

The band played at the Town's Flag Raising Ceremony on Monday 22nd June.



God's Revelation

Everything God has revealed to humanity is referred to (collectively) as the **'Deposit of Faith'** or 'Depositum Fidei'.

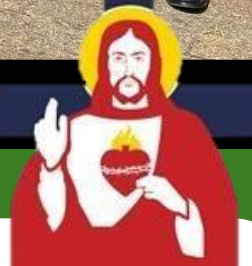
The Deposit of Faith has two lungs which help us to breathe properly, spiritually: (i) Tradition and (ii) Scripture.

Tradition is the lived faith from the time of the Apostles which has been handed down to us, and is the oldest mode of revelation we have.

After almost 400 years of Church life, we were given the Bible.

For 400 years the Church functioned without the Bible, and it is within the context of those 400 years of Church life (Tradition) that the Bible belongs. If we separate the Scriptures from Tradition, we have no authentic way of interpreting what we read.

In the Gospel today Jesus reminds us that Revelation is a gift, a gift we should be thankful for: "no one knows the Son except the Father, and no one knows the Father except the Son and **anyone to whom the Son chooses to reveal him**".



FROM
Community
TO
Communion

Parish Mission:

We are here to make Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament better known, loved honoured, worshiped & adored. All of our efforts in this parish will be geared towards helping every individual discover the Lord who is waiting for them to approach Him in the tabernacle.



Usual Holy Mass Times

Mon	10:00am
Tues	7:00pm
Wed	07:30am
Fri	12 Noon
Sat	6:00pm (Vigil)
Sun	10:00am

Confession Times

Tues	6:00pm
Fri	11.00am
Sat	5:00pm

Or 30mins before any Mass





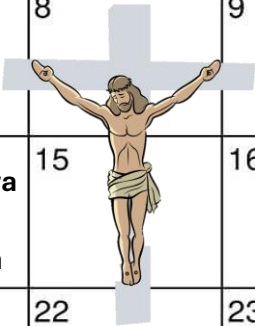

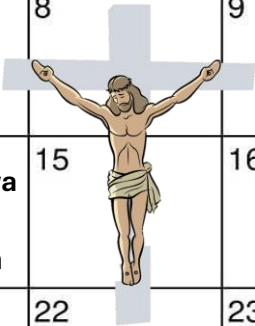




Adoration Times:

Tues 6.00pm

Fri 11am

Sat 5pm

July 2026

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
			1 First Wednesday prayers	2	3  SOUPS	4 Chess 11am
5 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time	6  Bible Study	7	8 	9	10  SOUPS	11 Table tennis 2pm
12 Sunday Formation after Mass	13	14 Czestochowa Crucifix Foundation Mass	15 	16	17  SOUPS	18
19 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time	20  Bible Study	21	22	23	24  SOUPS	25
26 Sunday Formation after Mass	27	28	29	30	31  SOUPS	

Dates / Events coming up:

July

4th July

Chess Club 11am
Parish Quiz night 7pm

11th July

Table Tennis 2pm

12th July

Faith formation 11:15am

August

Weekday Mass schedule alterations

September

5th September

Chess Club 11am
Quiz Night 7:30pm

12th September

First Confession and Holy Communion sessions begin

14th September

Foundation Mas of the Czestochowa Crucifix

Scan for Gift Aid form



Supporting the Parish:

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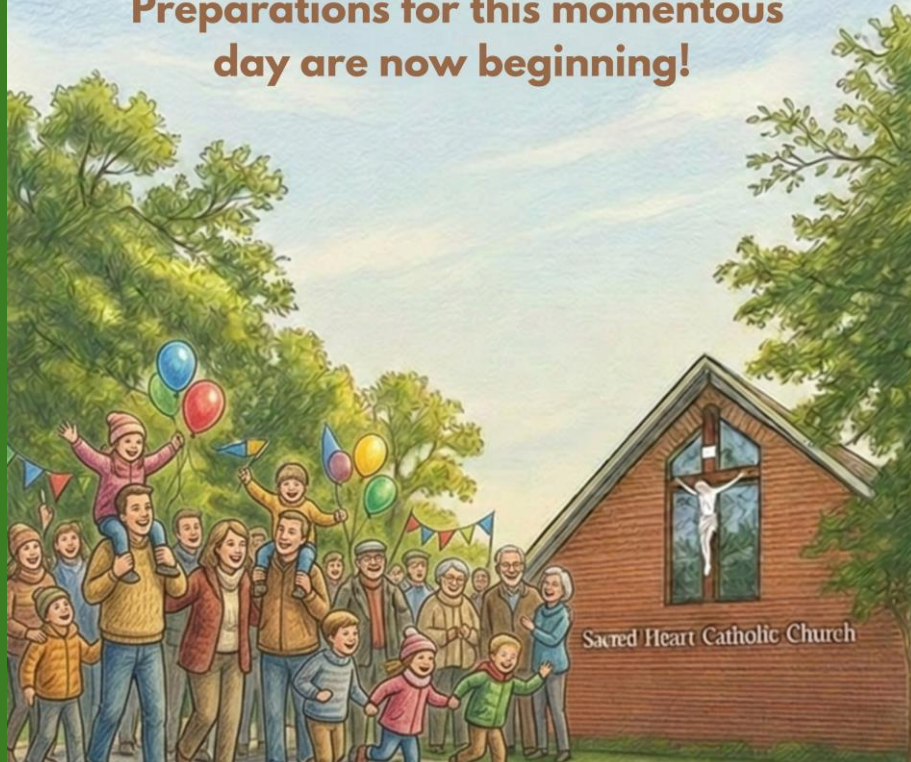
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In April 2028 we will celebrate 40 years since the blessing of the Foundation Stone.

