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PENTECOST SUNDAY – 19 MAY 2024

THE HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR MAY 2024

For the Formation of Religious, Monks, Nuns, and Seminarians

The Pontiff urges prayers “so that religious, monks, nuns, and seminarians may grow in their vocational journey through human, pastoral spiritual, and communal formation, leading them to be credible witnesses of the Gospel.”

| Dates | OLOL MASS TIMES | SJF MASS TIMES |
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| SATURDAY, 18.05.2024 St John 1 PpM | 9.30 am: Holy Mass (Killian Nyakunengwa's 20 th Annv., Michael Adams+, Patrick Golden+; Deacon Anthony Asomugha's Thanksgiving) followed by Rosary 2.00 pm: Cantonese Mass with Confessions before Mass | 5.00 pm: Holy Mass (Rev. Anthony Northrop+, Pro Populo) |
| PENTECOST SUNDAY 19.05.2024 | 8.45 am: Holy Mass (Alde da Silva+, Mary Berks+) 11.15 am: Holy Mass (Walter Gillingham+, Bernard Wilkins+) | 5.00 pm: Holy Mass (Pro Populo) |
| MONDAY, 20.05.2024 Mary, Mother of the Church, Memorial | 9.30 am: Holy Mass (Jack McGlinchy+, Mateus Da Silva+) | 12.30 pm: Holy Mass (Fr Patrick Harte+) |
| TUESDAY, 21.05.2024 St Christopher Magallanes, P & Comps MM | 9.30 am: Holy Mass (Bernice Coveleski+, P. T. Joseph+) | 12.30 pm: Holy Mass (Emma's Intentions) |
| WEDNESDAY 22.05.2024 St Rita of Cascia, Rel. | 9.30 am: Holy Mass (Domingus Carvalho+, Marian Stevens+, Edna Vincent+) | 12.30 pm: Holy Mass (Ann & Mary's intentions) |
| THURSDAY. 23.05.2024 Our Lord Jesus Christ, Eternal High Priest. Feast | 9.30 am: Holy Mass (Filomena Marques+, Eugeninsz Kuczer+) | 6.30 pm: Holy Mass (Fr Thomas Richards+) |
| FRIDAY, 24.05.2024 Feria | 9.30 am: Holy Mass (Renatu Da Silva+, Nan Morris+, Don Roncillon+) 11.30 am: Funeral Mass of John Smith+ | 6.30 pm: Holy Mass (Fr Gerald Thornton+, Fr Bertram Sammons+) |
| SATURDAY, 25.05.2024 St Bede the Venerable PD Memorial | 9.30 am: Holy Mass (Aida Silvestro Pinto+, Barry Wallman+, Marie Lloyd+, Vera Watson+, John Webster+) | 5.00 pm: Holy Mass (Fr Charles Joule+) |
| SUNDAY, 26.05.2024 THE MOST HOLY TRINITY | 8.45 am: Holy Mass (Janina Strecki+, Knapik & Sterecki Dec'd family members) 11.15 am: Holy Mass | 5.00 pm: Holy Mass (Pro Populo) |

ORDER OF MASS

Entrance Antiphon: Wis 1: 7

The Spirit of the Lord has filled the whole world
and that which contains all things
understands what is said, alleluia.

GLORIA

Glory to God in the highest,
and on earth peace to people of good will.
We praise you, we bless you,
we adore you, we glorify you,
we give you thanks for your great glory,
Lord God, heavenly King,
O God, almighty Father.

Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
you take away the sins of the world,
have mercy on us;
you take away the sins of the world,
receive our prayer;
you are seated at the right hand of the Father,
have mercy on us.
For you alone are the Holy One,
You alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ,
with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father. Amen

A reading from the Acts of the Apostles:

Acts 2:1-11

When Pentecost day came round, they had all met in one room, when suddenly they heard what sounded like a powerful wind from heaven, the noise of which filled the entire house in which they were sitting; and something appeared to them that seemed like tongues of fire; these separated and came to rest on the head of each of them. They were all filled with the Holy Spirit, and began to speak foreign languages as the Spirit gave them the gift of speech.

