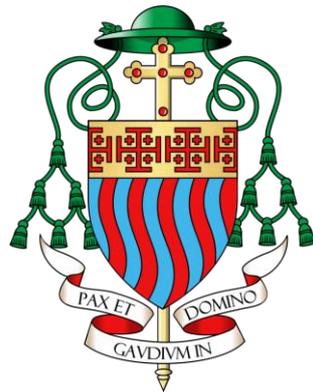


**Cardinal Newman Catholic Primary School
Hersham**

**Mass for the Feast
of Blessed John Henry Newman**



Celebrant: Bishop Richard Moth

Thursday 3rd October 2019

✠ THE INTRODUCTORY RITES ✠

OPENING HYMN

GREETING

Bishop Richard In the name of the Father,
and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

All **Amen.**

Bishop Richard Peace be with you.

All **And with your spirit.**

PENITENTIAL ACT

Bishop Richard Brothers and sisters,
let us acknowledge our sins,
and so prepare ourselves
to celebrate the sacred mysteries.

All Lord, have mercy.
Lord, have mercy.

All Christ, have mercy.
Christ, have mercy.

All Lord, have mercy.
Lord, have mercy.

May almighty God have mercy on us,
forgive us our sins,
and bring us to everlasting life.
Amen.

GLORIA (Sung)

Glory to God (Mass of Christ the Saviour – Dan Schutte)

OPENING PRAYER

Bishop Richard Let us pray.

O God, who bestowed on the Priest
Blessed John Henry Newman
the grace to follow your kindly light
and find peace in your Church,
graciously grant that through his intercession and example
we may be led out of shadows and images
into the fullness of your truth.
Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,
who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God for ever and ever.

All **Amen.**

✠ THE LITURGY OF THE WORD ✠

FIRST READING

A reading from a letter of St Paul to the Corinthians.
(1 Corinthians 12, 12-20)

Dear Friends,
Look at yourselves.
Can you see how you have a body with lots of different parts!

Each part has a special job to do, hasn't it?
If we are working with Jesus, then we are all like the parts of one body,
for we are all joined together and we all have a special job to do.

One job is to try and help other people, and if that is our job we should do it
cheerfully.

Another job is to give up our money to help people who haven't got any.

If that is our job, we should be generous.

Yet another job is to be put in charge of something.

If that is our job, we should do it carefully and well.

If we all do our own jobs, then we will make the body of Jesus work properly.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

All **Thanks be to God.**

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 139

The response is *I praise you for I am wonderfully made.*

*I praise you for I am wonderfully made.
You have looked deep into my heart, Lord,
and you know all about me.
You know when I am resting or when I am working,
and from heaven you discover my thoughts.
You notice everything I do and everywhere I go.*

Response *I praise you for I am wonderfully made.*

*You are the one who put me together
inside my mother's body,
and I praise you
because of the wonderful way you created me.*

Response *I praise you for I am wonderfully made.*

*Everything you do is marvellous!
of this I have no doubt.
Nothing about me is hidden from You!
I was secretly woven together deep in the earth below.*

Response *I praise you for I am wonderfully made.*

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL (Written and read by Isabel, Elea, Zoe-Grace, Nancy, Mia and Lucas in Year 4.)

Bishop Richard introduces the prayers.

The response is **I will sing your praises (sung)**

Isabel Lord God, thank you for creating us as your Church and we pray for our leaders, especially Francis, our Pope and Richard, our Bishop. May they shine the light of Jesus upon us. Help us to finish our Mission and follow in your footsteps.

Elea Heavenly Father, let us pray for all the people in our world who have lost their homes because of floods, fires and other disasters. We ask you to bring them peace so they may live in happiness. We thank you God our Father for giving us a wonderful world. May we all follow your lead to respect it always.

I will sing your praises

Zoe-Grace Lord Jesus, you came to earth to help us. Please help the sick to get better, protect the people that help to heal us and keep us healthy and strong. Thank you for the nurses, doctors and people that care for us. May we be in your presence always.

Nancy Lord God in Heaven, make all the people happy in our school and families. We pray for all the teachers and all the people in our school community. We ask that everyone may feel at home in this place of happiness.

Mia Father in Heaven, we pray for the Canonisation of Blessed John Henry Newman, he spread the Good News with all he met to make them believe in you. We ask you to help us to be more like him in all that we do.

