

WELCOME TO THE PARISH OF THE MOST HOLY & UNDIVIDED TRINITY THE CATHOLIC CHURCH IN GRIMSBY, CLEETHORPES & IMMINGHAM

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SUNDAY 28TH JUNE 2020 – SOLEMNITY OF SS PETER AND PAUL

Sunday 28th June	10.00 am	Mass (<i>Missa pro populo</i>)
Tuesday 30 th June	10.00 am	Mass
Wednesday 1 st July	7.00 pm	Mass
Thursday 2 nd July	10.00 am	Mass
Friday 3 rd July	7.00 pm	Mass
Saturday 4 th July	10.00 am	Holy Hour
Sunday 5th July	10.00 am	Mass in Grimsby (<i>Missa pro populo</i>)
Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time		

- You can celebrate **livestreamed liturgies** and other prayers and devotions by entering one of two 'digital doors', which open approximately ten minutes before each liturgy or devotion:
 - **YouTube:** Please look up 'Fr Andrew Cole' on YouTube or else cut and paste this link into your browser – [youtube.com/channel/UCkr8UiE5xcd4D5pMDJSMz-A](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCkr8UiE5xcd4D5pMDJSMz-A) You don't need a YouTube account to take part, but if you do please 'subscribe' and also click on the icon of a bell below the video so that you can be notified when a livestream is beginning and when it is available on demand.
 - **Facebook:** Please visit the parish Facebook page – [facebook.com/holytrinitygci/](https://www.facebook.com/holytrinitygci/) You don't need a Facebook account to take part, but if you do please 'like' the parish Facebook page, so that you can be notified when a livestream is beginning, and keep up-to-date with news and updates from the parish.
 - Livestreamed liturgies are available on demand on Fr Andrew's YouTube channel shortly after they have finished.
- The texts for this Sunday's Mass are in *June 2020*; please email the parish office if you need another copy.
- **Noontime prayers** will continue this week, but they will conclude next Sunday, 5th July 2020.

Stay alert – Control the virus – Save lives

Pope Francis' Prayer Intention for July: That today's families may be accompanied with love, respect and guidance.

Cycle of Prayer – Ordinary Time: We pray for: a deeper understanding between Christians and Jews; those who suffer persecution, oppression & the denial of human rights; Europe; human life; and seafarers. We also pray for Fr Colum, Fr Tony, the sick & housebound of our parish, the mission of St Mary's & St Joseph's schools, all those who are working to protect us, and all whose anniversaries occur at this time.

Corpus Christi Church: I am grateful to those parishioners who have already shared their opinion about my proposal to relocate the Tabernacle in Corpus Christi Church, as I mentioned in my Homily on the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ and in last Sunday's bulletin. Please engage with what I wrote last week and let me know what you think – as I would hope and expect in a parish as diverse as ours, I have received a variety of views expressed in different ways, most of them positive. They will help our discernment of whether and how this proposal should move forward, including with the preparation of more detailed theological and liturgical proposals rooted in the teaching of the Second Vatican Council and based on the *General Instruction of the Roman Missal*, the liturgical law currently in force, together with fully costed proposals.

The Faithful Departed: Please pray for Anne Mary Houlihan, whose Committal took place in Grimsby Crematorium on Tuesday 23rd June at 1.30 pm; and her family and friends who mourn their loss.

The Parish Office is now open again between 9.00 am & 3.00 pm from Tuesday to Friday each week. If there is no answer when you telephone, please leave your name, contact number and a short message, and your call will be returned.

Our Parish Safeguarding Representatives: Richard Mellows (01472 752017), Sarah Pollard (01472 357982) & Shelagh Winter (01472 593780) are continuing their vital work.

Private Individual Prayer: All are welcome to come to St Mary on the Sea Church for private individual prayer on Tuesdays between 5.00 & 8.00 pm, Wednesdays between 2.00 & 5.00 pm and Fridays between 2.00 & 5.00 pm; this is subject to change depending on availability of stewards, etc. but please bear in mind that social distancing must be observed in the car park and in the church itself, which means that a maximum of 35 people can be in the church at any given time and you will be asked to wait outside if that maximum is reached. In accordance with diocesan guidance: stewards will be available to guide those who wish to come into the church to pray; no one who is displaying symptoms of Covid-19 or any other transmissible illness should come to church; under 16s must be accompanied by an adult; people from different households should not share lifts; care should be taken in the car park to avoid close contact with other vehicles and their occupants; and toilet facilities will not be available. To open safely and legally, we must abide by Government and diocesan guidance.

Public Liturgical Celebrations: During the emergency period, we have gathered as our parish family on the Lord's Day to

celebrate Mass together. I am hopeful that, from next Sunday, 5th July 2020, the public celebration of Mass and other liturgical celebrations will recommence in our parish. If we are able to recommence next Sunday, Mass will still be at 10.00 am; there will be more information about what may be possible going forward in next Sunday's bulletin, although everything is changing quite rapidly! We are bound in the law in force, Government guidance and diocesan policies. Weekday Masses will be celebrated in St Mary on the Sea Church for now, and all liturgies celebrated in St Mary on the Sea Church will continue to be livestreamed on the parish's Facebook page and my YouTube channel. The **obligation to attend Sunday Mass remains suspended**, and the following conditions will apply for those coming to Mass. Fr Andrew

- There will be a **maximum number of fifty attendees permitted**, each of whom will have to remain at least 1m from others, with the exception of members of their own household, and wear a facemask in accordance with the Government's guidance on maintaining social distance of 1m while taking necessary precautions in enclosed spaces – **no facemask means no admission!**
- Admission to church for Mass will be **by telephone booking only**: for next Sunday, 5th July, and for Mass during the following week, Tuesday 7th July to Friday 10th July, please telephone the parish office (01472 342301) during office hours on Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday this week, indicating how many seats you wish to reserve for you and members of your own household and for which celebration; a ballot will be drawn for each Mass out of all those who have telephoned, and you will be contacted on Friday with the outcome. Only those whose names are drawn in the ballot can be admitted; there will be a reserve list in case someone drops out.
- There will be **no singing during Mass** and **Holy Communion will be distributed in silence and under one kind**, the Sacred Host, alone, with Fr Andrew wearing a facemask while distributing Holy Communion.
- The **same conditions apply** for those wishing to come to church for public liturgical celebrations as for private individual prayer.

Stewards are needed to assist with the opening of our churches for public liturgical celebrations and private individual prayer – more Masses need more stewards! To volunteer, please contact the parish office. You should be 18+, in good health and any members of your household should also be consulted. By volunteering, you are confirming that you meet legal requirements and guidance concerning your own health. **Healthy parishioners over 70 are welcome to volunteer**, provided they are confident in keeping themselves safe and are willing to wear facemasks. Training will be provided on how we keep the church clean and safe for volunteers and those who come into our churches for liturgies or prayer.

The Sunday Message is received by over 250 people each week, by email or by post. Please ask anyone who does not yet receive it to contact the parish office to be added to the distribution list so that they, like you, can receive the bulletin.