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Preparations for this momentous day are now beginning!



Parish Fundraiser!

During Mass on the Feast of the Sacred Heart, our fundraising campaign was launched.

Our goal is to raise **£20,000** to help replace the church floor, paint the church, build a porch and replace other items in the sanctuary.

Twenty months from now, on the **9th April 2028** it will be exactly 40 years since the foundation stone was solemnly blessed.

Our aim is to have the church ready before then.

Pledge Cards are available. Please take one, complete it and return it to Fr John. There you will find options to donate monthly or to make a one-off contribution to the fund. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

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4TH JULY QUIZ

OUR FIRST SATURDAY OF THE MONTH QUIZ FALLS ON 4TH JULY SO WE'RE HAVING AN AMERICAN THEMED QUIZ

7:30PM

ALL WELCOME!

FOOD AT HALF TIME AND BYO BOTTLES
TEAMS NO MORE THAN 8 PEOPLE
PLEASE BOOK BY SCANNING THE QR CODE
OR SEND US A MESSAGE!

SACRED HEART CHURCH BORDON



During our Sunday Formation Session last week we discussed:

- How the word Bible means Library.
- How the Old Testament was written in Hebrew and the New Testament in Greek.
- We noted that we must have a good, reliable translation of the Bible.
- That the Church is nearly 400 years older than the Bible.
- The Bible was nearly 1,400 years old before it was first translated into English
- How the Bible came from the Catholic Church.
- How the Bible has 73 Books, but some Protestant Churches leave out 7 Books.

Enrolment Forms

If your child will be 7 years old in **June 2027** it is now time to enrol them on the First Confession and First Holy Communion Programme.

If you have a child in Year 7 or above it is time to enrol them on the Confirmation Programme which lasts two academic years.

Both courses will begin in September. Please complete an enrolment form and return it to Fr John in the next few weeks.

Chess club

Chess club takes place again this weekend at 11am on Saturday – all welcome!

Congratulations!

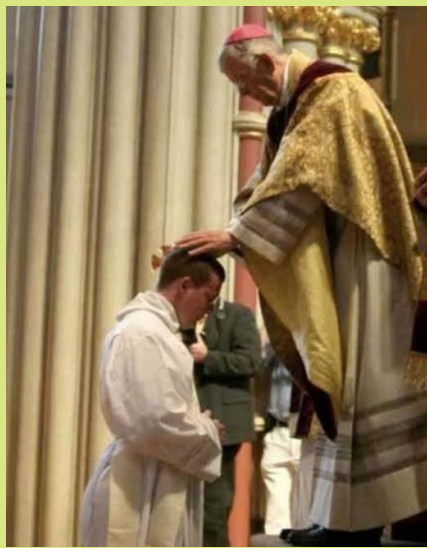
Congratulations to Julia who was baptised here last weekend. We pray for her parents and Godparents that they will be the best of examples of practising our faith.

Bible Study

Our fortnightly session will take place again after the 10am Mass on Monday 6th July. ALL WELCOME!

Thank you!

Thank you for the cards, gifts and good wishes I received on the 15th anniversary of my Priestly ordination on 2nd July. Congratulations to Deacon Kim who also celebrated his 8th year of ordination!



Chess club
First and Third
Saturday
11am
(From Sept)

Quiz Night
First Saturday
7:30pm

Parish Pipe
Band
Thursdays
7pm

Coffee: Mon,
Wed & Fri 8am
-10am

Soups
Every Friday
12:30pm

Gardening
Team
Saturdays

Community
Pantry
Mon: 8am-
10am and
12noon -2pm,
Wed: 8am –
9:30am
Fri: 8am –
10am and
12:45pm – 2pm



The Parish was well represented at the Town's Quiz Night last Thursday. The parish team won a drinks voucher, and the Pipe Band Team won a new mascot – **metro-gnome!** We hope to give him a Ramsay Blue tartan hat to help him fit into his new role!





