

Day 9: Tuesday 25 September

St Joseph's: 8:30 - 9:30am (Exposition of Blessed Sacrament)

St Joseph's: Mass at 9:30am

St Peter's: 5:30 - 6:30pm (Exposition of Blessed Sacrament)

St Peter's: Mass at 6:30pm



And with the grace of Baptism and of Eucharistic Communion I can become an instrument of God's mercy, of that beautiful mercy of God.

— Pope Francis —

SUNDAY SMILE:

*There are 3 rings of Marriage:
Engagement ring,
Marriage ring,
Suffer-ring*