I will sing your praises

Lucas We pray for our extended family within our Church community. We thank you for the people who help us to make our parish a welcoming and happy place. We ask Mary the Mother of Jesus to pray with us as we say,

Hail Mary...

Bishop Richard concludes the prayers.

✠ THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST ✠

PRESENTATION OF THE GIFTS

OFFERTORY HYMN *Take our bread*

Bishop Richard Pray, my brothers and sisters,
that my sacrifice and yours
may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father.

All **May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands
for the praise and glory of his name,
for our good and the good of all his holy Church.**

PRAYER OVER THE OFFERINGS (RM p.1137)

Bishop Richard Receive, O Lord, we pray,
the offerings placed on your altar
in commemoration of Blessed John Henry Newman,
so that, as you brought him glory,
you may, through these sacred mysteries,
grant to us your pardon.
Through Christ our Lord.

All **Amen.**

THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

Bishop Richard The Lord be with you.

All **And with your spirit.**

Bishop Richard Lift up your hearts.

All **We lift them up to the Lord.**

Bishop Richard Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All **It is right and just.**

Bishop Richard will say the Preface, at the end of which all acclaim:

SANCTUS (sung)

**Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts.
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.**

The Eucharistic prayer continues and all acclaim:

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

**We proclaim your Death, O Lord,
and profess your Resurrection
until you come again.**

Bishop Richard concludes the Eucharistic Prayer with:

Through him, and with him, and in him,
O God, almighty Father,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
all glory and honour is yours
for ever and ever.

All

Amen.



✠ THE COMMUNION RITE ✠

Bishop Richard At the saviour's command
and formed by divine teaching
we dare to say:

All Our Father, who art in heaven

Bishop Richard Deliver us, Lord, we pray, from every evil,
graciously grant peace in our days,
that, by the help of your mercy,
we may be always free from sin

and safe from all distress,
as we await the blessed hope
and the coming of our Saviour,
Jesus Christ.

All **For the kingdom,
the power and the glory are yours
now and forever.**

SIGN OF PEACE

Bishop Richard Lord Jesus Christ, who said to your Apostles:
Peace I leave you, my peace I give you,
look not on our sins,
but on the faith of your Church,
and graciously grant her peace and unity
in accordance with your will.
Who live and reign for ever and ever.

All **Amen.**

Bishop Richard The peace of the Lord be with you always.
All **And with your spirit.**

Bishop Richard Let us offer each other the sign of peace.

LAMB OF GOD (sung)

**Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,
have mercy on us,
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,
have mercy on us,
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,
grant us peace.**

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

Bishop Richard Behold the Lamb of God,
behold him who takes away the sins of the world.
Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb.

All **Lord, I am not worthy
that you should enter under my roof,
but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.**

COMMUNION HYMNS *Let There be Love Shared Among Us.*

Praise to the Holiest.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION (RM p.1138)

Bishop Richard May the mysteries we have received, O Lord,
Prepare us, we pray, for the eternal joys
that, as a faithful steward,
Blessed John Henry Newman came to deserve.
Through Christ our Lord.

All **Amen.**

The children read Blessed John Henry Newman's Meditation:

God has created me to do Him some definite service.
He has committed some work to me, which He has not committed to another.
I am a link in a chain, a bond of connection between persons.
He has not created me for naught.
I shall do good; I shall do His work.

Prayer for the Canonisation of Cardinal Newman

God our Father, you granted to your servant Blessed John Henry Newman wonderful gifts of nature and of grace, that he should be a spiritual light in the darkness of this world, an eloquent herald of the Gospel, and a devoted servant of the one Church of Christ.

For his insight into the mysteries of the kingdom, his zealous defense of the teachings of the Church, and his priestly love for each of your children, we pray that he may soon be numbered among the Saints.

Amen

✠ THE CONCLUDING RITES ✠

BLESSING AND DISMISSAL

Bishop Richard The Lord be with you.
All **And with your spirit.**

Bishop Richard Blessed be the name of the Lord.
All **Now and forever.**

Bishop Richard Our help is in the name of the Lord.
All **Who made heaven and earth.**

Bishop Richard May almighty God bless you,
the Father, ✠ and the Son, ✠ and the Holy ✠ Spirit.
All **Amen.**

Bishop Richard Go in peace.
All **Thanks be to God.**

RECESSIONAL HYMN *Share the Light of Jesus*



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