Now there were devout men living in Jerusalem from every nation under heaven, and at this sound they all assembled, each one bewildered to hear these men speaking his own language. They were amazed and astonished. 'Surely' they said 'all these men

speaking are Galileans? How does it happen that each of us hears them in his own native language? Parthians, Medes and Elamites; people from Mesopotamia, Judaea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya round Cyrene; as well as visitors from Rome – Jews and proselytes alike – Cretans and Arabs; we hear them preaching in our own language about the marvels of God.'

The word of the Lord

Responsorial Psalm: 102(103):1.24,2-31.34.

R. Send forth your spirit, O Lord, and renew the face of the earth.

Bless the Lord, my soul!
Lord God, how great you are,
How many are your works, O Lord!
The earth is full of your riches. **R.**

You take back your spirit, they die,
returning to the dust from which they came.
You send forth your spirit, they are created;
and you renew the face of the earth. **R.**

May the glory of the Lord last for ever!
May the Lord rejoice in his works!
May my thoughts be pleasing to him.
I find my joy in the Lord. **R.**

A reading from first letter of St Paul to the Corinthians: 12:3-7,12-13

No one can say, 'Jesus is Lord' unless he is under the influence of the Holy Spirit.

There is a variety of gifts but always the same Spirit; there are all sorts of service to be done, but always to the same Lord; working in all sorts of different ways in different people, it is the same God who is working in all of them. The particular way in which the Spirit is given to each person is for a good purpose.

Just as a human body, though it is made up of

many parts, is a single unit because all these parts, though many, make one body, so it is with Christ. In the one Spirit we were all baptised, Jews as well as Greeks, slaves as well as citizens, and one Spirit was given to us all to drink.

The word of the Lord

Sequence

Holy Spirit, Lord of Light,
From the clear celestial height
Thy pure beaming radiance give.

Come, thou Father of the poor,
Come with treasures which endure
Come, thou light of all that live!

Thou, of all consolers best,
Thou, the soul's delightful guest,
Dost refreshing peace bestow

Thou in toil art comfort sweet
Pleasant coolness in the heat
Solace in the midst of woe.

Light immortal, light divine,
Visit thou these hearts of thine,
And our inmost being fill:

If thou take thy grace away,
Nothing pure in man will stay
All his good is turned to ill.

Heal our wounds, our strength renew
On our dryness pour thy dew
Wash the stains of guilt away:

Bend the stubborn heart and will
Melt the frozen, warm the chill
Guide the steps that go astray.

Thou, on us who evermore
Thee confess and thee adore,
With thy sevenfold gifts descend:

Give us comfort when we die
Give us life with thee on high
Give us joys that never end.

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, alleluia! Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and kindle in them the fire of your love. Alleluia!

Gospel: John 20:19-23

In the evening of the first day of the week, the doors were closed in the room where the

disciples were, for fear of the Jews. Jesus came and stood among them. He said to them, 'Peace be with you', and showed them his hands and his side. The disciples were filled with joy when they saw the Lord, and he said to them again, 'Peace be with you. As the Father sent me, so am I sending you.'

After saying this he breathed on them and said:

'Receive the Holy Spirit. For those whose sins you forgive, they are forgiven; for those whose sins you retain, they are retained.'

The Apostles' Creed:

I believe in God, the Father Almighty
Creator of heaven and earth,
and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,

(all bow) *who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary*

suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died and was buried;
he descended into hell;
on the third day he rose again from the dead;
He ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of God
the Father almighty; from there he will come
to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and life everlasting. Amen.

Memorial Acclamation (sung)

Christ has died,
Christ is risen,
Christ will come again (twice)

Communion Antiphon: Acts 2: 4, 11

They were all filled with the Holy Spirit
and spoke of the marvels of God, alleluia.

