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SUNDAY 5TH JUNE 2022

PENTECOST SUNDAY

THIS WEEK'S MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS

SATURDAY	4TH	10:00	Seventh Week of Easter	Feria	
SATURDAY	5TH	18:00	PENTECOST SUNDAY	SOLEMNITY	
SUNDAY	5TH	08:30	PENTECOST SUNDAY	SOLEMNITY	PRO POPULO
	5TH	10:00	PENTECOST SUNDAY	SOLEMNITY	HRH Queen Elizabeth II
	5TH	12:00	PENTECOST SUNDAY	SOLEMNITY	Philip Merletti RIP
	5TH	18:00	PENTECOST SUNDAY	SOLEMNITY	
MONDAY	6TH	10:00	Mary, Mother of the Church	Memorial	
TUESDAY	7TH	10:00	Ordinary Time	Feria	
TUESDAY	7TH	19:00	Ordinary Time	Feria	
WEDNESDAY	8TH	10:00	Ordinary Time	Memorial	For the Sacred Heart
THURSDAY	9TH	10:00	Jesus Christ High Priest	Feast	John Reardon RIP
FRIDAY	10TH	10:00	Ordinary Time	Feast	In Thanksgiving (Mrs Agneroh)
FRIDAY	10TH	19:00	Ordinary Time	Feast	
SATURDAY	11TH	10:00	St Barnabas	Memorial	


ADORATION: MON-FRI: 9AM-10AM TUE, FRI: 6PM-7PM | **CONFESSIONS: FRI: 6PM-7PM, SAT: 5PM-5:40PM**



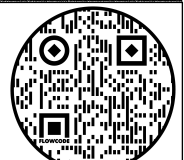
We pray for Kathleen Mullins and Lucrezia Muscat who died recently and we remember those whose anniversaries occur at this time especially Gerald O'Loughlin, Lucrezia Lanzon, Kyle Dawkins, Jadwiga Dobrowolska, Margaret Henry, Paul Carron and Simone Dawkins. May they all rest in peace. We pray for Her Majesty the Queen as she celebrates her Platinum Jubilee; we give thanks for her seventy years of service.

We had a great celebration on Thursday morning at Coffee After Mass as we gathered in the Hall and switched on the projector to watch the Trooping of the Colour together on the big screen. Our weekly gathering - every Thursday morning - attracts a diverse group of people who have different political views and come from different backgrounds. Despite this, however, there was a palpable sense of unity in thanksgiving for the service of Her Majesty the Queen to the country. And this was an appropriate gathering in anticipation of Pentecost - which we celebrate this Sunday - since the feast of Pentecost recalls a gathering of people from different backgrounds and diverse nationalities coming together as one in appreciation of someone. The unity of Pentecost was also a moment of thanksgiving for the service of the Son of God who came to bring us salvation through His life, death and Resurrection which He willed to be shared with all others across the world and throughout history in His Church. As we celebrate this occurrence with great joy we also remember that each of us share in the same mission of service as disciples. We too are called to bring others to Jesus in our witness to the divine love communicated by His Church and the divine truth she teaches.

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PARISH NEWS

CALLING US HOME: In light of the return of the Sunday obligation from this - Pentecost - Sunday (see below), Archbishop John has [written a letter to all of us](#) inviting us to invite others to return to Mass. Please do read the letter either by clicking the above link or taking a copy home with you.

SUMMER FAIR DONATIONS - PLEASE HELP US: From this weekend we will be collecting items that you donate towards the Parish Summer Fair. After all Masses there will be bins into which you can place bottles of drink, tins of food, new toiletries, new toys and good bric-a-brac items. Thank you for your kindness in supporting the fair which raises money to sustain our parish.

SUMMER FAIR RAFFLE TICKETS: From this weekend - and for all weekends in June - we will be selling Raffle Tickets ahead of our Summer Fair to raise money for the parish. We are grateful to Grapevine Lettings for sponsoring the Raffle with a first prize of £250, a second prize of £100 and a third prize of a Water Cooler for your home. The Raffle will be drawn at the Summer Fair. If you are able to take some tickets to sell outside of the parish then please see Yogi Sutton after Mass.

OUR SUNDAY OBLIGATION: During the heights of the pandemic, the Bishops of England & Wales released the faithful from the requirement to attend Mass on Sundays and other holy days of obligation. From Pentecost Sunday (5 June) the general requirement to attend Holy Mass in person is restored; in the words of the Bishops of England & Wales, “the reasons which have prevented Catholics from attending Mass on Sundays and Holy Days of Obligation no longer apply.”

PRIEST REFERENCE FORMS FOR SCHOOL APPLICATIONS: Now that the Sunday obligation has been re-instated by the Bishops of England and Wales priest's reference forms will be completed in reference to forthcoming Church attendance. In order to ensure fairness and accuracy all parents who will be applying to Catholic schools for 2023 / 2024 entry (both primary and secondary) will - on certain Sundays during the year - be asked to register their presence with Fr Matthew after Mass. A guide on how you can register your family on our system will be included in next week's Newsletter.

WOULD YOUR CHILD LIKE TO JOIN OUR AMAZING TEAM OF ALTAR SERVERS? If your son or daughter has made their First Holy Communion they are eligible to serve at the altar. If they are interested *please* complete this [online form](#). They can only serve if they attend our training sessions - led by Fr Matthew - and our next training session is on Saturday 11th June at 4pm.

SAVE THE DATE - SUMMER FAIR 2022 - SATURDAY 9TH JULY 2022: We are making plans to gather for the first Parish Summer Fair in three years! It has been such a long time since we have had a major parish event and we hope it will be a great success. This depends upon the efforts of so many and we are in real need of assistance. Please could you [fill in our online form](#) indicating what kind of support you would be willing to provide. Let us pray for the success of our Summer Fair.

THINKING OF BECOMING A CATHOLIC? We have just had the joy of welcoming new members into God's family through Baptism and Confirmation. The programme of preparation involves weekly sessions of learning and discussion from Autumn to Easter. If you are - or know of someone who is - interested in becoming a Catholic, please fill out [this online form](#). We will be in touch after Easter.