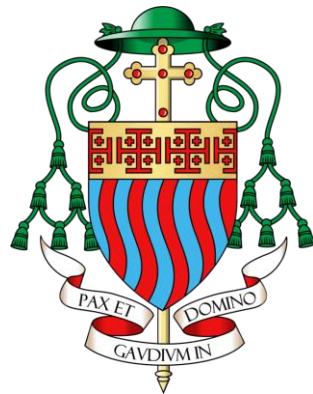


**Cardinal Newman Catholic Primary School  
Hersham**

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



**Celebrant: Bishop Richard Moth**

Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> 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.***

## GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Halle, Halle, Halle-lu-jah (x3) Hallelujah Hal-le-lu-jah



## GOSPEL

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

Bishop Richard    A reading from the Holy Gospel, according to Matthew.  
                            (Matthew 25, 34:43)  
**All**                     **Glory to you, O Lord.**

Jesus said to His disciples:

“When the Son of Man comes in his glory with all of his angels, he will sit on his royal throne.

The people of all nations will be brought before him, and he will separate them, as shepherds separate their sheep from their goats.

He will place the sheep on his right and the goats on his left. Then the king will say to those on his right, ‘My father has blessed you! Come and receive the kingdom that was prepared for you before the world was created.

When I was hungry, you gave me something to eat,  
and when I was thirsty, you gave me something to drink.

When I was a stranger, you welcomed me,  
and when I was naked, you gave me clothes to wear.

When I was sick, you took care of me, and when I was in jail, you visited me.’

“Then the ones who pleased the Lord will ask,  
‘When did we give you something to eat or drink?

When did we welcome you as a stranger  
or give you clothes to wear  
or visit you while you were sick or in jail?’

“The king will answer,  
‘Whenever you did it for any of my people,  
no matter how unimportant they seemed,  
you did it for me.’

Bishop Richard    The Gospel of the Lord.  
**All**                     **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

**HOMILY**                **Bishop Richard Moth**

**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.**

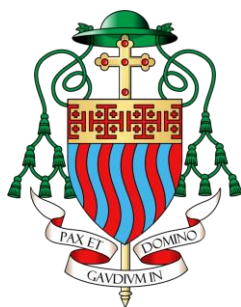
Bishop Richard      Blessed be the name of the Lord.  
**All**                      **Now and forever.**

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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