

First Holy Communion celebration 2018

On Saturday 10 June Hill Chapel held the First Holy Communion day for a group of young people of the parish. The First Holy Communicants followed the 'With you always' programme, a course based on the principle of 'family catechesis' - parents worked closely with their children to prepare them for the sacraments of reconciliation and communion.

This event is where the young people partake of the communion host for the first time and follows a period of preparation for this important event in their religious lives.



The celebrant was Fr Sony Joseph.



Confirmation celebration 2018

On Tuesday 26 June we welcomed Bishop Paul Swarbrick to confirm 18 of our young parishioners on a beautiful evening - it was a very special occasion and lovely to meet the new bishop.



Confirmation is the third sacrament of introduction into the Catholic Church, Baptism being the first and Communion second.



Confirmation is the infusing with the holy spirit to reinforce their faith