Holy Baptism
Preparation courses run throughout the year (outside of Lent)

Confirmation
our next session will be on **Sunday 12th July** after Mass

Holy Communion
our First Holy Communion Programme has will begin again in September.

Confession
Tues 6pm
Fri 11am
Sat 5pm
or 30mins before any Mass

Holy Matrimony
It takes at least one year to prepare for marriage

Holy Orders
we should all consider whether God is calling us for service in His Church

Last Rites
As soon as there is a danger to life, a priest must be called



Family learning from the Catechism:

This weekend the Gospel calls us to think about God's self-revelation. Here is what the Catechism has to say....

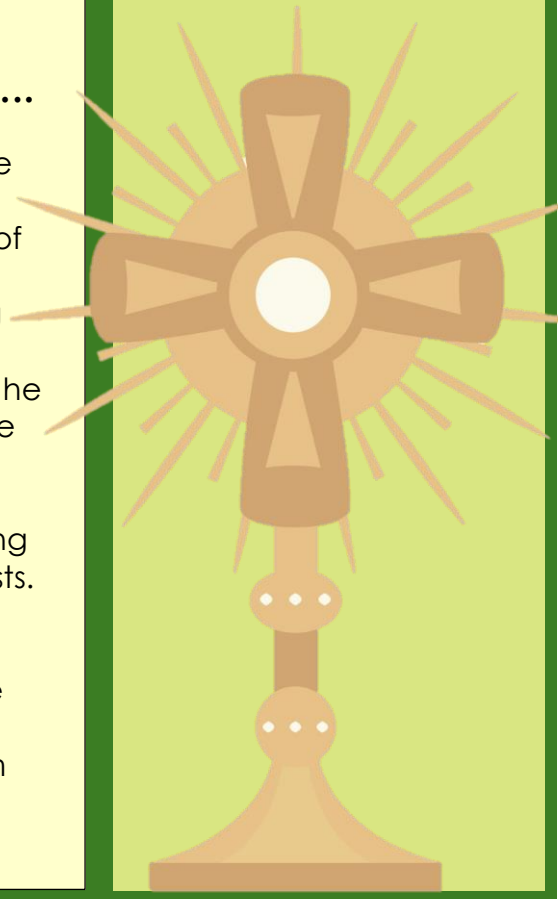
- 68** By love, God has revealed himself and given himself to man. He has thus provided the definitive, superabundant answer to the questions that man asks himself about the meaning and purpose of his life.
- 69** God has revealed himself to man by gradually communicating his own mystery in deeds and in words.
- 70** Beyond the witness to himself that God gives in created things, he manifested himself to our first parents, spoke to them and, after the fall, promised them salvation (cf. Gen 3:15) and offered them his covenant.
- 71** God made an everlasting covenant with Noah and with all living beings (cf. Gen 9:16). It will remain in force as long as the world lasts.
- 72** God chose Abraham and made a covenant with him and his descendants. By the covenant God formed his people and revealed his law to them through Moses. Through the prophets, he prepared them to accept the salvation destined for all humanity.
- 73** God has revealed himself fully by sending his own Son, in whom he has established his covenant for ever. The Son is his Father's definitive Word; so there will be no further Revelation after him.

Times when we can adore the Lord in the Blessed Sacrament:

TUESDAY 6pm

FRIDAY 11am

SATURDAY 5pm



The church is open every day from 9am – 7pm for private prayer

How long have you spent in prayer this week?

Saturday 4th July

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time (VIGIL)

Joyful Mysteries

Dedicated to the Blessed Virgin Mary

Adoration 5:00pm

Confessions 5:00pm – 5:40pm

Sunday Vigil Mass: 6:00pm James Woods RIP

Sunday 5th July

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Glorious Mysteries

Dedicated to the Resurrection

Holy Mass: 10:00am People of the Parish

Monday 6th July

14th Week in Ordinary Time

Joyful Mysteries

Dedicated to the Holy Souls

Holy Mass 10:00am Esther Ferrans Int.

Tuesday 7th July

14th Week in Ordinary Time

Glorious Mysteries

Dedicated to the Holy Angels

Adoration 6:00pm **NO ADORATION**

Confessions 6:00pm – 6:40pm **NO CONFESSIONS**

Holy Mass: 7:00pm **NO MASS**

Wednesday 8th July

14th Week in Ordinary Time

Sorrowful Mysteries

Dedicated to St Joseph

Holy Mass: 07.30am **NO MASS**

Friday 10th July

14th Week in Ordinary Time

Sorrowful Mysteries

Dedicated to the Cross

Adoration 11:00am

Confessions 11:00am – 11:45am

Holy Mass: 12 noon Fr Kevin Bidgood RIP

Saturday 11th July

15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Joyful Mysteries

Dedicated to the Blessed Virgin Mary

Adoration 5:00pm

Confessions 5:00pm – 5:40pm

Sunday Vigil Mass: 6:00pm People of the Parish