

ST JOSEPH'S, STONEHOUSE & THE ANNUNCIATION, WOODCHESTER

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MASSES AND LITURGIES – 6th SUNDAY of EASTER - PSALTER WEEK 2 - WEEKDAYS OF EASTER or FEAST

Next Sunday the Retiring Collection is for World Communications

ST JOSEPH'S

THE ANNUNCIATION

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Sun	9.00am	Mass: <i>People of parish</i> Readers: Jackie Smalley & Someone, please for Jenny Pilkington!	11.00am Mass: <i>People of parish</i> Reader: Angela Cable
Mon	10.00am	Sandra Sowls	5.00pm Mass: <i>People of parish</i> – Reader: Penny Gear
Tue			9.15am
Wed			
Thur	10.00am	Teresa Whitehead†	
Fri			9.15am Mass in School Hall – Rosary Theme (Lisa Knight)
Sat	10.00am	Michael Knight	

LECTIONARY

Sun	Acts 10: 25-26. 34-35. 44-48	Ps 97: 1-4	1Jn 4: 7-10	Jn 15: 9-17
Mon	Acts 16: 11-15	Ps 149: 1-6. 9		Jn 15: 26-16:4
Tues	Acts 16: 22-34	Ps 137: 1-3. 7-8		Jn 16: 5-11
Wed	Acts 17: 15. 22 - 18:1	Ps 148: 1-2. 11-14		Jn 16: 12-15
Thurs	Acts 1: 1-11	Ps 46: 2-3. 6-9	Eph 1: 17-23	Mk 16: 15-20
Fri	Acts 18: 9-18	Ps 46: 2-7		Jn 16: 20-23
Sat	Acts 18: 23-28	Ps 46: 2-3. 8-10		Jn 16: 23-28

PRAYERS FOR THOSE WHO ARE ILL AT ST JOSEPH'S

Kathy Davies, Julie Wood, Elizabeth Carr, Mary Evans, Rosemary Mabud, Sarah Kane, Aine Anderson, Maggie & Merv, Dave Wakefield, Mary Scully

AND FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED ABOUT THIS TIME

Sylvia Powell, Margaret Tipping, Valerie Gamble, William Kelly, Jadwiga Tylko, David Simmonds, Adeline Mounteney

PRAYERS FOR THOSE WHO ARE ILL AT THE ANNUNCIATION

Brendan Conboy, Della Cox, Jo Heffernan, Barry Norris, Cynthia Stevens, Peggy Chapman, Tony Coupe, Agnes Hutchinson, Bernadette Chandler, Fr. Michael Davies, Avril Wilkes, Maria Hanaiuk, Joan Berner, Barry Taylor, John Presland

AND FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED ABOUT THIS TIME

Maria Angela Horn, Sr. Mary Josephine Howe, Elizabeth Ignatia Hill, Leanor (Peggy) Rawlinson, Percy James Sheldon, Winifred Mabel Brookes, Margaret Tipping, Frederick Chown, Florence Rhoda Phillips, Margaret Mary Hargreaves, Valerie Gamble

POPE FRANCIS' PRAYER INTENTION FOR MAY: Evangelization - The Mission of Laity:

That the lay faithful may fulfil their specific mission
by responding with creativity to the challenges that face the world today

DIOCESAN PRAYER LINK

Swindon: Holy Family

TO ALL APF RED BOX HOLDERS

“Thank you to everyone who brought in their Red Boxes for banking. You collected the magnificent sum of £257 for the first quarter of 2018 which has been deposited in the APF Bank Account. Hopefully, all your Red Boxes have now been returned to you. If you would like to know more about the APF and the work they do, please look at their website which is www.missio.org.uk. If anyone else wants to be a Red Box collector, come and see me. Thanks,”

Brendan

CONGRATULATIONS JENNY AND PAUL!

Jenny and Paul have a new baby George! Congratulations and love from us all!

ROGATION MASS

Sue and Roland Blackwell have kindly invited us to celebrate our Rogation Mass in their barn this year again. It is on May 21st at 6.00pm. Please bring some food to share, and your pet – we had a horse last year!

ANNUNCIATION PARISH RETREAT

The Parish Retreat has been arranged to take place at Bronwnshill on 30th June from 10.00am to 4.00pm.

DUCK RACE

In the Mortimer Gardens, Nailsworth, St. Dominic's School are having 6 children's Duck Races and one for the family. Please come and join in the fun!

VISITING

Do you know of anyone who would appreciate a visit? Would you like to visit people who cannot get out? Please let Deacon Bogdan or Fr. Bill know and he will pass it on.

STROUD DISTRICT FOODBANK SHOPPING LIST

We are currently short of: Small packets of Sugar, Tinned & Instant Custard, Tinned Potatoes, UHT Milk, Orange Juice Toilet Paper, Shampoo/Conditioner. Thank you so much for your support!

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

All the meetings are now at St Joseph's. The next is next Sunday May 13th at 3.00pm and is about "Listening"

MAY EVENTS AT PRINKNASH ABBEY

- May 12th: The Gospel of John - Father Abbot Martin McLaughlin O.S.B. - 10.30am to 12, in the Meeting Room.
- May 12th: Exploring the Essentials of Catholicism - Dr. Sarah Richards - 2.00pm to 4.00pm in the Meeting Room.

CELEBRATE - BRISTOL

For 27th - 28th October: a conference for the whole family! A non residential weekend including tailored 'streams' for all ages of children and young adults. This year keynote speakers Michelle Moran and David Wells will be 'unpacking' an exciting theme. In addition there will be workshops, seminars, praise and worship, prayer ministry, Holy Mass, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Confession. The event is hosted by Catholic Charismatic Renewal at St Bede's Catholic College, BS11 0SU. Further details to be found at www.celebrateconference.org

FAITH AND LIGHT (GLOUCESTERSHIRE)

Will meet on this Sunday 6th May at 3pm in English Martyrs Church, Tuffley Lane, Tuffley GL4 0NX.

On 3rd June we will start at 1pm, weather permitting, at The Gloucester Athletic Club, Poplar Cl, Gloucester GL1 5TX for 'Pedal', on disabled cycles and a 'Picnic' before 'Praise' and fun at English Martyrs. It is essential to pre-book the Pedal and Picnic in advance by contacting either Cheri (cheri.steele@mail.com)



Image: Carmelites

or Fr Gerry (gerry.walsh@cliftondiocese.com) or ☎ 01452 412702. We are in need of a selection of Raffle and Tombola Prizes - toys, gifts, beauty items and eatable items, please leave these in the porch of the Church marked for Faith and Light. (Faith and Light is a Christian Association that brings together people with special needs of all ages, their families and friends for fun, food and faith sharing.)

FLAME

The biggest Catholic Youth event in England & Wales is back! Young people from across the Clifton Diocese aged 14-25 are invited to join Bishop Declan in Wembley Arena on Saturday 2nd March 2019 at *Flame*. Clifton Diocese Youth Ministry are offering ticket, travel & Diocesan scarf - all for just £50 per person. Places are filling up fast, so go to www.cliftondiocese.com or contact your parish priest for more details and to book your place.

ACCOMMODATION AT MORE HALL CONVENT

More Hall Convent Care Home have tow en-suite ground floor room vacancies. If anyone is interested and would like further details, pleas would they contact Sr. Elsy, More Hall Convent, Randwick, Stroud, Glos GL6 6EP ☎ 01453 764 486