



THE CATHEDRAL CHURCH OF ST MARIE
with the Churches of Holy Family
and Our Lady Queen of Heaven & St Oswald



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7th Sunday of Easter (C)

29th May to 5th June 2022

Readings: *I Acts 7:55-60 Ps 96:1+2b, 6+7c, 9. R^x 1a+9a II Rev 22:12-14, 16-17, 20 G Jn 17:20-26*
Next Sunday: *I Acts 2:1-11 Ps 103:1ab+24ac, 29bc-30, 31+34. R^x 30 II 1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 G Jn 20:19-23*

Cathedral

Sunday 29 May: 7th Sunday of Easter

8.00am People of the Parishes
10.30am Christopher Moon (R.I.P.)
12.30pm The Calvert family (intentions)
6.30pm November Memorial List

Monday 30: Monday in Week 6 of Easter

8.00am Rev Fr Bernard Battle (R.I.P.)
12.30pm Pulinkunnu & Thattamthara families
5.30pm Eva Campbell (anniversary)

Tuesday 31: VISITATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

8.00am Iris Clarke
12.30pm James Courtney (anniversary)
5.30pm November Memorial List

Wednesday 1 June: St Justin

8.00am Carmen Biazon Amaral (anniversary)
12.30pm November Memorial List
5.30pm Samuel & Cissie Waters (R.I.P.)

Thursday 2: Thursday in Week 7 of Easter

8.00am Rev Fr Michael Gallon (R.I.P.)
12.30pm November Memorial List
5.30pm **NO MASS**

Friday 3: Ss Charles Lwanga & companions

8.00am Honorato Carreon (anniversary)
12.30pm H.M. The Queen (Platinum Jubilee)
5.30pm **NO MASS**

Saturday 4: Saturday in Week 7 of Easter

8.00am Rev Fr Charles Tinker (anniversary)
12.30pm November Memorial List

Next Weekend – Cathedral

Sunday 5: PENTECOST (WHITSUN)

8.00am Michael family (in thanksgiving)
10.30am H.M. The Queen (Platinum Jubilee)
12.30pm For those being Confirmed
6.30pm People of the Parishes

Our Lady Queen of Heaven & St Oswald

Sunday 29 May: 7th Sunday of Easter

9.15am Frank Ward (R.I.P.)

Sunday 5 June: PENTECOST (WHITSUN)

9.15am John Brett (R.I.P.)

Holy Family

Saturday 28 May: 7th Sunday of Easter (Vigil)

6.00pm Parish Intentions

Saturday 4 June: VIGIL OF PENTECOST (WHITSUN)

6.00pm Parish Intentions

Svätá Omša v slovenčine (Slovak Mass) – Cathedral

Sunday 29 May: 7. Veľkonočná nedeľa

3.00pm Parish Intentions

Sunday 5 June: ZOSLANIE DUCHA SVÄTÉHO

3.00pm Parish Intentions

Sacrament of Confession	Monday–Wednesday & Saturday, 11.30am–12.15pm
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	Monday–Wednesday & Saturday, 11.30am–12.15pm
.....	Saturday, after 8.00am Mass (with Benediction)
Rosary	Saturday, after 12.30pm Mass

We pray for Catherine Pugh, Alban Alexander le Roux, Ronald Francis Cook, and all those who have died recently.

Please remember in your prayers our sick: Phyllis Caesar, Jackie Davison, Mavis Hamilton, Marie Casey, Ann Harvey, Trevor Harvey, Nora Kenny, Maura Hallam, Rev Fr Colum Kelly, John Carroll, Robert Stocks, Gloria Welsh, Anthony Gallagher, Christopher Browne, Clifford Browne, Ruth Bleakley, Helen Carroll, Mary Pridgeon, Kath Atherton, Pat O'Connor (Lintott), Elizabeth Dillop, Kay Worsnop, Vladimir Korbar Jr, Jean Hegarty, Rima Lattash, Margaret & John Whitehead, Catherine, Angela Eddy, Mary Parkinson, Kevin Worsnop, Liam, Dee Wright, Emma Green, Damian Osako, and all those who are suffering mentally, emotionally or physically.

Names will stay on the list for 3 months. Please contact Cathedral House if you wish your friend or family member to be included.

Anniversaries this Week: 29 May – Rev Fr Francis Ogden; 30 May – Eva Campbell; 31 May – Jozef Kraczka; 1 Jun – Carmen Biazon Amaral; 2 Jun – Alex Sardinha; 3 Jun – Honorato Carreon; 4 Jun – Margaret McNair, Rev Fr Charles Tinker.

No Children's Liturgy this week: Children's Liturgy will be taking a little break this week, but will be back on Sunday 5th June. We look forward to seeing you all then!

Each Sunday after the 10.30am Mass there is an opportunity to get together with other parishioners over a cup of coffee or tea. This is an important way of building and strengthening the parish community, so please join us, whether you are a regular member of the congregation or a visitor. Refreshments are served in the Houlden Hall (1st floor of the building next door to the church), and we look forward to getting to know you better – all welcome!