NOTICES

LOL FINANCE: Thank you very much for your generosity. Last week you gave:

Standing Orders: £1,016; Cash: £120; Dona: £58.92; Catholic Communications: £20

Cheques payable to OLOL & SJF PARISH.
Bank transfer: Barclays Bank, Sort code: 20-17-20, Account number 03187 187. Please note that although this is named as a parish account it is in fact the Sawston account.

TUESDAY, 28TH MAY - CHILDRENS' PILGRIMAGE TO WALSINGHAM. There will be a coach leaving Cambourne at 7.30 a.m. and Sawston at 8.00 a.m. Those wishing to go please put your name on the List on the Porch. The day will also include a trip to the seaside after the day's events, subject of course to favourable weather conditions!!

THE NEW LECTIONARY (4 volumes) costs £695. If anybody would like to donate the whole set or just one volume in memory of a loved one or in thanksgiving, please contact the Parish Office. For more information about a personal copy of the new Sunday Missal, please visit www.newlectionary.org

LITURGY: From next Sunday (26th May), we will use the Niceno-Constantinopolitan Creed, and say the Memorial Acclamation: 'We proclaim your Death, O Lord, and profess your Resurrection, until you come again.'

OPEN COMMUNITY FORUM: The next meeting of our OPEN COMMUNITY FORUM will take place on the 5th June in the Parish Hall at 7.30 pm. The Forum is an important part of the process of rebuilding and strengthening our community after all the difficulties of recent years. Also, we continue to ask and, hopefully, begin to answer the question of what it means to be a Synodal / Journeying Together Parish Community. Everybody who worships at OLOL is a member of the FORUM and so you are invited to contribute any ideas that you may have for discussion at the meeting. Please email your ideas for discussion to drbell@live.co.uk so that they may be included in the plan for the meeting.

Curry Evening: 22nd May, 6.00pm. An exquisite three course meal in the church hall prepared by the Keralan members of our church community. Only 80 tickets available. Adults and Secondary School Children £15.

Primary School Children £7.50. Pre-school children Free. Tickets available at 8.45 Mass from Kevin McMullen and Norman Beaton in the church hall and from Dominic Bell at the 11.15 Mass. Cash preferred for tickets. All proceeds for the Mary's Meals Charity.

LOURDES PILGRIMAGE, from 23rd to 30th August 2024, provides a unique opportunity to gather in the Marian shrine to pray and journey together in faith. For booking, please visit www.tangney-tours.com/tours-and-pilgrimages/diocese-ca-stn/ or phone 01732 886666.

THE HOUSEBOUNDS & NURSING HOME RESIDENTS: If you know any of our parishioners who are housebound, or have moved to local nursing homes, please let Fr John know. He will go to visit them, and arrange for their Holy Communion.

Congratulations to Fr Anthony Asomugha who was ordained at the Cathedral yesterday. May God continue to pour His grace upon him for his priestly ministry to the Church.

The next Retrouvaille programme is in Welwyn Garden City, Hertfordshire from 14-16 June 2024 with 12 virtual post sessions on Wednesdays thereafter. Please help the couples in distress or crisis by spreading the news about this programme. For further information, visit www.retrouvaille.org.uk or contact us on 07961 391889 (Caroline) and 07884 490235 (Michael).

PARISH PRAYER

Heavenly Father, we come before You to praise You and to thank You for the great gift of our parish and the community we have here.

Holy and just God, we thank you for touching the hearts and the life of each parishioner. Keep us from pure self-serving behaviour and stir us to serve people who are most in need of your mercy.

Lord, grant that each family might live their specific vocation to holiness in the Church as a call to become missionary disciples, in the service of life and peace, in communion with our priests, religious, and all vocations in the Church.

May Our Lady of Lourdes and Saint John Fisher pray for us. Amen.