Statement of the Bishops of England & Wales—“Returning to Mass at Pentecost”

After their most recent plenary meeting, the Bishops have decided to **reinstate the obligation for Catholics to attend Mass on Sundays and Holy Days in person from Pentecost Sunday (5th June).**

In their statement, the Bishops remind us that “our fundamental Christian duty is to worship God by participating in the celebration of Mass”, and that “as the Church needs the witness of the presence of each person, so too each believer needs to journey in faith and worship with their fellow disciples.” They also remind us that when one is impeded from attending Mass for a serious reason, such as ill health or having to care for the sick, this is not a breach of the Sunday obligation.

The full statement is available to read in the narthex, and online at <https://www.cbcew.org.uk/spring-plenary-2022-resolution-returning-to-mass-at-pentecost/>. And if you know someone who is not coming to Mass at the moment, this is a good opportunity to invite them back to church!

Next Social of the Christian Village of St Marie's—Saturday 5th June: The Christian Village of St Marie's (CVSM for short) is really taking off! The next CVSM Social will take place on Saturday 5th June, from 6pm onwards, in Houlden Hall. Each meeting of CVSM begins by sharing and discussing the Word of God: the theme for June is 'Why we can't earn our way into heaven'. It is then followed by a shared supper, giving us the chance to get to know each other better, and to give friendship, help and support to one another. There may also be some singing! It is suitable for all age groups - young and old, those who live as families or couples, and those who live alone. Please bring a food and / or drink contribution for the shared supper. For more information, please speak to Rafid or Valeria (10:30am Mass), or send them a message via Candida on PPC@stmariecathedral.org.

Cathedral Office opening hours: please note that the Cathedral Office will be closed on Thursday 2nd and Friday 3rd June, due to the Platinum Jubilee bank holidays. It will re-open on Monday 6th June.

Changes to Mass and Confession times this week: due to the bank holidays, there will be no Exposition and Confessions and no 5.30pm Mass on Thursday 2nd and Friday 3rd June.

Padley Inter-Diocesan Pilgrimage—Sunday 10th July: The dioceses of Hallam and Nottingham will be joining together for the Padley pilgrimage once again this year, on Sunday 10th July. Assemble at 3.00pm at Grindleford Train Station; the Mass will begin at 3.30pm. Pilgrims are very welcome to arrive earlier and picnic in the grounds. Please see the poster for more information.

Expanding our Mass Stewarding Teams: We are one Church and one family, and 'many hands make light work'! We are now looking to expand all of our Sunday Stewarding Teams, and would like to appeal for your help. Stewards are there to give a warm welcome to everyone, and to assist people with their queries and requests. There are also a lot of little jobs that need doing to make each Mass run smoothly. Serving God in this way is very rewarding and fulfilling! If you are willing to volunteer from time to time to support your Mass community, please contact Candida on PPC@stmariecathedral.org, or speak to one of the team!

Hallam Walsingham Diocesan Pilgrimage—Saturday 23rd July: Coaches leave Pond Hill at 7.30am. £18 adults, £12 students/children, Procession along the Holy Mile, Mass of Sunday. Contact Joseph Durham (07939 152558; joseph.durham52@gmail.com) or Francesca Flynn (268 6247; francesca@fmflynn.plus.com) to book your place, or if you would like more information about the pilgrimage.

CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION

Sunday 19th June



This year, for the first time since 2019, the Corpus Christi procession will be taking place on the afternoon of Sunday 19th June, starting from the Cathedral at 3.00pm.

This is a visible witness to our Catholic faith, and we hope that, this year especially, many people from across the diocese will take part—so do put the date in your diary!

If you are able to help in any way, please do sign up using the forms at the back of the Cathedral.

Confirmations: Next Sunday at the 12.30pm Mass, the Sacrament of Confirmation will be conferred by the Bishop on our young people who have been preparing for the last few months to receive it. Please keep them in your prayers!

Could you help set up a befriending service, and/or restart an SVP conference at St Marie's? The PPC were recently approached to see if we could help to provide a befriending service to a lonely and isolated gentleman. Unfortunately, we currently don't have the ability to do this. In the past we have had a St Vincent de Paul (SVP) conference at the Cathedral that could take on such requests, and we are keen to explore if this could be an option once again. If you are interested in living out your Christian values by making time to visit the sick and befriend the lonely, please get in touch with us on PPC@stmariecathedral.org.

A Communications Team for St Marie's – help needed: The PPC currently take responsibility for developing a lot of the posters, displays, social media posts, emails and messaging coming out of the Cathedral, as well as for much of the website content and design. We are now looking to set up a dedicated Communications Team that can develop that further. If you think you may have some useful skills and can spare a little time, please get in touch with Candida on PPC@stmariecathedral.org. Thank you!

St Marie's Bookshop: As well as new books and gifts, the Bookshop is also now selling pre-loved books, including some in Polish. If you have any religious reading that you have finished with, that is in good condition and that you think others will enjoy, please bring them in and leave them for the attention of Margaret (please do not put them out on the shelves). Please continue to fill in a slip with any requests/suggestions for the bookshop if there is anything particular you would like us to try and get for you.